A CORNER-STONE LAYING.

INTERESTING SERVICES ON SUNDAY AT THE SITE OF EMMANUEL CHAPEL.

An Address by Rev. Houpt, Alluding to the Beginning and Prospects of the Sunday School at Walnut and Pine

The corner-stone of the chapel of the Evangelical Lutheran Sunday school of Emmanuel, at the corner of Pine and Walnut streets, was laid with impressive services on Sunday afternoon, in the presence of several hundred friends of this mission Sunday school. The school is named in momory of the late Rev. Dr. E. E. Green-

wald.

Promptly at 3 o'clock the children of that mission school marched from their temporary quarters in the Wainut street school building to the platform placed over the foundation walls. The exercises began with the singing of hymn No. 284, "Behold the Sure Foundation Stone." This was followed with prayer and the recitation of the Lord's prayer, after which the corner-stone was placed in position.

After the recitation of the apostles' creed and the singing of the gloria patria and the singing of the gloria patria and the hymn "The Church's one Foundation," Rev. E. L. Reed, delivered a prayer. This was followed by the reading of a historical statement of the work by Rev. C. Elvin Houpt, under whose pastorate the mission was founded.

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Rev. Houpt began this sketch by stating that for some time a Sunday school was greatly needed in this growing section of the city and after thoroughly considering the matter one was started, mainly through the instrumentality of Miss Kate A. Griel, A Sunday school was started in the parlor of the residence of Wm. F. Zell, on January 1, 1888, with nine persons present. Grace ary 1, 1888, with nine persons present. Grace Lutheran Sunday school furnished the benches, blackboard and books necessary. benches, blackboard and books necessary.
In October a working society was formed and through their efforts the school prospered. The Sunday school was moved from time to time, until finally it became so large that it was from time to time, until finally it became so large that it was necessary to secure ground to build a chapel. A lot of ground was offered by the widow and daughter of Wm. Kahl, but it was not then considered advisable to buy that one. Subsequently John F. Griel made an offer to sell to the mission Sunday school, on very favorable terms, the lot of ground on which the chapel is now being erected.

It has a frontage of 60 feet on Walnut street and a depth of 150 feet on Pine street. The contract for the building of the chapel was awarded to Charles W. Hoeltzel, and the work will be pushed to a speedy completion under the direction of the building committee, H. M. Griel, John A. Shober and the pastor. The architect is Clifton Evans.

At the conclusion of the reading of the report and reference to the bright prospects for the school the hymn "Christ Is Our Corner-stone" was sung, Rev. C. L. Fry offered prayer, the doxology was sung and the benediction was pronounced by Rev. F. P. Mayser. he benediction . P. Mayser.

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The corner-stone was the gift of Lewis
Haldy & Son, and in it was placed a number of articles, among which were: A copy
of the Bible, copy of Augsburg confession,
Sunday school book, charter of working
society, officers and members of the working society, the sunday school book is the following society. ing society, historical sketch of the Sunday school, list of members of the Sunday school, a list of the men who have thus far worked on the building, a number of coins, clippings from the daily papers about the Sunday school and names of building com-

Miss May Salsiger was the organist at the exercises and the singing was by chil-dren of the Sunday school and Grace Lutheran congregation. During the services a collection was lifted and a hand-some sum was realized.

BOSS QUAY REBUKED.

Au Exciting Convention That Resulted

The scenes which characterized Saturday's Berks county Republican convention are very rarely witnessed in a political are very rarely witnessed in a political gathering. It was an exciting meeting from the start, and was held amid the greatfor governor on the people of Pennsylvania. Senator Quay's interests were taken care of by A. M. High, who was a delegate to the national convention which nominated President Harrison, and it was High's duty to see that the convention elected five dele-gates favorable to Senator Quay's candidate for governor, State Senator Delamater, Mr. High had been promised the Reading post-mastership if he succeeded. At Saturday's convention the High men

succeeded in electing John B. Snyder chairman. He immediately appointed a committee on credentials, which threw out a sufficient number of anti-High delegate a sufficient number of anti-High delegates to give them the covention. This angered the opponents of High, and eighty of them withdrew. The High convention then went ahead, elected Henry S. Bard chairman, five Quay delegates to the state convention, and nominated a full county ticket, headed by Morton Montgomery for judge of the courts. They indorsed President Harrison, the tariff, and Governor Beaver.

The anti-High convention elected five delegates opposed to Quay. It elected Frank S. Livingood chairman, and also nominated a full county ticket, headed by Harrison Maltzberger for judge. The usual party resolutions were adopted. Before the withdrawal of the anti-High

forces the greatest excitment prevailed. The court house was filled with 500 excited men shaking their fists, swearing, and gesticulating wildly amid loud calls for the police. The party is hopelessly divided in

Girl Editors Sell Their Paper.

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The Misses Ella S. Leonard and Caroline Lingle have sold their weekly newspaper, the Atlantic Highlands (New Jersey) Independent, to Edgar H. Cook, Misses Leonard and Lingle bought the plant about five years ago. During the time it has been in their possession they have improved the newspaper, added many useful fonts of type, bought a new cylinder press, two small job presses, a steam engine, and erected one of the largest brick buildings in the place. The young ladies set the type in the place. The young ladies set the type for the newspaper and job work, made up the forms, got them ready on the press, and ran the engine. They are graduates from Vassar college. A year or so ago they got tired of the business, and since then have been looking for some one to buy them out. The young ladies advocated many of the public improvements which have been made in the borough of Atlantic Highlands, and the majority of citizens are sorry to see them retire from the proprie torship of the Independent.

In Town. Tom Daily spent Sunday in Lancaster with his family. He has been in Buffalo all summer advertising the great Interna-tional fair, but is now ahead of Louise Arnot, who is starring in "Uncle Hiram," a comedy, and playing one night stands.

Mr. Dally left to-day to bill Lebanon,
where they will play next Monday and
will follow on Tuesday at Columbia, but
will not be here.

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John Reilly, formerly manager of the
Philadelphia & Reading telegraph office, in
this city, who now has charge of the telephone lines in New Jersey, was in town

J. K. Griffin, trainer for the stables of horse: in the country, came from New York with Ed MacGonigle last evening and stopped over for several hours in this city. He left this morning for Eric.

Murray Did Not Confess.

A correspondent signing himself "Reader" asks the INTELLIGENCER: "How about Chalkley Le Coney?" He evidently read of the alleged clearing of the Merchantville mystery in a Philadelphia Sunday new party of the Merchantville mystery in a Philadelphia Sunday new party in a Philadelphia Sunday new p

phia Sunday newspaper.
Prosecutor Jenkins, of Camden, said on Prosecutor Jenkins, of Camden, said on Sunday, there was no truth in the confession alleged to have been made by Garrett Murray the colored farm hand of Chalkley Le Coney, in relation to the murder of Annie Le Corey; and it bore upon its face the 'a, 'n evidence of stapid concection, whether or no it was made by the negro. KILLED TWO WOMEN.

Phillipsburg Carpenter Shoots Dead His Wife and Her Mother.

A Phillipsburg Carpenter Shoots Dead
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At Phillipsburg, Pa., shortly after 10
o'clock Sunday morning W. Seely Hopkins, a carpenter, aged about 25 years, shot
and killed his wife and mother-in-law,
Mrs. Wighaman, and immediately after
killing the women ran out of the house,
and after going a hundred yards fired the
two romaining bullets in his pistol at his
own head, inflicting two serious, though
not fatal, scalp wounds. John M. Click,
acting chief of police, heard the shots and
hastened to the scene. He found the
murderer in Allport's livery stable, in
front of which Hopkins attempted suicide,
arrested the man and took him to the police
building, where Dr. Pierce dressed his
wounds. Hopkins has recovered sufficently to make a very clear statement of
how he shot the women, and letters found
in his pocket show very clearly the motive
which prompted the deed.

Hopkins states that he entered the cellar
window of his residence on Sunday and
remained there until he heard his wife
astir next morning, when he went up stairs
and entered the room. He met his wife
and attempted to embrace her, but she repulsed him. Then he drew his revolver
and fired two shots at her; the first missed
her, but the second killed her almost instantly. He went up stairs, met his
mother-in-law on the stairs, who, seeing
him with pistol in hand, ran back into her
room, fastening the door. Hopkins broke
the door open and immediately shot her.
The ball entering one ear and coming out
of the mouth death was almost instantaneous.

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The motive for the deed is in the fact that The motive for the deed is in the fact that Mrs. Hopkins in spite of his entreaties allowed the attention of other men, two of whom he names in one of the letters announcing his intention of committing murder and suicide—Edward Hughes, a coal operator of Phillipsburg, and Ed Goldricks, a Philadelphia cracker agent. For weeks past Hopkins has been seen following his wife on the street when in company with other men. A week ago Hopkins was arrested for assault and battery on his wife, and at the hearing before Esquire Duncan last Sauturday was, in default of bail, committed to jail, but for some reason was left at liberty. The reputation of all the parties is of not a very savory character.

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Upon Hopkins' person was found the following letter, which contains the reason for the commission of the deed:
HOUTZDALE, Pa., Sept. 21.—I have written many statements on what I am going to do. Most of the people in Phillipsburg say I have been hounded to get me out of the way so Edward Hughes and Dear Eddie Goldricks, the cracker agent, can have their own way. They have used my wife Maggie as their's. I love her to idolatry, and these men can never have her again. I will die first. I want this distinctly unwill die first. I want this distinctly derstood. I want this distinctly understood. I want my body sent to Bert Hopkins, 27 Stone street. Rochester, N. Y. I hope we will both reach Heaven. Goodby all. I am in Osceola, now, on my way. Whoever comes in my way when I meet Maggie and interferes will go down with her.

her.
SATURDAY, Sept. 21.—To-night is my time. If everything is all right. Mind my words, I want my body sent home just as I fall. I hate to do a crime like this, but they have hounded me around till I am

Action by the Sovereign Grand Lodge. The sovereign Grand Lodge of Odd Fel-lows on Saturday endorsed the action of the grand sire in interdicting the promiscuous publication of the degree floor work and provided for the appointment of a comprovided for the appointment of a com-mittee of five to prepare a plan of floor work for the various degrees. Resolu-tions were adopted to give to the head-quarters fund of the patriarchs militant the revenues arising from the sale of mili-tant supplies, recommending that subordi-nate lodges hold stated open meetings once in each quarter for the benefit and instrucin each quarter for the benefit and instruc-tion of minors in the principles of the order; authorizing grand masters to appoint lady past grands as instruc-tors in secret work; authorizing grand akota to divide the at the next annual meeting, and authoriz-ing the grand sire to grant a charter to the Grand Encampment of North Dakota. The constitution was amended to provide for the election of officers of the Sovereign Grand Lodge annually instead of biennially, and Lodge annually instead of biennially, and permitting state and territorial grand bodies to make laws disqualifying persons en-gaged in the sale of intoxicating beverages for membership in the order. The resolu-tion providing for eighteen-year membership amendment to lay over until next session was rejected. The question of a constitution for Rebekah Degree Lodges was referred to a special committee and post-

Bell Company Avoids the Issue A Boston lawyer, who is thoroughly fami-liar with the question and is not interested in the case says, in connection with the Drawbaugh suit: "For the first time in the history of the telephone litigation, which has covered a period of over ten years, the Bell company is seeking to avoid an issue of fact which lies at the very foundation of the rights they are enjoying. If the fact. of fact which lies at the very foundation of the rights they are enjoying. If the facts alleged by the government are true the Bell company has for thirteen years been steal-ing a colossal fortune. These facts the Bell company, as I say, are afraid to meet. They have sought to prevent their intro-duction into the case by withdrawing their answer and interposing a technical plea in the hope of staving the Drawbaugh evi-dence off. If the ordinary practice be fol-lowed they will utterly fail in the attempt."

Enforcing the Liquor Law in Reading. The Reading liquor dealers who pleaded guilty, and several others who were con-victed of violation of the Sunday laws, came up for sentence before Judge Ermentrout on Saturday. The licenses of all the defendants were revoked, and they were sentenced as follows: R. Steiger-wald, William H. Johnson, Robert D. Laurish and Christian Hardtner, each to pay \$50 fine and costs and undergo thirty days imprisonment; Wellington B. Moser, 850 fine and twenty-five days imprison-ment; Philip Becker, Charles Kochler, George May and Andrew Boginski, each \$50 fine and twenty days imprisonment

List of Unclaimed Letters. List of letters advertised at the postoffice at Lancaster, Pa., Sept. 23, 1889. Free de-

Ladies' List .- Miss Katie Kavanaugh, Mrs. Annie Lawrence, Mrs. J. F. Rei-mond, Miss Katie Schafer, Miss Nellie Stutsin.

Gent's List-Simson Abey, John Barr,
James Byrne, Samuel Detwiller, Samuel
Gregor, Lewis Krose, Joseph Moore, Jas.
Nelson.

A Match Tennis Game. Messrs, Patterson and Jones, of the Ox-

ford Tennis club, will come to this city tomorrow, to engage in a game with Messrs, Wickersham and Dickey, of the Lancaster club. The game will take place on the Lancaster club grounds at 3 o'clock. Conference at Brickerville. The Fourth district conference of the

Evangelical ministerium will meet at Brickerville on Tuesday and Wednesday. The opening sermon will be preached by Rev. Schmauck, of Lebanon. Thirty min-Charged With Assault and Battery. Thomas Rutt has brought a suit before Alderman Pinkerton against John Bru-

baker for assault and battery on his son

Albert. Bail has been entered for a hear

Death of a Christiana Woman. Mrs. Mary McGowan, aged 60, wife of Wm. McGowan, of Christiana, died at her home on Saturday morning. Mrs. Mc-Gowan was well-known and highly re-spected. The funeral will be held on Tuesday at 10 o'clock; interment at Mt.

'leasant cemetery. To Preach Next Sunday.

UNICORN, Sept. 23.—Rev. B. Cabell Henning, of Allen's Creek, Va., will preach in the Drumore Baptist church next Sunday. He is a young man and a student at Cro-zier theological seminary. The congrega-tion would be pleased to have him become

TWO EX-POLICEMEN.

THEY WERE DRUNK AND POUGHT DARKETS ON NORTH QUEEN STREET.

Albert Speece Locked Up and Fined, and His Companion, John Herr, Escapes a Cell by Holding His Tongue.

Saturday night was rather noisy, and a number of men, who were worse for the liquor they had imbibed, seemed very

number of men, who were worse for the liquor they had imbibed, seemed very anxious to raise fights at different places. Officer Gardner dispersed the crowd that gathered to fight at Mifflin and Mulberry and West King and Mulberry streets. Officer Lehr prevented two men from going at each other at Prince and Strawberry streets, and an encounter was stopped at North Queen and Orange streets by Sergeant Erisman.

The most serious row occurred at the Girard house, on North Queen street, where the colored fair was in progress. Al Speece and John Herr, two ex-members of the city police force, who are very well known, were passing up the street about half-past eleven o'clock, when they took a notion to go into the fair. The colored band was on hand, and the white men began handling their instruments. This made the darkeys mad, and they ordered Speece and Herr to leave the place, which they did. Both were quite drunk, and were anxious to raise a fight. Herr said to some bystanders: "Wait until these niggers come out and see us lick them." The first out was Al. Green, a well-known colored man, who has the reputation of being quite a scrapper, and is said to be able to whip Herr or Speece singly at any time. The men must have known this, as both at once jumped him, knocking him down upon the pavement and kicking him. About that time officer Samson came up and threstened to arrest Speece. That only served to make the gentle Albert wild. He roared around, cursing the officer and defied bim to arrest him, He said he would not go to the station house, nor could any one take him Samson said he could and would take him, and he did without any trouble. Herr was not arrested for the disturbance he created, and the reason given for that was that he was not saucy. The officer seemed to be arresting men for using their mouths and not for trying to kill darkeys. Herr could not rest with his friend in a cold, damp cell, so he went to Alderman Barr and wakened that magistrate, who took him (Herr) for bail. Speece was then released and

that magistrate, who took him (herr) for bail. Speece was then released and went home.

This morning was the time set for the hearing before the mayor, and after the officer's story was heard the mayor told Speece as this was his first offense (which the records of the court, however, do not show) he would let him off upon the payment of \$2.02. Speece, whose mouth has often got him in trouble, at once became very impudent. He said he would not pay any costs, as he had done nothing; he said the darkeys had attacked him first and he simply defended himself; further he said that Samson, who had some feeling against him, picked him out from among a number of others and arrested him after the fight was all over. When Speece made this statement Samson became hot and told the mayor more than he had before. He said both men were very drunk, and he caught them in the act of beating and kicking the negro. The mayor said Speece would have to pay the costs, but the latter sat down very sullenly in a corner, and refused to do anything. in a corner, and refused to do anything Finally some of his friends held a consul tation and paid the costs. Speece left breathing vengoance against Samson and everybody else. The man that was attacked was badly

used up and there will likely be suits brought against both Herr and Speece. The men are both well-known Republican politicians in the Ninth ward, and as standing candidates for appointments on the relies force at all times.

AT ST. PAUL'S REFORMED. Children's Day and Harvest Home Ex-

The children of St. Paul's Reformed Sun

day school celebrated harvest home and Children's Day on Sunday. The church was handsomely decorated in honor of the occasion. At the morning service, devoted to harvest home exercises, Rev. J. W. Meminger preached a sermon from the texts "Consider the lilles how they grow," and "Is it not wheat harvest to-day Children's Day was observed in the evening and the exercises were principally by the children of the infant department. Recitations were delivered by Viola Shaub, Mary Diffenderffer, Ella H. Byrne, Kate Foltz, Bennie Mooney, Carrie Foreman, Lillie Brubaker, Annie Sutton, Susie Ranck, Helen Powden, Carrie Sheaffer, Mary Bush, Bertha Hollinger, Maud Lein-bach, Ella Dettery and Bertha Brubaker. The exercises were under the direction of Charles Heitshu and Miss Mary Sharp. A short address was delivered at the evening exercises by Rev. J. W. Meminger. The singing was accompanied by an organ and full orchestra. All the participants did well and the entertainment was a great

A LARGE FUNERAL. The Remains of Edwin Givler Laid to

One of the largest funerals that has ever taken place in the eastern section of this county was that of Edwin Givler, the man who was found dying in the road, near his home in Bareville, Friday morning. It was held at the home of deceased, and the crowd that was in attendance was of tremendous size. It is believed that it numbered con-siderably over 3 000. The services were siderably over 3,000. The services were held in the Lutheran church at Mechanics burg and there were between 300 and 400 vehicles in the cortege. Only a small por-tion of the people could get into the church during the services, which were conducted by Rev. Kohler, who preached an excel-lent sermon. After the services the re-mains were viewed by the majority of the people present. Among those who at-tended the funeral were quite a number of members of Post 84 of the Grand Army, of this city, to which deceased be-longed.

Strikes Discountenanced. The committee on strikes of the Cigar-nakers' convention in New York or

Saturday made this report:

When we examine the reports and cost of strikes, and the almost reckless manner in which they are sometimes conducted, especially in large centres of our trade, we cannot but recommend that strikes be discouraged as much as can be be discouraged as much as can be consistently with our aims and ob-jects. We therefore indorse the changes proposed by the constitutional committee, and recommend the following addition to article 6, section 3: "All matters relating to such strikes (those in large centres) mus to such strikes (those in large centres must be acted upon jointly, and no union in such locality shall have the right to declare a strike off without the concurrence of a majority of unions in such locality. Failing to comply with the above section, they may be suspended by the international presi-This was referred to the committee on

An Incendiary Fire.

The large bank barn on the farm of Adam Dechant, near Sinking Springs, Berks county, was destroyed by an incendiary on Sunday night. The barn contained the crops of two years, four horses, 12 cattle and farming implements, all of which were destroyed. The loss is \$3,000 and is covered by an insurance in the Sinking Spring Fire Insurance courses. ing Spring Fire Insurance company.

A Social Club. The Active social club, growing out of the Active base ball club, has been organized with the following officers: President, George W. Goodhart; secretary, Thomas J. Goodhart; treasurer, Harry Nehr.

Broke His Arm. Albert Moss, an eight-year-old boy, whose parents reside on North Duke street, while playing in a tobacco ware-house, fell and broke one of his arms on ITS 72D ANNIVERSARY.

A Special Programme of Exercises at the A. M. E. Church. The first day's services in the celebration of the 72d anniversary of the Strawberry street African Methodist Episcopal church were held on Sunday. The interior of the church has been handsomely ornamented in honor of the occasion.

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The services were opened at 9 o'clock with a jubilee love feast. At 10:30 the opening sermon was preached by Rev. A. M. Buckley, of Columbia, who took the place of Bishop Campbell, who was prevented from coming by sickness.

At 1:30 the Sabbath school jubilee was held, at which addresses were delivered by Presiding Elder Herd, Rev. Buckley and Rev. Seth D. W. Smith, the pastor. All these speakers paid eloquent tributes to the late Jonathan Harris, who died during the past year, who was for half a century the past year, who was for half a century the superintendent of the Sunday school.

At 6:30 there was a service of song conducted by Rev. Buckley; at 7:30 the sermen was preached by Presiding Elder Herd, on the use and progress of the church of God, and particularly the African Methodist Episcopal church.

A BRIEF HISTORY OF THE CHURCH.

The Strawberry street church was founded on June 10,1817, by Daniel Croker, a traveling missionary, who was sent from Philadelphia for that purpose. It was organized in the old Swan hotel, in the southeast angle of the square, kept by James Clendennin, in the building now occupied by the New Era. There were fifty-five persons present at the first meeting, and the following prominent citizens of Lancaster agreed to serve as a committee to select a site and raise funds for the erection of a building: Wallace Franklin, Robert Coleman, Wm. Kirkpatrick, Chas. Smith, Wm. Jenkins, Adam Reigart and Georgo M. Mayer.

This committee selected the site now occupied by the church and on the 23d of June all the arrangements were made for the erection of a church.

The old building was many years ago re-A BRIEF HISTORY OF THE CHURCH.

The old building was many years ago re-placed by a frame church, which was destroyed by an incendiary fire in 1878. The present brick church was built in 1879. The present membership of the church is 50, but the number of attendants is between three and four hundred. three and four hundred.

three and four hundred.

The programme for this evening is a ministerial concert and an oration by Presiding Elder Herd on the rise and progress The funds realized from the celebration this week will be applied to the payment of the church debt and the purchase of a parsonage. The object is a worthy one and deserves the encouragement of the public. The pastor will call upon the citizens of Lancaster for contributions. He will not have time to see all the friends of the church and those desiring to contribute should send their donation to Rev. Seth D. W. Smith.

A Victim of Christian Science,

Anna McKee, one of the prettiest young adies of Cape Vincent, N. Y., was emladies of Cape Vincent, N. Y., was employed as a dressmaker in Redpath's establishment in New York. A few weeks ago she went to visit friends in Cape Vincent. She stopped at the residence of Emma Ingalls, a spinster, who thinks she has been cured of innumerable ills through the medium of one Mrs. A. J. McConnell, who is chief among a small band of Christian scientists.

A few days ago Miss McKee was taken ill with gastritis. Mrs. McConneil and Miss Ingalls took full charge of her case. They did not send for a physician, but told the girl that God would be angry with her if she distrusted Him to that extent. They advised her that if she keet girlt to transfer. advised her that if she kept right on trust-ing and praying she would get well. Miss McKee did not believe in Christian sci-

ackee did not believe in Christian sci-ence, but she was powerless. When at last she lay in the most terrible agony the only comfort or help she got was an exhor-tation to be faithful and pray.

Three days before Miss McKee's death Miss Libbie Iselin and Mrs. E. Stala heard how ill she was, and went to the house. They were denied admittance by Miss Ingails, but pushed the spinster aside and reached the sick girl's bedside. They sent for Dr. Masson, but when the physician arrived he was unable to do anything to save the girl's life. Miss McKee died next day. The physician believes that if he had been called in time he would have saved her life. The people of the town are very indignant over the affair.

Sales of Real Estate. Rebman & Son, auctioneers, on Saturday sold for Christian Neff, executor of Mary Neff, ten acres of ground with improvements, in Upper Leacock township, to Isaac Bair for \$3,540.

The same firm sold at private sale and on private terms, a two-story brick house at 529 East Chestnut street, for Mr. Lutz, to

L. L. Landis, of Manheim township.
Sam Matt Fridy, auctioneer, on Saturday
sold for the estate of Jacob Myers a tract of
66 acres in Manor township to Joseph

oo acres in Manor township to Joseph Stoner at \$110.50 per acre.

A. Dellinger, suctioneer, sold on the same day for the estate of Susanna Martin the following real estate in East Hempfield township. lownship: No. 1. A farm of 73 acres and 66 perche

to J. Hay Brown, Sam Matt Fridy and John M. Froelich at \$285 per acre. No. 2. The hotel stand known as Hambright's tavern, to Mrs. E. L. Hambright for \$4,715. No. 3. Three acres and 66 perches of land, without improvements, to Mrs. Lens Martin and Mrs. D. W. Graybill for \$506

per acre.

leave town.

Injured While Drunk. On Saturday Thomas Kelly, a rather well dressed man, who says he is employed at the iron works at Safe Harbor, came to Lancaster and got drunk. In the evening he was wandering along West King street, near Dorwart, stumbling over every-body and everything and at last fell down. In landing on the pavement his head struck against an iron shoe scraper, and he was terribly cut in several places about the head. Leo Jacobs found him and washed the blood from his face. Word was then sent to the station house, and Officer Olt soon arrived and took the man to the station house, where his wounds were dressed. This morning he appeared before the mayor in a battered up condition. He told his story as well as could remember it and promised to ve town. The mayor discharged him

and sent an officer to accompany him out

Robbed Ills Benefactor. George Ungor, a well-known young man, who resides in the Ninth ward and is rather weak-minded, has made a narrow escape from getting into trouble. He does not seem to have a home and of late has been going to the home of Henry Stouter, on North Prince street, where he was on North Prince street, where he was given his meals and treated very kindly, Mr. Stouter is an invalid and is confined to bed. George was in the habit of visiting his room and he was there yes-terday when Mr. Stouter took his dinner. While the latter had his back turned Unger slipped his hand under the pillow on the bed, and took therefrom a pocketbook containing between 840 and 850. Stouter soon discovered that the money was gone and he alarmed the family. Unger was caught before he had left the premises and all of the money with the exception of \$5, was found upon him. Out of sympathy he

will not be prosecuted. Funeral of Elmer Shreiner. The funeral of Elmer Shreiner, at Ne Holland, on Sunday was largely attended The lodge of Knights of Golden Eagle were present in a body. Rev. J. W. Hassier conducted the funeral services.

A trucker named Reese was driving along Columbia avenue on Saturday evening, when a wheel of his wagon broke off. This frightened the mule and he fell down. and, getting up ran away, but was soor caught, much to his discredit, as a horse could have done better.

Endorsed Judge Rea. The local Grand Army post in St. Paul on Sanday night endorsed Judge John P. Rea, of Minneapolis, for commissioner of RESORTING TO BRIBERY

AN EXPOSURE OF THE BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY'S WORK.

Charge That It is Trying to Corrupt Drawbaugh's Witnesses-Desperation of the Bell People.

It is asserted that all the anti-Bell interests which figured separately in the famous supreme court case of 1887 have pooled their issues in the hands of three noutral trustees, the Hon. Frank Jones at New Hampshire and John R. Bartlett and Henry C. Andrews, of New York.

In the suit which the Bell company won in the supreme court on the narrow margin of one vote they always were on the aggressive. In the present case they have for the first time sought to evade by legal quibble every issue.

Their first move in meeting the government's suit in Boston was to ask that the Drawbaugh issue be discarded entirely. This request was refused. They then set up a denial of the Drawbaugh charge, but subsequently asked and received permission of the court to withdraw that denial for the purpose of entering a general plea which would only refer to the charge of fraud. The Drawbaugh testimony will be offered as evidence in the Boston circuit court. When objected to by the Bell coursel it will go on record and come up before the supreme court.

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The testimony of Drawbaugh will be taken at his home at Eberley's mills, Cumberland county, Pa. There are more than two hundred witnesses who live in that locality. Nearly all testified in the former suit. They knew Drawbaugh as "Dan," their village genius, who mended their clocks, painted their barns and portraits, and for the rest of the time was busy at his inventions. They had seen and talked through his telephone. They were in that suit submitted to a most rigorous cross-examination, and their testimony was not shaken. It is this testimony which the Bell company, if report be true, are trying to pre-It is this testimony which the Bell company, if report be true, are trying to prevent from being taken. The local agent of the Bell company at Eberly's Mills is now charged with attempting to induce these witnesses to change or forget the substance of their testimony. The charge comes from one of the Drawbaugh counsel, Henry G. Andrews. In an interview with a reporter, Mr. Andrews stated his case substantially as follows:

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"In the case of our chief witness we have positive and documentary proof. Regarding the others our information has been so recent that we have not had time to more than verify the fact. If publicity does not deter the agents at work for the Bell company we will, if necessary, give liberal rewards for the conviction of the men engaged in this business. Bell's reputation for liberality toward his witnesses is well known, and we do not care how much they may be benefited, but we want ours to be permitted to tell the truth. The new evidence which we have we regard as strong as any which has yet appeared. Of course you can appreciate my inability to tell you its character. We learned a few mouths ago that a local newspaper there had published long before Bell received his patent a description of Drawbaugh's telephone. It could not be found upon the files of the newspaper officiatell for in any public library. It has either disappeared or been so badly mutilated as to be of no service. A liberal reward offered in the hope of obtaining one ated as to be of no service. A liberal re-ward offered in the hope of obtaining one from some private citizen is likewise desti-tute of result. Its possession would be a decisive point in our favor."

Baltimore Joe Visits the Quakers. " Baltimore Joe" has turned up again It has been about two weeks since he escaped from the workhouse. On Saturday was in the western part of town and walked with him to the station house for walked with him to the station house for lodging. He said he might as well go there as be taken. Joe has been down in Chester county, but he got tired of it. He says that he fell in with Quakers, some of whom said, "Thee had better go to work"; and others would ask him the question "Does thee love the Lord?" but none said anything about giving him grub. He became disgusted and returned to Lancaster. Joe has been arrested and imprisoned so often has been arrested and imprisoned so often that the mayor was at a loss to know what to do with him this morning. He concluded to see if he was wanted at the workhouse and in the meantime he was left at the station house. Joe is a queer man; he will not remain in the workhouse and it does not remain in the workhouse and it does no good to send him to jail. He has been acquitted of being a tramp in the courts and what will be done with him next is

Planted by Priests.

From the Harrisburg Patriot.

One of the fish commissioners of Pennsylvania writes in relation to what is called the Susquehanna "salmon." He says they are the pike perch of the great lakes. They have been found in the Susquehanna since 1835, when they were originally liberated by French or English priests. They have few of the characteristics of the salmon. They are one of our best food fishes, with fine white flesh, and of excellent flavor. They attain rapidly to a large size, the largest of fifteen pounds' weight. It is a voracious but clean feeder, taking its food alive. On account of its fighting qualities it is well entitled to be called game fish. It is only found east of the Alleghenies in the Susquehanna, except the upper Delaware, which was stocked this spring. It is much more in favor with fishermen than the black bass. This year they are very plentiful, and furnish most excellent sport. It was asserted by some that the great floods carried them all out to sea, but this is not the case, inasmuch as they are more abundant than for many years past. From the Harrisburg Patriot. is not the case, inasmuch as they are more abundant than for many years past. The Susquehanna "salmon" is generally taken with a stout rod and with the spoon.

A Main Repaired.

On Saturday evening Superintendent Frailey put a force of men to work repair-ing the twelve inch main leading from the stand pipe to the East King street main. A coffer dam was built about the main and the section taken out. The work was continued the whole of Saturday night, and by Sunday forenoon it was fluished, having been done very quickly and in a satisfactory manner.

The Ridley Brick Company. The Ridley Brick Company.

Application was made to the state department at Harrisburg, to-day, for a cherter for the Ridley Park brick company. The directors are Henry Martin, Jacob Zortman, J. G. Gaibraith, Thos. B. Holohan, city, and David Zortman, Harrisburg. The capital stock is \$50,000. Ridley Park, belaware county, has been released. burg. The capital stock is \$50,000. Ridley Park, Delaware county, has been selected as the place of business, because large banks of good brick clay are easy of access,

His Fifth Anniversary. Sunday was the fifth anniversary of the pastorate of Rev. J. E. Pratt at St. John's Episcopal church. At the morning services he referred to his pastoral work during the past year, and also since he has been con-nected with this parish, showing the num-

ber of accessions, baptisms, marriages, con-firmations and deaths. This church from the statement made has greatly prospered since Rev. Pratt assumed charge, Death of Marshall S. Mutchler. Marshall S. Mutchler, a prominent lawyer and Democratic politician of Denton, Md., died on Saturday in Philadelphia, where he went to consult a physician. Mr. Mutchler was 35 years old, graduate of Dickinson college, and in 1883 was state's attorney for four years and at

was state's attorney for four years and at the expiration of the time declined a re-nomination. He leaves a valuable estate. His wife survives him. An Incorrigible Boy.

Wm. Border, one of the boys who ran away from the Children's Home and was found in the eastern section of the county last Thursday by Chief Smeltz, has been complained against before Alderman Barr for being incorrigible. He will be heard by the judges to-morrow with a view of send-ing him to the House of Refuge, THE LAST GAME AT PENRYN.

The Lebanon Grays Defeat the Actives The last game of the season at Penryn was played on Saturday afternoon between the Lebanon Grays and the Active club of the Lebanon Grays and the Active club of Lancaster. The latter team went in the field in a somewhat crippled condition. Hostetter missed the train and a young man named Ressler, of Manheim, was picked up along the road to take his place. He became disabled during the game and a Lebanon man replaced him. Owing to the absence of "Jerry" Snyder, the regular pitcher, who was in Washington, Hogarth took his place, with Gibson behind to receive him. Their work was by no means bad and not more than eight or ten hits were made. Hagey was in the box for the professionals and a half-dozen safe hits were made off him. He was hit hard, but the balls seemed to go right into the reach of the fielders. For the Lebanons, Fox, the new short stop, did the best work in the field. Goodhart and Kline batted very hard. For the Actives the outfielding was good, Shindle making a wonderful running fly catch. The noise made by Hoverter and Goodhart of the Grays was about as disgusting as it was uncalled for and out of oless. The

and this sum may be increased before the next playing season opens. The majority of this money has been subscribed by the owner of Penryn Park, on which beautiful ground the home games will be played. The Penryn people will have the whole say concerning the club, as they furnish the grounds for nothing. They intend selecting a good manager, and will not be in a hurry about doing it. They have a score of applications for the position already, and among those who want it is James Farrington, who managed the successful Harrisburg club this year.

There was a great similarity of names among the players on the teams at Penryn on Saturday, and persons unacquainted with the men were liable to be mixed up. On each team was a Goodhart, and a gentleman of the same name managed the Actives. Each nine had a Kline, and the Actives had a Cline and a Gleim. The spectators could not keep the run of them. The championship games of Saturday were: New York 7, Philadelphia 3; Boston 4, Washington 4, (12 Innings;) Chicago 8, Cleveland 7; Pittsburg 9, Indianapolis 6, Athletic 11, Baltimore 8; Brooklyn 9; Columbus 4; Cincinnati 5, St. Louis 4; Louisville 7; Kansas City 5.

The Sunday base ball games were: Athletic 9, Haitimore 8; Columbus 7, Brooklyn 4; Cincinnati 17, St. Louis 6; Kansas City 10, Louisville 5.

Buying and selling of base ball players will end with this season, and the men dealing in that kind of merchandise may have to seek new employment, when the individual members of each of the eight clubs become stockholders. The transfer work is to be done by the Brotherhood of Professional Base Ball Players, of which John M. Ward, short stop of the New York club, is president, Dennis Brouthers, first baseman of the Boston team, is vice president, and Timothy J. Keefe, the New York cluo's pitcher, is secretary. Most of the details have been arranged and remain to be carried out after the end of the present season and before the beginning of 1890. Every man in the League clubs of 1899, with the exception of half a dozen, among w Washington team is to be transferred to Buffalo and strengthened by the addition of Rowe, White and Myers, late of Indianapolis. All expenses and receipts are to be pooled for the general benefit, and gate receipts divided equally between the clubs. The first \$10,000 profit is to go into prizes to be distributed among the clubs as playing prizes, \$5,000 to first, \$2,500 to second, \$1,500 to third and \$1,000 to fourth. Of the first \$50,000 after this \$10,000 apiece goes to the capitalists of each club. The next \$80,000 goes to the players, and all other profits are pooled, half and half. Each player shares equally with the others. Ham shares equally with the others. Ham Disston and Adam Forepaugh will back the Philadelphia club, and Mayor Grant and Postmaster Van Cott will be behind

Killed His Wife's Lover.

In New York on Saturday night Florence
J. Donohue stabbed Peter Reyncleds five
times with a large butcher knife, resulting
in almost instant death. The two men,
with their families, lived in the same tenement, and Donohue suspected Reynclds of
being unduly intimate with his wife.
Donohue went to bed about 9 o'clock. A
few hours afterwards he awoke and discovered that his wife had left the room. He
immediately suspected that she had gone
to Reynolds' room, and without waiting to
dress himself he rushed down stairs and,
knocking upon Reynolds' door, demanded
his wife. No attention being paid to his
request he burst the door open. Reynolds
was ready for him and struck him on the
head with a club. Donohue then returned
to his apartment, secured a long knife and Killed His Wife's Lover. to his apartment, secured a long knife and went back to Reynolds' room. The two men then engaged in a terrible struggle, during which Reynolds received his death wound.

Close of the Colored Fair.

There was a large attendance at the clos ing of the colored fair at the Girard house on North Queen street, Saturday evening.
The attraction was a live pigeon pie. There was a big pie in which was a live bird with a ring tied to its neck. The pie was cut, and the person who caught the bird was entitled to the ring. Steve Wilson was the lucky man.

Verdict of Coroner's Jury.

The jury impannelled to inquire into the cause of the death of the unknown man, found unconscious alongside the railroad track at Mt. Joy, consisted of Charles Berlenz, S. C. Shaub, T. L. Schuyler, George Kitteras, George S. Blair and Wm. Hess. The conclusion they reached was that death The conclusion they reached was that death

resulted from concussion and congestion of the brain, from injuries received on rail-road near Mt. Joy.

There were several persons at the county hospital since Saturday to look at the bedy of the man, but none could recognize 1 im. He was buried this af erroen in the county

Going to Pittsburg. The annual meeting of the state league o

Republican clubs will be held in Pittsburg this week. The delegates from the Young Republicans are T. C. Wiley, H. C. Demuth, Jr., and A. C. Brosey. Wiley went this ir., and A. C. Brosey. Wiley went this afternoon. Demuth is not going. The "alderneys" are E. E. Steigerwalt, Harry Herr and Edward Fraim. going or have gone. Want to Emigrate to a Wet Country

Colonies of Germans of Shelby and Linn counties, Iowa, have bought 2,220 acres near Zainesville, Tex., for \$220,000, and 150 families will settle there. They are dis-satisfied with reachibition satisfied with prohibition.

The Site Selected.

Mr. A. J. Drexel has selected the south-east corner of Thirty-second and Chestnut streets, Philadelphia, as the site for the Drexel institute. The institute is to accommodate at least 2,000 students of both

Gorod to Death by a Bull. Christian Spiece, a wealthy retired farmer of North Coventry, Chester county, was gored to death by a mad bull on Sunday. He was found in a field by his family dead, with his clothing budly torn and a horrible gash at the temple. He was about 80 years old.

Murdered His Wife.

Culferen, Va., Sept. 23.—A murder occurred on Saturday night on the farm of Mr. Sam Jones, about four or five miles-from this place. It seems some negroes were having a Saturday night "cake walk" at the house of James Fitzgerald. During the evening one of the negroes kissed the wife of Fitzgerald, whereupon the latter seized his gun and fired at his wife, the whole charge striking her in the side.

PRICE TWO CENTS

THE REPUBLIC FIRM.

OVERWHELMING VICTORY GAINED POR THE

FRENCH REPUBLICANS.

Mysterious Disappearance of the Con-

servative Party and Weakness of All

the Opponents of the Government.

PARIS, Sept. 23. - Elections for repres

tatives were held throughout France on Sunday, and in spite of rumors that the government would not allow votes for Boulanger, Dillon and Rochef et to be

counted, the partisans of the exiles were active and hopeful. In Paris there was a little excitement in the evening and a large

force of infantry and cavalry occupied the principal Boulevards, but their presence did not seem necessary as good order was maintained without trouble.

2 P. M.—Official returns from 536 el toral divisions show that the Republic

anti-Republicans in 156, Re-ballots will be necessary in 170 di-visions. It is believed that in 127 of the

divisions where re-ballots will be peces-

publicans. The Republicans also rely on electing the ten members from the colo-nics. In official circles a government ma-

The returns from elections in this city show that the Conservatives did not elect a single member while the Republicans returned one and the Boulangists four.

Re-ballots will be necessary in 37 di-visions. M. Thevenel, minister of justics, has been re-elected, but re-ballots will be

stans, minister of interior, and M. Yven-Guyot, minister of public works, were candidates. Their election however is re-

3 p. m.—Returns from 560 electoral divisions show that 244 Republicans have been elected and 150 members of opposition. Re-ballots will be necessary in 157 divisions. It is expected that 135 of these will return Republicans.

jority is considered assured.

garded as certain.

whole charge striking her in the side, making a dreadful wound. She fell and expired in fifteen minutes. After com-mitting the deed Fitzgerald coolly walked up stairs and went to bed. He was arrested and is now in jail here.

Robert Garrett in Baltimore.

Baltimore, Sept. 23.—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Garrett, accompanied by Miss Elizabeth Frick, Mrs. Garrett's sister, and Dr. H. B. Jacobs, arrived here from Bar Harbor, Maine, at ten o'clock this morning. The party were driven directly to Uplands, where they will remain until the latter part of November. Mr. Garrett does not expect to take up business for some time, but will remain quietly at Uplands.

Census Agents.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 23.—Robert
P. Porter, superintendent of census, has appointed Richard P. Rothwell, of New WASHINGTON, E. P. Porter, superintendent of appointed Richard P. Rothwell, of York, editor of the Engineering and Mining Journal, chief special agent to take charge of the collection of statistics of goldend silver for the eleventh census. The send silver for the eleventh census. The send silver for the selection agent statistics

The Race for Big Stakes BEACON PARK, Mass., Sept. 23,-The track is in excellent condition for the 000 stallion race and fully 15,000 people are present. Five horses will start. Aleryon, Janemont, Granby and Pilot Knox. Nelson is favorite in pools selling \$100 to 80 for Aleryon; 16 for field.

The first heat was won by Nelson. Time 2.18]. Alcryon 2, Pilot Knox third. Appointed Storekeeper Washington, Sept. 23.— The secretary of the state has appointed William S. Margart storekeeper and gauger for the Ninth revenue district of Pennsylvania.

[Mr. Margart is at presen: in the revenue service. He was formerly a storekeeper and has been promoted to storekeeper and gauger. His home is in Bedford.] Stevedores Strike London, Sept. 23.—The stevedores em-ployed on the East India dock have again gone out on strike. They claim that the companies are not engaging old hands, as they agreed to do when the strike was settled.

Diseased Cattle Killed. NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J., Sept. 23 .- The state inspector to-day killed 20 head of cattle at Fleischman's distillery at Mill-stone, Somerset county, and 12 head on ad-joining farms that were afflicted with

Heavy Frost in Mohawk Valley. CANAJOHARIE, N. Y., Sept. 23.—A heavy frost occurred in the Mohawk valley this morning, making havoe among gardens,

Appointed Marshal. DEER PARK, Sept. 23. - The only executive work done at the White House cottage to-day was the appointment of Edwin Knott as marshal for the Northern district of Iowa.

Death of Novelist Collins.

LONDON, Sept. 23.—Wilkie Collins, the novelist, who has been seriously ill for some time, died to-day.

WEATHER FORECASTS. WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 23.—For Eastern Pennsylvania: Warmer, fair weather; winds shifting to

outherly. Special bulletin-The storm which was this morning reported on the Louisiana coast has increased in intensity. The centre will probably move to northeast across Georgia and Eastern Tennessee to Virginia. Daugerous northeast winds will prevail tonight on the South Atlantic coast, shifting to-morrow to southeast. The storm will probably be felt on the Middle Atlantic coast by Tuesday afternoon or night. General and heavy rains will occur in North Carolina, Tennessee and Virginia to-night, extending northward to New York, to-morrow. (Signed) GREELY,

." Lancaster Jim" Gets Two Years. James McCuen, better known as " Lan James McCuen, better known as "Lancaster Jim," formerly of this city, who was
shot while breaking into a store at Townville, Crawford county, was sentenced to
two years at hard labor in the Western
penitentiary, in the United States court of
Williamsport on Saturday. In the store
that he burglarized there was a postoffice,
and he was tried for breaking into it.

Begun Work. Fritchey & Hinden, who have the contract for laying the asphalt blocks on North Duke street, segun work at the corner of James street this morning.