A BOY DISAPPEARS.

ELLWOOD SETTLEY LEAVES HOME ON PRIDAY AND PAULS TO RETURN.

ids a Note to His Mother and Sir Declaring They Will Nover See Him-Many Searching For Him.

Eliwood Settley, only son of Captain Abram Settley, disappeared on Friday afternoon and although diligent search was made by the entire police force, and many volunteers, no trace could be found of the boy up to 16 o'clock this morning.

Eliwood is in delicate health, and has had between attacks of neuralgla of the brain, brought on by indigestion. He had such an attack a few days ago, but was so fer recovered by Friday noon that he was able to accompany his father to his hotel, on North Queen street. He remained there but a short time and seated his father's permission to take a walk. As the doctor said it would not hurt him to exercise a little the desired permission was given and young Settley left the hotel, after being warned by his father not to est anything while he was gone. It was about 2 o'clock when he left the hotel and that is the last the captain has wo fhis son.

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Between 4 and 5 o'clock Mrs. Settley received a note from her son which greatly alarmed her. She at once sent it to her hasband. Following is a copy of the note:

DEAR MOTHER AND SISTERS: I am leaving home and you will never see me again for a long time. Father is mad with me, that is the only reason. God bless and keep you, mother, and try mother and not follow me, because you will never find me. Good bye, mother, good bye, Dalsy, good bye, Tillie. Sweet kiss for you all.

ELLWOOD SETTLEY.

The note was taken to Mrs. Settley by a young daughter of Jacob Souders, of No. 125 East Mifflin street. She said Ellwood wrote the note at their house and requested her to deliver it. He was well acquainted with Mr. Souders and his family and frequently visited there.

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There is no truth in the statement of the boy that his father "was mad at him." He was treated very kindly by his father, but the boy appeared to chafe under the restraint imposed on him in his diet, on secount of his complaint. He invariably wants to eat such articles of food that the doctor said he should not and appeared to be greatly offended when he was not allowed to eat what he chose.

As soon as Capt. Settley received the above note he reported his son's disappearance at police headquarters. All the members of the force were instructed to make a diligent search for the boy. Capt. Settley's Grand Army friends also joined in the search and although it was kept up all night not a trace could be found of the missing boy.

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All the small towns in the county were notified by telephone of the disappearance of the boy and search is being made today in those places.

Young Settley has a number of relatives in the county that could not be reached by telephone and to these messengers were dispatched this morning.

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Ellwood was seen in this city as late as 4:30 on Friday afternoon, but from that time not a trace of him can be found.

His father fears that he may have been stricken with one of his attacks in the country close to the city, and being unable to help himself may die from exposure.

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The missing boy is between 17 and 18 years old, 5 feet 9 or 10 inches in height, slim build, wore dark clothes and overcoat and small slouch hat.

The young man was seen to pass the car stables of the East End passenger railway, on the Philadelphia turnpike, about half past four on Friday afternoon. He was walking eastward. Inquiry was made at the houses of his relatives in that section of the county this morning, but he had not stopped with any of them.

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Late this morning Capt. Settley received information that his son was seen at Greerland, a few miles east of the city, about 5 o'clock on Friday afternoon. The young man was walking towards the East. Capt. Settley procured a team and at once drave in that direction. Un to half your than in that direction. Up to half past three o'clock this afternoon Capt. Settley had not returned from his search for his son, nor was there any tidings of the lost one.

AN ALLEGED NEW TREATY. The Toronto Government Organ Say

Mr. Blaine Has Negotiated Cne. The Toronto Empire, the government organ, says: "Currency was recently given to a report that the Weldon extradition act of the last session had been disallowed by the imperial authorities. The empire is in a position to give this report an emphatic denial. The position of the matter stands thus: The fourth clause of the act states that its provisions shall not come_into force with respect to fugitive offenders from any for eign state until after the governor general's proclamation has been issued declar-ing the act to be in force and effect as regards every foreign state. We are authorized to state that no proclamation will issue until it is seen whether or not the Senate of the United whether or not the Senate of the United States ratifies the new extradition treaty agreed to between Great Britain and the United States this summer, and which was the chief cause of Sir Julian Pauncefote's visit to England. If the Senate assents to the treaty it may or may not be necessary then to have any legislation on the subject by the Parliament of Canada."

Before the Mayor.

Michael Brady applied for lodging last night and this morning asked to be sent to the almshouse to get rest. His request was complied with.

Peter Fitzpatrick, who has work near
Petersburg, came to town yesterday and
got very full. He was found wandering
on Wainut street by Officer Boas. As it
was his first offense the mayor discharged
him.

Geo. Taylor, a colored boy, was arrested

for disorderly conduct in front of the opera house last night. Taylor is beyond the control of his father and has been in

Got a Wife By Advertising.

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In Alexandria, Va., a few evenings since Rev. Dr. Sharp married Mr. Perciville D. Heath, of California, to Miss Annie E. Young, a handsome young lady of Alexandria. Mr. Heath advertised for a wife, and the advertisement led to a correspondence with Miss Young, and he came from California to see her. He met her last Sunday. They became mutually interested, were married Thursday evening and have gone on a marriage trip to New Hampshire, where Mr. Heath's parents reside.

A New Brewing Firm.

Lancaster is to have a new brewing firm in the near future. It will be composed of Frank M. Teuffel and Christian Wizemann, and they will carry on their business at the Lion brewery on Middle street, which was partially built by Casper Koehler, who has been carrying on business there for years. Mr. Teufiel has been keeping the saloon owned by Frank A. Rieker, on West King street, for some time and has also been as-sisting to manage the brewery. Mr. Wize-mann has been Mr. Rieker's boss brewer

John Stoner, who resides on East Frederick street, and is employed at Downey's bending works, on Harrisburg avenue, was badly injured yesterday. He was cutting a piece of wood with a hatchet which accidentally struck him on the wrist, cutting a very ugly gash. Dr. Kinard dressed the wound.

Another State Ticket For Virginia. The Independent Republicans have nominated an anti-Mahone state ticket, as follows: Governor, John F. Lewis, of Rockingham: Heutenant governor, Park Agnew, of Alexandria; attorney general, C. A. Heermans, of Montgomery.

Teathers' Institute. The teachers' institute of Litiz will be held on the 4th Saturday of November.

A BATTERED CORPSE. Science is Sure of It.

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In the Cronin case on Friday the body was thoroughly identified by six witnesses. and its finding described by three. Dr. Egbert, who had conducted the autopsy, described the wounds at great length, and save it as his opinion that death had resulted from them. All of the wounds were upon the head. The skull was not broken, except that a small piece of bone was chipped off at the corner of the left eye.

In his judgment the doctor was killed within three hours after having eaten. Cross-examination of Dr. Egbert developed that none of the wounds on the corpse were such as would necessarily cause death. It was impossible also, the doctor admitted, to say whether the wounds on the corpse were tain, but was unable to do so. He had not ascertained that they in any manner affected the brain. If death had resulted from the skull wounds, it would in all probability have been caused by concussion of the brain. The usual post-mortem evidence of such a result, the heart and the lungs being filled with blood, was not found in this case.

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"Is it not true that that dead body, as examined by you physicians—is it not scientifically true—that you physicians found no evidences in that body that were certain and conclusive of the form of death?"

death?"
Dr. Egbert replied:
"That is true."
"That is the God's truth, is it?"
"Yes, sir."
Dr. Egbert was of the opinion that death had occurred through excessive loss of blood, but there was no certainty of it, he said.

said.

Dr. Charles W. Porkins who, at the request of Dr. Egbert, assisted at the postmortem, testified that in his opinion death did not ensue from blood-letting, but from concussion of the brain. The latter organ, however, was too decomposed to afford any information.

Happenings at the Normal School. MILLERSVILLE, Oct. 26.-Last evening at

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Millersville, Oct. 26.—Last evening at the regular meeting of the Page Literary society the following officers were installed. President, S. W. McClure; secretary, Miss Martha Rippol; vice president, H. A. Bailey; critic, Charles E. Ziegler and editor of the Page Weekly, Miss Amy Sprague. The regular exercises were listened to by an appreciative and good sized audience. The question, "that life insurance is a duty morally binding on every husband and father" was discussed and decided in favor of the affirmative. The remaining exercises consisted of an oration, referred questions, recitations and music; all of which were creditably performed.

Two Indians are students at the school at present. They have attended Capt. Pratt's school at Carlisle for four years, and are young ladies of more than average ability and of excellent deportment. Their number is to be increased before long by anothe Indian from the same school. It is quite probable that these three Indian girls will remain at the Normal until they have completed the Normal school course.

Dr. E. O. Lyte lectured at the

school course.

Dr. E. O. Lyte lectured at the Montgomery county institute yesterday, and is to speak at a local institute today at Chestnut Level, this county. Dr. A. R. Byerly has charge of the school during Dr. Lyte's absence.

The Normal foot ball team will leave on the tea calcale out this morning for York.

the ten o'clock car this morning for York, at which place they are to play a game with the foot ball toam of the York Collegi-

HOWARD OUTWITS JUDGE LEWIS. He Gets Possesion of the Harlan Court House.

House.

The Louisville Times' correspondent telegraphed from Pineville Friday afternoon as follows:

"At Harlan Court House, Wilson Howard accomplished a sort of coup d'etat yesterday. County Judge Lewis and his posse of sixty men left Harlan Court House at 9 o'clock in the morning to make another assault on Howard's camp. Howard, anticipating this movement, had placed his followers in ambush near town. The Lewis posse passed directly through the ambuscade, and were not fired on. After they had got beyond their foes and were proceeding in the supposed direction of Howard's camp the Howard party moved into town and took possession of the court house.

house.

They have complete control of the town, with pickets stationed at all approaches, and the county judge and his followers are the town. It have gone into camp outside the town. It is believed that Judge Lewis will endeavor to recapture the court house to-day, and s bloody fight is expected."

This Was a Novel Suit.

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The court of appeals of Kentucky has just decided a strange suit in regard to the enforcement of a promise for the cessation of the tobacco habit. April, 1880, Mrs. Sallie D. Stemmons made an agreement in writing with her step-grandson, Albert R. Talbott, that she would give him \$500 if he would never take another chew of tobacco or smoke another clear from that time until her death. At the same time the grandson stipulated to refund double that amount to his mother if he at any time within the prescribed period violated the

within the prescribed period violated the agreement.

The grandmother died in February, 1887, and as he fulfilled the conditions of his agreement and was never paid a cent, Talbott instituted suit for the recovery of the money from Thomas H. Clay, the executor of the estate. It was claimed that the condition was not sufficient in law to make the contract valid, and the lower court gave judgment against Talbott. On appeal the case was decided in the supreme court and reversed, and again appealed to the court of appeals, which decides that Talbott fulfilled a plain contract, and is entitled to the money. the money.

The Flood Commission's Statement. A statement from the office of the flood relief commission, at Harrisburg, gives the total amount received by the commission up to October 20th as \$2,775,225.20. Of this amount \$1,065,225.20 belongs to what is known as the governor's fund, and comprises money received by the governor from every state and territory in the Union and from Mexico, Ireland, Canada, England, Turkey, Italy, Austria, Germany, Prussia, Wales, Saxony and Persia. The commission Turkey, Italy, Austria, Germany, Prussia, Wales, Saxony and Persia. The commission received, in addition to the governor's fund, contributions of \$500,000 from New York (city), \$500,000 from Philadelphia, \$560,000 from Pittsburg and \$150,000 from Boston, making the grand total of \$2,775,-225.20. This does not comprise all the contributions, but only those passing through the hands of the commission.

Y. M. C. A. Not es. are interesting themselves in foot ball, and expect to organize a team.

The annual week of prayer for young men throughout the world will be ob-served by the associations beginning Nowember 10.
The Ladies' Auxiliary are arranging for a concert to be given next Tuesday evening

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Young business men are especially invited to visit the association building tomorrow afternoon. A meeting having a top c applying particularly to them has been arranged.

A Gypsy Killed In a Bear Trap. A Gypsy Killed in a Bear Trap.
While prowling in the cornfield of John
J. Spratt, near Deep Creek, in Norfolk
county Va., on Wednesday night, a gypsy
woman from the camp at Globe's school
house, got caught in a bear trap. The gun
exploded and wounded the woman so
badly that she died where she was shot,
and her body was found by the farm hands
Thursday morning lying alongside the
trap.

Samuel White, of Columbus, Ohio, a life prisoner, who was pardoned on condition that he abstain from strong drink in May, 1871, was on Friday brought back to the Ohio prison to remain the rest of his life, he having violated the condition after observing it for eighteen years. His daughter's wedding was the occasion of his taking a protracted spree.

ALLEGED POISONERS.

A WOMAN AND A MAN ACCUSED OF KILLING HER HUSBAND, A FARMER.

They are Arrested and an Autopay Shows That Death Resulted From Arsenic. What the Woman Says About It.

PALMER, Mass., Oct. 26.—Frederick E. Whitcomb and Mrs. Helen F. Moore have been arrested on warrants of murder, charged with administering poison to John D. Moore, husband of the woman, an aged farmer, living in Sodom, Wilbraham town-

farmer, living in Sodom, Wilbraham township.

Moore died Thursday, but the case has just been brought to the attention of the authorities. An autopay has been made and medical examiners say everything points to death by poison.

Mrs. Moore accounts for certain poisons found in the house by saying that her husband was addicted to the use of opiates, and may have taken an overdose.

Fred Whitcomb, her brother, is an

oplum taker.

Mrs. Moore has been married three times and her second husband died mysteriously.

The deceased was possessed of considerable property and had been married but two weeks.

A CENTRAL LABOR UNION. Temporary Organization Effected Last Evening—Another Meeting to Be Held.

Last evening delegates of different labor organizations held a meeting in the Car-penters and Bricklayers' hall, over the New York store, on East King street. It was York store, on East King street. It was called for the purpose of taking steps towards the organization of a Central Labor Union. The object of this organization is to bring the men of the different bodies closer together for their mutual benefit.

The delegates representing the different bodies who were present at the meeting were as follows:

Bricklayers, Leonard Kissinger, John McGeehan, Thomas McGeehan, George Snyder and Henry Karer.

Carpenters, William Titus, Christian Hoefel, Harry Wambaugh, Harry Wissler, and Calvin Miller.

Hamilton Assembly Knights of Labor, P. Nutto, John F. Little and John J. Boyle, Amalgamated Iron and Steel Workers, Thomas Dietl.

Cigarmakers, Leo Houser, Fred Bradel,

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John R. Henkel, Milton G. Evans and E. E. Greenawalt.

A temporary organization was effected by the election of E. E. Greenawalt chairman, and John R. Henkel secretary. The secretary was authorized to notify all labor organizations not represented last evening to send five delegates to the same place next Friday evening, when a permanent organization will be effected.

THE RICE CASE ON TRIAL.

An Adjournment at Noon Until Monday. Testimony was heard up to noon to-day in the Rice ejectment case, on the part of

in the Rice ejectment case, on the part of the plaintiff to show that Rice was insane when he deeded his property to his two sons. At noon the case was adjourned until Monday morning.

In the suit of Robert McKee vs. the Susquehanna Mutual Fire Insurance company, at the conclusion of plaintiff's testimony, counsel for the defense moved for a non suit, on the ground that the provisions of the policy had been violated. The court refused the non suit.

The defense was that after the policy was issued to McKee the lower floor of the building was leased to a barber, thereby increasing the risk, that there was not the stock on hand at the time of the fire claimed stock on hand at the time of the fire claimed by plaintiff, and that plaintiff had refused to allow the defendant to examine the

books to ascertain the amount of stock carried.

The jury this afternoon found in favor of plaintiff for \$3,131.84. Brubaker, Fritchey and Kennedy for plaintiff; McMullen and W. R. Brinton for defendant.

CURRENT BUSINESS. CURRENT BUSINESS.

Samuel C. Collins, Marietta, was appointed guardian of Mary E. Eby, grand-child of Abram Collins, deceased.

The exceptions filed to the report of viewers assessing damages for the proposed opening of Laurel street were withdrawn and the report confirmed.

The tavern license of Henry Ransing, Second ward, city, was transformed to

Second ward, city, was transferred to Henry J. Kegel. The bottlers' license of Henry J. Kegel was transferred to George Weber.

The New Paper Not Certain.

Some days ago the fact that R. A. Smith, late of the Mauheim Sun, and Bobert Weidel, of the Reading Telegram, was about to start a daily morning paper in this city was published. As yet but little has been was published. As yet but little has been done in the matter. Mr. Smith was in Lancaster on Thursday to look after some of the urrangements, but he is not certain whether he will embark in the enterprise. If the payer is started it will be independent in politics. It will likely be published in Centre Senare if in Centre Square if the room can be

Death of an Old Soldier. John Ripple, an old citizen of Lancaster died at the county almshouse on Friday, aged 70 years. The deceased was a member of Battery E, of the artillery, during the war, but did not belong to either of the city Grand Army posts. He will be buried

to-morrow morning from the undertaking establishment of A. C. Rote, The inter-ment will be made in the soldiers' lot. The cause of the man's death was pneumon. and he had been sick about a week.

Joe Roop Has Caught Seven Foxes If the fox hunting pennant does not float ver Joseph Roop's kennel at Kirkwood, Colerain township, at the end of the hunting season it will not be the fault of his plendid dog "Nipper," under whose eadership Mr. Roop has caught his seventh fox in less than three weeks. His pack of dogs is "one of the finest" and he proposes to have a fox for each dog before November rolls around. Later in the season he will have an old-fashioned fox hunt and a big

Dynamite Placed in His Bed.

An attempt was made to kill Oscar Sternberg, a painter, in Butte, Montana, on Thursday morning. Four sticks of giant powder were placed between the mattresses of his bed and exploded by means of a fose running out through a hole which had been bored in the side of the house to an alley. The forniture in the room was torn to pieces and the side of the house blown out, but Sternburg is still alive, though it is not thought that he will recover. His wife and son have been arrested for the crime.

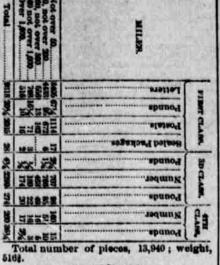
rested for the crime.

I aw and Order in Rending. A movement has been inaugurated to close all barber shops, eigar stores and other establishments that do business on Sunday, and also to stop the sale of milk, ice cream, oysters and provisions that are usually delivered on Sunday morning. It is to be done under the auspices of a society calling itself the Ladies' Law and Order League. A circular has already been issued to the barbers ordering them to close on Sunday under penalty of prosecution.

Plucked a Cherry Snag From Her Eye Nearly two months ago the 5-year-old daughter of William Doddridge, of West Union, Ohio, fell, striking her face upon Union, Ohio, fell, striking her face upon cherry snags, making an ugly wound in and about one of her eyes. Doctors were consulted and the wounds soon healed. Later, the child's eyesight became greatly impaired. A prominent oculist was examining her on Friday when the child suddenly snatched from her eye a cherry snag three-eighths of an inch in diameter and one and one-fourth inches in length. THE LANCASTER MAILS.

The Number of Pounds and Pieces That Left Here in Two Days.

In accordance with the orders of the post-master general all the mails which were sent away from this city on Tuesday and Wednesday were weighed. The pieces were also counted, and a record of the distance each one was sent was kept. Assistant Postmaster Hegener furnishes us with the following, which shows everything:



LIMITED LOCALS.

Mr. Israel L. Landis this morning paid to Ira R. Weaver the special premium offered by him at the county fair for the best crayon drawing of the American hay-maker.

Superintendent Frailey will put two of the latest style fireplugs on Duke, street, between Orange and Chestnut streets, the square that is now being paved.

Jane Baumgardner, charged with malicionaly breaking the windows at the North Pole hotel, was to have been heard last night by Alderman Barr. She was too ill to appear, and the case was continued.

A steam pipe on the third floor of the

A steam pipe on the third floor of the New Eva building broke this morning and the room was soon filled with the escaping steam, which gave rise to a rumor on the street that there was a fire in the building. Daniel Miller, who resides near Ephrata, left on the 2 o'clock train this afternoon for Kansas City, where he will reside in the future. A large number of friends of himself and wife gathered at the station to see them off, and they seemed to be greatly affected.

As H. L. Shirk was driving along West

As H. L. Shirk was driving along West Orange street to-day, his horse stumbled and falling heavily to the ground tore his harness and skinned himself up consider-

By some mistake Ida Siddons' company and "The Kinder Garten" were both booked to be at the opera house on the last three nights of next week. Miss Siddons' show will get the dates.

A SERIOUS RUNAWAY.

Morse Frightens at the Breaking of a This forenoon a rather serious runaway occurred on South Queen street. Jacob shenk, who had been attending market was driving down the street on his way was driving down the street on his way home. With him was his mother-in-law, Mrs. Rudy Herr. When Mr. Shenk reached the street car turnout, just below German street, he tried to cross the track. One of the wheels caught and the axle was snapped off in the wheel like a pipe stem. By the shock Mr. Shenk was thrown from the wagon but not hurt. The horse ran on down the street and people who saw him were afraid that the woman would be thrown out of the wagon and would be thrown out of the wagon and killed. Finally the animal ran rather close to the curb and the wagon struck against tree in front of the home of William Wis-ner, butcher. Mrs. Herr was thrown from the buggy and received a cut above the left eye and a scratch back of the ear. She was taken into Dr. B. F. W. Urban's drug

Death of an Aged Lady. Mrs. Shultz, widow of the late Christian Shultz, of Strasburg township, died at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Withers residence of her daughter, Mrs. Withers, on Friday. Mrs. Shultz was a well known old lady of about 84 years of age. She was a sister of the late Peter Diffenbaugh, of Lancaster. She leaves a family of three sons and three daughters: C. W. Shultz, of Camargo; Harry Shultz, of Lancaster; B. F. Shultz, of Bethesda; Mrs. Dr. Weaver, of Strasburg; Mrs. Dr. Withers, of Refton, and Miss Emma Shultz. Her funeral will take place from the residence of her take place from the residence of he daughter, Mrs. Withers, on Sunday. The interment will be at the Mennonite church New Providence.

Simon Shissler, a letter-carrier, was bitten in the arm this morning by a dog owned by Captain George M. Franklin, of No. 337 West Chestnut street. The dog was tied and Shissler had to pass him. As he did so he placed his hand on the animal's head with the above result. He went to J. R. Kauffman's drug store, where the wound was cauterized.

Another Victory For the Giants. The sixth game of the series between New York and Brooklyn was won by the former in eleven inning yesterday by 2

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Von Der Ahe says that next year the
Association and League will consolidate,
and there will be one big league of about

Returned to Court. Mary Viginolt was heard on Friday Mary Viginolt was heard on Friday evening on a charge of surety of the peace preferred by Sarah Young. Sarah was prosecuted two weeks ago by Mary for adultery, and after she was committed for trial by Alderman A. F. Donnelly, she concluded to get square with Mary by making complaint against her for alleged threats. Mary secured bail for trial at court.

Reserved His Decision. Samuel Frankford prosecuted his wife some days ago before Alderman Deep some days ago before Alderman Deen, charging her with adultery. Last evening there was a hearing in the matter and the evidence against the accused, which was purely circumstantial, was not strong. The alderman reserved his decision.

Sale of Real Estate. Allan A. Herr, real estate agent, sold a private sale to Mrs. Mary Kreider the two story brick dwelling, No. 133 North Shippen street, belonging to Mrs. Henriett Albert, for \$2,300.

Delegate to the Catholic Congress. Samuel M. Sener has been appointed by Bishop McGovern as one of the delegate from the Harrisburg diocese to the Amer-ican Catholic congress, which meets in Bal-timore on November 11 and 12. He received his credentials this morning and will attend the congress.

A Brute at Large. A reward of \$100 has been offered for the capture of an unknown villain who has criminally assaulted six or seven women in Clay City and vicinity, Indiana. Two of the victims are in a critical condition.

A Cannon Charger Killed. A cannon being fired at a political meet-ing in Zanesville, Ohio, Friday night, ex-ploded prematurely, fatally injuring Wil-liam Nevitt, who was ramming down the

Tore a Horse's Tongue Out. Zepheniah Moser has been arrested in Pottstown by the Society for the Preven-tion of Cruelty to Animals. At Douglass-ville a few days ago Moser was driving a balky horse, and in order to make the animal move tore its to: out.

IS HE TASCOTT?

PHILADELPHIA DETECTIVES CAPTURE A MAN SUPPOSED TO BE HIM.

When Asked If He Is Saell's Murderer the Prisoner Declared He Was Not. Chicago Authorities Notified.

A prisoner at the Central station, Philadelphia, is said by the detectives to resemble in many respects Tuscott, who murdered Amos J. Snell in Chicago, in February, 1888. For Tascott's capture a reward of \$50,000 is offered. The suspect was arrested in Reading by Detectives Bond and Murray on the charge of passing forged checks in Philadelphia. In Reading be gave the name of Charles Harria, but in Philadelphia was known as A. Sutherland and Charles Hamilton.

Philadelphia, Oct. 25.—There are no new developments this morning in the PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 23.—There are no new developments this morning in the case of the man arrested at Reading, Ps., yesterday and brought here to answer the charge of passing forged checks, and whom the detectives believe to be Tascott, the murderer of Millionaire Snell, at Chicago. Up to 11:30 o'clock this morning Chief Detective Wood had received no reply from the Chicago police authorities to his telegram of last night announcing the arrest and stating that the prisoner answered minutely the description of the notorious murderer. Chief Wood said the prisoner will probably be given a formal hearing later in the day on the charge of forgery. Meantime the chief awaits advices from the Chicago officials.

the Chicago officials. In the dispatch sent to the Chicago au-thorities last night Chief Wood asked if there was any one here who could identify Tascott. A telegram came this afternoon from chief police of Chicago saying that no one in Philadelphia knew Tascott and requesting that a photograph of the man under arrest be sent at once. He was accordingly photographed and a picture will be mailed to-night.

Chief Wood was pleased with the succession

Chief Wood was closeted with the sus-pected murderer a long while to-day. After a few preliminary questions the young man was asked point blank if he was not man was asked point blank if he was not Tascott. He is said to have colored perceptibly and then he denied in a half-hearted sort of way that he was that notorious person. Chief Wood then read to him the description of the notorious murderer and the man attempted to argue that the points were not similar. He acknowledged: that his two upper front teeth had been filled with rold but said the filling had dropped out. gold but said the filling had dropped out. Tascott's upper front teeth are said to have been gold filled. The man also acknowlpositively declined to say one word about his parents, declaring that they were re-spectable, and he would not for the world speciable, and he would not for the world have them know he was a thief. He has been recognized by frequenters of a well-known billiard room as having played pool there. He is said to play an expert game, and in this respect he again tallies with Tascott, who is described at being fond of the game, and very proficient at it. Since his interview with the prisoner Chief Wood is more than ever convinced that the man is none other than the murderer for whose capture, a reward of \$50,000 is offered.

LIVING BY WITS.

Extensive Swindling Systems of a Trio of

Algernon Granville, Frank Gerrish and E. Harmon Clark faced United States Com-missioner Hoyme, in Chicago, on Friday. The testimony at their preliminary exami-The testiniony at their preliminary examination merely touched upon the facts relating to one of the most extensive swindling systems ever put into operation. Not even the sharp-witted sporting men of Chicago have escaped paying tribute to the smooth swindlers.

Granville and Gorrish formed a partner-whip twelve years are. After ten years

smooth swindlers.

Granville and Gerrish formed a partnership twelve years ago. After ten years' experience all over the United States, they, about two years ago, decided to settle in Chicago. While they were in Ohio Granville was detected, and an unfeeling judge sentenced him to two years in the state penitentiary. The partners organized the Como Printing and Publishing company, and published a weekly paper named "The People's Safeguard." Granville, as editor of the paper, published an advertisement offering prizes amounting to \$15,000 to the persons who first would guess the number of links in a watch chain, a cut of which was published in the People's Safeguard. Each guesser was required to forward a small sum of monay, with his estimate of the number of links. The scheme netted the swindlers from \$5,000 to \$10,000 before the postoffice authorities discovered it and arrested Granville. Inspector Fleming now has in his office over 30,000 letters which were received by Granville and Gerrish. The

office over 30,000 letters which were received by Granville and Gerrish. The fellows never paid a prize, although hundreds of persons guessed the correct number. Granville was arrested on August 28 and was released under bonds of \$1,500. He has not yet had his trial.

The two then organized the Imperial Printing and Publishing company, and ran the "green goods" swindle on a new plan. It was decided to dispense with the publication of a paper, and depend entirely on the weekly papers of big circulation. The firm accordingly caused to be inserted in a score of papers all over the country advertisements of which the following is a sample.

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"Wanted—A slick man in every county to handle our excellent goods; one that is willing to take risks for large gains; goods done up in packages of 1s, 5s and 10s. Address, by express only, at our expense, Imperial Engraving company, No. 260 South Clark street, Chicago, Ill."

Many inquiries from all parts of the country were received in answer to these advertisements. In reply the operators wrote carefully worded notes, telling of the nature of the "goods," or "engravings," in which they were dealing, and giving the prices. As a sample of the "engravings," a \$1 bank-note was inclosed in each letter. As fast as remittances came the orders for As fast as remittances came the orders for "engravings" were filled by fe warding needles, "done up in packages of is, 5s and 10s." The dupe, of course, was in no position to make a row about being swindled, being himself implicated.

" A Bunch of Keys." At Fulton opera house last evening Bunch of Keys" was played to a good-sized audience, by Gus Bothner's comsized audience, by Gus Bothner's company. The company is quite popular, and
it has been seen here so often that little remains to be said concerning it. The company is a capable one, and they give the
play in good style. Miss Ida Bothner has
the part of Teddy Keys, and James B.
Mackie, a comedian of ability, is Jonas
Grimes. They receive good support from
most of theothers in the party. The usual
amount of sieging, dancing and fun is introduced. This evening the play will be
repeated.

From the Philadelphia Times.

Senorita Ysabel Exchequeren is the sil-Senorita Ysabel Exchequeren is the silvery and suggestive name of a young lady in Mexico, who will some day inberit at least \$25,000,000. We are fain to confess, however, that the information sounds too good for real life. A young lady with such prospects and such a patronymic would certainly change to Smith. The advertisement would be more than a modest girl could stand. girl could stand.

Much of "the talk of the day" among young men is about what they will do at night.

From Judge.

Bridegroom - Some oysters, walter. Waiter-Saddle rocks, sir? Bridegroom - Er-no, waiter.

QUEER TALK ABOUT KRUPP.

The Wild Sensation Introduced by a Pittsburg Journal.

From the Pittsburg Chronice-Telegraph.

Herr Krupp, the great gun maker of Essen, Germany, is strongly considering the advisability of coming to Pittsburg and building a plant after the model of his great factory in the Rhenish provinces. Several representatives of the famous gun man have been in Pittsburg during the last month or so gathering all kinds of information. One of these said: "There are a good many reasons why my master wishes to remove his plant to this country and especially to this city. The first is the fact that Europe may at any moment become the scene of a great war. Of course, in such a case, Krupp would have to stand by his fatherland; and from patriotic considerations he would manufacture guns for Germany alone. Now, as all the world knows, Krupp makes more guns than any other firm in the world. If, therefore, our plant were established in a neutral country, we could furnish our guns to any power. But, a just from that, the natural advantages of Western Pennsylvania are so tempting, and their value has been so conclusively shown to Herr Krupp, that he is favorably inclined to removal."

"But you do not mean to say that he is going to remove his entire plant, bag and baggage, into this country?"

"Yes, I do. Do you forget that Krupp is a young man has developed all kinds of notione, and he will not stop until a sey have materialized. I know that a syndicate has offered him100,000,000 france for his plant in Essen; and whether or not he ever sells it would not affect his plans regarding Pittaburg."

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"Herr Krupp proposes to buy a tract of land large enough to hold its works, and sufficient houses to accommodate all its employes. A tract of five square miles, I think, is what he is figuring on at present. We employ now about 20,000 men in Essen. The building of a complete town is Herr Krupp's idea, a town which is to be modelled exactly after Kronenbery, the colony of Krupp near Essen. The advantages of natural gas have come to the notice of my master, and he has become enthusiastic over that wonderful fuel. I have the plans of the entire plant and the town."

"Where will you locate the works?"

"I am not at liberty to say that, for obvious reasons. I have the option on the land all fixed, and in such shape that we could lay the foundation of our plant tomorrow. However, one thing I will tell you. It is less than twenty-five miles from Pittaburg, and within easy access of railroads and the river, and close to a large and rich district of natural gas."

ADVENTISTS OF A BETTER SORT. They Regard Those of Screamersville as

Poor simpletons.

A dispatch from Montreal says: The Adventists here have not been at all disturbed over the threatened destruction of the world, and have not believed in Ayer's predictions. William W. Robertson, elder of the Advent Christian congregation and leader of the sect here, says:

"No intelligent Adventist believes that this world is ever to come to an end, but, as the Psalmist says, 'It is established that it shall not be moved.' If it is to be regarded as an evidence of weak-mindedness on the part of some supposed Adventist to be expecting this world to come to an end upon any particular date, what of those who are responsible for the introduction of this absurd doctrine into the tent of sacred Scripture at the expense of truth? It is a fact well known to every Bible scholar that in every instance where the phrase 'The end of the world' occurs it should simply read 'The end of the age,' the root, translated 'world,' being ition, signifying age or dispensation. Yet our so-called divines have continued to wink at this deliberate perversion of an important truth, and in numerous instances to use the perverted phrase to frighten poor simpletons into the very absurdity at which they pretend to laugh."

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The campimeeting at Screamersville, Va., has broken up and the converts have returned to their homes. Elder Brown will leave for his home in Connecticut next week. The farmers in the vicinity are glad they have broken their camp because they will be able to employ some of them to work on their farms. The converts are very much disappointed, as they had positively refused to work for themselves or others in seeding wheat or preparing for

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From the York Gazette.

Samuel Mat. Fridy, the U. S. revenue collector of this district, was in the city yesterday, attending court as a witness in the case of the commonwealth vs. Haas & Grove, in which a Lancaster county gentleman is interested.

As far as we can learn the new appointments for the collector's office in this division have not been determined upon, and it is doubtful if they will be announced until the first of next month. It is probable, however, that owing to the large amount of business transacted, and it being the season when the annual inventories of the cigar factories are made, which involves a large amount of additional labor, the new collector may ask the old officials here to continue in their positions until the busy season is tided over. In such a case the old force would feel it their duty, as a matter of public concern, to comply with the collector's request.

An Absent-Minded Man.

From the Pioneer Press. He has an office in a large building, the other afternoon had occasion to the clerk-of-courts' office to look up records in a case in which he had been the other afternoon had occasion to visit the clerk-of-courts' office to look up the records in a case in which he had been retained. As he went out he pinzed a card upon the door, "Return at 4:3?."

He was not gone so long as he had expected, In fact, it was only quarter-past 4 when he returned. He walked up the stairs, his mind full of his case, and was about entering the door of his office when his eye caught the notice "Return at 4:30."

He pulled out his watch, saw that it was only 4:15, and began pacing up and down the corridor, glancing about now and then as if expecting some one's arrival, and every few minutes looking impatiently at his watch.

Half-past 4 came, and still the door remained unopened. He waited a few minutes longer, and then, with a look of disgust, he started down the stairs. Before he reached the outside door, however, he came to himself, and went back. He unlocked his own door, took down the card, and, it is to be presumed, went about hi business.

That sow Case.

Alderman Halbach to-day gave judgment in favor of Martin D. Kendig, of Pequea township against his neighbor, Christian F. Binkley, for \$20 for damages done by Binkley's sow to Kendig's crops. The case will be appealed to court, and by the time the parties get through with their law suit it will develop into an expensive and a celebrated case, and be known as the Lancaster county sow case.

Frank Daily had a hearing last eyening before Alderman Spurrier. His step-father, Hiram Daily, charged him with having committed a felonious assault and battery upon his mother. After the evi-dence had all been heard the magistrate found that there was nothing whatever in the case, and the accused was discharged.

Sheriff Burkholder went to the premises of L. R. Hastings, in Drumore township, on Friday, to sell his personal property on executions issued against him. The father of Hastings claimed all the goods levied upon, and that ended the sale.

Jacob Garber, of Mountville, while visiting Mr. Newcomer, his neighbor, on
Thursday, was stricken with paralysis and
to-day be died. Deceased was 42 years old
and a son of Jacob B. Garber, of near
Mountville. He was well known in that
section of the county.

BATTLE WITH AFRICANS

WESSANN'S EXPEDITION DEPEATS THE FORCES UNDER CHIEF BURNISH

man Loss Only Seven-Three Araba Kill an Officer and are Excepted.

ZANZIBAR, Oct. 26.—Captain Wissman, the German imperial commissioner for East Africa, has had an engagement with a force of natives under command of Chief Bushiri and defeated them. Three hun-dred of Bushiri's men were killed or wounded. The German force lost only

Three Arabs have been executed at Maw-apwa for the murder of Officer Nellson, of the East African company.

CHICAGO, Oct. 26.—A dispatch from: Fargo, N. D., says the second attempt to rob the postoffice was made yesterday morning, the result of which is that Harry Melton, night clerk, has a bullet in his right arm. Melton says he was awakened at mideight by the growling of a dog and found a robber in the office. He fired five shots at the marcas he was escaping through the open window and was himself short the arm. There are many stories affects concerning the affair. Government detectives have been here since Wednesday working on the previous attempt to rob the office and promise interesting disclosures. Melton's story is generally disbelieved.

Charter Dissolved.

READING, Pa., Oct. 25.—In court to-day, on motion of counsel for the Pennsylvania railroad company, the charter of the Readrailroad company, the charter of the Reade ing & Lebanon railroad company was dissolved and all its rights and franchises untinguished. The Reading & Lebanon road was chartered so as to have been built next year from this city to Lebanon and eventually to Harrisburg by the Pennaylvania railroad, but it has now been abandoned.

A Brute Lynched.

Columbus, Miss., Oct. 26.—Joe Marial, a negro, was arrested by a negro detective yesterday for attempted outrage near beconvered weeks ago. The weman identified him and he confessed his guilt. The officer started with him to Columbus tail, and a crowd of 100 took him and hanged him. The negroes were as anxious to punish him as the whites.

Not Halford's Successor.

Buffalo, N. Y., Oot, 23.—Col. D. E.
Alexander, U. S. district attraces, was to
day shown the New York dispatch to the
effect that he is about to succeed Points.
Secretary Halford. Colonel Alexander
said that there was no truth in the state
ment that Mr. Halford had resigned or the
he had accepted the private secretaryship.

The Probable Cause for His Meeign DENVER, Col., Oct. 23.—It is learned A. R. Cavener, second grand sustains gineer of the Brotherhood of Locom Engineers, tendered his resignation to convention yesterday and it was some It is now believed that he is the g officer who was on trial before the contion for misconduct during the "Q" and was severely reprimended for

Watchmakers Want Their Wages. AURORA, Ills., Oct. 26.—The employes of the Aurora watch factory ceased labor less evening. They refused to work long unless some adjustment of wages could be made. The company has been unable to pay its hands for last week's work, and the latter refused to work longer. Besides has week's wages the watch company is still owing them for soven weeks' labor prior to the recent failure.

A Neok Blow Settled Delaney.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 26.—Jimmy Mr.

phy. of Australia, and Jack Delaney.

New York, lightweights, met at the root
of the Occidental Athletic club rooms is
night in a fight to a finish for a purse sight in a light to a minute of the fighting start to fluish and in the fourth round to which caused? Delaney's upper lip, which caused to flow freely. In the 11th round he was knocked out by a blow on the ne

wife and Husband May Lose Their Live READING, Oct. 25.—A one-story dwelling at Monroe forge, Lebanon county, occupies by Franktin Schaffer, was burned in night. Mrs. Schaffer was badly and per-bably fatally burned and her husband with also severely burned white carrying oc-the children, and his condition is serious Wife and Husband May Lose Th

NEW YORE, Oct. 28.—The steamer Pri Willem, which arrived to-day, brings vice from Port au Prince to October General Hippolyte was inaugurated pre-dent on the 16th inst with great pomp. I reviewed his victorious army immediately after the ceremony. Great enthusiase prevailed among the people. It is rumor that Minister Preston is to be removed an early date. All was quiet at Port a Prince when the steamer sailed.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 26-The president callers were not yery numerous this n ing, but there were enough to keep him busy. The principal ones were atter-ney General Miller, Representative Tur-ner, of Kansas, with F. V. McMidan, et Missouri, Representative Payson and ex-First Comptroller Lawrence.

Bank Examiners Appointed. WASHINGTON, Oct. 26—The comptrolle the currency has appointed Wm. Miller, a. Mercer, Pa., and Dela Green, of Munoy. Pa., examiners of the natkmal banks in state of Pennsylvania. WEATHER PORPEASTS.

WASHINGTON, D. C , Oct. 26 .-Eastern Pennsylvania: Rain; stationary temperature; castest winds. In the York Court.

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In the York county court yesterday W.
U. Hensel, esq., of this city, was admitted
to practice. Mr. Hensel was counsel with
G. W. Heiges, esq., in the case of common
wealth vs. Henry Binkley, of Mountville
this county, who was charged with all
pretense in York. Mr. Hensel made the
concluding argument for the defense
evening and he was followed by District Attorney Ziegler, who closed the case.
A dispatch received by Mr. Hensel the
afternoon, stated that the jury rendered
verdict of not guilty but defendant to
costs. They were out three hours

The Priest of Pallas, of Kansas City, their annual celebration on Octobe

inst. An invitation to the festivities sent to Edward Powell, of this city, a sister-in-law, Mrs. E. B. Wentworth, invitation is illuminated by at least dozen colors, and by unfolding a besides busts of a man and woman, a and pageant of ancients are represented in a law of the same elaborate character. Priests of Paltas, it is certain, had a big printing bill.