Congressman Kelley Has Cancer.
Washington, Jan. 8.—The Star this afternoon will publish the following: Representative William D. Kelley, of Penn-

presentative William D. Kelley, of Pennsylvania, has probably been on the floor of the House for the last time. On the day when the United States Fifty-first Congress assembled Judge Kelley was in his place and since that time he has probably been at the capitol twice or three times. His enfeebled condition was the subject of much comment but only a few knew the nature of the judge's aliment. It is now full developed and its activity is most virulent. Just below the rear of Judge Kelley's jaw is a cancer and it is spreading rapidly into the throat.

So quickly has it worked that the affected man can speak only in whispers and then

man can speak only in whispers and then not without pain. The swallowing of nourishment is a matter of considerable

difficulty and locomotion can only be indulged in to a very small extent. Several of Judge Kelley's relations

impossible by the physicians, so the judge is still in his rooms at the Riggs house. The news of the judge's illness

was the subject of much conversation in the departments and on the streets to-day, and expressions of regret were unant-

mous in their sentiment. Everybody seemed to recognize the usefulness of the old Pennsylvania, and everybody was grieved to know that his career was soon

Span of the new iron bridge which is being built between Holyoke and South Hadley Falls was blown down at about 10 o'clock

killed. Two other men who were at work on the bridge were injured. Driscoll

was on top of the truss, on the north side, when it went over and was car-ried down with the iron work into the river, 60 or 70 feet below. He was struck by a piece of truss on the way down and was probably killed before

McCloskey was rescued from the river after the accident, being found hanging to one of the stringers of the bridge. About

thirty men were at work on the span, but

as soon as the trusses began to settle they were given warning and all but the three mentioned above escaped to the other spans. Some pedestrians and carriages

All Saved But the Captain. LONDON, Jan. 3 .- The steamer Brittanic

from New York for Liverpool, ran into the brigantine Czarawitz, from Fowey for Runcorn, in the Irish sea off Mersey last night. After part of the brigantine was

out clean away she rapidly filled and sank. The weather was bitter cold, but the crew of the Brittanic succeeded in saving all hands from the Czarawitz except the cap-

Commuted His Sentence. Washington, Jan. 8.—The president has commuted the sentence in the case of Alfonseo Evangelists, so as to make it ex-

pire March let next.

This man was convicted in the Western district of Pennsylvania of passing counterfeit coin, and was sentenced October 19, 1838, to two years' imprisonment.

Coal Miners Resuming

BRUSERLS, Jan. 8 .- The strike of the coal

At many of the pits work has been re-

He Killed Himself.

MONTREAL, Que., Jan. 3. — Thomas Williams, a bricklayer, attempted to cut

his wife's throat with a rasor this morning

but failed. He then cut his own throat and

A PRETTY HOME WEDDING.

Garvin-Schaubel. Charles F. Garvin and Sallie M. Schaubel

vere united in marriage last evening at

were united in marriage last evening at the home of the bride, on Manor street. The wedding was a quiet one and the ceremony was performed by Rev. B. F. Alleman, of St. John's Lutheran church. Later the bride and groom left in a Western train for Louisville, Kentucky, where they will live in the future. The groom is a son of Wm. J. Garvin and for many years was employed on the INTELLIGENCER, where he learned the printing trade. Later he worked in New York, but of late has been in Louisville, where he has a position on the Courier Journal. The bride is a daughter of the late George Schaubel and a well known young lady.

Homeless and Friendless Children.

present year forty-five children

EDITOR INTELLIGENCER - During the

present year forty-five children at the soldiers' orphans school, at Mount Joy, will arrive at the age of sixteen. Under the provisions of the law governing the soldiers' orphans, schools they will be discharged. My object in writing you is to ask you to give this fact publiction, with the hope of interesting the people of the county in securing homes for these children, many of whom are without friends or homes.

Any information regarding these children can be obtained by addressing J. H. Smith, manager, Mount Joy, Pa.

Respectfully yours,
C. C. KAUPFMAN.

COLUMBIA, Pa., Jan. 3d, 1899.

William Zecher and I. C. Mishler,

formerly of this city, arrived in Lancaster

A Daughter of the Maples Married to

died instantly.

had very narrow escapes.

tain, who was drowned.

o be rounded out and completed. A Span Of a Bridge Falls.

## ACCEPTED THE BUILDING.

## COMMITTEE'S RECOMMENDATIONS.

But No Fingstaff Will Be Placed Upon the New Chestant Street School-A Teacher's Resignation Accepted.

The January meeting of the Lancaster city school board was held on Thursday evening in common council chamber with the following members present: Meerrs. Bolenius, Breneman, Brinton, Cochran, Darmstetter, Hegener, Johnson, Lichty, Lippold, Marshall, McComsey, MaDonell, McElligott, McKillips, McMullen, Ponta, Raub, Reilly, Reynolds, Roland, Schnader, Schroyer, Shirk, Warfel, White, Wickersham, Wohlsen and Wolf.

In the absence of President McCormick Mr. Warfel was elected president protein. Mr. McComsey, chairman of the superintending committee, reported that all the schools were opened to-day, after the Christmas helidays. In the new building on West Chestnut street seven schools were started. There is still a room vacant in the building and unless the enrollment largely increases there will be no necessity for new school buildings for some time to come.

come.

Mr. Cochran, of the finance committee, reported the bills for supplies furnished during the month and on his motion the treasurer was directed to pay the same.

He also reported the sale of bonds for the loan of \$10,000, sutherized at the December.

opened.

He also reported the following as the insurance on school buildings and furniture in the city:

West Chestnut and Concord alley, old

igh school..... Vest James street.....

Air. Coenran said he could find no insur-ance policy for the building at Prince and Chestnut atreets, and he supposed it was because the board did not have title in the

building.

The question as to whether the school board had any title was discussed by Messre. McComsey, Wickersham and Cochran and on motion of Mr. McComsey the matter was referred to the property committee for investigation, to report at the part meeting.

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REPORT OF PROPERTY COMMITTEE.

Mr. McKillips, of the property committee, submitted the following report:

The property committee and architect met on Tuesday, the Sist ult., and carefully examined the school building on West Chestnut street, that has been completed. After a close, careful and rigid examination find that the contractor has fully complied with and carried out the article of agreement made in May 1889, with but one that will be referred to hereafter. In the opinion of the architect and property committee the contractor and his bondsmen took no advantage whatever in evading in the least in not fully and honestly complying with the specifications and agreement.

The exception referred to above was in not having the building completed on the 15th of October instead of December 30. The detention was caused by not getting the strues at the proper time. They were kept back over six weeks and it was unavoidable. The contractor and his bondsmen made every effort in their power to procure the stones, but were unsuccessful, and when they were delivered the inclemand when they were delivered the inclem-ency of the weather and other causes that were unavoidable retarded their progress in the completion of the building. There-fore, as the delay in the completion of the building only caused some little inconveni-ence in having some of the adjacent school buildings too much crowded, in justice to

the contractor and his bondsmen we exonerate them from paying the \$15 per day
from October 15 until December, the
amount they were to pay if not completed
at the specified time.

The committee and architect fully and

The committee and architect fully and unanimously agree that the contract and specifications have been fully and faithfully compiled with, and they accept the building from the hands of the contractor and his bondsmen, noping the same will meet with the approbation of the school board.

As before reported the Snead & Wills warming and ventilating apparatus and the admirable dry closet system has yet to years against all repairs, except worn out and broken grates. This agreement will be carefully preserved for future refer-

The attic has been floored now and sub-stantial foncing placed around the entire building and other improvements made ot necessary to mention.

The school building has been insured

The school building has been insured for \$10,000. The insurance is perpetual. The furniture is also included, being a little more than one-third of its real value. This handsome and substantial school building will add nearly \$30,000 to the value of school property in Lancaster.

The malicious outrage that was committed in the school buildings on South Mulberry street has been guarded against in the future by having new locks placed on all doors and gates and additional window fastenings and also watchman employed several nights. In connection with the chairman of the text book committee we offered \$50 for the apprehension of the peroffered \$50 for the apprehension of the person or persons who committed this mean, malicious and contemptible outrage.

The chairman of the text book committed will senort the amount of damage done

in the destruction of the books.

The following named janitors have been appointed, all sober, industrious and suitable men: Philip Myers, East Lemon street; Martin Warfel, West Chestnut; Frederick Bush, South Mulberry street.

Mrs. McClain, of East Lemon street school, and George Sensenderfer, of South Mulberry street schools, were removed for sufficient cause. We hope the above appointments will meet the approval of the board.

The American societies have saked the

The American societies have asked the The American societies have asked the property committee to elect a suitable flag-stair on the new school building and refer the matter to the school board for instruc-tions. If authorized by the board we are prepared to gratify their request.

Mr. Mayer, contractor, has presented a bill of \$483 for extra work done that the

present property committee know nothing about. The property committee will care-fully examine the same and report at next

regular meeting.

Accompaning the report was the petition of the American society of the city, praying the board to place a flagstaff on the new Chestnut street building. The petition has already been published.

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The recommendations of the committee as to removal and appointment of janitors, and the acceptance of the building on West Chestnut school were approved.

The petition of the American societies was discussed. Mr. McComsey thought it was rather late to place a flagstaff on the building. If one is placed here petitions may be presented for staffs on every other school building. There was a flagstaff on the high school, and that he thought was sufficient to represent the schools of the city.

city.

He moved that the petition be referred back to the property committee to ascertain whether the staff can be placed on the building without doing any damage, and that the committee have authority to use

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The following is the report of the city superintendent:

LANCASTER, Pa., January 2, 1890.

To the Board of School Devenore:

GENTLEMEN: Your city superintendent submits the following report of the public schools for the month of December:

The number of pupils in attendance was 279 in the high schools, 300 in the grammar, 697 in the intermediate and 1,535 in the primary, making a total of 3,898, to which 186 attending the night schools should be added, making the grand total 4,044.

The average attendance was 295 in the high schools, 349 in the grammar, 569 in the secondary, 57 in the ungraded, 770 in the intermediate, and 1,289 in the primary, making a total of 3,398, and adding as before, 107 attending the night schools, the grand total was 3,448.

The average percentage was 85, and the number of pupils present at every session was 1,575.

The number of teachers present at teachers' meetings was 65; the following being absent: Misses M. Beimensnyder, M. Underwood, L. Weber, M. Zahm, K. Bucklus, M. J. Bruning, M. Humphreville, S. King, Mrs. McComsey, Misses S. A. Stiffel and M. Palmer, Mr. F. Shibley and Miss M. Zug. The teachers' meeting for the high school grade was omitted.

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The number of visits made by directors was 249, as follows: J. McKillips 37, G. N. Reynolds 35, W. McComsey 28, Wm. Johnson 24, Dr. O. Roland 20, Dr. R. M. Bolenius 18, H. A. Schroyer 17, T. F. McEilligott 16, H. Wolf 12, H. R. Breneman 11, Dr. D. R. McCommick and R. M. Reilly each 8, Dr. M. W. Raub, C. Lippoid and W. R. Brinton each 4, R. K. Schnader 5. Very respectfully, your obedient servant, as provisional teacher was presented and accepted.

Mr. McMullen reported that complaint had been excluded from the schools on the ground that he was a non resident. This boy lives with his grandfather on East Frederick street since he was one year old and is entitled the schools of this city, that being his permanent home.

A Big Hotel and Three Dwellings Near-

A Big Hotel and Three Dwellings Nearing Completion.

MANHEIM, Jan. 3.—The large and commodious hotel erected by S. Guil Summy is nearly completed. It contains three spacious store rooms on the first floor, two of which are already occupied, Mr. Herman McCloud having opened a grocery and queensware store in one and Wm. Shefler a barber shop in the other.

Jeremiah Campbell has just completed three dwelling houses in the Third ward. They will be occupied in a few weeks.

Postmaster Long took possession of the new postoffice building on the first of the year. A splendid cabinet of modern design has been placed in the building, containing forty lock boxes and over two hundred call boxes.

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Several cases of influence are reported in and around the town. Squire Strob, of the First ward, was confined to the house nearly a week suffering from "la grippe." It appears only in a mild form.

Miss Sadie Arndt left several days ago in company with her uncle, on a visit to relatives in Iowa.

Mr. Ephraim Shue, bartender at the Summy house, who has been confined to the house for some time past, is able to be not seen.

Rev. A. M. Hackman, a former resident of this borough, now stationed on Falmouth circuit, and residing in Elizabethtown, was in town a few days ago visiting friends.

Another Montana Rump Senator. The Republican Legislature of Montana on Thursday chose as the second United States senator T. C. Power, who was de-feated by Toole for governor at the last

feated by Toole for governor at the last election.

Judge Hunt, of the district court on Thursday decided, in the case of Representative Roberts, of Silver Bow county, (who had applied for a writ to compet the state auditor to pay him his salary and mileage), that if Roberts was a member of the Legislature he was entitled to his perdiem and mileage, thus leaving undecided the question of the legality of the two houses.

Visiting Odd Fellows. There was a very large and enthusiastic meeting of Earl Lodge, No 413, I. O. O. F., meeting of Earl Lodge, No 413, I. O. O. F., of New Holland, on Thursday evening. Seven candidates were initiated, the work being done by Joseph M. Kreider, Charles Smith, Harry Rill and District Deputy Grand Master E. J. Erisman, all of this city, who were present by invitation.

Remarks were made by Past Grands Dr. I. Bushong, A. G. Sutton, Joseph Kreider, Wm. Gromley, Charles Smith, Hon. A. W. Snader, E. J. Erisman, and others.

The degree staff of Monterey Lodge, 242 of Lancaster, have been invited to confer the degrees upon these members on January 23d. John W. Rudy's Execution.

Governor Beaver has named Thursday, February 20th, as the date for the execution of John W. Rudy, convicted of tion of John W. Rudy, convicted of murdering his father.

Rudy's counsel will make an effort to have his sentence changed to life imprisonment, and will appear before the pardon board with a petition numerously signed praying for that change. The petition has been signed by several of the jurors who convicted him and a large number of citizens of Lancaster city and vicinity. His counsel will make every legal effort in their power to save Rudy from being executed.

A Bullet Prevents a Wedding. As Miss Maggie Layman was dressing for her wedding at Brandon, Ohlo, on Wednesday night, she picked up a revolver and was about placing it in her cresser drawer when the weapon was discharged. The ball entered her thigh, producing a dangerous wound. The wedding was postnoned.

Failure in the Iron Trade. The iron firm of Curtin & Co., of Roland, Centre county, has made an assignment to ex-Governor Curtin and Constans Curtin. The liabilities are about \$125,000; assets \$50,000. The iron works were established about 1810, and have been in continual operation almost ever since.

A dispatch from Topeka, Kansas, says that the Farmers' Alliance, State Grange and Knights of Labor have formed an offensive and defensive alliance according to the recommendation of the recent Farmers' convention and the Knights of Labor convention. The object of the combination is co-operation in Kansas business politics. The combined alliance number in their ranks over 125,000 members. ranks over 125,000 members.

their discretion.

Mr. Hegener moved as an amendment that a flag taff shall not be placed on the building. He said if this motion is adopted he would then move that these societies have permission to have flags placed in the school rooms of that building.

Mr. Breneman favored the placing of a pole in the front window of the tower from which a flag could be shown.

Mr. McComsey's motion was defeated and Dr. Wickersham moved that permising in the left town.

ROGERS ACQUITTED.

THE JURY DO NOT BELIEVE HE CAUSED CONDUCTOR BYAN'S DEATH.

County-Four Mon Accused of Violating the Fish Law.

to him." At this time Myers and Good were clinched.

After that dispute was over Givier walked away and Good followed him. Good was seen to strike Givier and Givier said he would prosecute him. Givier then went towards his home and the next morning was found unconscious about fifty yards from his house. He was carried to his home, where he died shortly afterwards. There were marks on Givier's face and body and the coroner found that death resulted from injuries received at the hands of Good. The testimony, however, before the magistrate at the preliminary hearing failed to make out a case of manalaughter, that case was dismissed and complaints for the above offenses were entered.

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It was also shown that Good admitted the next day that he and Givier had a fuss, and that he had given Givier a thrashing.

The defense admitted that there had been some contention between these parties at Buckwalter's store, and claimed that Givier was making a great deal of noise. In his talk he said something that excited Good. At this stage of the controversy Mr. Buckwalter ordered both men from the store porch. They then went to the pike in front of the store. Givier walked towards Good, it was claimed, in a threatening manner, and as Givier was in the act of striking Good, the latter in attempting to ward off the blow struck Givier's hat, and that is all the striking that Good did.

Good showed an excellent character for peace by numerous witnesses, who had known him since childhood.

ENGINEER ROGERS NOT GUILTY. The jury in the case against Wm. R. Rogers, the Pennsylvania railroad engineer, charged with causing the death of Conductor John C. Ryan, through negligence, after a deliberation of several hours rendered a verdict of not guilty, and the county to pay costs of prosecution.

VIOLATING THE PISH LAW. John A. Huber, Ellas Snyder, James Erisman and Amos L. Doebler were put on trial for violating the fish law by fishing with giant powder, nitro glycorine or other explosive substance. The act of assembly under which they are indicted was passed on June 3, 1878, and provides a severe penalty for fishing with the above explosives, or having in possession fish killed by such explosives.

arty for name with the shows explosives.

The facile of the case as proven by the commonwealth's witnesses were that on April 7, Huber, Snyder and Erisman were seen on the Conestoga in a boat. A number of dead fish were found floating on the water near the boat, and these three defendants were seen to gather fishes from the water and put them in their boat. Constable Graeff got possession of a few of these fish and had them examined by Dr. M. L. Davis and Fish Commissioner Demuth. They pronounced the fish to have been killed by an explosive.

On another occasion, in the summer of 1888, these four defendants were along the same creek. Mr. Sigmund, a tobacco pear the creek. He heard an explosion and ran from his patch through a corn field towards the creek. Before he got out of the corn field there was another explosion and Mr. Sigmund canduded to watch. He

and ran from his patch through a corn field towards the creek. Before he got out of the corn field there was another explosion and Mr. Sigmund concluded to watch. He saw from his hiding place two of these defendants go into the creek, gather up the fish killed by the explosion and saw all four of them put fish in their handkerchiefs and go towards the city with them.

Friday Morning.—Court metat 9 o'clock, and the trial of Huber, Snyder, Erisman and Doebler, for violating the fish law, was resumed. The commonwealth called a number of witnesses whose testimony was corroborative of that noted above.

The defendants denied that they had killed any fish by explosives, in April last, or that they took any of the fish ficating on the creek. They admitted that they were boating on that day.

As to the occurrence of last August they claimed that Mr. Sigmund was mistaken in his testimony about having seen them take fish from the Conestogs that had been killed by an explosive, as they were at work at that time and were not at the creek.

The jury in the assault and battery case against Harry Good rendered a verdict of not guilty, but directed the defendant to pay the costs.

The libel suit against S. M. Paschall et al. of the Columbia News, was continued on account of the illness of a material witness.

CURRENT BUSINESS. In the suit of Addison Eby vs. Jacob Drace, a rule was granted to show cause why execution should not be stayed and judgment set saids.

In the case of commonwealth vs. Wm. Zarbaugh, convicted of being the father of Elia Hayes' illegitimate child, the rule for a new trial was made absolute, and a not processurered.

A nol pros was entered in the fornication

John F. Witmer has taken entire possession of Shober's Eagle hotel, having purchased the interest of his former partpurchased the interest of his former partner, J. K. Trauck, who no longer has
anything to do with the house.

Peter Lutz to-day signed a lease to take
Lawrence Knapp's saloon on East King
atreet, in the spring.

Charles Ochs, who has been keeping the
Spring Garden hotel, at Walnut and Mulberry streets, will take the St. Charles
hotel, opposite the P. R. R. station on
Chestnut street, kept by the late George
Flory.

Ephrata Business Changes. Charles Konigmacher has resigned his position as paying teller of the Ephrata National bank and his place was filled by

National bank and his place was filled by the promotion of Harvey Bitzer. Harvey Fisher takes the place of Harvey Bitzer and J. Harry Hibshman was elected to fill Mr. Fisher's place. Dawson Spangler and Charles Konig-macher have bought the stock and business of E. S. Royer, liquor dealer, and will carry on under the firm name of Spangler & Konigmacher.

Good Attraction at the Opera House At Fulton opers house last evening the attraction was Mason Mitchell and comattraction was Mason Mitchell and com-pany in "The Fugitive." The piece is a melodrama full of interest and strong. It tells of a young man who is falsely accused of murder and loses his sweetheart and friends, but is finally set right. Mr. Mitchell, who was formerly in the support of Mary Anderson, played the part of John Levett, the hero, in good style. The company is strong without any exception and the scenery is fine.

City Property Withdrawn. The Casper property withdrawn,
The Casper property on Duke and Green
streets, offered at public sale on Thursday
evening, was withdrawn at \$4,150. The
whole tract was bid to \$4,650 at the first
sale, and the price offered last evening was
for the ground, with the house and lct reserved.

Lederer and Wife Skip Out. Ida Newcomb and George Lederer have skipped from New York. They are married, to be sure; but Papa Newcomb and Clara Chester Binns have been making an awful row about it in the courts. Clara claimed Lederer for a husband, and Papa Newcomb paid the expenses of the exposure; but it availed nothing to keep two loving hearts spart.

The Manner in Which He Was Killed.

His Funeral This Afternoon.

From Edward James, John Meguire and Anthony Kuhn, employes of the Trenton watch factory, who accompanied the remains of Joseph L. Cogley to this city, the following particulars were learned as to his death. Cogley, his wife, mother-in-law and another relative walked to the Broad street station on Sunday evening. Joe was with a nephew and was some distance ahead of his wife, and when the rail-road station was reached through the great crowd there he and his wife became separated.

Mrs. Cogley thinking that her husband

that on which his train was and where he was found.

The theory of the crew of the freight train who found his body is that Cogley became awake after the train left Trenton, the conductor slowed up to let him off and that he was struck by the Western Express as he was walking back to Trenton.

The Western Express was due at that point where his body was found at 8:35, the exact time at which his watch was stopped. His funeral took was the afternoon from the residence of his father, No. 45 West German street, and was largely attended. The Iroquois band was present.

Rev. C. Elvin Hanpt conducted the funeral services and the interment was made at Lancaster cometery.

There is little or no change in the condi-tion of Horace Homaher, the young man who was so badly shot at Christians on Wednesday by John W. Davis. He was no worse this morning, but not much better. There are some hopes of his recovery yet. Nothing new has been elicited in regard to the shooting, and the story as published in yesterday's INTELLIGENCER is correct. There is no one in the neighborhood who believes that the shooting was not accidentally, as the men had no cause for quarrel. Just before the shots were fired Davis paid Homsher his subscription for a new paper that he served to him for a week in advance, as well as for a week that he had been back. A great deal of sympathy is felt in the neighborhood, not only for the wounded boy and family, but also for old man Davis. The latter is well spoken of in the neighborhood as a respectable man. He would get a little tight at times, but was not in the habit of doing so. He was a soldier in the late war and pretty severely wounded. Wednesday by John W. Davis. He was

A Tremendous Crowd Enjoy Themselves at the Lion Brewery.
On Thursday afternoon and evening, Tenfel & Wizeman, the firm who took pos-session of the Lion brewery several months age, had their grand opening. The crowd ago, had their grand opening. The crowd age, had their grand opening. The crowd that was in attendance was of great size. The majority of the people had been sent invitations, which were presented at the gate. A constant stream of men passed into the brewery and saloon all afternoon and the condition of affairs was about the same in the evening. The Iroquois band was stationed in the saloon, where they played the liveliest kind of airs and band was stationed in the saloon, where they played the liveliest kind of airs and kept the crowd in a good humor. Two large tables were spread in the barroom, which were covered with all the delicacles of the season and everybody had free access to them. The menu included turkey, roast pig, all kinds of cold meats salada, c., and it was heartily enjoyed. No better set-out has been seen here for some time. No expense was spared by the proprietors and in addition to the lunch there was plenty to drink. Free beer was on tap in different parts of the browery and it is not necessary to state that plenty of it was consumed.

Mr. Teufel took quite a large number of

Mr. Teufel took quite a large number of Mr. Teufel took quite a large number of visitors through the brewery, which is admirably arranged for its purposes. In the vaults beer in large quantities was found in casks of tremendous size. In the even'ing a large number of people visited the brewery and enjoyed themselves very greatly. It was a late hour before the party adjourned and they did so with the heat wishes for success to the new brewery firm, the members of which are well known as men of experience in the business.

The following officers of Rawlinsville Castle Knights of the Golden Eagle, No. 215, were installed on Wednesday night 215, were installed on Wednesday night:
Past chief, G. E. Kurtz; noble chief, W. J.
McAlpine; vice chief, D. E. Cramer; high
priest, W. H. Richardson; venerable
hermit, T. S. Wiggins; master of records,
Abraham Reese: clerk of exchequer, B. F.
Jones; keeper of exchequer, H. H.
Wiggins; sir herald, J. P. Schneider;
worthy bard, G. E. Kline; worthy
chamberlain, C. P. Kline; ensign, D.
Armstrong; esquire, D. Stoner; first
guardsman, John Hagen; second guardsman, J. D. Wilson; trustees, J. Hagen,
H. Wiggins, H. K. Hershey; representative to the Grand Castle, W. H. Richardson.

D. G. C. D. D. Smith installed the following officers of Millersville Castle, No. 147, Knights of the Golden Eagle: Past chief, C. H. Meiskey; noble chief, C. S. Scheirich; vice chief, H. L. Martin; high priest, J. H. Snyder; venerable hermit, Urlah Hess; master of records, J. H. Pickle; clerk of exchequer, C. Smith; keeper of exchequer, D. B. Levenite; sir herald, W. I. Lehr; worthy bard, H. G. Dugle; worthy chamberlain, J. S. Lefever; ensign, Jacob Fehl; esquire J. H. Campbell; first guardsman, M. S. Lefever; second guardsman, J. F. Miller; trustee, J. M. Graberinger; representative to the Grand Castle, J. F. Miller.

Last evening the following officers of Blue Cross Commandery, Knights of the Golden Eagle No. 5, were elected: Captain, Frank Hoffman; first lieutenant, Henry Smeych; second lieutenant, Emlen Ferrier; trustees, Henry Smeych, H. W. Pinkertou; recording secretary, W. J. Tomlinson; financial secretary, H. L. Simon; treasurer, James Prangley, jr. D. G. C. D. D. Smith installed the fol-

Pinkerton; recording secretary, W. Tomlinson; financial secretary, H. Simon; treasurer, James Prangley, jr.

Shot for a Burglar.

Edward Sherman, a machinist, was awakened, in Cincinnatl, at two o'clock Thursday morning by some one working at the lock of the door to his room. Thinking it was a burglar, he fired through the panel and mortally wounded W. H. Phillips, aged 73 years, who occupied an adjoining room and had gone to Sherman's door by mistake.

Throats of Aged Women Cut. Throats of Aged Women Cut.

Ann Keily, 73 years old, and Sarah Keily, 70 years, two maiden sisters, who live alone, were brutaily assuited on Thursday morning at their home on Master street, Philadelphia. The throats of both women were cut, it is alleged, by James Barry, 25 years old, who, with Michael Kelly and John Fries, is in custody. Robbery is believed to have been the motive of the assailant.

A Tea Store Horse Runs Away. The horse of the People's tea store ran away from in front of the store, on West King street. He ran up Prince street and at the corner of Chestnut he fell heavily upon the pavement and was caught. He broke nothing. The animal was somewhat brulsed.

While local actors were performing "The Blue and the Gray," in a hall in Canajo-harie, New York, on Wednesday night, John Barrett, of the Union army, was shot in the head and one eye destroyed,

GAME BIRDS IN THE PIT. LIVELY MAIN FOUGHT BY LANCASTER

COCKS THURSDAY EVENING.

and Others Break Their Limbs-Sulliven, an Old Soldier, Whipped.

Last night a cocking main, that has been talked about by the sports for some time past, took place at a resort in the eastern section of the county that has become quite section of the county that has become quite popular for affaire of this kind. A large number of men left this city in the evening and over one hundred tickets were sold at the gate. The place where the fighting took place is well adapted to the purpose. The pit is a good one and in fact the only drawback last night was the very poor light, which seemed to have a bad effect upon the cocks.

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The evening's entertainment began with a side fight which had nothing to do whatever with the main. It was between a dark red bird weighing 4 pounds 6 ounces, from the eastern section of the city, and a ginger from the west end that weighed 4 pounds and 4 ounces. The Irishtown bird lost both eyes early in the fight and was knocked completely out in ten minutes. The bird did not show up as well as his opponent and seemed to be out of condition.

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In the next fight a blue red cock of 5 pounds 4 ounces was pitted against a dark red of the same weight. This was a good fight for a short time, but the blue bird finally disgraced himself by turning tail and trying to run from the pit. That settled his show in the fight.

A ginger cock of 5 pounds 1 ounce was next put against a black red one ounce lighter. The ginger cock had a leg broken early and after trying to do sil he could he ran away in less than ten minutes; bis opponent of course got the fight.

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One side won the entire three fights, but then their luck stopped and they got nothing more afterwards.

There was a great deal of wrangling before the fourth battle could be started. One side showed Sullivan, a dark red cock, weighing 4 pounds and 13 ounces. This bird had a splendid reputation up to last night, as he had never been beaten. His backers claimed that the other men were trying to run in a different cock against him from the one they had weighed. The one they showed was a dominick of 4 pounds 15 ounces and they declared it was the one that had been weighed. As the conditions were to give or take two ounces the fight went on. It became evident very early that Sullivan had at last found his match and so it proved, for in a short time he was not only badly whipped, but he ran. The fight was a rattler, however, and plenty of good money was lost by the Sullivan people. money was lost by the Sullivan people.

Decidedly the best fight of the evening was the fifth of the main, between a dark red of 4 pounds 10, and another of 4 pounds 11. The birds went at each other like demons and no better fighting has ever been seen in a pit. They cut very hard and in a short time the heavier of the two was killed.

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pounds 5 ounces, a brother of the winner of the last fight, was put against a dark red of 4 pounds 5. After a long and rattling good fight the dark red had a leg and one wing broken and could not recover. He was whipped in good style.

THE SONS OF VETERANS.

A Very Pleasant Evening Spent at the Hall of Camp No. 19. Last evening the officers of George II. Thomas Camp, No. 19, of Sons of Veterans, of this city, were publicly installed in the hall of the order. Among those present were members of Posts 405 and 84 and also of the Ladies' Aid society. After also of the Ladies' Ald society. After the regular business of the evening had been transacted the meeting was thrown open to the public. The officers were then installed by Fred Row, of Camp 16, of Reading, aid-de-eamp to the colonel. The officers were: Captain, C. W. Heitshu; first lieutenant, George W. Keene; second lieutenant, J. S. Brientnall; camp council, E. D. Sprecher, John A. Sprenger and W. R. Heitshu.

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Upon taking the chair Captain Heitshu made the following appointments: Chaplain, Rev. J. W. Memloger; first sergeant, John N. Hetrick; quartermaster sergeant, W. Scott Leinbach; sergeant of the guard. Irs T. Barton; color sergeant, Harry W. Rapp; corporal, John A. Sprenger; camp guard, Elmer E. Dellett; picket guard W. S. Gast, principal musician, H. C. Fasnesh;

Fasnacht.
After the officers had been installed, C. After the officers and been installed, C. D. Sprecher, the retiring captain, presented Captain Heitshu with a captain's badge. Mr. Sprecher was presented with a fast captain's badge. After speeches by different members of the organizations represented the meeting adjourned.

Democrats Must Be Vigilant. Washington Dispatch to Philadelphia Record The Democratic leaders in the House are preparing to watch the consideration of the District of Columbia appropriation bill, without the limitations of rule, very carefully next week. Of course, in the absence of the rules limiting amendments, which the experience of the House has shown to be so necessary that leaders on both sides have included them in every recent code of rules, there is nothing to prevent a bare majority of the House from indefinitely increasing the amount appropriated by the bill by adding appropriations for objects not contemplated by it at all. Nor is there anything to prevent a bare majority of the House from incorporating in the bill any new legislation which happens to strike their fancy. The Blair educational bill, the tobacco tax repeal, the direct tax refund or a new national election law could be ingrafted on the District of Columbia appropriation bill with ease under general parliamentary law, which means, of course, simply Speaker Reed's ipse dixit. Fortunately, the Republican majority is small, and the Democratic leaders are vigilant. The Democratic leaders in the House are

A New Position For Brother Bob Robert G. Blaine, brother of the secretary of state, has been appointed deputy first auditor of the treasury department. For the past eight years he was curator in the agricultural department.

To Manago Chestnut Hill Furnaces. From the Lebanon Times.

B. J. Conner, late manager of Sheridan furnaces, has been appointed manager of Chestnut Hill furnaces, Lancaster county, which are about starting up, and has left

Milners and Brakemen Strike.

William L. Scott's Ponnsylvania colliery at Mount Carmel, Pa., suspended
operations on Thursday, throwing 1,000
miners out of employment.

The brakemen on the Toledo, St. Louis
& Kansas City railroad have gone on strike
in Charleston, Illinois. The strikers demand Wabsah wages.

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PRICE TWO CENTS

## KILLED BY BURGLARS THE WIFE OF A TRENTON DENTIST MIPPO. CATED BY CHLOROFORM.

A Young Lady Boarder Given the fame Drug, But She Finally Regains Con-sciousness—The Story She Relates.

TRENTON, Jan. 3.—The dead body of Mrs. Kniffin, wife of Dr. Arthur P. Kniffin, was found on the floor of her bed room at her residence, No. 206 Broad street, this morning, and near by lay the unconscious figure of a young lady who had been visiting the family. Both had apparently been chloroformed.

The deed is supposed to have been do by burglars during the night. Dr. Knis is away in Warren county, this state, or visit, and no one but a child was with a two women in the house. This mersis when a patient called at Dr. Knisin's designation of the county of the cou parlors the door was found locked, and word was sent to Dr. Shannon, Dr. Kalffin's partner, one block away. Dr. Shannon came and opened the door and found the two ladies as above described. There were many evidences of burgiary. Chief of Police McChesney has taken charge of the premises and is investigating the case. A few weeks ago the house was also en-

tered by burglars.

Miss Purcell, the young lady who boarded with the Kniffins, was finally revived, and in an interview with Coroner Bower and Chief McChesney said that during the night, possibly at about 3 o'clock a. m., she was awakened by Mrs. Kniffin, who was screaming that there were burglars in the house. Miss Purcell sprang from her bed to call for help, but was seized by a man who applied the drug to her bed to call for help, but was select by man who applied the drug to her in Mrs. Kniffin was select by another me who pressed the end of a bed quilt, mis ated with chloroform, to her nose. To was the last Miss Purcell remember until she was resuscitated by the phycians. Miss Purcell is still so weak to she has not been pressed for a description of the burglars. She has only a gent idea of them. Neither she nor Dr. She non can say what property. If any.

ides of them. Neither she nor Dr. mannon can say what property, if any, has been stolen. The whole house in great confusion, every drawer having been emptied and furniture scattered about.

The police say the whole house was found locked up this morning, but one of the earliest visitors says that a restricted door was open. Dr. Kniffin has been telegraphed for, and upon his return telegraphed for, and upon his return further light may be thrown upon what is

A Train Plunges Into a River.

HELENA, Mont., Jan. 3.—A west bo
Northern Pacific passenger train were rounding a curve Wednesday uight, fit miles east of Thompson's Falls, jumped track. The baggage and emigrant care smoker went down a thirty foot embatter was filled with women and children, all escaped serious injury. The bagg oar caught fire, but the flames were a extinguished. The accident was caused a defective switch. extinguished. The a defective switch.

Accused of Killing Their Child CLINTON, Mo., Jan. 8.—Major Has Bohannan and w'fe, of Browington, been arrested and placed in jail charged with having killed their about November 28th. They bot peared surprised that they should cused of so believes a crime. an mother, though but 17 years old, seemed rather enraged than grief-stricken at the charge.

eKilled by a Boiler Explosion.
CHILLEGOTHE, Mo., Jan. 8.—The bin a raw mill exploded yesterday and stantly killed John Runke and Will Hughes, brother of the proprietor. Jack
Howe, an employe, jumped into the
Grand river at a critical moment
and was only slightly hurt. An over pressure of steam caused the socident. Both
Runke and Hughes leave families.

A PRETTY HOME WEDDING.

A Daughter of the Maples Married to a Virginia Gentleman.

On Thursday evening Miss Margaret H. Hager, daughter of Mr. John C. Hager, was married to Mr. Wilson C. N. Randolph, now of Lynchburg, Virginia, but formerly, for a time, a resident of Lancaster. The wedding ceremony was held at "The Maples," the residence of Mr. Hager, on the Columbia pike. The britismaid was Miss Sarah Hager, a sister of the bride, and there were two little flower girls, Florence Smith and Alice Middleton.

The reception, held from six to eight o'clock, was largely attended, and the rooms of the mansion were well filled with the many friends of the bride and groom heartily wishing them long and happy lives, enjoying conversation and admiring the array of presents. Refreshments were served by Caterer Payne, of the Hamilton club, and music and flowers lent their charms to the flying minutes until many were surprised to learn that the bride and groom had quietly departed.

Among the guests present from a distance were the following:

R. P. Henderson, Parker Henderson, and George Hays, Carlisle; Mr. and Mrs. and Miss Hiester and P. A. Kunkle, esq., Harrisburg; Henry Latani and Miss Buchanan, Baltimore; Mrs. Shackleford and Miss Randolph, Charlottesville, Va.; Stewart Walker, Lynchburg; Mrs. Smyth, Miss Troth, Miss and Major Nevin, Miss Gordon and S. B. Carrigan, Philadelphia; W. B. Mendenhall, E. O. Ryan, Wilmington; Miss Troth, Miss Loose, Hagertown; Mrs. Howard Hoyt, Milwaukes; Dr. Frank Keiffer, Philadelphia; Miss Catherine Gunkle, Frazer; Miss Loose, Hagertown; Mrs. Howard Hoyt, Milwaukes; Dr. Frank Keiffer, Philadelphia; Miss Rebecca Henderson, Carlisle; Mr. and Mrs. Weimer, Lebanon; George Zacharias, Harrisburg. KEYTESVILLE, Mo., Jan. S.—Sam Johnson and Sam Strother, two negroes, became involved in a quarrel at a dance four miles went of here or Ton. involved in a quarrel at a dance four at west of here on New Year's night. Jo son drew his revolver and fired at Strett The ball missed its mark and took of just above the left eye of Alexander S ther, killing him instantly. John escaped, but Sheriff Anderson is in J suit with good prospects of capturing murderer.

Counterfeited Brands of Whisky.
CINCINNATI, Jan. 8.—The premises of
the Globe company, wholesale liquor dealers, were searched by a warrant upon complaint of an agent for a brand of liquers
who alleges that this company was counterfeiting their brands. The result was
the discovery not only of counterfeits of
this brand, but of nearly every other well
known brand. In some instances cases
for shipment were imitated, and to prethem from observation in transit cary
were provided with plain outer cases. were provided with plain outer cases.

Given Fifteen Years. Boston, Jan. S.—Guisseppe Ignatius De Lucca, who killed Edward Cunningham, the millionaire of Milton, Mass., while poaching on the latter's cetate, was at Ded-ham to-day sentenced to fifteen years in state prison. De Lucca was indicted for manslaughter and self-defense was claimed in avenuation.

Jackson Will Fight Sullivan. London, Jan. 8.—Peter Jackson, oc the Australian pugilist, has sent a cable dispatch to the United States announcing his acceptance of the challenge of John L. Sullivan to figh.t He will sail for New

PRESCOTT, Arizona, Jan. 4.—James Lee has been brought in from Apache county where he was arrested by the shariff he train robbery. Lee is a noted despende whom the sherift has been trying to secure

The Spanish Ministry Besigns.
MADRID, Jan. 3.—The ministry has resigned. Senor Sagasta will attempt to
form a new cabinet on a basis that will reconcile the various Liberal groups. All Were Saved.

for a long time.

the stranding of the Italian steamer Persis-before reported ashore on the island of Corsicians. The vessel is still aground. Her crew are aboard of her.

London, Jan. S.—Influence is spreading among the London police force. It pre-vails especially among those officers who are doing duty in the eastern part of the

Compelled to Close Schools.

MUNICH, Jan. 8.—Influence prevalls
such an extent in this city that it has b found necessary to close the scho

WEATHER FORECASTS.

are interested in the new base ball club which is to represent Altoens in the new Inter-state League. Mr. Zecher will be the manager, also play short stop. Mr. Mishler will go through to Philadelphia to look after ball players. WARRINGTON, D. C., Jan. 1.
Eastern Pennsylvania :
lightly colder, northerly winds