ANNUAL ELECTIONS.

DIRECTORS AND OTHER OFFICERS OF BANKS AND LOCAL CORPORATIONS CHOSEN.

John A. Coyle President of the Street Car Companies Holland Cattle Breeders Pleased With the Year's Susiness.

This is the day on which the banks of the ounty elect directors each year and of ourse there is quite a stir among banking copie. The following is the result of the

J. R. Bitner. Eli J. Kendig, Jacob R. Iershey, David Brown, Juo. R. Bricker, acob Wolf, F. H. Rare, J. B. Esbenshade, brain B. Huber, Samuel Groff, L. S. Iartman, John D. Skiles, John B. Landis. Mr. Landis is a new director. He was lected to take the piace of the late John L. Stehman.

Peoples' National Bank.

A. J. Eberly, D. G. Eshleman, A. C. Kepler, Issac W. Leidigh, J. L. Stelumetz, John Gingrich, H. G. Rush, Charles F. Miller, E. H. Burkholder, A. J. Herr, A. C. Ilyus, E. Herr Esbenshade, C. Musselman, George McNabb.

The directors will meet on Monday next, when officers will be elected.

Lancaster County National Bank.

C. B. Herr, David C. Kready, David Huber, John L. Herr, Martin G. Landis, Benjamin Long, jr., John B. Myers, John S. Mann, Christian R. Landis, David Gray-bill, John B. Warfel, Jason K. Eaby, Lewis Haldy.

First National Bank of Laucaster. N. M. Woods, Abraham S. Bard, John H. Meore, M. H. Moore, A. Herr Smith, Solomon Sprecher, Peter S. Reist, Henry Baumgardner, Charles B. Groff. Northern National Bank.

J. Fred'k Sener, John H. High, John K. Stoner, Frank Mettfett, John Evans, John Sigle, John H. Landis, Isase L. Hess, Benj. L. Landis, Aaron H. Summy, Levi S. Gross, Hiram K. Miller, Jacob L. Brubaker. The one new director in this bank is

vacant by the death of Daniel G. Baker. Exchange of Marietta. Directors: B. F. Hiestand, Joseph Miller, A. S. Rhoads, L. Z. Lindemuth, M. R. Hoffman, John Andrew Hiestand, John M. Hiestand and J. Frank Hiestand.

National Bank of Christiana. I. W. Slokom. Abraham Roop, Aaron Hartman, T. J. Philips, Thos. McGowan, Brinton Walter, C. B. Houston, Simeon B. Swisher. I. W. Slokom, president; S. kom, cashier. The First National of Marietta.

John Musser, Amos Bowman, Paris Haldeman, Barr Spangler, S. F. Eagle, John Crull, John Zigler, Horace L. Halde-Manhelm National Bank.

Jacob L. Stehman, Samuel Rice, Henry Arndt, Samuel H. Erb, J. F. Hackman, J. B. Grubb, Abram Martin, J. D. Kaffel, H. C. Boyd.

C. F. Roland, B. B. Landis, R. H. Davis, H. Worst, Henry B. Weaver, B. W. Win-ters, M. D., Geo. O. Roland, James Diller, Jason K. Eaby.

A. Dissinger, M. G. Keller, Jacob Dyer, B. G. Groff, W. S. Smith, A. G. Stauffer, Jacob G. Stauffer, John S. Risser, Nathan

I. H. Kauffman, president; M. G. Musser, vice president; John M. Fralich, John M. Weller, M. B. Shindle, L. G. *tehman, E. T. Yohn, John D. Herr, C. S. Charles, C. H. Rohrer, J. R. Myers, John D. Gable, R. M. Fridy.

Geo. W. Hensel, J. P. Ambler, Thos. E. Ambler, Jas. G. McSparran, Frank W. Helm, Thos. K. Pusey, John H. Bair, John J. Coulter, Forest Creston; president, Geo. W. Hensel; secretary, F. W. Helm.

First National, Columbia.

H. M. North, Geo. W. Haldeman, H. N. Kehler, John Fendrich, John Forrey Wil-liam Patton, Dr. Alex. Craig, Jacob Seitz, jr., F. A. Bennett.

Jacob H. Bender, David Brainard Case, *C. Frank Duden, Vernon Ellis, Andrew J. Kauffman, John H. Landis, Jacob A. Minich, Wm. Morris, Andrew J. Musser, Jonas H. Nolt, Amos W. Rogers, Frank Shillott, Henry Westerman.

Columbia National Bank. Jas. A. Meyers, Geo. S. Mann, Jos. Eck-man, H. F. Bruner, Geo. W. Mehaffey, M. S. Shuman, Wm. B. Given, John Wester-

Susquehanna Iron Company. Michael Schall, Win. Patton, H. F. Bruner, Andrew Garber, George Crane, F. G. Paine, J. E. Schall. The board elected M. Schall president, Wm. Patton general manager, J. E. Schall secretary and Eastern Market Company.

A. S. Bard, James B. Frey, Milo B. Herr, Allan A. Herr, Martin Kreider, Tobias R. Kreider, Milton L. Landis, B. J. McGrann, Jas. R. McNaughton, Geo. K. Reed, Elmer E. Steigerwalt, B. R. Stauffer, David Lefever; auditors, Ira H. Herr, A. K. Mowry, H. E. Hoffer. The Southern Market.

The following directors of the Southern market were elected yesterday : W. A. Atlee, J. Hay Brown, John I. Hartman, Julius Loeb, George Hastings, John H. Brackbill, Joseph Harnish, Jacob McCallister, Amos Hollinger, Abram Shaub, B. McElroy, David Huber, Jacob

A. G. Bard, Frank P. Coho, A. F. Hostetter, John H. Metzler, John Bowen, E. P. Keller, Andrew Brubaker, Christian Stiffel, John E. Hostetter, Jacob H. Landis, D. B. Huber, W. Z. Sener, A. B. Miller, President, Frank P. Coho; secretary, John H. Metzier; auditors, Frank Pfeiffer, W. O. Marshall, James Shand.

The stockholders of the East End passer ger railway met et Michael F. Steigerwalt's office on Monday evening and those of the Lancaster City street railway at the Board of Trade rooms. The following directors were elected by the stockholders of both

President, John A. Coyle; directors, Dr. M. L. Herr, John H. Baumgardner, Jacob B. Long, Walter M. Franklin, J. E. Ackley, Sumner T. Dunham.

The board of directors organized by electing the following officers: Vice President, Dr. M. L. Herr; secre-tary, J. E. Ackley; treasurer, John H. Baumgardner; solicitor, Walter M. Frank-

A resolution was passed formulating an agreement to be submitted to the stock-

holders with a view of consolidating both railways under the name of the Lancaster city street railway. A resolution was passed authorizing the

officers to accept the ordinance passed by councils, when approved by the mayor. The stockholders who transferred their interests to the syndicate take bonds for

The companies will still retain their separate management, although the officers

The East End cars will hereafter be run to the Square instead of stopping at East

King and Duke streets. If the ordinance giving the companies the right to use electricity is approved ar rangements will be made at once to extend the lines to Potts' landing and to Graeff's landing. Other extensions will also be made in the near future, one of which will

be a route to the college.

Monday, at the office of the secretary,

Allan A. Herr.

The following directors were elected: B.
J. McGrann, J. H. Landis, A. H. Mylin,
John B. Kendig, Martin H. Wenger, D. K.
Burkholder, Phares B. Hershey, A. E.
Hartman and B. M. Mowery.

The report of the business for the year
was very encouraging, quite a large
amount of stock having been registered.

The board of directors organised by
electing the following officers: President,
B. J. McGrann; vice presidents, Phares S.
Hershey, John H. Landis; secretary,
Allan A. Herr; tressurer, John B. Kendig; inspectors, M. H. Wenger, John B.
Kendig; executive committee, M. H.
Wenger, John B. Kendig, D. K. Burkholder.

TERRIBLE MORTALITY. Philadelphia's Record Nearing the Top

From the Record.

At no time during the last thirty years has the death rate been so high at this period of the year. On a few occasions it has been slightly higher in the heat of midsummer, when the mortality among children is unusually great. The highest number of deaths in any one week was reported during the summer of 1876, when the number reached 846.

During the week ending Saturday, January 11, the number of deaths reported to the board of health was 718, which was an increase of 226 over the preceding week, and 358 more than for the corresponding period last year.

period last year.

During the last three weeks the increase over the corresponding period of last year was 539, divided as follows:

Year. Dec. 28. Year. Jan. 4. Jan. 11 1880 404 1800 492 718 1888 349 1889 395 360 The greatest increase is in those diseases which are most intimately connected with grippe. Pneumonia stands out prominently with 145 deaths last week, which is more than double those of the preceding week, when there were but seventy-one, and a most alarming increase over the week ended December 28, when but twenty-three deaths were reported as baring been

ended December 23, when but twenty-three deaths were reported as having been caused by that disease. Consumption also shows that it is rendered more fatal by association with the famous Russian epidemic, and the number of deaths due to that disease advanced gradually through the three weeks from 51 to 101.

Other diseases which show an increased mortality are: Bright's disease, debility, diphtheria, bronchitis, old age and whooping cough.

while the grippe is undoubtedly on the decline, the death rate is still very high and the health authorities estimate that the present week will show as large if not a larger mortality than the last. Many people are still confined to their beds with the disease, which appears in a large number of cases to have taken a more violent

Liederkranz Concert and Sociable. Last evening a concert and sociable was hall on Grant street. The attendance was very large and the entertainment began at half-past eight o'clock. The programme great. The following is what took place:
First Part—Grand selection, "Bellman,"
(Fr. von Suppe); "From the Mountain,"
(Comp. by C. Bank) Liederkranz: "The
Triplots," William Freitag and Josesh
A. Albert; "Comic Trio," by Messrs.
Freitag, Roth and Falk; flute solo,
selection from "Chimes of Normandy,"
(R. Planquette) by Mr. Halbach; comic
recitation by Mr. Harstein.
Second Part—"The Bridal Rose," (By
C. Lavallee; "Two Eyes that I Saw Woeping," (Comp. by C. Weldt) Liederkranz:
"In these Sacred Halls," (Comp. by Mozart)
bass solo by Mr. Ostermayer; "Flowers of
May," (Comp. by L. P. Laurendeau)
Grosh's orchestra; Evening Song, (Comp.
by Otto Ludolfs) Liederkranz.

After the concert there was dancing great. The following is what took place:

which continued until a late hour. The committee of arrangements consisted of Adam Rieker, John W. Keller, Carl Bauman, Oscar Peters, George Seemann.

Jerry Dungan Convicted. Jerry Dungan has been convicted at Harrisburg of larceny as bailee. He was given money to pay rent, and instead of deing so he appropriated it to his own use, and fled from that city. He was arrested in this city and taken to Harrisburg for trial. His punishment was made four

When that term expires he will have to answer a charge of false pretense at Alder-man Halbach's. The complaint against him is having obtained from L. H. Campbell a Domestic sewing machine by false and fraudulent representations.

Granted By the Rogister. The following letters were granted by the register of wills for the week ending Tuesday, January 14:

TESTAMENTARY-Benjamin Shertzer, c ceased, late of Manor township; Jonas F. Shertzer, Conestoga, and Benjamin F. Shertzer, Manor, executors.

Theresa Abel, deceased, late of Lancaster city; Maggie Mary Wirth, city,

ADMINISTRATION.—Hetty Ann Gerlach, deceased, late of Pequea township; Aldus Eshleman. Pequea, administrator.
James Malone, deceased, late of Marietta;
R. A. Malone, city, administrator.
John Echternach, deceased, late of Adamstown; Rachel Stauffer, Adamstown, alministrix d. b. n. c. t. a.

Presbytery Vacancies Filled. The following vacancies have been filled in the Westminster presbytery: Mt. Joy and Donegal, by Rev. David Conway, for-merly of Williamsburg; New Harmony. by Rev. James B. McCool, formerly of Camden, N. J. Pine Grove has extended a call to Robert J. Rankin, of Princeton

eminary. Professor John B. Randall, of Lincoln university, is filling, temporarily, a vacancy at Little Britain church.

The surviving members of company K, of the 77th regiment, Pennsylvania voluneers, of whom there are about thirty resid ng in this city, will meet at the G. A. R. hall, above the postoffice, on next Thurs-day evening at 7:30 o'clock, and after a short street parade they will proceed to E. C. Hall's Delmovico hotel, in Centre Square, where the annual banquet will be held. A number of other members of the regiment. who did not belong to company K, will

The Star of Bethlehem.

A dispatch from Vienna says the Star of Bethlehem is again to be visible this year being its seventh appearance since the birth of Christ. It comes once in 315 years, and is of wondrous brilliancy for three weeks. Then it wanes and disappears after seven-teen months. It will be a sixth star added to the five fixed stars in Cassiopeia while it remains in sight.

A Foot Ball League Proposed. There is a movement on foot now to form a foot ball league between the Hartford, Dickinson, Swarthmore and Franklin and Marshall colleges. Captain Irvine, of the team here, is doing what he can to

hurry the matter aleng, and a meeting

will be held here shortly at which some

action will be taken.

Mrs. Jane McDermott, of Pittston, while delirious from illness attempted suicide on Monday by jumping into the Susquehanna river. The screams of her little daughter attracted the attention of an officer, who frustrated the woman's attempt.

Pope Leo Suffering From the Grip. Holland Breeders' Association.

The Holland Breeders' Association of the United States held their annual meeting on

THREE BURGLARIES.

THE VISITORS USE A VEHICLE TO CARRY AWAY THEIR BOOTY.

Slaughter House in Newville. The Village Much Excited.

the village of Neffsville this merning when it was found that three burglaries had taken place during the night. The thieves when place during the night. The thieves entered the general store of Mrs. Fanny Wechter by crawling through the transom over the front door. They stole quite a large quantity of goods which they are supposed to have taken away in a wheelbarrow or wagon. They left the store by way of the front door, which they opposed from the inside. On the floor, they pened from the inside. On the floor they

they dropped some of the goods, which they did not again pick up. The burglars also visited the slaughter house of Henry Herr, where they stole about \$10 worth of meat, the choicest kind. From the barn of John Miller, which they also entered, they took a number of bags. The supposition is that they put the store goods in the bags in order to get them away. One of the bags was left in the store.

TRADE IN TOBACCO. about Three Hundred Cases of Old Sold.

A Few Crops of New Bought. There was very little doing in the local tobacco market the past week. Skiles & mall lots. Christian Nissley, of Florin, sold a packing of 60 cases, and other dealers sold about 150 cases in small lots.

Buyers are not doing anything toward securing the new crop. A few lots have been picked up. Samuel Mumma, of Lanthat vicinity: George Hess, 2} acres seed 51 round; Jonas Nissley, 4 acres seed, 6 round; David Nissley, 2 acres seed, 5} ound; John Lump, 6 acres Havana, 21,

New York Tobacco Market.

Business for the new year has not quite got started as yet, but you can safely say that within the course of a week or so it will assume a lively nature, and all the old stock in our hands will be lifted from the market. We think a little too much "New Year's" for the tobacco industry is the cause for this quietude, or perhaps the "la grippe" has eaught hold on some of our friends. The business which which was transacted for the week was only of a small magnitude—perhaps not more than a few magnitude—perhaps not more than a few hundred cases. In the tobacco raising sec-

tions calmness reigns supreme.

The market for Havana has opened very The market for Havana has opened very quietly, and the new year has not yet shown any signs of large sales and big profits; still it is rather too early to expect much. The drummers have hardly had time to get down to business, and many of the eigar manufactories which closed down during the latter part of December will not reopen until the 15th of this month. For the past week most of the importers have been busy shipping goods sold last year, to be filled after Jan. 1. The sales for the past week were 506 bales at 67½ to \$1.15. About 250 bales of Sumatra were sold at from \$1 to \$2.20. Nearly 100 bales of this were low grade tobacco, which sold at from \$1 to \$1.20. The demand for fine goods will undoubtedly increase from now until the

undoubtedly increase from now until the new crop makes its appearance, and it is expected that the stock will be pretty well cleaned up by that time. Gans' Report.

Sales of seed leaf tobacco reported by J. Gans' Son, tobacco broker, No. 131 ing January 13th, 1890 : 145 cases 1838 New England Havans seed, 12 to 40c.; 130 cases 1888 state Havana, 12; to 14c.; 200 cases 1887-'88 Pennsyl-vania seed leaf, 8 to 10;c.; 150 cases 1888 Wisconsin Havana, 10 to 12c.; 100 cases 1888 Ohio p. t.; 150 cases sundries, 5) to 35c. Total, 875 cases. Market very dull.

The Philadelphia Market. From the Tobacco Leaf. From the Tobacco Leaf.

Dealers have been fairly busy in shipping goods which were deliverable after the first of the year. At the same time, inquiries and sales show a steady demand, and have the ring of decided improvement in the near future. Stocks in store are well assorted, so that tastes of all kines can be satisfied. Prices remain steady. Sumatra finds ready sale. The figure asked has no detriment. The question to solve is, will it yield?

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Receipts for the week—48 cases Connecticut, 280 cases Pennsylvania, 22 cases Ohio, 41 cases Little Dutch, 116 cases Wisconsin, 50 cases York state, 128 bales Sumatra, 194 bales Havana and 89 hhds Virginia and

Western leaf tobacco.
Sales show—59 cases Connecticut, 301 cases Pennsylvania, 28 cases Ohio, 78 cases Little Dutch, 136 cases Wisconsin, 85 cases York state, 136 bales Sumatra, 298 bales Havana, and 12 hhds of Virginia and Western leaf in transit direct to manufac-

A Statue of Tilden.

Mr. Cummings, of New York, presented a joint resolution in the House on Monday, for the erection of a statue to the memory of the late Samuel J. Tilden. The joint res-

olution was read, as follows:

Resolved, That there is appropriated from the treasury of the United States the sum of \$50,000 to erect a bronze statue of the late Samuel J. Tilden, to be placed in the centre of the rotunda of the capitol; that on a tablet at the front base of said that on a tablet at the from base of sans statue there shall be conspicuously en-graved these words: "Samuel J. Tilden nincteenth president of the United States-elected, but not seated."

That on the right of the square base shall

be engraven the date of birth, election and death of such president and that on the opposite side shall be engraven an eagle with a snake in his talons and under them these words: "For the right."

Resolved, That the president of the United States, the chief Justice of the support United States, the chief justice of the su-preme court, the president of the Senate and the speaker of the House of Represen-tatives be authorized to superintend the appropriation of money and that a copy of these resolutions, with the names and titles of said dignitaries, be engraved on the rear of said base.

BEAUTY BY GASLIGHT.

Why Women Above 20 Should Not Let the Light be Too Bright. From the New York Evening Sun.

"No woman past 20 who has any regard for her looks at night should allow a light to fall on her from above," said a society woman recently, "it should come only from the sides, and level with the face. 'Why?' See here," she turned up the light that overhung the table in the centre of her library and stood directly underneath it. On the instact the lines of her face sharp-ened, there were hollows in her cheeks. On the instact the lines of her face sharp-ened, there were hollows in her cheeks, she looked ten years older and almost ugly.

"You see," she said, "how my face is changed. The light coming from above throws shadows downward on the face, bringing out the lines sharply and showing any absence of the round curves that make the beauty of a woman's face. With the light coming from the side the shadows are not thrown on the face and the outline is softened instead of hardened. If these lights are shaded as well the pleasing effect is heightened."

Replevied a Sewing Machine. B. F. Davis, attorney for the Singer Sewing Machine company, issued a writ of replevin for a sewing machine in the custody of A. L. Dougherty, city. The sheriff

seized the machine on his writ and handed it over to plaintiff.

The commissioners heard and disposed of appeals from the valuation of real estate for 1890, as fixed by the assessors of Fulton and Eden townships.

QUEER FREAKS OF THE TORNADO.

LANCASTER, PA., TUESDAY, JANUARY 14, 1890.

QUEER FREAKS OF THE TORNADO.

Peculiar Experiences of St. Louis Citizens During the Storm.

In the confusion which prevailed Sunday night in territory visited by the cyclone it was impossible to get at more than the most prominent features of the terrible affair. Like all cyclones this one is followed by the discovery of many queer freaks. There were four deaths. Three people were killed by falling walls, but the fourth death was very singular. Joseph Marks, nine years old, living on North Broadway, had been quite ill and was in bed in a room in the second story. He was convalescing, and at the time of the storm was sitting up in bed. The family were badly frightened at the storm and were crouched together fearing the worst.

Suddenly there was a crash and a roar of falling debris, caused, by the falling of a chimney on the bouse. When the force of falling debris, caused, by the falling of a chimney on the bouse. When the force of the storm had subsided the family hurried to the room occupied by the sick boy and found him dead. Undoubtedly he was frightened to death.

There were four families in the three-story building at No. 101 South Twentieth street when the roof was lifted off by the tornado. In one room a husband and children were gathered about the coffin which contained the body of the wife and mother, who had died Saturday night. The terror of the children was pitiful.

William Brady, was passing the corner of Fifteenth and Morgan streets when the tornado struck and toppied over the spire of Emanu-El church. He heard the roar and ran to escape the flying debris, but a fragment of brick struck him on the head, felling him to the pavement. His scalp was torn and his skull fractured. Benjamin Verfield was near the corner of Tenth and Mullamphy streets when the storm arose, and ran to the doorway of the St. Louis Manufacturing company's works for shelter. The wind was spiring directly upon this door and succeeded in bursting its fastenings. Verfield was thrown down a stairway into the basement by the wind.

The ninety foot high smokestack of the Exceisior brewery was thrown down by the wind. It fell upon the one story cottage in the rear, occupied by Thomas Morrow, a machinist. The house was wrecked by the stack and Mrs. Morrow and her baby were imprisoned in the ruins. The lady managed to extricate herself, but in spite of threatening walls would not leave until she had dug out her child. The child was not even bruised and the mother's injuries, beyond her fright, amounted to almost nothing.

It is thought all of the one hundred and fifty persons injured will recover. Over one thousand houses were damaged. The pecuniary loss is estimated at \$300,000. The ninety foot high smokestack of the

CORA LITCHFIELD'S CONFESSION. A Story of Unrequited Love, Revenge,

Workmen employed in demolishing an old building in Frederick, Md., came across a confession which had evidently been placed between the loose bricks by the writer. It read as follows:

I may die soon. I do not know when, but I will write this, ere it be too late. but I will write this, ere it be too late. I hope it will be found when I am dead, for I have wrought enough misery. Sixteen years ago I was young and beautiful and loved Dallas Galbraith, but he married another, Emma Earle. How I hate her! But she is dead now. I followed them from place to place, and I stole their child, a girl baby, from their house in Columbia one day when the nurse had fallen asleep. The mother died a year after. I carried the child to Baltimore, and there I left her in a basket on the steps of the Holibard asylum, and watched close by until they found her. Then I fled away as only a guilty being can flee. I have wandered as a vagabond through France, England, Germany, and other countries and come here at last to Roslin to spend the rest of my days upon earth, possibly in peace, if only the peace the wicked have. Verily there is no peace for the wicked. Dallas Galbraith is now Count Edelberg of Edelberg Chateau, near Cologne. Thus do I endeavor to make restitution. Cora Litterfield.

A Monstrous Egg.

The American Museum of Natural History, in Central park, New York, has been offered an egg that, if sold by the dozen, would bring \$3,600, the individual one being valued at \$300. It is a little over a foot in length, its holding capacity being two gallons, and, in round numbers, it equals 150 hen's eggs; its lineal measurement is twice that of the ostrich egg, and its cubic bulk eight times greater. The egg comes from Madagascar, and the museum now possesses an admirable cast showing its dimensions. The first discovery of these interesting relies of past times was made by the captain of a merchant vessel who stopped at a port on the southern coast of the island to trade with the natives. During his stay there the curious vases used by the natives to carry water and food in attracted his attention, and upon investigation he found that they were eggs cut in halves, and upon being questioned the natives informed him that they obtained them from the sandbanks some distance away in the "up-country." An offer to purchase some soon resulted in the discovery of several which feil into the tance away in the "up-country." An offer to purchase some soon resulted in the discovery of several, which fell into the hands of the naturalist, Isidore G. St. Hilaire, who also succeeded in finding some of the bones of the bird, which he named Epinornis, or tall bird. Since that time the remains of three or four distinct species of these winged monsters have been unearthed in the sand banks along the southern portion of the banks along the southern portion of the island, a skull, a part of the vertebrae, a tibin sixty-four centimetres long, being the principal find—quite enough to establish its colossal stature.

MARRIED JUST FOR FUN. But a Georgia Couple Now Repent Their

Foolish Adventure. A supposed begas marriage ceremony in Fort Valley, Ga., in which two young society people officiated, is about to turn out a reality. A couple called on the Rev. B. L. Ross, at his residence Thursday night and asked to be married instanter, as the bride's parents objected. The bride groom produced a license issued by O. P. Wright, ordinary of Crawford county, authorizing the marriage of a Mr. Murcherson and Miss Burnett. They were accompanied by Mr. J. Byron Hall, of the Harris house, who said the couple had just arrived on the Atlanta & Florida train and were in a hurry to marry. Dr. Ross inwere in a hurry to marry. Dr. Ross invited them in, but they refused, saying they were just from a mask ball and had on their costumes, and as Mr. Hall was with them, Dr. Ross proceeded to perform the ceremony in the dark, after assuring himself that the contracting parties were of

It has since become known parties to the affair were Mr. W. H. Harris and Miss Phosa Skellie. The young cou-ple are in great trouble over their adventure. The license, too, was a forgery, and the young man who executed it thinks of departing. Such excitement was never created there in seciety circles before, and friends of the parties anticipate trouble for them before the excitement of their adven-ture. "inst for fun" dies away. ture " just for fun" dies away.

An Expert's Discovery Julius Lembeck, an expert, who exam-ined the financial books of Cleveland, O., said that the accounts of en City Treasurer Everett show irregularit nounting to

VICTORY FOR STRIKERS.

BIRDSBORO NAIL MAKERS AND PUDDLERS GIVEN INCREASED WAGES.

The Men Leave Their Work Because the Company Refused to Restore a Ten Per Cent. Reduction.

READINO, Pa., Jan. 14 .- The strike in the nail factory of the Brooke Iron company at Birdsboro, this county, resulted to-day in victory for the men; the firm agreeing to restore to them the ten per cent. reduction made in their wages four and a half months

strike followed. To-day the firm also voluntarily By the settlement of the strike 250 men

go back to work. BRUSSELS, Jan. 14 .- The terms conceded to the striking miners by the mine owners in Charlerol district are a reduction of working hours to 9 per day and increase of 10 per cent. in wages.

Brice Elected Senato COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 14.-Calvin S. Brice was to-day at noon elected to the United States Senate. In the Senate the vote stood: Brice, 19; Foster, 14; Halstend, 1. In the House, Brice, 57; Foster, 52; Neal, 15. Brown (Dem.), of Hancock, who is sick, was carried to the hall of the House in a chair. Froeger and Lawler were the only Democrats absent; the latter is ill. Two Republicans were absent. Counts and Munson, who were credited with being bolters, voted for Brice, their votes being received

Fridy's Appointments. WASHINGTON, Jan. 14.—The secretary of the treasury has appointed T. S. Brubaker and John Kirk storekeepers and gaugers in the Ninth Pennsylvania district.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Jan. 14.-Hon. E. K. Wilson, Democrat, was to-day elected United States senator.

The funeral of Mrs. Mary McGovern took place this morning from her residence, corremains were taken to St. Mary's Catholic church, where requiem mass was celebrated by Rev. Dr. McCullagh. The interment was made at St. Mary's cometery. H. Z. Rhoads, John W. Lowell, Jacob Rathfon, W. D. Stauffer, John H. B. Wagner and Joseph Altick were the pall-bearers.

A valuable horse belonging to Arnold Duing, of Roseville, was badly injured yesterday morning. Another animal became loose in the stable and kicked him on the jaw, breaking it. Dr. Shaub was sent for to attend the animal. for to attend the animal. Struck By a Bundle of Cork.

Joseph Wentzel, a driver for Arnold's cork works, and another man were loading a large bundle of cork yesterday. The bundle slipped, striking Wentzel, knocking him off the wagon, spraining one of his arms badly and braising him quite severely. Death of Thomas T. Miller.

Thomas T. Miller died in Easton on Monday. He was the father of Rev. Rufus W. Miller, who is pastor of the Second Reformed church, Reading, and who graduated from the theological seminary here several years ago. Mr. Miller took prominent part in classical and synodical meetings of the Reformed A spelling Bee.
A spelling bee will be held in Bates oach works, Florin, on Saturday evening,

January 25. The pupils of all the schools of the village will participate. There will also be vocal and instrumental music and recitations. J. H. Levenight will conduc the exercises. A Train Late. The mail train from the west, which i due here at 8:35 in the evening, was an hour and a half late reaching here last

night. The cause of the delay was that the train ran off the track while pulling out from Kuhn's siding on the Mt. Joy branch. Little or no damage was done. The wife of Henry G. Foehl, jeweler, of South Queen street, was among those who attended the Liederkranz sociable last

and broke one of her arms very badly. The street committee of councils met on Menday evening and decided to ask for bids for stone for use on the city streets the coming summer.

night. As the lady was going out of one of the doors of the hall she accidentally fell

Sale Of a City Property. Joel L. Haines, real estate agent, sold at private sale on Monday, for Paul Smith, the two-story brick house, 424 North Mary street, with lot of ground 16 feet 8 inches by 80 feet, to Jacob Shirk for \$1,375.

Appointed a Sub. Henry Ellmer, who resides in the Eighth ward, has been appointed a sub lettercarrier by Postmaster Griest. He is a

Grand Army man. Hawes to Hang. The supreme court of Alabama dismissed the appeal of Hawes, the wife and child murderer, of Montgomery, Ala., and sentenced him to be hanged February 28. It was an attempt to lynch Hawes that caused the riots a year ago, when six citizens were shot by the sheriff.

Grew Old Together Smoking Tobacco. Grew Old Together Smcking Tobacco.

Mrs. Stephen Danforth, of Manchester,
Mass., died on Sunday at the age of 100
years and 6 months. She and her husband
were the oldest couple in Manchester and
both achieved considerable newspaper
notoriety on account of their remarkable
vigor and strong appetite for tobacco. Both
had smoked from early childhood without
feeling any evil effects. Mr. Danforth still
lives.

It is rumored in London that Gilbert and Sullivan have quarreled over the New York "Gondollers" company, and that Sir Arthur Sullivan is endeavoring to get Eugene Field to write the librette for his next work. Quay and Dalzell Fighting.

There is a hitch over the appointment of census supervisor for the Allegheny dis-trict, Senator Quay and Representative Dalzell having rival candidates. On the Road to London. Henry M. Stanley has arrived at Cairo. He is enjoying and health. He will remain at Cairo for a week.

Few Apply For License. Only 87 applications for liquor licenses have been made in Lebanon this year, a falling off of nearly one-half.

WEATHER FORECASTS. WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 14.-For Eastern Pennsylvania : Colder ; fair to-day; warmer Wednesday; north-

westerly winds.

IKE WEIR KNOCKED OUT.

Billy Murphy, the Australian Champion Billy Murphy, the Australian Champion,
Defeats the Belfast Spider.
The fight to a finish between Ike Weir,
the "Belfast Spider," the feather-weight
champion of the world, and Billy Murphy,
feather-weight champion of Australia, for
a purse of \$2,250 took place at the California
Athletic club, San Francisco, on Monday

a purse of \$2,250 took place at the California Athletic club, San Francisco, on Monday night.

Before the fight President Fulda announced that John L. Sullivan had agreed with an accredited representative of the club on a purse for which he would meet Peter Jackson in the last fight of his life. The amount was \$15,000, and Jackson had accepted the terms. By unanimous vote the club announced its approval of the proposition to empower the directors to make the match.

Weir's weight was announced as 1244, Murphy's as 1184. The men started at a lively pace, Murphy's body blows being met by Weir's rapid upper cutting.

In the second round Murphy reached Weir's nose and was caught by the neck and punished by upper cuts, causing his nose to bleed.

From the eighth to the twelfth round little effective fighting was done. In the twelfth the "Spider" awung his right with telling effect on Murphy's left ear and jaw, again planting right and left in the Australian's eye as he came on fiercely. Murphy's left eye was bleeding freely in the twelfth. He fought desperately and drove Weir through the ropes and around the ring.

In the fourteenth round Murphy knocked

the ring.

In the fourteenth round Murphy knocked Weir senseless, and he failed to respond to the call of time. The Australian was then declared the winner.

Death of George Hoopes.

George Hoopes, one of West Chester's most respected citizons, died Monday night. He had been confined to his bed for the past four months with a fractured hip and a complication of diseases. Deceased was born in East Goshen township seventy-four years ago, and he continued to reside in Chester county until 1848, when he went to Philadelphia and engaged in the sash and blind business. He continued in business at the old stand until 1871, when the Baldwin locomotive works purchased his mill at a big price. Mr. Hoopes then purchased the Garrett farm containing 190 acres, just north of the Goshenville Friends' meeting house, in East Goshen township, Chester county. He occupied the farm but a short time when he purchased a house in West Chester and has since resided there. Mr. Hoopes married Deborah Alexander, of Willistown township, and they had nine children, of whom are living Mrs. George Cox, Mrs. William C. Stephenson, Philadelphia; Anna and Deborah Hoopes, and one son, J. Temple Hoopes. In March, 1889, Mr. and Mrs. Hoopes celebrated their golden wedding. She died in July last. Mr. Hoopes was for eleven years a member of West Chester's council.

The Law of 1874. The Law of 1874 reads: "A member who has a personal or private interest in any measure or bill proposed or pending before councils, shall disclose the fact to the branch of which he is a member and shall not vote thereon. If such interested member shall vote without disclosing his interest in such measure or bill, and the same be carried by his vote, such member shall forfeit his office."

John H. Baumgardner and Martin John H. Baumgardner and Martin Kreider are members of common council who voted for the ordinance granting electric pole and wire privileges to the and East End railway companies. Mr. Baumgardner was a director in the City railway and Mr. Kreider was president of passed. Neither of them informed their brother councilmen of the interest they had in the ordinance.

Couldn't Pay the Parson.

For over a year past Frank Williams, a young teamster of the Sixth ward, Akron, O, has been paying attentions to Miss Gertie Haggert, the estimable daughter of a well-to-do farmer of Springfield town-ship. They were to have been married New Year's night. The bride's parents had prepared a grand wedding supper; the invited guests were present; the officiating clergyman was ready, but the groom came not.

The bride was prestrated over the affair, which became the subject of general comment and gessip. Several days passed, when the girl's father sought his prospective sonin-law, the latter weakened and gave rather a remarkable excuse for his default. He had been depositing his earnings regularly with a local firm and had quite a sum saved up. On his wedding day the firm failed, leaving him without a cent for license or marriage service. He was too proud to borrow and preferred to stop proceedings until the next pay day should permit him to get married on his own capital. This explanation, given in good faith, was satisfactory.

Three Seamen Burned.

The Northern Central grain elevator No.
3, at Lower Canton, Baltimore, was destroyed by fire Monday night. The building was valued at \$300,000 and was insured locally. The loss on the corn stored is estimated at \$280,000, and it is divided among individual shippers, and covered by local insurances. The British steamer Sacrobasco, lying near the wharf, was destroyed by flames from the elevator, and the British steamers North Erin and Rio had their masts and part of their upper works destroyed. Three of the Sacrobasco's crew are missing and supposed to have perished. They were Englishmen, and their names were Robert Carns, aged 32 years, chief engineer; John White, aged 25, fireman, and Charles Jobuson, aged 27, seaman. Four of the crew were severely

T. V. Powderly Arrested.

Constable Moran, who helds the Callaghan conspiracy warrant for the arrest of General Master Workman Powderly, of the Knights of Labor, on Monday went to the Powderly residence in Scranton and served the document. The master workman has not yet recovered from his attack of influenza and quinsy sufficiently to leave the house, and his physician forbidding him to do so, he simply accepted the service of the warrant, and, in his own home, is now the constable's prisoner.

It is stated that Alderman Donovan, who endorsed the warrant for Justice Keener, endorsed the warrant for Justice Keener, will on Wednesday go to Powderly's home and admit him to bail to answer the charges preferred at the next Westmoreland county court, deeming this the best course to pur-

seaman. Four of the crew were severely

From the Deland (Fig.) News,

There is a young lady in this town who is very fond of onlons, but, as she is good looking, amiable and popular, she understands her duty to society too well to indulge in the savory but odoriferous root. Every now and then, however, her appetite gets too much for her, and she goes on a regular onlon drunk, eating a dozen or two of the tear-drawing vegetable. On From the Deland (Fig.) News. two of the tear-drawing vegetable. On such occasions she retires to her room a day or two, and is dead to the world and her best young man antil her breath is again competent to appear in good society.

Alderman McGlinn Sues the County. Ex-Alderman McGlinn has entered suit before Alderman Patrick Donnelly against the county of Lancaster. The ex-aldermau claims that \$60 were unjustly cut from his bills and he sues to recover that amount with interest. The case will be heard on Saturday afternoon.

st, Stephen's Lutheran Vestry Officers. The vestry of St. Stephen's Lutheran church met on Monday evening and or-ganized by electing the following officers: President, John Ochs; vice president, Menry Zimmerman; secretary, Daniel Kurtz; treasurer, John Landau.

A Merchant Kills Himself.
Seth C. Walker, a wholesale wine and liquor merchant, of Philadelphia, shot himself in the head on Monday, and died several hours later. He was about a years old, and had been despondent about business affairs.

AT A DISADVANTAGE.

SWALL MANUFACTURERS OF CIGARS WARDS DECREASED PENAL BOND.

Committee to Consider the Petition Of Berks County Classmakers.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14.—In the House to day Bingham (Pa.) introduced a bill for marking the lines of battle and the position of the troops of the Army of Norther Virginia at Gettysburg, Pa.

In the Senate bills were reported free committee and plant on the celendar, providing for public mildings at Allegheny, Pa., (\$250,000), and at Beaver Falls, Pa., (\$50,000).

Mr. George offered a resolution in bonds required of manufacturers of classes in all cases, or at least where the manufacture is carried on by the manual labor of the manufacturer. read a letter from some cigar manu ers in Berks county, Pa., asking him to urge that change of the law, as it bore very hard on them and helped to crowd them out of business, all for the benefit of large resolution and letter manufacturers. A resolution and le were referred to the finance committee.

SHE WAS CHLOROFORMED.

Dr. Knimu'd Wife Killed by That Drug. Mrs. Murphy's Testimony. TRENTON, Jan. 14 .- At the inquest of the Kniffin murder case to-day Mrs. James Murphy, mother of the murdered woman, testified that her daughter and Dr. Kniffin lived together as pleasantly as any married couple, and that Dr. Knimn was a good specifier for his family. Mrs. Knims the witness said never complained to be of neglect, and she (Mrs. Murphy) never knew of any particular friendship between Dr. Kniffin and Miss Purcell. Dr. Kniffin married Miss Murphy without the property of the particular friendship between the particular friendship f obtaining her parents' consent, but s

Witness stated positively that M Kniffin's life was not insured, thus t setting the theory as to the motive for murder. She also said that she b in the murder theory, and that she had a reason to suspect either Dr. Kniffin or

County Physician Leavitt then gave technical description of the results of the post mortem examination which fixed a chloroform as the cause of death. Witness said the stomach of the dead woman had been sent for chemical analysis, not cause of any suspicion of potsoning, as a precaution against such a continger

London, Dec. 14.—The Earl of Calded to-day from inflammation of lungs. He was born December 21, 1 and succeeded his father April 12th, 1. The Earl of Calrus became quite promis several years ago when as Viscount 6 moyle he was sued for breach of promof marriage by Miss Fortosque, the active who obtained a verdict of \$50,000 dama argust him. He subsequently marriage to the contraction of the against him. He subsequently

Died From Hydrophobia. Milton, Wis., Jan. 14.—Prof. Chr. Clark, principal of the Albion s died Sunday night of what is belle have been hydrophobia. He was bitt feared at the time. Recently, however, a mistakable signs of hydrophobla appear and his death was a very painful one.

OPORTO, Jan. 14.—Noisy crowds we dered through the streets last night clains for the independence and integrit Portugal, and shouting "Down with E land." A crowd attacked and stone British consulate. The authorities since placed a police guard at the cons St. Louis, Jan. 14.—While a cotton I train was running between Perry and rison station,on the Houston & Texas C trai railroad in Texas yesterday, the cost took fire and the train rushed into the

ter station with a long and furious street of flame following it. The depot care fire and it and several cars and about thundred bales of cotton were consume SHAMORIN, Pa., Jan. 14.—A freight to on the Reading railroad ran into the s end of another freight train at Snyderio this morning. The locomotive and ten o were wrecked. Conductor John Deis derfer was killed and several of the or

injured. Donth Of a Government Official Washington, Jan. 14.—Hugh A. Go borough, chief clerk of bureau of cons-tion and repair of the navy departs died this morning from pneuments, re-ing from an attack of influenza. Mr. G borough was over 70 years of age and be been employed in the navy department

more than 50 years. Saved From the Gallows.

Washington, Dec. 14.—The president has commuted to imprisonment at has labor for 15 years the sentence of death in posed in the case of Madison James, convicted in Arkansas of murder and tenced to be hanged January 16.

CHICAGO, Jan 14.—In Judge McCourt this morning the opening arguin the motion of the Cronin prisoners new trial was begun by Attorney Win The argument was altogether confined to points already presented in the attorneys written declaration of errors.

Five Persons May Have Perlahed. CALGARRY, N. W. T., Jan. 14—0 Thursday a man named John McDons started from Rosebud, with a sleigh, drive a Mrs. Wilson and three children to Gleichen. They have not been hase from since, and it is feared they have p ished in the storm.

Two Young Couples Drowned. CARM, Ill., Jan. 14.—While out riding in a lake about 14 miles souther Carmi on Sunday afternoon, Misses Asbury and Lizzie Bowles and Will R and Dan Asbury were drowned. were all young people living near the

PARIS, Jan. 14.—The Pair says that president of the French commission out to investigate affairs of the Pa speech made at Aspinwall, said the canal would be completed. Canal company, on the Isthm

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Peter's Pence.
R.ME, Jan. 14.—It is announced that
ter's pence for 1889, is as follows: North America, \$25,000; from South ica, \$62,000.

Gen. Fonseca Honored.
Rio Janeiro, Jan. J., Chen. Ponseca
been elected to the grand antership to
Brazilian lodges of the Order of