#### ONE CENT DAMAGES.

#### RECISION OF THE JURY IN A CASE OF BROTUER AGAINST BROTUER.

Abraham U. Gantz Sued by Henry U. in Other Cases in Common Pleas.

Before Judge Livingston the trial of the ander suit for damages, in which Abra-sm U. Gantz was plaintiff and Henry U. Gantz, attached on Thursday, was obta-cluded. The parties to the suit are brothers and plaintiff claimed \$2,000 damages from the defendant for circulating a report that he had forged a note.

The defendant said in his testimony that

he had no malice against his brother. As to the note in question he might have said that he had no recollection of signing it. The jury found a verdict in favor of plaintiff and assessed the damages at one cent. 8. P. Eby for plaintiff; J. Hay Brown for

In the suit of Frank H. Bostick, Emma Bostick, E. B. Roberts and Annie H. Bostick vs. Spangler & Rich, Sterrett & Co. and Lemon Sload, issue to ascertain the ownership of certain personal property levied upon and sold as that of Henry Bostick, a verdict by consent was entered in favor of the defendants. T. J. Davis for plaintiffs, J. Hay Brown and D. B. Case

In the suit of George Hilor, executor of Jacob and Mary Carpenter, vs. Mary Ann and George Yost, seire facias sur mortgage judgment by consent was entered in favor of plaintiffs for \$1,819.49. A. F. Hostetter for plaintiffs, and Brown & Hensel for de-

BEFORE JUDGE PATTERSON. The suit of Carey Bros, and Grevemyer vs. A. Hershey & Bro., attached on Thurs-day, was resumed this morning. This was an action to recover for goods sold and

The defense was that the music boxes sold were not up to sample; that 41 more boxes were sent than ordered; that charges were made for repairs to some of the music boxes, while the arrangement was that they were to be repaired free of charge that eight boxes sent for repairs charged to when these deductions are made from plaintiff's bill, the defendants owe them

In the suit of George Brown's executors vs. Myers & Rathfon, John C. Dinan and A. R. Myers, contractor, the pleas were withdrawn, a petition and demurrer were filed and the case went over. In the suit of Levi Sensenig vs. Henry

Binkley, judgment by consent was entered in favor of plaintiff for \$200. Daniel Sen-senig for plaintiff; Brown & Hensel for

Wm. B. Given, of Columbia, was ap-pointed guardian of Wm. Michael, son of John W. Michael, late of Columbia. Francis Cristy, Columbia, was appo guardian of Jennie, daughter of Franklin Cristy, late of Columbia.

#### PARNELL'S VINDICATION.

Points of the Verdict of the Commission Reported on Thursday.

The report of the Parnell commission, ives details of the mode of procedure

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In the opening of the report the judges say that the leaders of the Land League who combined to carry out the boycoft were guilty of a criminal conspiracy, and were guilty of a criminal conspiracy, and the consider this charge established bullon. Biggar, were guilty of a criminal conspiracy, and they consider this charge established against Messrs. Parnell, Dillon, Biggar, Sexton, T. P. O'Connor, Matthew Harris, W. O'Brien, T. D. Sullivan, T. M. Healy, T. Harrington, B. Harrington, A. O'Connor, J. E. Henny, W. Redmond, J.E. Redmond, Justin McCarthy, J. O. Connor, T. J. Condon, J. J. O. Kelly, Cummins, Cox, Patrick O'Hea, J. D. Sheehan, J. Leahy, E. Leamy, J. Barry, C. K. Tanner, Maurice Healy, T. Quinn, Daniel Crilly, Henry Campbell, P. J. Foley, J. J. Clancy, J. F. K. O'Brien, R. Lalor, T. Marme, J. Deasy, J. C. Flynn, J. Jordan, W. J. Lane, S. Sheely, S. Sullivan, G. N. Burn and Michael Davitt.
Under the charge of disseminating news-

Under the charge of disseminating newspapers tending to incite to crime the report lays stress upon the fact that Mr. Parnell did not produce the report of any speech wherein he denounced the use of dynamite.

dynamite.

Referring to the allegation of the defense of the respondents that the leaders of the league endeavored to repress crime, the report quotes Mr. Dayitt's memorandum of Qecember, 1880, to the officers of the league condemning outrages, but points out that other league influences counteracted the effect of this memorandum. In the judgment of the court the denunciations of crime quoted for the defense were of little avail because contemporaneously with them the leaders and organizers were carrying on the agitation by means of speeches and conduct tending to encourage crime.

crime.

The commission complains that Mr. Parnell and the officers of the Land League did not give the assistance to which the commission was entitled in the investigation of the league accounts, and says that touching the contradictory evidence of Le Caron and Mr. Parnell over the interview in the House of Commons in 1881, the balance of probabilities was in favor of the accuracy of Le Caron.

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Touching the tenth convention of the Clan-na-Gacl, at which Sullivan presided, the report says the proceedings proved that the dynamite policy had been definitely adopted by the Chicago convention of 1881, at which T. P. O'Conner was a delegate from Mr. Parnell. The Washington convention in 1882, the Astor house meeting and the Philadelphia convention in 1883 are successively quoted as proving the identity and sympathy of the sentiments of the Irish leagues with the American physical force party. It has not, however, been proved that Mr. Parnell knew the position of the Clan-na-Gael—the circulars of that body, besides the evidence of Le Caron, showing that its operations were kept secret.

The court recites the charges, dividing them into nine categories. The greatest interest centres in the final conclusions, which are as follows:

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which are as follows:

First. We find that the respondents, members of Parliament, were not members of a conspiracy having for its object to establish the absolute independence of Ireland; but we find that some of them, together with Mr. Davitt, established and joined in the Land League organization with the intention by its means to bring about the absolute independence of Ireland as a separate nation. The names of the respondents are: Michael Davitt, M. Har. ris, John Dillon, Wm. O'Brien, W. Redmond, J. O'Connor, Joseph Condon, J. J. O'Kelly.

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Second. We find that the respondents did enter into a conspiracy by a system of coercion and intimidation to promote an agrarian agitation against the payment of agricultural rents for the purpose of impoverishing and expelling from the country the Irish landlords, who were styled the English garrison.

try the Irish landlords, who were styled the English garrison.

Third. We find the charge that when, on certain occasion, they though it politic to denounce and did denounce certain crimes in public, they afterward led their supporters to believe that such denunciation was not sincere, is not established. We entirely acquit Mr. Parnell and the other respondents of the charge of insincerity in their denunciation of the Phoenix Park murders; and was find that the fac-simile upon which

nunciation of the Phoenix Park murders; and we find that the fac-simile upon which this charge is chiefly based as against Mr. Parnell is a forgery.

Fourth. We find that the respondents did disseminate the Irish World and other newspapers tending to incite sedition and the commission of other crimes.

Figh. We find that the respondents did not directly incite any persons to the commission of crime other than intimidation, but that they did incite to intimidation, but that the consequence of that incitement was that crimes and outrages were committed by the persons so incited, but we find that it has not been proved that the respondents made payments for the pur-

pose of inciting persons to commit crime.
Sixth. We find as to the allegation that the respondents did nothing to prevent crime and that they expressed no bons fide disapproval of crime; that some of the respondents, in particular Richael Davit, did express a bons fide disapproval of crime and outrage; but that the respondents did not denounce the system of intimidation which led to the commission of crime and outrage, but persisted in this abstraction of denunciation with the knowledge of its effect.

Seventh. We find that the respondents did defend persons charged with agrarian crimes and supported their families, but that it has not been proved that they subscribed to testimonials for or were intimately associated with notorious criminals, or that they made payments to procure the second of such criminals from justice.

Eighth. We find as to the allegation

nals, or that they made payments to procure the escape of such criminals from
justice.

Eighth. We find as to the allegation
that the respondents made payments to
compensate persons who had been injured
in the commission of crime that they did
make such payments.

Ninth. As to the allegation that the respondents invited the assistance and cooperation of and accepted subscriptions of
money from known advocates of crime and
the use of dynamite, we find that the respondents did invite the assistance and cooperation of and accept subscriptions of
money from Patrick Ford, known
as an advocate of crime and the
use of dynamite; but it has not
been proved that the respondents or
any of them knew that the Clan-na-Gael
controlled the Land League or was collecting money for a parliamentary fund; but
it has been proved that the respondents invited and obtained the assistance and cooperation of the Physical Force party in
America, including the Clan-na-Gael, and
in order to obtain that assistance abstained
from repudiating or condemning the section
of that party. Beside these, there remain
three specific charges against Mr. Parnell
personally, namely:

A. That at the time of the Kilmainham
negotiations Mr. Parnell knew that Sheridan and Boyton had been organising outrages, and therefore wished to use them to
put dewn outrages. We find this charge
not proved.

B. That Mr. Parnell was intimate with

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B. That Mr. Parnell was intimate with the leading invincibles, that he probably learned from them what they were about when he was released on parole in April, 1882, and that he recognized the Phoenix Park murders as their handlwork. We find that there is no foundation for this charge and that the Invincibles were not a branch of the Land League.

C. That Mr. Parnell on January 23, 1883, by an opportune remittance enabled F.

by an opportune remittance enabled F. Byrne to escape from justice to France. We find that Mr. Parneil did not make any remittance to enable Byrne to escape

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Regarding the two special charges against Mr. Davitt that he was a Fenian and assisted in the formation of the Land League with money contributed for the purpose of outrage and crime; that he was in close and intimate association with the party of violence in America, and was mainly instrumental in bringing about an alliance between that party and the Parnellite and Home Rule party in America, we find it proved that Mr. Davitt was a Fenian, and received money from the skirmishing fund contributed for the purpose of outrage. This was not, however, for the formation of the Land League itself, but for the promotion of agitation leading up to it. It has been shown that Mr. Davitt returned the money from his own resources. We find also that he, in such close and intimate association with the party of violence in America, was the man mainly instrumental in bringing about the alliance referred to.

London, Feb. 14.—The Pall Mall Gazette LONDON, Feb. 14.-The Pall Mall Gazette

mission is a more complete vindication of demnation of the Times than the most sanguine of home rulers venture to hope The Star (T. P. O'Connor) claims that the port of the Parnell commission is a tri umphant acquittal of all the accused Parnellite members of the House of Commons. DUBLIN, Feb. 14.-The Freeman's Journal says that the Parnellite members of

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the House of Commons are acquitted all along the line. The report, it says, is virtually a verdict against their accusers. The Express says that the report indicates that the work of the Land League was connected with the increase of crime

### ST. PAUL'S ANNIVERSARY.

The Third Evening Of the Services-Very Large Attendance. The third of the services at St. Paul's Reformed church, commemorating the 40th anniversary of the organization of the with a very large congregation present. The Sunday school attended in a body. The opening service was conducted by F. S. Lindeman, of Littlestown, and the sermon was preached by Rev. Dr. D. E. Klopp, of Lebanon. He took for his text lst Peter, 3 to 5: Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, which according to his abundant mercy hath begotten us again unto a lively hope by the resurre

"To an inheritance incorruptible and undefiled, and that fadeth not away, reserved in heaven for you.

'Who are kept by the power of God brough faith unto salvation ready to be revealed in the last time." This evening the rite of confirmation will be conferred and the sermon will be preached by Rev. J. A. Peters, of Danville.

SENT HIM AN INFERNAL MACHINE. A Terrible Explosion Averted by Faulty

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Construction.

A scheme by which some person sought
to be revenged upon John M. McBride, of
Philadelphia, by means of an infernal
machine was frustrated on Thursday by
the faulty construction of the apparatus.
Mr. McBride is a master carpenter.
Thursday morning his youngest daughter was just leaving for school when
the letter-carrier delivered to her a
package addressed to her father. The
box was postmarked Philadelphia.
McBride tore off the outer wrapper, and
finding it enclosed in a sliding pasteboard
box tossed it over to his son with the remark that he supposed it was "more of
that stuff from Washington." He had
recently received seeds from the agricultural bureau. The son with some difficulty
removed the sliding cover, and was
alarmed at the contents. The box
contained three compartments, and
the middle one was filled with gun cotton.
The other two were filled with gun cotton. Construction. of powder a blue-headed match was stand-ing, and upon the sliding lid a long strip of emery paper had been pasted. The only thing that prevented an explosion was the fact that the maker had either neglected to set the match heads high enough to touch the emery paper or else they had slipped down.

"I have but one enemy in the world," said Mr. McBride, "and that is Francis P. McBride, my brother, with whom I am now having a lawsuit."

Francis McBride was seen later, and declared he had no enmity against his brother. The police are at work on the case.

Busy Letter-Carriers. The letter-carriers of the city were loaded down like pack horses to-day—the

festival of St. Valentine. This is always a busy day with the postoffice officials, but this year the number of valentines mailed is the largest in the history of the office on Bought a Farm. Wm. B. Given, esq., has purchased on private terms a 65-acre farm of William

An Old Man's Terrible Death. George Williams, aged 83, living near Huntingdon, was choked to death by a piece of apple which lodged in his thron-while he was eating.

Shertzer. The farm is near Washington

EDITORS INTELLIGENCER: A great deal of excitement exists in St. James' parish of the Episcopal church, of this city, over the selection by a hare majority of the vestry of the Rev. Robottom as rector. This gentleman, who is now at Towands, is about 28 years of age and preached in St. James' church a couple of weeks ago, being the guest, while here, of B. F. Eshleman, eq. He preached long but not well, the congregation thought. His voice was loud and good, his accentuation peculiar and affected, and his delivery effective; but the matter of his discourse was not by any means up in quality to its quantity. The matter of his discourse was not by any means up in quality to its quantity. The great fault about it seemed to be its absence of ideas; or at least of any that his hearers could find. The general inquiry after the service was over was as to what the young man had been talking about; and one person was even rash enough to ask Mr. Eshleman where he got his babe in arms.

Well, when this gentleman was elected by the votes of Judge Livingston, B. F. Eshleman, B. F. Breneman, W. A. Atles and W. A. Morton, of the vestry, to be the rector of the church, there was evidently

rector of the church, there was evidently plenty of reason to expect strong remarks and vigorous kicks; and the five vestry-men are being cuffed and cudgeled all through the church unmercifully and it is

go out on the streets.

Judge Livingston, being a judge, is the safest of the lot, and the people talk about him with wonder rather than execration, believing him to have been fooled in some way; but there is not much difference in the denunciation poured out upon the others; Mr. Eshleman, however, as the finder of the young man and reported "estching it" the heaviest. St. James has not been so stirred up for half a century, and maybe it is a good thing for it. Dr. Hooper, who holds the strong esteem and admiration of the St. James congregation, told them the other day that the church was troubled with the dry rot and did not seem to have much life in it since Bishop Bowman's time, as he found that every vigorous shoot from it and every creditable product was traceable to the bishop's administra-tion. The exact truth of this declaration was recognized by all the congregation and affected some of the vestry so much that they vowed that Dr. Hooper should never be the rector of the church, while they soothed their heated throats in the Hamilton club cafe; and they wondered how it was that a member of their club, who was no officer in it even, should have the audacity to call in question their virtue, wisdom and loveliness, who were officers and high cockolorums in the concern.
They resolved that it was not meet that
this should be; and straightway they
selected the babe of Towanda. X. X.

FOUND REFUGE IN A HOLE. The Fox Chased On Thursday Runs Into

a Muskrat Burrow, chase took place at A. Kuhlman's on Thursday afternoon. There was quite a crowd present, including a number of local lovers of the sport. half-nast three o'clock the fox was dropped by W. W. Grosh, in Mayer's field, along the Fruitville turnpike. The animal was inclined to stop and roll at first, but the boys, of whom there was a great crowd in pursuit, urged him on. He first ran in a northeasterly direction and finally turned, going towards the south-east. He crossed the New Holland turnpike between the road loading to old What Glen park and the Eden hotel. He was then being closely pursued by the pack of dogs, fifteen in number, and a great many people on foot and horseback. He finally took to the Conestoga at What Glen. The dogs followed him into the water, but he fooled them by swimming back and taking refuge in a muskrat hole along the bank of the stream where he was safe. The riders and others soon came up and for several hours they kept digging, trying to catch Reynard. They were unable to do so however, and when darkness approached the task was abandoned. Early this morn-ing hunters were out at the place looking for the fox again, but it is likely that he escaped during the night.

While the chase was going on William W. Grosh was thrown from his horse in turning into a lane. The animal struck slightly injured.

### A BISHOP ON THE TARIFF.

The Pastoral Letter of a Western Prelate to His Farmer Flock.

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In a Lenten pastoral letter to be read in all the churches of the diocese of Leavenworth, Kan., Bishop Fink, of the Roman Catholic church, referring to the Farmers' Alliance movement, caused by the agricultural depression, says: "We may say that, surrounded by a bountiful crop, as we are, many of our people are suffering and are in misery, uncertain what they should do in the future. The complaints come not only from the laboring classes in cities who are without work, but especially

come not only from the laboring classes in cities who are without work, but especially from the country districts, from the farming population which feel that matters cannot be as they are for an indefinite number of years, or they will lose their house and home.

"Owing to the peculiar state of our country every one suffers when the farming population is in distress. Thoughtful persons are well aware that the present grievances of the farmers are but too true. It seems that almost every industry in our country is protected in order to amass riches in the hands of the few by which the many will have to suffer. The only classes not protected are those that would seem to need it most—the laboring men and the farming population." farming population.

Thieves Aided by Chance Remarks. A veteran detective assigns as the cause of many of the successful robberies by sneak thieves the habit not a few people have of unguardedly divulging secrets to chance acquaintances and to friends. "Would you be kind enough to tell me the bour; I've left my watch in my other waistcoat pocket in my room?" and vari-ous similar remarks are common, particularly on street cars, and sneak thieves, he says, are always on the alert to hear such disclosures. They even ride on cars to overhear them. For instance, a man disclosures. They even ride on cars to overhear them. For instance, a man might be riding on a car, and dive into his pocket for his fare, when he would suddenly remember that he left his purse ou the dresser in his room, and would apologetically tell his friends so. There might be some thief in the car who, overhearing this, would follow him up, learn his name and address, and then all would be plain sailing. The thief would go to the house and tell whoever came to the door that the man had sent him for the purse which he left on the dresser. The wife, finding the purse in the place described, would be thrown off her guard, and, in nine cases out of ten, would give it to him and pay him besides for taking it.

The pay car of the Pennsylvania railroad company arrived in town shortly after nine o'clock this morning, and the employes were paid off for the month.

MUSDERED IN THE STREET.

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Mysterious Killing of a Young Man in

Broad Bay Light in New York.

Two pistol shots in rapid succession startled people at Lexington avenue and One-hundred-and-twenty-sighth street, New York, about half-past a Thursday night, and as paisetrians on the avenue tarned to look at the spot from which the reports had come a tail, muscular young man staggared toward a faise, made a clutch for the palings, and minsing them, fell to the ground with a moan. As he fell, another man who had been within a few feet of him walked rapidly down the avenue and disappeared in a side street, unhindered, although fully fifty people stood almost within as many feet of the place. An old man ran from the opposite corner, and raising the head of the dying man, asked his name. A few mumbled words came from between the lips, which then closed—the man was dead.

The whole some had compled hardly a minute, yet when the dead man's head dropped to the ground a crowd of 200 people had gathered. Windows in many houses in the block were opened and for a few moments the allence was unbroken save for the sounds of people running toward the scene. A Derby hat nearly new lay at the head of the stretcher. The coal, wainteest, trousers and white shirt were all of good material, but under the cost was a light blue check "jumper" such as are worn by laborers. There was nothing in the pockets that would lead to the identity of the man except two fine lines handkerchiefs marked with an embroidered letter "N." The dead man was five feet ten inches in height and looked like a fivede or a German. Near where the hody fell lay a thirty-eight callbre British "bull-dog" revolver with two chambers empty.

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The man who had been the first to reach the scene told of the man he had seen walking away from the place. He had been standing on the opposite corner when he heard the first shot, and before he could turn the second was fired. Then one of the two men walked away, while the other staggered and fell as described. He could not catch what the dying man had said.

A Farmers' Institute at Oxford.

A farmers' Institute is in session in Oxford. Ex-County Commissioner Joseph T. Reynolds is president of the convention and Isaac Richards, Albert B. Worth, Joseph Stubbs, Septimus E. Nevin, Bordley S. Patterson are the vice presidents; T. K. Stubbs and D. E. Brinton secretaries. Hon. Theodore K. Stubbs, of Oxford, made the address of welcome.

"Seeding and Harvesting" was the subject of an essay read by Samuel H. Broomall, of Upper Oxford. Forest Preston, of Spruce Grove, read a paper on, "Successin Cattle Feeding," This subject was discussed by Rev. C. W. Stawart, D. D., S. H. Broomall, Isaac Richards, A. B. Worth, J. T. Reynolds, Caleb Brintou, L. K. Brows, Job Pugh and D. F. Magce. Samuel R. Downing, of West Chester, a member of the State Board, read an essay on "Macadamized Roads, a Means of Decreasing Taxation and Increasing Farm Values." Dr. E. T. Jeffers, of Lincoln University, spoke on "Brains vs. Musele in Road Making." D. H. Hranson, of Atgler, read a paper on "Roads," by Col. James Young, of Middletown, Pa. The road question was discussed by Joshua Jefferis, Hon. J. W. Hickman, D. F. Magee, S. R. Downing, Mrs. S. A. Hambleton, of Goshen, read an essay on "Country vs. City Life." Hon. J. W. Hickman spoke on "Fruit Culture as a New Industry in Chester County." This subject was discussed by D. H. Branson, Joshua Jefferia, D. F. Magee.

In the evening Dr. Henry Letfman, food inspector to'the State Board of Agriculture, lectured on "The Chemistry of other Worlds."

Eloped With a Chinaman's Wife. wife of Min Foam, a prosperous merchant, with Thomas H. Slaton, aged 15 years. Sin Foam is quite an Americanized young man. He married a Boston girl, and supplied her with everything that money could buy.

Master Seaton lives with his mother and

Master Seaton lives with his mother and stepfather on Harrison avenue, and up to last evening worked at cigar making. He and Mrs. Sin Foam often met. She came so often to Seaton's home to see him that the young man's mother finally ordered her out of the house.

On Thursday the couple disappeared from their respectives homes, and in the evening they left for New York by the Providence route. The young man's mother made a complaint at police headquarters, and a telegram was sent to inspector Byrnes at New York to detain the young man when he arrived in that city. Sin Foam started after his "Melican" wife in a later train.

Dr. Kniffin and Miss Purcell Free Dr. Kniffin and Miss Purcell Free.
The grand jury in Trenton, after considering the evidence in the mysterious Kniffin murder case, reported to Justica Besaley, of the Mercer county court, on Thursday. They found no bill against Dr. Kniffin nor Miss Purcell, who were charged by Detective Pilger with the murder. Lawyer Barton moved for the discharge of the bondsmen. Prosecutor Stockton consented to the discharge of the sureties on Dr. Kniffin's bond, but not those on Miss Purcell's bond. He gave no reason for holding them except that something might ing them except that something might

Justice Beasley said that both the accused were free, because the grand jury and the coroner's jury, after due deliberation, could see no evidence on which to hold them. The order for the release of the bondsmen

### Death of Joel Kauffman.

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From the Ephrata Review.

Joel Kauffman died at his residence near Churchtown, this county, on Sunday last, at the advanced age of 86 years. A poplexy was the cause of his death, he having been a sufferer therefrom since last summer. The deceased was a respected citizen and a wealthy landowner, having a large farm comprising 275 acres of land. Three sons and one daughter survive. The deceased was an uncle to Mrs. H. C. Gemperling, of this place, and a brother to Mrs. Barbara Zook, who died at the latter's residence here some years ago at the advanced age of here some years ago at the advanced age of 92 years. The funeral took place on Wed-nesday, interment being made at the Amish burying ground near Morgantown.

Miss Hattie Hind, a member of the choir at Rev. D. I. Moody's church, Chicago, was shot twice Wednesday night by Robert Henderson, a member of the Mordy congregation. Henderson immediately placed the pistol to his right ear and inflicted a fatal wound. Miss Hind may recover. The tracic affair took place in Hen flicted a fatal wound. Miss Hind may re-cover. The tragic affair took place in Hen-derson's apartments. Henderson is a mar-ried man, his wife and children residing near Niagars Falls, N. Y. It is understood that Henderson was intending to procure a divorce and marry Miss Hind. Both he and she are English, but have lived in America some years. America some years.

Four Born at One Time

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A great deal of interest centres in the Newton family of Everson, a subarb of Scottdale, since Mrs. Newton gave birth to four children on Thursday morning, and visitors to their comfortable home have been numerous all day, each visitor leaving them anywhere from 25 cents to \$5. The attending physician, fearing that the excitement might interfere with the favorable condition of Mrs. Newton and the children, forbid entrance to visitors and later in the forbid entrance to visitors and later in the day many people were turned away.

A Former Lancastrian Hurt.

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From the Lebanon News.
General Passenger and Freight Agent
H. A. Gross, of the Cornwall & Lebanon
road, is building a residence on East Cumberland street, and while in the building inspecting work he undertook to walk zeross
the joists, when the board tripped, and he
fell with some force against the radiator,
injuring his forehead above the right eye.

To Wed Miss Nellie Hurst Steelton Corr. Harrisburg Call. C. K. Dean, of Lincoln street, left for Philadelphia last night, where he will wed Miss Nellie Hurst, of Gap, Lancaster county, a popular schoolmistress in the schools of Lancaster county.

## THE LINCOLN BANK TROUBLE WEATINGS TO BE CONTINUED FOR TWO

WEERS AND THE BAIL TO BE RENEWED.

oner Kennedy Goes to Ephrata to Meet the Bondsmen-The Accused May Waive an Examination.

This afternoon at 1 o'clock was the time designed by United States Commissioner Kennedy for the hearing of Cashier Bard and F. W. Hull for offenses against the laws governing national banks. Hull did not appear. Bard appeared with his counsel, B. C. Kready and Brown & Hensel. counsel, B. C. Kready and Brown & Hensel.
The testimony of President Nissley, to
prove that Bard was the cashier of the
Lincoln bank, was heard and further testimony was postponed for two weeks.
Hull did not come to Lancaster because
he understood that the hearing would be
postponed.

Commissioner Kennedy and Marshal
Walf want to Enhants on this afternoon's

Wolf went to Ephrata on this afternoon's train and there Hull and Bard will renew their bail in the sum of \$10,000 for their ap-

pearance at that time.
The hearing may be waived in the mean-time; and if so, these parties will enter bail for trial at the next term of the United

There was placed on record this afternoon a deed transferring to J. L. Steinmets two tracts of land in Ephratal township. The deed is dated February 1, and is signed by Hull and his wife, for \$1,000 consideration. One of the tracts contains 35 perches, and the second 20 2-10 perches. CUT HEAD AND ARMS OFF.

An Infurlated Mob Mutilates the Mur-

An Infuriated Mob Mutiliates the Murderer of a Woman With an Axe.

Ada Goss, the daughter of H. C. Goss, a highly respected citizen of Crawfordsville, Ark, was found dead near her parents residence, on Monday, with her body full of buckshot, and a short distance further on the decapitated remains of George Corvett, employed as a laborer by Mr. Goss, were discovered.

The particulars of the tragely were learned later from the brother-in-law of the murdered girl.

The young lady was missed during the night and a thorough search was made, but without success until daylight, when her mutilisted corpse was found about three hundred yards from the house. She had been assaulted and then murdered. Her face had been hacked with a batchet in a terrible manner and she had also been shot through the body.

The whole neighborhood soon gathered to view the ghastly sight, and search for the murderer began at once. Suspicion pointed to Corvett, who had been around the house the night before in an intoxicated condition. From his wife it was learned that he came home early in the morning drunk and informed her that he had murdered Miss Goss, at the same time threatening to kill her if she did not keep his secret.

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Without waiting for the slow process of the law the infuriated people took Corvett to the scene of the murder and with an axe cut off his arms and legs and severed the head from the body.

When Miss Goss' brother-in-law arrived the mob was premaring to cremate Corvett's

PHILADELPHIA IMPORTERS TALK.

An Earnest Appeal Against the Passage of the McKinley Customs Bills. Importers of Philadelphia in full num-bers attended a called meeting in the Board of Trade rooms to protest against the McKinley administration customs bill. Mr.
J. Henry Magee presided and in his opening address said that the bill was intended by its author to simplify the
tariff laws, whereas in one sense it almost
completely revolutionized the present tariff.
It cut into the faces of all those engaged in
the importing business, a flagrant and distinctly implied smault. It deprives them
of the right of trial by jury and relegates
the power of the jury into the hands
of men appointed by partisan influence to represent the government. "His
proposed appraisers' committee," said
one of the speakers, "is under the
direct control of a department that may
change as politics may shift in this country,
therefore it can never be impartial. The
act is, in fact, one that seeks to impose a
very large increase of duties. The bill is
fall of vague language that will give rise to
endless litigation."

Resolutions were adopted strongly protesting against the bill and requesting the
senators from Pennsylvania to oppose its
passage and providing for the appointment
of a committee of three, also a committee to
with importers and merchants in other
cities, for united action in opposition to the
McKinley bill.

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Alleged Negligence of the Company.

The coroner's jury, in the case of seven men killed by an explosion of gas in the Nottingham colliery, at Plymouth, Pa., on the 1st lnst., rendered a verdict on Thursday. They declare that the Lehigh and Wilkesbarre coal company was guilty of negligence in not having the colliery properly inspected by the fire bosses before the men went to work on the morning of the explosion. One of the provisions of the mine law is, that every part of a colliery in which men are to work must be visited by the fire bosses and ascertained to be safe before the men go to work in the morning. It is expected that relatives of the victims will sue the company for damages.

The Ball Increased. Daniel Horst has been prosecuted before Justice Seltzer, of Ephrata, for the larceny of tobacco valued at \$1,000, the property of McKee & Co., of Stevens. The justice fixed the bail at \$300, and on an application to the court to-day it was increased to \$800. Mr. Horst entered bail in the required sum for his appearance at the April

Evidence has just come to light showing that the shooting of Michael Bordner by a man namedStochick while at target practice man handstocking while at target practice near Snow Shoe on the 23d of January last, and which at that time was believed to be an accident, was a deliberate murder for the purpose of robbery and that Stochick secured over a hundred dollars belonging to Bordner.

Stochick disappeared and the authorities have not been able to locate him.

Accident to Rev. Geo. McCloud.

H. F. McCloud received a letter fron his brother, Rev. George McCloud, of Akron, this county, stating that while pruning apple trees in his orchard a limb on which he was standing gave way, precipitating him to the ground, fracturing one of his legs.

They Intend to Remain Away Six Democratic members of the Montana Legislature—Joseph A. Baker, John Hen-nessy, William Thornton, W. S. Becker, S. G. Reed and William Parberry—are in Portland, Oregon. Senator Baker says they will remain outside Montana until the Legislature adjourns sine die.

A Surprise Party. A surprise party was given last evening for Frank H. Cormeny, at his home, 530 South Queen street, it being his fourteenth were indulged in, and refreshments were served at a reasonable hour. About fif-teen couples were present. It was a very

A Printer Injured. Albert Hoffman, a young man who is an apprentice in the job printing office of William A. Halbach, on East King street, was severely injured yesterday. He was engaged oiling a press when he had his arm caught in a fly wheel and hadly fractured. Dr. M. L. Davis attended him.

AN OLD POLKS CONCERT By the Choral Society of Christ's Luth-eran Church to a Large Audience. There was a large and highly pleased audience in the court house last evening,

audience in the court house last evening, when an old folks concert was given by the choir of Christ Lutheran church. Those who took part in the concert did their best. All the members were roundly splauded, as they greatly pleased. There was a great deal of vocal music and the principal instrumental music was furnished by the orchestra of the Young Men's Democratic club. The programme in full, as it was printed, was as follows:

YM PARTS FYRSTR.

Duryings ye arryval of ye Oldde Folks ye orchestrave will play ye "Vyce Admyral March," (Millocker.)

"Songs of ye Oldde Folkes," Alle Togetherre.

"Ye Chivalrye of Labour," by ye Eyght Menne.

Hymna Tourne "Mt. Sign." Alle Togetherre.

Menne. Hymne Teune—"Mt. Sion," Alle To-

getherre.

A Worldlye Song—"Ye Cows are in ye Corne," Clara Krauskop.
"Ye Rainye Day," by ye Elght Ladyes and Menne.

Hymn Teune—"Blessynge," Alle Togethers getherre.
Ollie Stoner will saye "Kydnapped in Mercye,"

Ye Orchestra will playe ye "Topay Turvy Overture," (Bottger.) Worldye Songe, "When ye Mornynge Sweetlye Breakynge," Alle Togetherre. Worldly Ditty..." Bring Me a Vlolette," Ada Huber. "Ye Bolde Fishermanne," by ye Eyght

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Hunter, of Philadelphia, will synge "Way Down in ye Deep Myne."
"Ye Lord is Greate," Alle Togetherre. Ditty—"A Losfe from ye Spraye," Laura Huber.
Ye Whystlynge Farmer Boy," by ye Eyght Menne.

YE PART THYED. Ye Orchestraye will playe ye "Playmatos Waltz." (Bucalossi.) "Jane Conquest" will be said by Carrie

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Maurer.

Hymn Teune- "Jerusalem," Alle togetherre.

Two-parte Song—"Matrymonyale Jars."
Clara Krauskop and George Ackerman.

"Ye Lulabye of Lyfe," By ye Eyght
Ladyes and Menne,

"Ye Dearest Spotte." Alle Tegetherre.

"Ye Medlyo." By ye Eyght Menne,

"Ye Manlac" will be said by Ollie
Stoner

Stoner
"Consin Jedediah." Alle Togetherre.
Ye Orchestraye will playe ye "Bridal
Rose Overture." (Lavalle.)
By ye Orchestraye is meant ye players on
instruments of ye Xounge Menne's Demo-

cratic Assocyation.
Ye syght menne are William Powell,
George Ackerman, Abram Adams, Luther
Reed, George Anne, Harry Evans, William Adams and Frederick Hoim. Ye eyght ladyes and menne are Clara Krauskop, Ada Huber, Mra Jacob Sener, Bertha Kautz, William Powell, George Ackerman, William Adams and George

Miss Laura Maurice, of Philadelphia played the accompaniment for Mr. Wil-liam Hunter's selection.

A STONE ON THE TRACK. Atlantic Express Strikes It Near Eliza-bethtown-The Engineer's Timely

Discovery.

This morning Atlantic Express, which is due here at 11:30, made a narrow escape from a terrible accident at the old tunnel cut just east of Elizabethtown station. As the train was nearing this point a stone, which weighed at least 500 pounds, rolled down the embankment and landed on the track. The man in charge of the engine, which was No. 1,005, saw the stone fall and he attempted to stop the engine entirely, but could not do so, as the distance was too short. The train had slackened up, lowever, when it struck the stone, and the pilot was somewhat damaged. The train was then stopped and the stone was rolled away from the track in order that it would not damage the cars of the train. The pas sengers who were on the train did no know the cause of the trouble until some time afterwards. The escape was a close one. The place seems to be dangerous, and several accidents of this kind occurred there within the past few years.

G. C. Kennedy and Eugene G. Smith, for Howard & Heriey, lumber dealers of Wil-liamsport, entered suit against the Lititz National bank. It is claimed that the plaintiffs sent for collection to the Lititz bank a draft for \$800 against Buch Brothers, who failed some time ago. The allegation is that instead of making any effort to collect the draft the bank entered up a judg ment it held when the draft was received and issued execution. In consequ their negligence to collect the draft the plaintiffs, it is claimed, lost the amount of

This morning the last stone was laid or the new Trust building, on North Queen street, by Mr. Gruger, assisted by M. F. Sides, the setter. It is by far the most beautiful edifice in the city. It is five stories high, and has been in course of erection for some months. The great delay was caused by failure to turn out the stones from the quarries in time. Great progress has been made during the past few weeks. When the last stone was put on the very top peak this morning a small national flag was placed upon it and it is waving in the breeze to-day. The tile roofing and the front of the building will be finished shortly.

Chosen By the Trust Company Directors At a meeting of the board of directors of the Lancaster Trust company, held Monday, D. B. Shenk was elected a clerk, and Redmond Conyngham notary public the institution. The messenger will be Levius Heiss, who is now a member of Mayor Edgerley's police force.

The Court Will Review It.
Jacob Zortman, of the depot restaurant who was directed to pay a fine and costs, for selling cigars on Sunday, upon the prosecution of the Law and Order society, will have the case reviewed by the court of common pleas. His counsel, John E. Ma lone, esq., has taken out a writ of certio-rari. It will be argued at the March term of the adjourned court.

A Deputy Marshal Killed. WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.-Attorney General Miller to-day received the following telegram from Marshal Mizell, at Jack-

W. B. Sanders, one of my bravest and most efficient deputies, was brutally assas sinated at Quincy, Gadsden county, yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock, where he had gone with myself and other deputies on official business."

Referred to the City Solicitor.
PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 14.—The railroad ommittee of councils to-day disposed of the Belt Line railroad ordinance by referr ing the whole subject to the city solicitor to prepare a plan jointly with the counsel of the Belt Line company by which the paper guarantees will be made so that the city

A Bank Robbed of \$40,000. Sr. Louis, Feb. 11.—A very brief report says that the First National bank at Salem, Ills., was robbed of \$40,000 this morning

can legally grant the privileges desired.

Death Of the Earl of Sydney. LONDON, Feb. 14. - Earl of Sydney

# A TERRIBLE RIOT.

# SEVERAL MEN PATALLY INJURED IN A T

An Election Pollowed By a.B. tween a Hundred Persons &

With All Kinds of Wong

Wichita, Kansas, Feb. 14.—Information been received here of a terrible yesterday at the town of Harper, are miles southwest of here, in which a dred men or more fought with guns, is and clubs, and when the battle ended men had received their death wounds several others so badly wounded the covery is doubtful. The trouble grew an election on Wednesday on the pation to issue \$10,000 in bonds to their death of the covery is doubtful. The project we terly resisted by many of the leading sens and as bitterly advocated by The company desired to run if through Harper if the bonds convoted, and it is said had sent a large of graders and other employes to E on election day to help carry the through.

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Many stormy scenes were witness the polis, but there was no rioting. It is polis closed it was believed the bonds had carried. The ballots were all counted and during the night the boxes were stolen. This created gree citement and the railroad crowd in number of arrests made of persons pected of stealing the boxes. An was made to arrest Tom Sabin, a cow He resisted and his friends joining, a He resisted and his friends joi dred men in a few minutes

Tom Sabin has died from his v John Talford, a merchant, was most wounded; Robert C. Thomas is probatally injured, Thomas Clancy had act cut off; and unknown man was out in abdomen so that his bowds people dead he will likely the. Six of eight others ceived frightful cuts and gunshot won

Meat of Gov. Larrabee's Means Views On Prohibition.
DES MOINES, Iowa, Feb. 14.—Gov rabee's means is a very lengthy ment. It touches upon almost ever ject of interest to the state. He was adoption of the Australian ballot and that women be permitted to municipal elections. He deals at length with the tellroad question; the adoption of appliances to minim danger to employed in making up etc., and that no more trains be a sunday than are absolutely meets. Railroads should give more attention improvement of their property, as be compelled to do away with wooden bridges. Railroad trusts a combinations are condemned. The says, cannot tolerate usurps power, nor conspiracy on the parcreatures. The practice among officials of accepting passes is the condemned.

length on the question of does not believe that a hi "respectable" saloon in existent over be anotioned by the people. The "gilded saloon" he consider more dangerous than the "squal lawed whick y dive."

A Big Machine From a Small To-Hamilton, Ohio, Feb. 14.—The tool works of Hamilton have finished are now loading an immense a plate bending roll that is to be plate bending roll that is to be to the navy yard at Mare Island San Francisco. The tremendous mash weighs in round numbers four hunder thousand pounds and the freight will something over \$10,000. The Cincinna Hamilton & Dayton has had a number appecial flat cars built for the transportation of the load and the whole train will be a through to the coast as a special. It is the largest single shipment and finest masks that ever left Hamilton, a town where som magnificent machinery is built.

Disposed of Three Contested Ricotte
Washington, Feb. 14.—House committee on elections at its meeting to-day
posed of three of the contested elections at the contested elections and the committee instructed Representate Houk to make a report recommending The committee instructed Representative Houk to make a report recommending the seating of Featherstone, the Republic contestant for the seat of Cate, in the Francisco district, and of Mindd, Manual Compton, in the Fifth Maryland district. By unanimous vote it was decided to recommend that Clarke, Democratic sitting member from the First Albama district, be allowed to keep his get The committee was of the opinion that Threet, the contestant, had not made on his case, although the majority thought the he had shown that the election was not contirely without fraud.

## A SAD ACCIDENT.

Bride, Bridegroom and Ten Others Drown. Paris, Feb. 14.-A sud socident pened to a wedding party at Pentivy ye terday. The vehicle conveying the bri-and bridegroom and a number of the friends was upset and the whole | were precipitated into the river. bride and bridegroom and ten others

Water and Molten Iron Don't Mix.
Pirrsnung, Feb. 14.—An accident the might have resulted in several fatalities occurred at the forge of the Edgar Thomson steel works, yesterday, at Bradded.
Pa. Some cold water ran into the ladie of molten metal, badly scalding Samus Evans and John Swanson, workmen coployed in the forge, and a boy name Howard Wallace. William Lindsey, an other workman, was probably fatally injured by the explosion.

jured by the explosion. They Were Banquetted,
PARIS, Feb. 14.—Vice Admiral Berg
du Petit-Thovars, commander of
Fifth Maritime Arrondissement, gas
banquet to the officers of the Amer squadron of evolution aboard his flagsh Villefranche, last night. The civil and itary authorities of Villefranche and

Lenient Toward Mouses Bey.
Constantinople, Feb. 14.—The peutor has decided that in the trie Mouses Bey he will not proceed as him on the principal counts of the inment, and will cancel the charges of and pillage, presecuting him only to minor offenses alleged in the indicator. The Americans are incensed at the patititude of the patriarch in the matter, demand that he resign.

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WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 14.
Eastern Pennsylvania: Heavy
southerly to westerly winds, a