# The Lancaster

# LANCASTER, PA., MONDAY, MARCH 3, 15, 35

ODD FEDLOWS HEAR A SERMON. CRIMINAL COURT.

Bov. Weidenhammer Presches in Elise-bethiown-Personal and Other Notes. ELISA SETTOWN, March 3.—The funeral of Mrs. Gips took place from her daughter's residence on Wednesday morning. Ser-vices were held in Christ Reformed church. The interment was made in Mi. Tunnel FIFTY-NINE CARES BEMAINING FROM THE

Genetery. Geo. B. Gish, of Harrisburg, was on a visit to his parents in this place. Rev. F. Y. Weidenhammer, of Steelton, presched to the Odd Fellows of this place yesterday morning. He also occupied the pulpit of the Beihel church in the evening. A congregational meeting will be held in the Lutheran church next Monday after-noon, for the purpose of electing a pestor. Missee Salite and Edna Heilig, of ML. Joy, were visiting relatives and friends in town. Among the important cases are S. M. Paschall et.al. of the Columbia Daily News, and Chas. S. Yeager et. al. of the Ephrata Review, for libel; John Conners, robbery ; Samuel Green, jr., rape. The first case called was John Arndt,

The Gleaner Society of the Bethel church

Vill meet to-morrow evening to elect offi-cers for the year. John Rider, of Akron, Ohio, will open a tailor shop in Mrs. Breneman's building. Wm. Nauman, the well known black-smith of this place, will move to Aberdeen in the anting. in the spring. Mr. and Mrs. Martin Millelson ar

The first case called was John Arndt, larceny. The prosecutor was Ephraim C. Hubley, of Rapho township, and scoord-ing to his statement there was an unsettled account between him and the defendant. A settlement was made and Arndt picked up 87 from a table, claimed it as his property and went off with it. The court directed a verdict of not guilty to be entered, as it was not a case of larcony. John Conners was put on trial for carry-ing concealed deadly weapons, felonious assault and battery and robbery. Abraham Breitegan appeared as the prosecutor. His testimony was that on the night of Novem-ber 23 three men came to J. F. Sheaffer's distillery, of which he had charge, and asid they wanted to buy some whisky. While he was in a stooping position one of the Mr. and Mrs. Martin Millelson and daughter, of Mechaniceburg, Cumberland county, are visiting Mrs. M's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fistcher. The regular meeting of the Educational society of the Lutheran church has been postponed until Wednesday evening. Hiram Shearer will engage in the pro-

H. C. Lewis, cashier of the Wrightsville

National bank, wife and daughter, were

National bank, wife and daughter, were visiting their parents in town. The Old Brethrens' protracted meetings are being attended nightly by large con-gregations. The meetings are conducted by Rev. Flory, of Virginia. F. W. Miller has purchased the building on West High street, formerly used as the tannery, from Forney, Hoffman & Co. He will tarn it into a furniture factory.

will turn it into a furniture factory. Dr. H. K. Blough has his card out candidate for assembly.

#### THE PRISON INSPECTORS.

They Refnee to Pay an Officer for Sun-day Service. This morning the board of prison in-spectors held their regular monthly meet-ing, and all of the members were present. A bill of \$131.48 was presented for Sun-day services during 1888, 1889 and 1890, by A. M. Caldwell, assistant underkeeper. Mr. Caldwell says that he was elected to serve air days of sech wash, but was serve six days of each week, but was obliged to be on duty every alternate Sun-day. For this work he was not paid and he now asks that the inspectors settle. The board refused to pay the bill, and Mr. Caldwell says that he will at once bring uit against them.

The president was instructed to inquire as to the cost of a regular watchman alarm

and report at the next meeting. The resignation of Christian L. Eby, who has been baker at the prison for sev-eral years, was received and accepted by the board. Mr. hby intends returning to Mt. Joy to go into the baking business. A committee was appointed to ascertain whether the baker at the almahouse cannot be secured to act in the same capacity at the prison also, and what salary he would

The solicitor was instructed to advertise for proposals for the furnishing of beef and coffee to the prison for one year from April 1st.

List of Unclaimed Letters.

List of letters advertised at the postoffice

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Intelligender

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Church Affairs and Conference Records Committees Report.

SHAMONIN, March 3.—At this morning's session of the Evangelical conference, Bishop Esher presiding, the committee on quarterly conference records reported dis-creancies in the records. The report of the visiting committee to the Schwylkill seminary was adopted. The report of the treasurer of the Schwyl-kill seminary was as follows : Balance thyl-kill seminary was as follows : Balance to the treasury June 24,1888, \$1,680.48; receipts during the year, \$0,838.28 ; expenses \$0,337,-the committee on church affairs re-ported building missions in Allentown, Wetherly, Potatown and Philadelphia. The bishop granted license to preach to the following applicants : S. P. Extense, H. H. Smith, J. E. Steele, H. D. Kreider, Schlegel, H. F. Fredericka. THE BIBEOTS INTERPEED.

notified the pastor of the society of which E. B. Esher is a member, that he must ignore your action altogether upon the ground of its illegality, and continue said E. B. Esher a member in all respects the same as if no action had been taken by by you. "

#### Plasterers to Work Eight Hours.

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Massilon, Ohio, Mar. 3.-A disastrous wreck occurred on the Fort Wayne road at Lakeville, west of this city, about 1 o'clock

### PRICE TWO CENTS.

## NAMED A STATE TICKET.

Maryland, died at the same of any same taken a second of him until nine o'clock Sunday morning, when he was carried into the Penn-aturday morning, when he was carried into the Penn-sylvania hospilal.

WASHINGTON, March 2.-In the to-day Mr. Voorbess offered a and concurrent resolution restin the recent lease of the fur seal is and concurrent resolution re the recent issue of the fur a Alasks to the North Americ company, certain provisions not complied with and direct tary of the treasury to f Senate complete copies for the lease with all papers, all testimony, men ments, letters and correspon holders, and that the secret secuting or delivering the 1 North American Commercial until the subject be inquired Senate. He saked to have the referred to the finance commit committee meets to-merrow, a ordered.

Beventh Day Baptists WASHINGTON, March &-to-day Mr. O'Donnell, of M request of the Seventh Day the United States, prosented ing 255,000 names, protect passage of any bill in regard ance of the Sabbah.

#### RIOTS IN GERMAN

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BERLEY, Mar. L. robes. The man was evidently about thirty-five years, finely formed, and there was noth-ing except the contusions found on the body to indicate that he had not been a per-fectly healthy man. A post-mortem ex-amination of the body will be made. ceived from all district ballots for members of held, with the exception turns, together with th in which elections coord show the election of 2 Centre party, 74 Gen Democrats, 85 Conserv Liberals, 18 Imperials ANOTHER BIG WRECK. A Freight Car Dragged For Over a Mile While Off the Track. On Saturday night another freight wreck occurred on the Pennaylvania railroad. It was about ten o'clock when the dead-wood of a car in a train drawn by engine 1,243, western bound, dropped down at Lan-dis' warehouse, a mile cast of the Big Conestogs bridge. This threw five cars from the track. The train was run-ning very fast at the time and it broke in two. Four of the cars that had jumped the rails were left behind, but the fifth was at-tached to the train. It was dragged along until the engine reached the Conestoga tower, over a mile from the place where Annocrata, in pertain Libersia, 18 Juspertain When the result of samed at Dor d in a riot. T tempted to disperse stoned. The police there with drawn swords orowd. Thirty of the ri-Election riots have al-berg. The rioters was with drawn swords. arrested.

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#### A Methodist ing, March 15. The programme will con-KRITRABURO, IIL.

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he was in a stooping position one of the men knocked him down, by striking him on the head with a blunt instrument and while he was insensible the till was robbe of over \$16. Several men were arrested for the offense and among them Conners. Breitegan was not fully able to identify Conners at the January sessions, and the grand jury ignored the bill. During the trial of Holmes, one of his assailants, Breitegan got a full view of Conners, and

was convinced beyond a doubt that he was the man that struck and knocked him senseless, and he caused his re-arrest. When on the stand to-day Breitegan post

JANUARY QUARTER BEESIONS.

An adjourned term of the January quar-ter semions court was opened at 10 o'clock this morning, with Judge Patterson pre-

There are on the list for trial 50 cases

tively identified the prisoner as one of the three men who assaulted and robbed him. Other witnesses called by the commonwealth identified Conners as a man they had seen in the vicinity of the distillery shortly before the robbery was committed. Conners was the only witness for the de-fense. He alleged that he was not in the

fonse. He alleged that he was not in the city of Lancaster on the afternoon or even-ing of the robbery. He claimed to have been with Holmes and a gang of tramps around a fire, three miles east of the city, all that afternoon and evening. His testi-mony was substantially the same as that in the Holmes case, but the jury then did not take much stock in the story, as Holmes was convicted and sentenced. Jury out. CUBRENT BUSINESS.

CURRENT BUSINESS. The tavern license of Elizabeth Harnish deceased, Drumore, was transferred to Henry Harnish.

On motion of G. C. Kennedy the cour granted a detective's license to Edward Barnhold. The petition for the appoint-ment was signed by many members of the

bar and prominent citizens. Peter M. Sensenig, of East Earl, was ap-pointed guardian of the children of John J. Stauffer, who are interested in the estate of Joseph Stauffer, deceased, late of

East Earl township. N. B. Ferguson, of Colerain township was appointed guardian of the minor child of Elizabeth Roop, in place of A. F. In the desertion case against Fred Merz. jr., two rules were granted. One was to show cause why the order of maintenance should not be stricken off, and the second

increased from \$1.25 to \$2 per week.

# lifted yesterday morning in the Methodist church : \$454, or an increase of about \$16 over last year, was collected. A BANK ROBBER CAUGHT.

A Description of the Building, Which Is lous and Handsomely Furshed - A Well-Filled Library.

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COOKMAN CHAPEL.

THE NEW EDIFICE FOR THE METHODIST

SCHOOL OCCUPIED ON SUNDAY.

CoLUMNIA, Mar. 3.—The new Cookman obspel of the Methodist Episcopal church was opened yesterday afternoon with ap-propriste exercises. The chapel was filled and many persons stood throughout the exercises. The Sunday school has, through the courtesy of the school board, been hold-ing its sessions in the grammar school each Sunday, and during the proceedings yes-terday a rising vote of thanks was given the school board for the favor thus granted. The original Cookman chapel was built in 1870, in memory of the late Rev. Alfred C. Cookman, a prominent Methodist divins. Cookman, a prominent Methodist divine. This building was sold last year to the school district and transformed into a

The new building is located on the cor-ner of Chestnut and Sixth streets. It has a ner of Chestnut and Sixth streets. It has a frontage of 70 fest on Chestnut street and a depth of 35 fest on Sixth street. The main room is 52x33 fest; the infant department, in the rear, is 16x22 fest, and the library is 13x16 fest. The building is of brick and state. The sides are pierced each with six large windows of cathedral glass from Marshall & Brothers, of Pittsburg. In the rear, first floor, are four cathedral glass windows and on the second floor there are two windows of the same glass. In the west end are three massive windows of cathedral glass reaching from the top of cathedral glass reaching from the top of the wainscoting to ceiling. The main au-dience room is one story : the rear two stories. The library is perfect in its arrangement and contains nearly one thou-sand volumes. The interior appointments are of modern pattern and the wood work of yellow pine; wainscoting of this material encircles the room. The infant school is divided from the main room by sliding partitions of stained and ground glass and wood. The seating con-sists of individual chairs, and a tapestry carpet of handsome design covers the floor. The entrances are from either end of the building on Chestnut street through double folding doors of yellow pine. While one can not dilate on the exterior beauties, the interior is one of the handsomest of any public building in the town and a credit to hose who erected it. The building was ed by Mr. Jere Koch, of Columbia, and the contractor was Mr. Samuel Daren, also of Columbia. The building committee was Mesers, S. S. Klair, J. R. Whitmer, S. H. Hoffman, A. Bruner and C. W. Steven-

#### THE EXERCISES.

The opening was of special interest, as coupled with it was the fact that it was the urteenth anniversary of the organization of the Cookman chapel Sunday school. The doxology, responsive readings, anthem by select choir with orchestral accompaniment, prayer, singing by the school and reading of the school journal constituted the opening service. Mr. J. W. F. Nowlen then addressed the audience. He briefly reviewed the history of the school, referred to those who had died before seeing the result of their prayers, gave personal reminiscences of his scholarship in the school and made striking reference to the Sunday school as the reserve force of the church. His theme was"God helps thosewho helps"themselves and demonstrated how the present work was the outgrowth of individual effort and God's assisting grace. After more singing the several officers of the school read interesting reports bearing largely on the finan cial, social and spiritual status of the school Rev. George Gaul, pastor of the M. E. church, then made a few happy remarks, into which he interjected some personal experiences of an entertaining and instruc tive nature. He referred to the building its beauties, it- comforts, and believed those entrusted with its erection has succeeded admirably in disbursing stead of searching out any disadvan-tages he hoped each would endeavor to adapt himself and herself to the place by consulting its comforts and fashioning themselves to its conveniences in the prosecution of their Sunday school work. While their bodily comforts had been consulted in the appointments he hoped they would look well after their spiritual com forts and soon outgrow their presen quarters.

Refused to Surronder and Is She Dead-The Stolen Money Found ditors, Accused of Libel, to be Tried. John Conners Identified as the Man Who Struck Abraham Breitegan.

He Refused to Surrender and Is Shot Dead-The Stolen Moncy Found Upon His Person. "The allok 'un." Telegraph Operator Taylor heard these words addressed to him by a stranger on Saturday night while he was receiving messages at the railway station at Meridan, Eas. He paid no at-tention to the remark small he had com-pleted a message to Valley Fall, which red as follows: "To the Enerit", Meridan, Kan. : Hicks & Gephart's bank robbed this evening of \$1,000; robber unknewn i de-erciption as follows: Blonds, light fair and moustache, blue eyes, five fast eleven inches tail, medium weight. SHERIT, The operator looked up and mearly lost his breath, when he as w standing before him the man described in the dispatch. He did not reveal the fact of the recogni-tion, but merely agreed with the stranger inquired the time of the next train for Atchison, and asked where he could put up for the night. The operator directed him to a hote, where the sman took a room without registering, requesting that he be origined as 5 o'clock in the. Local Police Officers Smith and Summer-

without registering, requesting that he be called at 5 o'clock in the morning, in time for the Atchison train. Local Police Officers Smith and Summer-field, who had also received instructions from Valley Fall to arrest any suspect, were informed by the operator of the presence of the stranger at the hotel. Arm-ing themselves with Winchester rifles they went to the hotel, waited under the "allek 'un's" window until 12 o'clock, and then going to the officer sequalisted the proprie-for with their intention of arresting his guest. A bell boy was sent to the stranger's room with a message that it was time to get up to each the Atchison train. When the stranger descended to the officers with Winchester rifles pointed squarely at his breast. He never quivered, but looked inquiringly around. "Throw up your hands," Officer Smith asid. The stranger seemed to realize his situation then, but instead of obeying he thrust a hand in either side pocket of his overcoat to draw the revolvers which only a faw hours before had intimidated Cashier Cohn, officers of any criminality in having caused the death of the bank robber, self-stranger fell dead, with one builet through his heart and another through the right ing. The coroner was notified, and before noon the verticer was made and the stolen may recovered. The boots was reduced outsaw s person had been made, but at Cashier Cohn's re-moner yecovered.

quest a search was made and the stolen money recovered. In his boots were found two packages of greenbacks of \$500 each. The balance of the money had been distributed among his various pockets. The outlaw was positively identified from a registered receipt dated at Burlington, Kansas, as one Robertson. The money receipted for had been psyable to one R. C. Smith, at Ottawa, Kansas. In Robertson's pocket was a watch with the initial "R." engraved upon it, and a foot rule bearing the same initial.

EASTERN PENITENTIARY BILL.

What it Cost to Maintain Lancaster County's 49 Convicts.

The county commissioners to day re-ceived the account of the county of Lancaster with the Eastern penitentiary for the maintenance of convicts kept there during 1980. The account shows that Lancaster county had in that year 42 convicta there, nearly all of whom were there the whole year. The cost to the county for maintenance of these convicts is 20} cents per day and the bill as rendered shows that cost of maintenance was \$2,538.52. As an offset to that the county is credited with

# the labor of the convicts amounting to Shenck, who declined the trust.

# EIGHT NEW MINISTERS.

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office of the botel by two men and placed in schar. He was then removed to the Penn-gravity and a how and along to the Penn-gravity and the refused to tell the doctor where he had been or what he had done. He admitted that he had received a hypo-dermite injection of morphine in the arm on a sturday night. The usual remodies for narcotic poison-ing was administered, when he appeared to revive. The doctor made a more careful example, when he found a similar merk on the abdomen near the umbilicus, which had evidently been made by a blow or fall, and an extended contunion of one arm. The man refused to tell where or how he as extended contunion of one arm. The man refused to tell where or how he man and could live but a short time, and pendent in to give a history of his injuries of altimes so that something could be done for him if possible. The only reply was: "I can't help it. I had a pain in my bomach, but I have not been fujured." Before he could be induced to sup anything more he became unconscious, and in a few in the head travelied extensively, both in has the head travelied extensively, both in has the head travelied extensively, both in has country and in Europe. Among his before how, all in the drees of the probability and in the drees of the proper of himself taken in his pricetive of himself taken in his pricetive. The man was evidently about thirty-five

THE BISHOPS INTERFERE.

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you by Mr. Thomas Bowman that the pro-ceedings upon the charges against E. B. Esher were not in accordance with di-rections of the discipline, and there-fore illegal, you nevertheless proceeded to investigate said charges and have sent notice of expulsion to the said E. B. Esher. You are hereby notified that we, the bishops of the Evangelical association, hereby de-clare the proceedings of the case null and yold, and hereby annul the same, having notified the pastor of the society of which

NEW YORK, March 3 .-- The journeymen plasterers of this city observed to day an one of rest and jublice to celebrate the consummation of an agreement by which they will commence on May 1 to work eight hours a day at the stipulated wages of 50 cents an hour, or \$4 per day. There have been frequent conferences between boss plasterers and Journeymen Flasterers'

plasterers and Journeymen Plasterers' Union and this morning the arrangement as given above was ratified. The agreement is to hold good for two years. The result is considered a most val-uable precedent in the contemplated move-ment of eight hours labor for all trades-

the accident occurred. A discovery of the condition of things was then made and the engine was stopped. How the car man-aged to remain in line after it had been run off the track is a mystery, and it is the greatest wonder that it did not fail into the

Three Trainmon Killed.

greatest wonder that it did not fall into the stream while crossing the big Conestogs bridge. The railroad men say that if the train had been going slower it would have caused much more trouble. Immediately after the socident the wrecking crews of Parkesburg and Colum-bia were sent for, and upon their arrival were put to work. The Western Express, which is due at 11:10, was delayed until 2:35, and the Pacific Express was also be-hind two hours. Freight trains both ways were held back.

# Blue shall Notes. The Cedar Grove No. 1 school will hold a grand entertainment on Saturing even-

Mr. C. E. Banks followed with a short and interesting talk, exhorting all to renewed energies in the work. Singing by the school, the doxology and benediction concluded the exercises.

Cookman Chapel Sunday school elected the following officers on Sunday afternoon : Superintendent, J. W. F. Nowlen ; assistant, Geo. A. Hill; secretary, John S D sen ; assistant, George Young ; treasurer, O. M. Hoffman, 1 b arian, I. E. Graybill; assistants, S. M. Stape, T. J. Wright, S. Hughes, C. C. McCullough, C. W. Johnston ; chorister, C. W. Stevenson ; assistant Mrs. A. D. McCauley ; organist, Mrs. T. J. Wright ; assistant, Miss Minnie Wright.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

The old council met at 10 a. m. in the council chamber. Present : Messrs. Bennett, Cramer, Forry, Gove, Jackson, Kinn Minich, Stevenson and Wilson. The financial statement was ordered to be published atter botough auditing, in two weekly

on motion of Mr. Wilson, a vote of thanks were extended to retiring President Stevenson for his impartial manner of presiding over the deliberations of the council A few remarks were made by Mr. Stevenson for courtesies extended to him.

James Bloomfield, the new chief burgess was sworn in by Notary Public F. P. D. Miller. The new councilmen, Frank H. Wilson and Albert Charles, were sworn into office by Chief Burgess Bloomfield. Burgess Bloomfield visited John Flem-ing, councilman-elect, and administered the oath of office.

The new council was called to order by S. A. Bockius. Members present : Messrs Bennett, Charles, Forry, Grove, Jackson, Kinn, Minich, Wilson. It was decided to meet for organization on Saturday night at 8 o'clock.

Mr. Kinn was elected temporary president and S. A. Bocklus temporary secretary.

Harry K. Ruby entertained a number of his friends at his home on Saturday nigh in honor of his 48th birthday.

S. B. Dunlap, foreman of the Frederick division wreck crew, left for Philadelphia to-day to become assistant to Chief Wrecker Shannon, of the P. R. R.

Squire Evans committed Horace Dick-son and Wm. Mitchell to jail this morning for five days for being drunk and disorderly.

Byers & Co. have secured property near Kauffman's quarries and along the Reading railroad for the purpose of storing their sawed lumber. Several million feet can be piled on these properties. The yards at the saw mill are crowded with lumber and additional ground had to be secured

for storage. John B. Williams, fireman on crew No. 47, of the P. R. R., had his head hurt this morning at Glen Loch by a tank lid falling on him. His injuries are not serious. The annual missionary collection was

1,413.11, leaving the county to pay \$1,125.41 a very small sum, considering, the number of men in that institution.

Those of the convicts who nearly earned their maintenance were: George Houck, \$63.15; John Frankford, \$60.60; Richard McNally, \$67.22; Ellwood Kurtz, \$60.60; Frank Boyd, \$63.37 ; Samuel Cruikshank, \$02.75, and Israel Northeimer, \$60.60. Abe Buzzard earned only \$36.38.

A great contrast to the penitentiary bill is that of the Huntingdon reformatory. That institution charges the county 55 cents per day, for the maintenance of prisoners. In 1889 Lancaster county had nine boys eight months; one, one month; one, six months; one, two months, and two, three months, and the bill against the county was \$1,445.95, with an offset of \$93.57 earned by the prisoners, leaving the county's bill \$1,352.38, or over two hundred dollars more han the cost of maintaining 42 prisoners in the Eastern penitentiary. The commissioners have not paid the

bill of the reformatory officers, and will not unless compelled, because they believe it to be exorbitant. They hold that the cost of maintenance should not be any more than at the Eastern penitentiary.

#### A MARCH BLIZZARD.

High Winds and Heavy Snow Along the Atlantic Coast.

Sunday's storm along the Atlantic coast was quite severe. Winds were high, blow-ing at some places more than forty miles an hour. The storm appears to have come in from the Atlantic, and, striking some of the sentered towns, named up through Naw in from the Atlantic, and, striking some of the seaboard towns, passed up through New England. It appeared to be central at Nantucket. Reports from the West showed fair and clear weather, although there were local snows in some sections, as in Erie, Pa.

Erie, Pa. Cnow began falling in Philadelphia at 5 p. m., and continued to midnight. There was five inches of snow through-out South Jersey. At Atlantic City sleighs were on the streets from morning until slabt

were on the streets from morning until night. It snowed all day at Fortress Monroe, Va., and for three hours at Charleston, S. C. Ice formed in Savannah, Ga., and vege-tation was killed. At St. Augustine, Fla., the weather was the coldest of the season. Great damage was done to truck farms. The prevailing cold snap has killed all the fruit and vegetables in the lower belt Guif states, and fully 5 per ceut. of the Louisians sugar crop is damaged. Reports from Northern Texas say that hundreds of range cattle have been frozen to death during the present cold spell, and that unless the weather moderates the loss of stock will be very severe.

#### Murder In Port Deposit.

Murder In Port Deposit. S.F.Craig shot and fatally wounded Thos. Warwick, In Port Deposit, Cecil county, Md., Sunday. Craig, who was lodged in jail in Ekton, stated that Warwick struck at him and was about to draw a knife, when he shot him with a single-barrelled gun which was at hand. Warwick struck and fall on Craig at the time the latter shot him. They fall on a bed, break-ing the bedstead. Craig is a machinist. He is married but does not live with his fam-ily, who reside in Baltimore. He gave himself up to the town balliff immediately after the shooting. Warwick's wound, which is in the abdomen, was dressed by Drs. Noble and Crothers. There is no hope of his recovery. his recovery.

Electric Wires Must Be Burled. An important bill has been introduced in the Ohio Senate. If requires that all electric light wires and electric cables shall be put under ground. It delegates to the board of public improvements and to com-mon councils the authority to admit to the municipality for the purpose of doing b ness corporations formed for the purpose constructing subways, laying pipes and operating conduits in which to place cables, wires and other conductors of electric cur-

A Thief With Nerve. On Saturday afternoon a thief went into the office of Alderman Hershey during the ab ence of the magistrate and stole a very good coat. There has been no trace of the thief, but it is thought that he was pretty nervy to steel from an alderman. A MISSIONARY MEETING.

was to show why the order should not be

Exercises Held in the Mt. Nebo M. I Church on Sunday.

A missionary jubilee was held at Mt Nebo M. E. church on Sunday evening and proved to be a grand success. The exercises consisted of regitations, readings, singing by the smaller children of the Sunday school and an address by the pastor, Rev. F. G. Coxson. The exercises throughou when intersported with excellent music by the choir of the church, of which Rev. F. G. Coxson is leader and Miss Ada Young organist. The amount contributed by the Sunday school during this conference year to the missionary cause is \$16.61 ; by the church, \$19.33; making a total of \$85.94 from Mt. Nebo church. Nearly all the schools of the township

will close this week or the beginning of next, and most of them will have an enter tainment on the last day of the term. There will be quite a number of change

in Mt. Nebo and vicinity in the spring. A number of persons intend moving to Columbia and Lancaster. The farmers have finished stripping to-

nacco, and some has sold at very prices.

ANOTHER DWELLING BURNED. John Hogg's House Catches Fire During

His Absonce and is Destroyed. The dwelling house of John Hogg, who resides about a half mile south of Kirkwood, was destroyed by fire between i and 4 o'clock on Sunday morning. Mr. Hogg and family were away at the time visiting friends near Quarryville. The fire was discovered by Isaac Dunn, a neighbor of Mr. Hogg. He ran to the house and jumping through a window succeeded in saving the

sewing machine and some other articles. The building was soon in ashes and all the furniture went with it. The building was frame and of two stories. It was insured, but the furniture was not. The fire is supposed to have originated from a stove.

#### Want Streets Opened.

All the appeals filed as to the assessment of damages caused by the proposed open ing of Dauphin and Green streets were withdrawn to-day.

Petitions numerously signed were presented asking that Dauphin street, between Lime and Ann streets, and Green street, between Freiberg and Ann streets, be

opened. The court took the papers. Christian B. Wolf, who filed an appeal from the assessment of damages caused by the proposed opening of Pine streets, withdrew his appeal to-day.

#### The Kennel Club.

The Lancaster Kennel club will be organ ized at the home of W. W. Grosh, near Neffsville, on Wednesday afternoon, instead of Thursday, as has been stated. The chase of a wild fox will follow immediately afterward.

A Lancaster Man's Loss. Harry C. Druckemiller, of this city, who a clerk for McManus & Reilly, contractors at Conewago, was quite a sufferer by the robbery of the commissary a few evenings ago. Among the things stolen were a brand new sult and an overcoat belonging to him.

Execution Issued. Execution was issued this morning by

E. M. Gilbert against James B. Davis, Salisbury township, for \$746.

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livery: Ladies' List-Mrs. Marion Darlington, Mrs. Henry Fry, Miss Anna E. Keim, Mrs. John McNamee, Miss Frances Plance, Miss Emily Reed, Mrs. Sarah C. Wyeth. Gent's List-W. J. Atkinson, J. C. Beam, Bampton W. Cock, George K. Herr, William H. Lilly, Frederick McCollough, Samuel L. McFetridge, Martin Milson, Christian Mumma, W. E. Murry, M. Notten Pobath, Max Rebstock (for), David Rebstock, Aaron Snyder, Leslis Waddell, Andy Waller.

Noten Foosta, Max Rebetock (for), David Rebetock, Aaron Snyder, Leslie Waddell, Andy Waller. Fourth Class Matter-Miss Anne Forniny (for), Mrs. Anna M. Smith, Frank Fisher, Wm. Wagenhald.

Brutally Assaulted His Housekeeper. George W. Rittenhouse, shoemaker, living on South Queen street, went home on Saturday night late very much under the influence of liquor. On Sunday he got up in a bad humor and quarreled with his housekeeper, who is his stepmother. The row ended in his throwing an iron last at her, which struck her in the head. Office Shortz, who lives near by, was attracted to the house by the cries of the woman and he arrested Rittenhouse. Complaint was made against him for felonious assault and battery and drunkenness and disorderly conduct and he was committed in default of ball for a hearing by Alderman Barr. The prosecution will probably be withdrawn and Mrs. Rittenhouse will no longer re-

Anniversary Address by W. J. Johnson. From the Reading Herald.

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main in his house in the capacity of house

St. Paul's Reformed church was filled to overflowing last night at the fifth anni-versary of the Young Men's association. The address of Rev. Warren Johnson, of Manheim, was considered one of the grandest pieces of orstory ever heard in that edifice, and every one present was highly elated at having been able to hear the masterly address. His theme was 'The secret of successful work among young men."

#### Given a Gold-Headed Cane.

J. Fred Lutz, who resides at 529 High street, was completely taken by surprise on Saturday, which was his sixty-second birthday. His children and grandchildren gathered at the house and gave him a party. His children presented him with an elegant gold-headed cane with his initials upon it. The grandchildren precented Mrs. Lutz with a number of handsome presents.

#### Before Alderman Hershey.

Edward Frankford, charged by John W. Bauer with assault and battery, had a hearing on Friday evening and the case was eturned to court.

Mrs. Nellie A. Bauer has prosecuted John W. Bauer for the larceny of a ring, and the latter has entered ball for a hearing.

#### Commissions of Justices

The justices of the peace who were elected on February 18 must under the law file a notice of their acceptance of the office within thirty days. The last day to do so is on March 20th, and those who fail to do so by that time will forfeit their commissions.

#### Its 47th Anniversary.

Esto Perpetus lodge of Odd Fellows on Sunday celebrated the 47th anniversary of the establishment of the order in this country. The lodge met in its quarters on North Prince street and marched to the Strawberry street church, where a sermon appropriate to the occasion was preached by Rev. Seth D. W. Smith.

#### Will Clerk on Railroad Work.

Harry H. Albright, ex-letter-carrier and one of the best known young men in Lancaster, left this morning for Morrisville, N. J. He will act as clork for John B. Reilly on a railroad contract.

freight train going east reached that point, an oil tank on the train exploded and set fire to the cars. The fourth section ran into the third, killing John Cowen, gineer, Harvey Galehouse, fireman, and Miller, the front brakeman, all on the fourth section. Eighteen loaded cars were burned. The

heat was so great that it melted the boil on the engine of the fourth section, and it ran down in a molten form over the boiler. The were burned for a distance of 1.500 feet, and the track was bent and drawn into all kinds of shapes. Cowen and Miller leave families. Galehouse was a single man.

#### Young Lincoln Worse.

LONDON, Mar. 3.-Master Lincoln passe restless night. There is no improvement in his condition.

EVENING .- Master Lincoln has passed a ad day. He is an extremely critical con-

FEMALE HIGHWAY ROBBERS.

FEMALE HIGHWAY ROBBERS. Wives of Respectable West Virginia Farmers In Custody. A tramendous sensation has been created in the western part of West Virginia by the arrest of two women, the wives of well-to-do farmers, for professional highway robbery. Some of their adventures were as bold as any of Jack Sheppard's or that ever figured in a romance. A series of asomstional highway robber-ies have lately been committed in a remote part of Jackson county. On Friday night A. B. Mitchell, a well-to-do farmer, was stopped on the road, near his home appa-rently by two masked men, who presented revolvers and demanded his money. While the robbers were searching Mitchell a party of friends arrived unexpectedly and the robbers took to flight. They were pursued, took refuge in a house, but were finally captured. The pursuers were samazed to find, when the masks were torn from their faces, that they were two women, the wives of esti-mable farmers in the community named

masks were torn from their faces, that they were two women, the wives of esti-mable farmers in the community named Mitchell and Jones. The women broke down, and confessed to a large number of bold robberies. Restitution will be made to those persons robbed. The women say that they began their robberies at first in order to scare their husbands, who were addicted to drink and kept late hours. Their unexpected success encouraged them.

order to scare their husbands, who were addicted to drink and kept late hours. Their unexpected success encouraged them, and they have kept them up for several months for the money to be made. They are known to have secured nearly \$1,000 from two robberies alone. Among other robberies which the women for several to committing was one on a cattle drover named Hugh Nicholson a week ago. Nicholson was riding through a lonely part of the county, four miles from the locality in which the women lived, when he was suddenly ordered to hait. The put spurs to his horse, but two re-voire shots disabled his horse and brought him to the ground. The robbers then went sellurely through his pockets and secured which, however, happened to be a small which, however, happened to be a small on ampleion as to the identity of his assail-ants. The exposure of the female robbers has created an intense sensation in that section. The family connections of both women are very extensive, and a strong effort will be made to save them from proscution and hush the matter up, if possible.

Poor Old "Uncle Tom." "Uncle Tom's Cabin" at Fulton opera house on Saturday evening had a large audience. This chestnut seems to be about the best drawing attraction that comes to Lancaster. A large andience always greets the old darkey and people go to see the play that could not be induced to attend any other. They sit and cry almost the entire evening, and go home resolving to see the play every time it comes. The company of Saturday evening was under the man-agement of Harry Weber, of "Nip and Tuck" fame, who plays the part of Marks. Miss Carrie Webber was clever as Topsey, and several other characters were well taken.

Methodist was totally ist of music, recitations. mimes, etc. Proceeds are for the bene-fit of the school library. The library conmorning. The pretains upwards of two hundred valuable hooks begun his sermon when a trustee that the church

ANOTHER BIG WRECK.

Dr. Kalbach, of Elizabethtown, is busily engaged in cutting away M. S. Weaver's woods. He has about twenty men emtrustee made an inve without a panic. The surance small. ployed.

The telephone line from New Holland to Terre Hill reached this place on Saturday. Workmen are now employed in building 

the line to Terre Hill. H. F. Lowis, of Philadelphis, was in own last week.

Miss Ray Piersol, of Lancaster, spent last week at her home at this place. J. H. Losch, a traveling photographer, stopped his car here, and is doing a thriv-ing business.

Mrs. W. J. Lewis is just recovering from spell of sickness.

Mrs. J. W. Bowers and son have gone to Philadelphia, where they will make their future home. Mr. Bowers will soon follow. V. D. Hull, of Philadelphia, was in town

Short \$1,700,000.

Sullivan May Wear Stripes.

Sullivan May Wear Stripes. The case of John L. Sullivan, on appeal from the circuit court, for prize fighting in Marion county, Miss. will be tried by the supreme court to-day. Sullivan stands sontenced to one year's confinment in the county jail. The decision in the case will not be promulgated before next week. The Legislature failed to abolish the leas-ing system, and county convicts are left to be disposed of as heretofore. They are leased out and the sentence of the lower court is affirmed. Sullivan may be wear-ing stripes and hoeing cotton or pulling fodder in a July sun before the leaves be-gin to fall.

The Loss of the Quetta.

The Loss of the Quetta. The number of lives lost by the disaster to the steamer Quetta, which was wrocked while on a voyage from Queensland to London, is now said to be 100. A dispatch from Brisbane, Queensland, says that of the Quetta's passengers and crew 116 were saved, including the captain and several officers

Carter Harrison Tackles a Burglar.

A burglar was caught by ex-Mayor Carter Harrison in Chicago on Friday to prevent the former from getting away with lead pipe he was cutting out of one of Harrison's new houses. The thief was turned over to the police.

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#### The Engineers.

BALTIMORS, March L.-The Losse of William W. Christopher with the murder of Charles On Saturday evening a mosting of en-gineers of this city was held at the house of George W. Simmons, No. 435 South Prince street. It was for the purpose of with the marger of Charles turned to court to day unable were discharged. The jury slaughter, ten ; sequitial, to was out since Saturday. taking some further action in regard to the formation here of a council of the American Order of Steam Engineers. No

#### 186 Saved.

The Jury Falled to

some time set fire to the before the roof fell in the out and laid down his arms

less than forty-eight gentlemen were pres-ent, showing that the interest manifested is very great. It was agreed to form a coun-cil, and at a meeting to be held at the house LONDON, March 3.-It is n 136 of the passengers and British steamer Queits, which Friday night near f Strait, Australia, while bound town for London, were savel. of William Thackers, on next Friday even-ing, officers will be elected and a charter will be applied for.

#### The Obio Recod

The council will strive to have laws CINCINNATI, March & .- The steadily falling at the rate an inch an hour and people been driven from the Canta passed compelling engineers to have licenses. Engineers not born in America are not eligible to membership in the order. will return to it to-n to A deficiency of \$1,700,000 has been found in the books of George P. Brown, of Bos-ton, the head of the big wool firm of Brown, fall will be more and mond. This

in the boas of George F. Brown, of Boa-ton, the bead of the big wool firm of Brown, Theese & Clark, and treasurer of the River-side and Oswego mills, whose failure last summer created such a sensation. The report of the expert accountant, which con-tains this information, has been submitted to the assignees. He found the books in a demoralized condition. It took months to ascertain the exact con-dition of affairs. Brown had handled im-mense sums in his official capacity. In the last four years he had deposited \$50,000,000 in two banks, to say nothing of deposits in five other banks. The books do not, how-ever, accoung for \$1,700,840 beyond the fact that the money had been withdrawn by Brown. Where that big sum has gone, only Mr. Brown knows. Died Suddenies or Died Suddenies or NEW YORE, Mar. 5. - Sadon treasurer of the Lehigh & Coal company, died suddreas the office of the company at . stroot. Mr. Long was about was age. He was formerly cathler of ware & Hudson Canal company. Ball's Motion Danied. BUFFALO, March S.-Judge De

morning handed down a demotion for a new trial in the

action was warranted by the en

Rev. Dr. Isall against the Rev. Evening Post. The motion is a

Ton Years For a Murdares Locs Haven, Pa., March 2.---Brown, convicted on Saturday a murder in the second degree, in the of William Lovett, was sentence

morning to imprisonment for ten y the Western penitentiary.

CHICAGO, March 1.—At a m Socialists in this city yesterday tion was adopted endorsing a international labor convention

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WASHINGTON, D. C., Man Eastern Pennsylvenis: Fair winds shifting to south

this city during the p

fair in 1892.

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