TWO CONTINENTS AGITATED OVER TOILERS' DEMANDS.

STRIKES IN PEW CITIES OF AMERICA.

PROBABLY THREE THOUSAND PHILADELPHIA

CARPENTERS QUIT.

European Cities Reported Quiet.

A Million Men In Austria and Hungary Leave Work-The Demonstration In London Not What It Was Expected to Be-Herlin Workmen Fall to Show Their Strength-The Largest Meeting In France at Charlerol, Where 80,000 Gather-A Big Parade Scheduled For the Night In New York-Chleagoans Believe Arbitration Will End Their

PHILADELPHIA, May 1.—The journey-men carpenters of this city went on strike this morning, as they had previously an-nounced they would do. Their demand is nounced they would do. Their demand is for a nine-hour working day with pay at 35 cents per hour. The present union rate of wages is 30 cents per hour. A majority of the master carpenters at a meeting Tuesday night decided to resist the demand of the men for an increase. A few, however, including John Wanamaker, who employes 60 men, and Allen B. Rorke, a prominent builder who has 175 carpenters on his rolls, notified their men several days ago that beginning to-day their wages would be increased to \$3.15 per day. The number of men thus affected is something over 500. They are at work as usual to-day and it is not believed they will be ordered out.

Eighth and Callowhill streets, all was confusion this morning. The strikers had been ordered to report there early, and from eyen o'clock until noon there was a continual stream of men pouring into the hall. Secretary James Day, of the local brothernumerous lieutenants when an Associated Press reporter questioned him as to the extent of the strike. He declared that all union men had struck, as ordered this morning, and with them a great many non-union men. The Amalgaabout 400 men and are very strong finan-cially, have joined forces with the Brotherhood men and are supporting them in their strike. Mr. Day was unable as yet to say how many wokmen were affected by the strike, but he roughly estimated that in the neighborhood of 3,000 men are out. The men are very quiet in their demeanor and all wear a hopeful look. They express confidence in gaining their point, as this is they cannot get along without their skilled

Six master carpenters, employing two hundred hands, after holding out until noon, conceded the demands of their men. quarters of the strikers caused a great deal of rejoicing and strengthened the belief of the men that they would win their strike. has asked that a committee of his men wait upon him. Some employers say

they will concede the demands of their men as individuals but will not recognize the It is believed that the question will settle down to this. The employers are

very unwilling to recognize the organiza-

No Contention In Cincinnati. CINCINNATI, May 1 .- This city is happily free from any labor troubles of any considerable magnitude. The only thing that can be called trouble for to-day is the demand for a ten per cent, increase in wages by the moulders. This will affect about 500 men. There has been no organized movement, at least none made public, for securing any change in the hours or

wages, except as above stated. No Strikes In Chicago. CHICAGO, May 1 .- The feeling in favor of strikes has been greatly allayed here during the past few days. As proviously announced, the demands of carpenter and stock yard men are likely to be settled by arbitration, and there were no strikes inaugurated here to-day. The working people of the city are, however, turning out in great force to either take part in or witness the eight-hour work day parade.

1.800 Strike In Boston. Boston, May 1.-The strike of carpenters of this city for an 8-hour work day was formally inaugurated this morning About 1,500 men are out, and of this numranks of the disaffected within the past few days. It is estimated that there are 2,000 men in the city who have been granted hours by about one hundred firms who are not members of the Master Builders' association. These men have the approval of the Carpenters Union for continuing at work.

A Parade in New York. New York, May 1.—There were few if any signs of the inauguration of the 8-hour movement in this city this morning. At the headquarters of the Socialists there were a few hangers on who occupied their time in discussing the parade and the meeting scheduled for this evening. At other labor headquarters all was quiet and at down-town buildings where the carpenters are employed the men are working. They appeared to be waiting for instructions from the executive committee concerning action next Monday, when the carpenters inaugurate the struggle.

Interest centres in the parade and demonstration at Union square this evening. It is expected that 18,000 men will take part in the parade.
Granite Cutters Strike.

PROVIDENCE, May 1.—This morning a Westerly the several quarry whistles blow as usual, but only quarrymen and drillers responded. In fact not one of the granite cutters was to be seen on the streets until after 8 a. m., when they began to congregate in knots here and there until the treet was thick with them. The manufacturer have asked for a conference and one will be held to-day. A settlement is hardly expected, but men think the bosses are weakening.

Employers Grant Demands. HAVERHILL, Mass., May 1.—The master carpenters have all signed an agreement granting 9 hours as a day's work, at the old pay of \$15 per week. Next Year's Their Time.

PITTSBURG, May 1.—There was no con-certed movement by workingmen of Pittsturg for enforcement of the 8 hour move-ment. The only trade that demanded 8 hours here is German printers. The workers of Pittsburg and vicinity bave deferred tak-ing any part in the 8-hour movement until

The Labor Demonstrations Not Attended by the Disorder Anticipated. Bent. N. May 1,—9:30 a. m.—At this hour small groups of workmen are gathering in the streets, so as to be ready to join in the labor parade. No disturbance has been

reported from any quarter.

Noon — Quiet continues to prevail throughout the entire city and the streets bear their normal appearance. In consequence either of the notices issued by employers threatening to discharge employes who absented themselves from work to take part in the labor demonstration or to the apathy of the men themselves, the Loewer factory, a large establishment, began work this morning with nearly a full force, there being but afteen absentees. Of all hands employed in Frister & Rossman's sewing machine factory, another large concern, only five failed to report for work at the usual hour. A large number of persons, however, are making the day a holiday and are visiting Grunewald and other suburban resorts.

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The Bay In France.

Paris, May 1.—9:30 a. m.—There has been no disturbance here up to this hour.

All is quiet on the boulevards in outlying sections of the city, while the central quar-ters wear their usual aspect. Shops throughout the city, with the exception of those devoted to the sale of firearms and ammunition are open and business is being ammunition, are open and business is being carried on as usual. Gas men and gas stokers inaugurated their strike this morn-

cialist members of the Chamber of Deputies, are still perfecting arrangements for the demonstration of workingmen. Noon.—Dispatches from Marseilles, Bor-deaux, Nancy, Roubsix and Lille say that

no disturbances have occurred in any of those places, and that tranquility prevails

A Big Time in a French City. BRUSSKIA, May I.—An immense meeting of workingmen was held at Charlerol to-day. Thirty thousand men marched to the place of meeting, all singing the "Mar-seillaise. The men were orderly and there

Petitioning the Authorities Brussels, April May 4.—A procession numbering 3,000 miners was formed in Liege to-day and marched to the town hall where a petition was presented to the au-thorities asking for the establishment of an

8-hour working day.

A Small Parade in London. LONDON, May 1.—The procession of workingmen which was held in this city to-day, fell far short of the number it was expected would take part in the parade.

The line was composed of only a few hundred men. The procession moved to Hyde park, where a number of speeches in favor of workmen's cause were made. Five hundred disorderly men gathered

bent on making some kind of a demon-

A force of 2,500 police was on hand, however, and the mob was cowed by their appearance. Some of the disorderly elemen in London say that they will hold a torch light procession to-night, but the police will rigidly suppress any procession of that kind. There is every indication that the proposed demonstration will prove a com-

VIENNA, May 1.—1:30 P. M.—Despite the belief that the labor demonstration in this city would be attended by grave disorders there has as yet been no disturbance whatever. There have been no street parades, but meetings are being held in various halls, which are attended by the larger portion of working men in the city.

The strike movement in the provinces is Austria and Hungary one million men have already struck or threaten to strike.

PESTH, May 1.—Early this morning large number of workmen gathered i front of one of the rolling mills and denounced the alleged tyranny of the em-ployers. They finally engaged in riotous lemonstrations which the police could not quell. A body of troops appeared with fixed bayonets and charged into the mob. The crowd broke and fled, but not before many of the rioters had been pierced by the bayonets of the soldiers.

Spain in Line for 8 Hours. Madrid, May 1.—Reports received here this morning concerning the May day demonstration shows that tranquility prevails throughout the provinces. The strike in Valencia, however, are spreading. The employes in all trades there are joining in the movement for the establishment of an 8-hour working day. The theatres in Valencia will be closed to-night.

TELEGRAPHIC TAPS. Grover Cleveland was to-day admitted to practice at the bar of the United States supreme court in Washington. His appearance in court was a surprise.

James Palmer was hanged at Concord, N. H., this morning for the murder of Henry Whitehouse in 1888.

The Pennsylvania Editorial association will meet in Philadelphia on Tuesday Captain Zeuner, the African explorer,

and Herr Dechoud, president of the Ger-man Reichsbank, are dead.

A dividend of 3 per cent, was to day declared by the Pennsylvania railroad

The Gloucester City, N. J., National bank has suspended. It was closely connected with the bank which failed in Philadelphia on Wednesday.

THE ACTIVES WIN.

They Easily Defeat Luke Lederman's

Patched Up Club. The Active club played a sort of practice game yesterday with the Keystone, a nine made up by Luke Lederman, the members of which are very anxious to down the of which are very anxious to down the Actives. The latter came on the ground with a mixed up team, but they won very easily. Kane, a new man, showed up well, easily. Kane, a new man, showed up well, while Meehan did not. The full score was:

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National League – New York 9, Philadel-phia 3; Cincinnati 4, Cleveland 0; Brook-lyn 8; Boston 7, (10 innings); Chicago 6,

Pittsburg 1.
Players' League—Boston 9, Philadelphia 6; Pittsburg 11, Buffalo 5; Brooklyn 10, New York 5; Cleveland 6, Chicago 5.
American Association—Syracuse 10, Athletic 0; Rochester 7, Brooklyn 0; St.

Louis 7, Columbus 1.
Atlantic Association—Baltimore 12, Jersey City 7; Newark 11, Hartford 6; Wil-7, New Haven 5; Washington 10, Worcester 10.

The friends of the Philadelphia Brother-hood club feel very good after receiving seventeen thousand paid admissions yes-

The Actives left this morning for Easton, where they will this afternoon open the championship seeson.

# APPLIED FOR A RECEIVER

SEVERAL STOCKHOLDERS OF THE WATCH COMPANY APPRAL TO COURT.

in Which Stock Was Insued.

Robert Snodgram and David Mc Mullen attorneys, this morning filed a bill in equity in the court of common pleas, representing Walter Boadman, J. M. Kelper, John Best, Abraham Bitner, James B. Best, Geo. M. Askow, J. Frank Reist and Arthur Boardman, stockholders of the Standard Watch company, on behalf of themselves and other stockholders of said company who may come in and contribute to the expenses of this suit. The defendants named are, The Keystone Standard Watch company, George M. Franklin, J. Fred Sener, George Steinman, Henry S. Franklin, Clarence Stormfeltz, Wm. Z. Sener, Charles N. Shellenberger, W. J. Atkinson, L. M. Simpson and the Keystone Watch Club company.

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The bill filed sets forth that they are stockholders of the Keystone Standard Watch company, chartered on November 29, 1886, with a capital of \$500,000, divided into 5,000 shares of \$100 sech, and all of said capital was subscribed by the defendants as follows: George M. Franklin, 2,487 shares: J. Fred Sener, 2,495; George Steinman, 6; Henry S. Franklin, 10; Clarence Stormfelts, 2; that Wm. Z. Sener was named as treasurer, and by the provisions of the said incorporation ten percentum was required to be paid in cash to the treasurer before letters patent could lawfully issue thereto; that the defendants did not pay the ten per cent, or any part thereof, nor did any one do so for them; that the declaration as to said payment in the certificate of incorporation was false and untrue and smade for the purpose of obtaining letters patent.

That on June 18, 1886, David B. Hostetter, assignee of the Lancaster Watch company, Abraham Bitner, George M. Franklin, Wm. Z. Sener and Charles A. FonDersmith entered into an agreement whereby Franklin, Sener and Fon Dersmith became the purchasers of the real estate, machinery, building and plant of the Lancaster Watch company subject to a mortgage of \$50,000; that on October 30, 1886, Charles A. FonDersmith conveyed his third interest to George M. Franklin and Wm. Z. Sener; on November 15, 1886, Franklin and Sener conveyed to Charles N. Shellenberger one-half interest in the real estate and plant for \$1, subject to the mortgage of \$50,000, although your orators are creditably informed that Shellenberger conveyed to the Keystone Standard Watch company the real estate and plant for the consideration \$50,000 in cash or its equivalent; on December 3, 1886, without any corporate action, Franklin, Sener and Shellenberger conveyed to the Keystone Standard Watch company the real estate and plant for the consideration of \$550,000, subject to the mortga

That simultaneously with the issue of said stock the parties, without further consideration, transferred to Shellenberger 2, 500 shares, to Wm. Z. Sener, who was not an incorporator, 1,225 shares, as full paid stock and not subject to further calls and assessments, that the entire issue of stock thus made was fraudulent and void and in direct violation of section 7, article 16, of the constitution of Pennsylvania, which provides that no corporation shall issue stock or bonds except for money, labor done, or money or property actually received, and all fictitious increase of stock or indebtedness shall be void.

That the pretended sale and purchase was collusive, fraudulent and void, the issuance of the stock unlawful, and in direct violation of the constitution and the act of

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That your orators charge that the said corporation was illegally and fraudulently created and organized; that it has at all times been illegally and fraudulently managed by Geo. M. Franklin, J. Fred Sener, W. Z. Sener, Charles N. Shellenberger, Geo. Steinman, Henry S. Franklin, Clarence Stormfeltz as officers and directors; that W. J. Atkinson and L. M. Simpson, since their connection therewith, had knowledge of such fraudulent organization and management; that the property and assets of the corporation have been wilfully wasted and your orators' stock and interests rendered worthless; by reason of the misconduct and fraud of the said defendants as officers, directors and trustees thereof, the corporation has become insolvent and all its assets and property are in danger of being wasted.

Your orators pray that a receiver be appointed to take charge of the property and assets of the corporation; that an account be taken before a master of the assets and illabilities of the corporation and particularly how and in what manner the capital has been paid in; what payments, either in cash or in property, have been made thereon; what amount is due the said corporation on account of unpaid stock; who are the present stockholders and how and in what manner they have obtained title; what stock, if any has been issued in violation of law; that Geo. M. Franklin, Wm. Z. Sener, J. Fred. Sener, Charles N. Shellenberger, and all others who may be found to have unlawfully and fraudulently combined in the issuance of the stock as full paid stock, in violation of law, be declared to be jointly and severally liable to pay to the said receiver all such sums of money as may be found to have unlawfully and fraudulently combined in the issuance of the complaint, and full discovery of all their relations and connection with the defendants in respect to the subject matter of this bill of complaint.

Knights of Pythias Fair.

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The parade of the two uniformed divisions of the Knights of Pythias and Patriarchs Militant, headed by the Iroquois band, attracted great attention on the streets on Wednesday evening. After marching through the principal streets these organizations visited the fair at Doersom's half. The attraction of the evening was music by the Young Men's Democratic society orchestra and it never appeared to better

edvantage.

The following articles were chanced off The following articles were chanced off last evening: Jewelry case, won by Mrs. E. E. Springer; handkerchief holder, by Frank Bowman; toilet set, by Mrs. G. B. Marrow; pillow, by Mrs. John A. Burger. M. C. Lilley & Co. has presented a fine uniform rank sword, which will go with the uniform being contested for.

This evening the two divisions of the Knights of Pythias, Knights of Golden Eagle and Knights of the Mystic Chain will parade and attend the fair in a body. The music at the fair to-night will be by the Iroquois band. A fireworks display will be made in front of the hall about 8 o'clock.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 1 .- Fair, preceded this afternoon by local showers, cooler westerly winds, fair and slightly cooler Friday.

The N. Y. Heraid forecasts: Quite a "cold wave" with freezing temperature on the upper lakes will probably move southeastwardly into this section and be felt decidedly in the northern parts to-night and to-morrow. The storm moving yesterday from Lake Superior is now central in the St. Lawrence Valley; it will be followed by rain and possibly thunder storms in the upper Hudson Valley to-day. Temperature rose in the United States yeareday except in the northwest: the chief minipersture rose in the United States yesterday except in the northwest; the chief minimum reported was 32 degrees F., at Marquette, Mich.; the chief maximum at Fort Smith Ark. In the Middle states fair to partly cloudy weather will prevail to-day, with slight thermal changes, except considerably colder in the northern parts, fresh southerly to bris': westerly winds, followed by rain, generally light. On Friday in this section and in New England; colder, partly cloudy to fair weather will probably prevail, with fresh westerly and northerly winds, preceded by local rain, followed on Saturday by warmer, fair weather. Indications of a cyclone disturbance in the Gulf of Mexico are reported from Havans.

LANCASTER, PA., THURSDAY, MAY 1, 1890.

POREIGN AND DOMESTIC EVENTS.
A revolution has broken out in Faraguay.
Several persons have been killed and many
wounded. Telegraphic communication is
interrupted, and the details that have been
received are meagre.

The house of William Holder, near Cumberland Gap, Tenn., was burned Tuesday
night. Holder, his wife and one child
perished in the flames. Six other children
escaped in their night clothes.

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Daniel Ulmo, while fishing in the Notch woods, near Horestels, Pa., was attacked by a wildest which dropped from the limb of a tree upon his back. Ulmo rammed the but end of his fishing rod down the animal's throat and choked it to death.

At the state convention of the Baptist Foreign Missionary acciety in Wilkesbarre on Wednesday, the following missionaries were appointed: Mrs. Ellem Marshall and Kva Squires to Burnnah, and Rachol Leidy to the Congo.

Berry Ward, 25 years of age, was shot and instantly killed in Harneysburg, O., Monday night by his stepson, aged 13 years. Ward was beating his wife when the son came to his mother's defense with a shotgun. Daniel Washington, the boy, is under arrest.

sion.

A Bible has just been rediscovered in the Vatican library which is in Hebrew. It is supposed to be the oldest in the world, and is valued at \$100,000. It is so weighty that it requires two men to lift it, the binding being in heavy metal. In the year 1512 the Jews of Venice offered Pope-Julius II its weight in gold for it, but though he was financially hard up just then, he refused the offer.

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Roy Fretz, a boy about 15 years of age, while climbing an electric light pole in Pottstown on Wednesday, received a shock by coming into contact with a converter, which rendered him unconscious. For some time he hung suspended from the cross bar by his legs. A young woman who witnessed the scene was affected to such an extent that she had an attack of paralysis of the heart, from which she is still in a critical condition.

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A delegation of cigar manufacturers from Pennsylvania, through T. J. Dunn, chairman, on Wednesday addressed the ways and means committee in opposition to the proposed increase of the duty on tobacco. They maintained that Sumatra wrappers had been a God-send to the American grower of filler tobacco, as it gave him a market for his crop that he could not otherwise obtain. "The effect of the proposed increase on the established cigar industry would be terrible, and it would take at least a year to rearrange the business conditions."

ness conditions."

The action of the Michigan supreme court in issuing a writ of mandamus in the case of Rodo vs. the treasurer of Wayne county makes the liquor act of 1889 unconstitutional. Application was made to compet the treasurer to accept \$300 for a retail liquor license for 1890 instead of \$500, as provided in the 1889 act. The decision was that, inasmuch as the bill enrolled, cortified to by the presiding officers of both branches and approved by the governor, was not that passed by the Legislature, the act is void and of no effect.

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A colony is being formed on the reservation about twenty miles southeast of Pierre, S. D., by a new and fanatical religious sect. They are under the leadership of a woman, and hold their property in common. The woman is rather handsome and of commanding presence, and rules over the colony of about 200 in a despotic manner. Their religion sect. to be a cross between More 18 m and the Jewish customs of BibD PRImes. They offer burnt offerings of can s, etc. They have called their town Moab.

Two hundred and fifty merchants and

Two hundred and fifty merchants and importers met in New York on Wednes-day to protest against the passage of the day to protest against the passage of the McKinley tariff bill. James M. Constable, of Arneld, Constable & Co., presided and explained the objects of the meeting. Mr. Taylor, of Lord & Taylor, said that in almost every instance the McKinley bill raised the duty. Several others protested and the same grounds. against the bill on the same grounds. A resolution was adopted condemning the bill, and delegating the chairman to go to Washington to put the matter before Con-

A Boy's Horrible Death.

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John Miller, aged 12, and his brother Charles, two years younger, of Shamekin, kissed their mother and went out to play. Meeting a number of boys, they strayed up the railroad. A gravel train approached, which the merry party started to board.

John Miller was successful, and, looking down at his little brother, who was running along with the car, told him to be careful. The train suddenly jerked John, who lost his balance, and with a shriek fell between the cars. Just as his head was slipping through the bumpers they came together,

shape.
The unfortunate lad's brother, witnessing The unfortunate lad's brother, witnessing a stream of blood gush from John's mangled head, sank by the rails in a dead faint. As the bumpers opened the corpse was hurled on top of the unconscious lad, whose face and clothes soon became dyed in the blood of his dead brother. The comin the blood of his dead brother. The com-panions of the Miller boys ran away in fright. A few railroaders lifted the two boys, thinking them dead. Charles was placed on a shutter and taken home first for dead. Then the wagon with the corpse of John drove to the Miller home. The mother became almost crazed at the appall-ing sight.

ing sight.
A doctor made his appearance, when it was found Charles was only in a faint. He was soon resuscitated, but the horrible re-collection soon caused him to rave, and his condition is also critical.

From Capt. Sanderson's Harrisburg Star. Lancaster city now sports a police and hospital ambulance, which was provided, however, at the expense of the proprietors of that admirable newspaper, the Lancas-ter INTELLIGENCER. It is what is badly needed in Harrisburg, and who is the pub-lic-spirited citizen to come forward and do as the generous-hearted Lancaster journal-ists have done?

journal has often called attention to the necessity of an ambulance; its readers were moved by the appeals and contributed for the purchase of a suitable vehicle. The fund now stands as follows: 

THEY MUST NOT SHOOT. People With Guns Are a Nulsance And

Will Be Suppressed. Complaint has reached the mayor's office Complaint has reached the mayor's office about shooting and trespassing on the college campus. A shot a few days ago was fired into one of the second story windows of Dr. Thomas Apple's residence. Ladies who reside on the campus while walking over the grounds frequently hear the shot passing through the branches of the trees. The mayor has instructed the policeto arrest any person found shooting or trespassing on the premises who have no right. He will also station a special officer there on Sunday, as the most damage is done on that day. Complaint has also been made about day. Complaint has also been made about parties speeding their horses in that neighborhood on Sunday mornings. They think the horsemen ought to be satisfied with week days, to which they do no A great deal of complaint is made against

boys shooting target guns in different parts of the city.

Dr. Siegler says the alleged child that came from his ash heap was an embryo and had been in his possession for a number of years. He secured it when a student at Jefferson Medical college, and some time ago, having no further use for it, he told his man to bury it in the lot, and had no idea that he put it under the ash pile. He said he knew nothing of the finding of it until he saw it in the paper, and if he had until he saw it in the paper, and if he had been sent for he could have explained the whole matter satisfactorily.

# SATURDAY'S FIGHT.

CHANCES OF CANDIDATES AT THE HOME-

The Bull Ring Londors Separate and Combinations Are Formed-A Lively Struggle For the Shrievalty.

The faction lines have been drawn; the township bosses and ward heelers instructed for whom to vote and work on Saturday next; the many details for the greatest struggle for political supremacy in the history of the county have been attended to, and the leaders of the several combines are apparently eager for the fray. All are sanguine of auccess, and for that reason the defeated bosses will feel their disappointment keenly.

The campaign up to a week ago promised to be a tame affair, with but two combinations in the field. The rupture between Sensenig and Hartman, which occurred on last Saturday afternoon, has made things rather more lively. Sensenig forced it through an effort made by him to collect a political money debt he claimed was due him growing out of the election of treasurer three years ago. Levi's former political allies repudiated the debt, and as a scare he threatened to turn in for Sam Martin, for treasurer, expecting the threat would bring his late associates to terms. It had the opposite effect. Levi was told to go for whom he pleased, and the political partnership existing and formerly known as the united Bull Ringers was dissolved. Levi set up shop for himself forthwith and sent messengers in every direction to his honehmen informing them of the break and telling them he would have a shate arranged for them. He looked about for a candidate, after an unsuccessful effort made to harmonize with Mentzer, and finally selected Capt. Stauffer as the most available candidate to defeat Hartman.

The defection of Sensenig will cost Hartman a few votes in some localities, but he will gain in other quarters, and to-day he has decidedly the best of the fight; and this fact is admitted to be true by his political enemies.

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If yus, who is supported by the Mentzer combination, is not strong except in a few districts. His vote in the city will not be large. Hartman is very strong here, with a thorough organization in every ward in the town. Stauffer will be second and McMellen a good third. In some wards Sensenig will have nobody to make a fight against Hartman.

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McMeilen has an individual following that is surprising, and with a combination behind him would be a formidable candidate. As it is his vote will be a fair one and he will contest with Stauffer and Hyus for second place in the general result.

John Roland will poll a respectable vote in Earl and adjoining townships. His candidacy will take many votes that would naturally go to Stauffer or Hyus. He cannot win and will make every effort to poll a good vote to be in position three years hence. The vote of the remaining candidates will be small.

THE CONGRESSIONAL CONTEST.

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Congressman Brosius has not thought it worth while to come to Lancaster to look after his interests, but is in daily communication with his friends, who advise him that he is safe. Brosius has sent to this county and has distributed everywhere a circular letter, in which he explains his absence, by stating that he must be in Washington to look after the interests of the Lancaster county farmers, by helping to pass the bill pending to increase the tax on Sumatra tobacco.

Myers is getting around and has many friends interested in his behalf, and in addition the unqualified indorsement of the Ecaminer. He will get a good vote, and had he announced earlier, could have defeated Brosius. He may as it stands now, for there is decided opposition to the present congressman in every district of the county, but the chances are in favor of Brosius' renomination.

The contest for shoriff will be an excited and indicators county.

The contest for sheriff will be an exciting and indication: point to a close one. The sympathy of the people appears to be with Sides, and he has Sensenig behind him for all he is worth. This is the main office that Levi is fighting for, and he will bend his energies to make Sides. Indications point to Sides' election.

Keller is strong also, and has behind him a powerful combination of politicians. He is confident of winning.

Shirk says but little when talked to as to his chances. His friends are hopeful of

Gever has the call for register. He is

supported by Sensenig and the old Bull Ring combination, and having be en a can-didate several times it is conceded to be his For county treasurer there will be a bit-ter fight, and to-day it is a toss up as to who has the best of it.

The contest for quarter sessions has narrowed down to a fight between Fry and Urban, with the chances in favor of the former, as it now stands. With a deal that may yet be made by which Strine could be taken care of it would give Urban the

best of it.

I. N. S. Will will be the clerk of the orphand court. He was in danger of defeat through the candidacy of Jacob Hostetter, a neighbor; Hostetter has with drawn and Will's vote in that section of the county will be very large.

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There is no change in the indications for county commissioners, as noted two weeks ago. Worth and Hershey will be chosen. In connection with this office a circular was distributed in the interests of A. R. Royer, in which the present board of commissioners are censured for employing so many special counsel. The figures given, as paid for 1899, are: H. M. North \$400, E. K. Martin \$855, H. C. Brubaker \$525, and County Solicitor Lane \$500, his yearly salary. The circular was aimed at Worth. The present commissioners, except Worth, salary. The circular was aimed at Worth. The present commissioners, except Worth, were seen in reference to the above items and their explanation was that the services were not rendered in 1889, but in prior years when A. F. Shenck was solicitor. Many important cases, in which the county was interested, were pending and Mr. Shenck requested the commissioners to give him associate counsel, they did so and it paid the county to do it. These attorneys, they say, saved the county many thousand dollars in defending against suits brought against it.

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This circular also sets forth "that the present commissioners claim economical management because they reduced the county debt. This was done, however, with moneys received from liquor licenses." In reference to this statement the com

In reference to this statement the commissioners say that the total receipts from Equor licenses were \$30,119,35. The debt of the county was reduced in the past year \$50,000 by the payment of that much of the county's bonded indebtedness, and this was done notwithstanding the tax duplicates are reduced \$49,273.75 by a reduction of the county tax rate.

For coroner the contest is between Shiffer, Keplinger and Honaman, with the chances in tavor of Shiffer.

In the Northern senatorial contest Billingfelt is not in the fight. Stober may be, but the probability is that he will end third. Kauffman gained by the strength given to him by Levi Sensonig, and if he can go out of Columbia with the vote he expects he will be a winner, but some who know the situation think that Kauffman may be sadly disappointed at his home vote. It

will be either Smith or Kauffman and a close fight.

For the Legislature, Franklin will go through in the city, Eby in the Southern district, with a fight for second place between Baldwin, Heidelbaugh and Geiger, and in the Northern district Pyle, Boyd and Seyfert have the best of it. Johnson Miller and Ephraim Hoover will be left at home to talk of the blessings the tariff has bestowed on the farmer at the monthly meetings of the County Agricultural society. It is a good thing that John H. Landis is not a candidate, for he would be left to keep them company.

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There is very little to say about the delegate fight. Martin's five men in the country districts will win and the chances are in favor of the election of Blickenderfer in the city district, his sixth man. The sentiment throughout the county is so decidedly in favor of allowing Martin his delegates

that it is dangerous for politicians to interfere, for fear that they will hurt their friends who are candidates for office.

The Hastings boom started on Monday may have a bearing on the delegate fight. The men running as the anti-Martin delegates claim that they are not unfriendly to Martin, but as Martin has selected the men he wants to represent him, his friends by circular and instructions have been notified to vote for none others.

There will be from 16,000 to 17,000 votes polled on Saturday, of which 3,500 will be cast in this city. With the very long ticket to be voted, very little will be known as to the general result until Sunday, and, if close, not until Monday.

Money will be spent lavishly by all factions and the ward bummer will be happy on that day at least.

There might be a profitable field for the Law and Order acciety and its detective, James Crawford, on this occasion. If he possesses half the detective ability claimed for him he could arrest enough men in the city and county of Lancaster for violating the law in buying votes to keep the quarter sessions court busy for a month or two.

On Monday the same old story will be written and the same excuses given as in the past by defeated candidates and that is—the other fellows had too much boodle.

THE SERVICE PENSION BILL.

An Annual Addition of at Least Forty

The resolution of the committee on rules was agreed to without a division, and the bill was taken up. The discussion revealed that a number of members were opposed to the bill, some for the reason that it did not go far enough, and others because it went too far. As there was no opportunity to amend, however, these gentlemen expressed a purpose to vote for the bill as the best thing that could be obtained under the circumstances. The debate was continued until 4 o'clock, when a vote was taken, resulting in the passage of the Morrill bill as a substitute for that of the Senate. It is estimated that this measure will add

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It is estimated that this measure will add to the pension rolls about 400,000 names and increase the annual expenditure on account of pensions about forty million dollars.

The general belief is that the Senate will concur in the action of the House. There is no doubt about the measure receiving the approval of the president. While the estimates place the probable expenditure at \$10,000,000 per annum, many believe that the expenditure will be far in excess of that sum. When the arrearage bill was pending in Congress the highest estimates of the amount required to meet it were very far short of the actual figures, which have reached a sum double that of the highest sum presented during the debate on that measure. In like manner many thoughtful and experienced men believe that the bill passed on Wednesday will take at least \$80,000,000 per annum from the treasury.

[The bill authorizes the secretary of the interior to place on the pension roll the name of any officer or enlisted man of 60 years of age or over, or who shall hereafter reach that age, who served 90 days or more in the army, navy or marine corps of the United States during the war of the rebellion, and shall have received an honorable discharge therefrom, said pension to commence from the date of the application therefor and to continue during the term of the life of said officer or enlisted man at the rate of eight dollars a month. All persons who served 90 days or more in the military or naval service of the United States during the late war of the rebellion, and who have been honorably discharged therefrom, and who are now or may hereafter be suffering from mental or physical disability, equivalent to the grade now established in the pension office for the rating of eight dollars per month, upon due proof of the fact, according to such rules and regulations as the secretary of the interior may provide, shall be placed upon the list of invalid pensioners of the the interior may provide, shall be placed upon the list of invalid pensioners of the United States at the rate of eight dollars per mouth. It also provides for a pension to the widow of any soldier when she shall arrive at the age of 60 years, or when she shall be without other means of support than her daily labor.]

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The May meeting of the Lancaster city school board will be held this evening at 7:30 o'clock in common council chamber.

John Caldwell, employed as Pequea Station, on the Columbia & Port Deposit railroad, was sharpening tools on an enery stone on Wednesday afternoon, when the stone broke. One of the pieces struck him on the forehead, cutting a gash from eye to the top of the head. Dr. M. L. Davis, who dressed the wound, says Caldwell is not dangerously injured.

Policeman Elseman met with an accident on Wednesday afternoon which will disable him for the next two weeks. While examining a pistol at Buchmiller's shop, with the intention of repairing it, the pistol was accidentally discharged and a ball went through the palm of the hand. Dr. M. L. Davis dressed the wound.

To-day the members of the police force began carrying a fourteen-inch rosewood mace, which is the same as used by the New York police. During the summer the officers will carry them in their hands.

William Richards, who was arrested on the street for being drunk and disorderly by Constable Nehr, was sent to jail for twenty-four hours.

Aiderman Halbach last evening heard Wm. Book on a charge of beating his wife. The case was not made out, and the alderman dismissed it.

The Centre Square Belgian blocks were washed last evening by direction of Mayor Clark, and to-day they present a cleaner appearance than for months.

Wm. Proctor, was heard by Alderman Halbach last evening on a charge of perjury preferred by Peter Woods. There was not sufficient evidence to send the case to zourt and the alderman dismissed it.

John Lehman, the absconding news dealer, has not yet turned up and his partner, Mr. Welchans, will carry on the business. Lehup'u was seen in Baitimore yesterday.

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reat success everywhere, was played at Fulton opera house last evening to a large and intelligent audience. It was given by the Lyceum Theatre company of New York, which is very evenly balanced. Spent a Good Day.

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The first picnic of the season was held yesterday by the Oak Spring club, an organization composed of gentlemen of this city who are good feeders. It took place by the side of the big spring on W. Grosh's farm near Neflsville. They had planked shad, turtle soup and baked clams for dinner and all ate a good bit of each. In the evening Mr. Grosh entertained the gentlemen with a drag hunt in which the kennel of hounds participated. Trouble About a Line Fence.

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John Haus was arrested this morning on a warrant issued by Alderman Barr on a charge of malicious mischief. Alderman A. F. Donnelly is the prosecutor and he alleges that Haus maliciously cut down the fence between the properties of himself and Mrs. Shilling.

There is a dispute between these parties and Haus cut down the fence because it was not constructed as it should be according to his ideas. Alderman Donnelly went into court this morning and secured an injunction restraining Mrs. Shilling, the owner, from erecting the party fence on his line.

The Cigarmakers' Union Entertained, F. E. Shroad tendered the Cigarmakers' Union a banquet at his hall on West King street, on Wednesday night. The occasion was the last meeting at the hall, quarters having been secured in the Heinitsh building, and was a complimentary offering of Mr. Shroad as a testimonial of his good will towards the union. Speeches were made by John F. Shreek, organizer of the Cigarmakers' International Union for Pennsylvania, and Elmer E. Greenawalt. The Cigarmakers' Union Entertained. walt. Representatives of the Moulders' Union,

who were present, stated the Champion Blower and Forge company had acceded to the demands of the men and agreed to put them to work to-day.

### SOLD HIS BREWERY.

GOTLEIB YOUNG TO RETIRE FROM THE I NESS ABOUT THE MIDDLE OF JUNE.

Purchaser at 884,000-The Ca

Club's Officers Elected for the Yes

William Harry Fires a Bullet The His Brain While On Lime See Wednesday N ight.

Within the past forty-eight house auloides have occurred in this city-second one took place on Wednesday ing and the man who took his liw William Harry, jr. He resided w father, William Harry, a tailor and of Post 84, G. A. R., who resides at Church street. The young man was nipeleen years of age.

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Wednesday evening he left his he shortly after eight o'clock in compwith Harry Chandler, a boy about his age, who has been his companion for attime past. Chandler met him as he cout of the house and the pair walked to corner of Duke and East King attachment the Knights of Pythias parede and talk with George Harry, a brother of Willi They started down Duke street shortly fore nine o'clock. George acon left is and the others walked to Church at William stopped in at the little of Benjamin Reese, and when he cout he and Chandler started up Chastreet together. When they near the corner of Lime and Y streets they both stopped to talk to Lift Frankford, a young girl, who, with mother, was standing at her front de When they stopped the mother wal into the house and after a few mounthe girl started up street with the young men. When they reset a corner, at Charles Walta's eight corner, at Charles Walta's eight Chandler told the girl that he would to talk privately with her. They asked and as they did so Harry walked Lime street a few yards. He mode he was picking his finger nails. In an stant the report of a revolver was he and Chandler saw that his friend had himself, as he could plainly see the flass Harry dropped to held up. With a lekerchief he tried to stop the flow of he which he tried to hold up. With a lekerchief he tried to stop the flow of he who were very slow about giving him assistance.

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The young man was carried to his he and Drs. Bolenius and M. L. Davis walso summoned. They examined young man's wound and at once told family that he could not possibly sury They did everything in their power him, but he died about one o'clock with regaining consciousness.

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At nine o'clock this morning Corollonaman impannelled a jury consisting John N. Hetrick, Charles A. Trip Harry H. Hensel, Charles E. Miller, To Royer and John B. Dornmyer. Ye Chandler, William Dittus and the particular were sworn and the testimony heard. The physician stated that the entered the right temple and passed tirely through the head. It was found morning, before the inquest was held, beneath the skin on the left side of the about two and a half inches above the It was believed by some that the aing was accidental, but it is certain the was suicide. From the manner in wither ball entered the head it was plain the revolver had been held there and coroner's jury rendered a verdict of mill what the motive was for the young to take his life no one seems to know, was first reported that he was in love the Frank ford girl, and that they had a fount. This was not the case, howeas young Chandler, who has been whim almost every evening for a long tit says that he and the girl were not vary timate. During the evening he seemed be in the best of spirits, and laughed joked with those about him. He had drinking a little last evening; not suffette make him drunk.

The weapon with which he commit the deed was a five-shot revolver of Si bre. When it was found under the yeman's head but one chamber was emit was taken possession of by William tus, who kept it until the coroner's inched been finished, when he turned it to the family. Harry had been carrying for about eight weeks.

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