EVENING LEDGER-PHILADELPHIA, WEDNESDAY, MARCH 17, 1915.

100,000 PLEDGES FOR LOCAL OPTION SOUGHT

Campaign for Signatures to Open Tomorrow-Noted Men to Speak Here.

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Plans for a pledge-signing campaign to Plans for a pledge-signing campaign to shain 100,000 signatures in Philadelphia siene have been made by temperance workers and leaders in the movement to support Governor Brumbaush in his fight for local option. There will be a corpa of organizers and speakers to carry on the movement which has the unified sup-port and co-operation of representatives of every religious denomination in the site.

dly. The campaign will be opened tomorrow at conference which will be held follow-at a uncheon at the City Club. Dr. Butas Miller, chairman of the Committee on Temperance of the Interchurch Fed-ention, will preside. The National Ab-statests Union, under whose anapices the statests Union, under whose anapicests under whose anapices the statests Union, u

Bran rally was hold force with the acting sented by J. Gordan Guenther, the acting scretary. Some of the most prominent anti-liquor measures in the country will make ad-dresses. The entire city will be canvassed and while 100,000 signatures have been an-sunced as the slogan, many members of the committee predict that there will be more than this number willing to enlist is the cause of temperance. Announcement was made today that on sturday, March 27, there will be a meet-ing of the Federated Committee of Tem-perance Organizers of Philadelphia. The meeting will arrange for the reception on June 2 of the 'Fly-ing Squadron of Amer-

meeting will arrange for the reception on June 2 of the "Flying Squadron of Amer-ia," composed of widely known temper-ance orators. Among these will be Dr. Ira, Landrith, Oliver Stewart, Dr. Charles M. Sheldon and Daniel Poling. The federated committee includes representatives of the Good Templars, the Women's Chris-tian Temperance Union, the Prohibition party city committee and the Rechabites. A permanent organization to work for A permanent organization to work for Governor Brumbaugh's local option bill was formed in Assembly Hall, Frankford, last night. The following officers were elected: President, Daniel P. Greenwood; vice presilent, Dr. C. S. Brown; treasurer, Jahn Walker, and secretary, A. J.

PARK CLUBS EXPLAIN THEIR LIQUOR RULES

Cassidy.

Members Surprised That the Public Did Not Know Drinks Were Sold.

Members of the rowing organizations with houses along "Boathouse Row" in with houses along "Boathouse Row" in Fairmount Park are somewhat at a loss as to why the fact that many of the dubs sell liquor should be so little known, and that the matter should rahave given rise to so much discently

The discussion was precipitated by the announcement of the Crescent Boat Club that the organization had decided to pro-hibit the sale of liquor in its clubhouse. "We sell liquor to our members and have for a number of years," said E. S. Deset for 25 years as member of the Paret, for 25 years a member of the Pennsylvania Bar. Club and for the last 10 years its president. "We have made no attempt to conceal the fact. We have it there for the convenience of the members that is all. Nobody can buy who is not a first or r. If there is any park regulation that forbids it I have who is not a

park regulati. that forbids it I have not known of it. "As a matter of fac,t we sell the liquor for the good of the club. Years ago we did not sell any alcoholic drinks of any ind The consequence was the memhind. The consequence was the mem-bers maintained their own lockers. There is no law against this practice, since a emprised property and he has just as much right to keep a bottle of whisky there only he has a source of the base of much right to keep a bottle of whisky there as in his own home. "But we found that it was easier to

keep a locker supplied with whiskey than it was with beer. A man can carry a bottle of whiskey in his hip pocket. It Is different with a case of beer. So we sell drinks now, more beer than anything else. Not much drinking takes place in the club. We make no profit on it and

very often do not break even at the end of the year."

U. OF P. INSTRUCTOR AND "MOVIE" STAR TO WED

Dr. John P. Chapman and Miss Mary J. Huff to Marry.

An introduction at a dance a year ago, which was followed by ardent courtship, will culminate in the wedding, next Friday, of Dr. John Patrick Chapman, an instructor of anatomy at the University of Pennsylvania, and Miss Mary Justina. Huff, a moving picture star. The ceremony will be performed at St. Patrick's

Church, 20th and Spruce streets. Miss Huff, who resides at the Powelton Apartments, 36th street and Powelton avenue, is a native of Columbus, Ga. For several years she has been appearing as a star in many famous moving picture a star in many famous moving picture productions. She is now posing for the Lubin Film Manufacturing Company. She has appeared as leading woman in "Love of Women," "Men of the Mountains" and other plays. Doctor Chapman first met Miss Huff at a dance show he the manhaet dat

a dance given by the members of the Merion Cricket Club a year ago, at Haverford. They were introduced by friends. A courtship followed. Miss Huff, who is 21 years old, will continue to appear as leading woman in the "movies" after her marriage. Before she agreed to accept Doctor Chapman's proposal she insisted that her marriage should not interfere with her career. Doctor Chapman is 27 years old. He resides at 1700 Pine street. He is well known as a practitioner in this He and his flancee obtained their city.

marriage license yesterday afternoon.

DRUG "FIENDS" ASK FOR JAIL'S "TAPERING OFF" PROCESS

Fourteen Men and Three Women Plead for Imprisonment.

ATLANTIC CITY, March 17 .- Trembling from enforced abstinence from drugs, be-cause of the new Federal "anti-dope" law, 14 men and three women were sent to primo today. They surrendered and asked to be given 30-day sentences in the county juli to receive medical treatment. They sought the juli treatment for the "tapering off" process, being given small quantities of the drugs which they cannot now obtain at all.

KNOCKS DOWN POLICEMAN

Arrest of Tenderloin Character May Explain Robbery.

By the arrest of a man who had beaten a patrolman early this morning, the police of the 10th and Buttonwood streets station believe they will be able to explain a number of mysterious robberies which

have occurred in the Tenderloin during the last few weeks. The man described himself as James Gelb, 32 years old, of 454 North Sth street. He was arrested while sneaking into an alley in the rear of 717 Buttonwood street whether after middlebre by Bollosman

shortly after midnight by Policeman James Phelan, of the 20th and Federal streets station, who had been doing special quarantine duty in the district, Gelb turned on the pollceman, knocked him down and kicked him in the face. Special Pollceman Weckeffer happened along and took him into custody. Phelar was sent to the Hahnemann Hospita with a badly !acerated face and bruised

shoulder Magistrate Belcher held Gelb in \$1000 ball for a further hearing. The police say the man has a "reputation." John Reed, who lives at 717 Buttonwood street, testi-fied that the house had been robbed about a week ago.

BIG NET OUT OF SERVICE

Will Not Be Used at Washington Park Because of Scarcity of Shad.

The old shad seine at Washington Park on the Delaware, after nearly a hundred years of service, will not be let down this year. Scarcity of the fish in the upper reaches of the river is given as the reason for the abandonment of the centuryold custom. The big net has had some remarkable

hauls. There was a time a few years ago when the number of fish taken reached 5000 to 6000. This number de-creased in more recent years until last

Before these nets were placed, a large number of fish reached the spawning ground. Then the steamship Fish Hawk, of the Foderal Fish Commission, came up the river, and each season hatched forces. nearly 100,000,000 shad.

CHILDREN AT ALLEGED CAMDEN "BABY FARM"

to vote on school appropriations all over New Jersey yesterday was not as suc-

FEARFUL DISCLOSURES

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IN MARY BALL HOME

other attendants were unsympathetic and

incompetent, according to the Board of

Managers. Nearly all the children were suffering from skin diseases, infected mouths or eyes and were covered with

vermin, the report states. There was

three weeks' accumulation of unwashed

It was found that poor parents of the

inmates were compelled to pay excessive sums for board, known as "shelter money." One man, a widower, Samuel

Hess, 615 Fairview street, who earned \$12

a week, paid \$6 of that sum to Doctor Richardson.

It was the unsuccessful efforts of the

women managers to remedy these con-ditions and to run the house as a chari-

cessful as was looked for. In cities school appropriations are made by the Board of School Estimate. but in townships and in boroughs they are voted on direct by the electorate. The law gives women of New Jersey the right to vote on appropriations, but not on the election of school trustees.

The returns show that the women did not go to the polls in large numbers, excepting where there was a contest. In several places, however, they went electioneering for the votes of men at the coming special election on the amendment to the Constitution permitting women to vote on all questions.

LIGHT VOTE OF WOMEN

Meagre Returns in New Jersey

Was Expected.

Indicate Total Below What

THENTON, March 17 .- Meagre returns,

but enough on which to base an estimate,

indicate that the attempt to get women

In Hoboken the women made an effort to get pledges from men for this question, and in the township of Ewing, this coun-ty, by enrolling 27 women, they helped the progressive element of the electorate to vote in better schoolhouses, more teach-ers and an extension of the educational system. There were 160 votes polled all told, the women carrying the election by their numbers. The presence hore today of members of the Legislature, as well as of leaders of all called an and already a number of orders remain unfilled. Miss Fola La Follette, daughter of Senator La Follette, of Wisconsin, will address members of the Moorestown Franchize Society at the town hall in Moorestown, N. J., at 8 o'clock tomor-row night. Miss La Follette in private life is Mrs. George Middleton, wife of the playwright. J. D. McMullin will pre-side at the meeting. Another meeting.

the Legislature, as well as of leaders of all parties, made possible the getting of a good line on what the women did yesterday, the general trend of the comment being that the turnout was smaller than expected. The "antis" here will send out tracts

The antis here will send out that's calling attention to the comparatively small number of women who came out to vote on questions on which they have always had the ballot, and mean to use it in their campairn against the adoption of the suffrage amendment to the Con-stitution, upon which the voters of the State will vote in a special election soon. State will vote in a special election soon

WOMEN TURN OUT BIG VOTE IN CAMDEN COUNTY

Fair Electors Come Out in Force and Bring Men Also.

COLLINGSWOOD N. J., March 17 .-The greatest outpouring of women in a public election occurred throughout Camden County last night, when ballots were cast in each town for school commis

sioners and school appropriations. Not only did the women come out and vote, but they brought the men with them, creating the heaviest vote in years in school elections. Four commissioners were chosen in

Collingswood. Three were for three years each and the fourth was for an unexpired term of one year. President Charles E. Vanderkleed, Dr. E. B. Rogers and Win-field Predmore were returned to the board. Robert W. Hillegas, of West Collingswood, is the new member. The bond issue of \$75,000 for new buildings and the budget of \$29,000 were adopted. The lat-

provides for an increased teaching Two old members of the Haddonfield hoard were returned. They are William J. Boning and Charles L. Macready. The third member is Benjamin F. Whitecar, who succeeds Captain William H. Johnson. A budget of \$25,400 was allowed, in-cluding \$1000 for a school lunch room and \$900 for additional ground for the West

3900 for additional ground for the West Haddonfield school. Westmont returned its three old mem-bers, J. R. Y. Blakeley, Preston Greene and John Weygand, as well as appropriat-ing \$7035 for the coming year's expenses. Two old members and one new member were chosen at Haddon Heights as fol-lows: J. N. Alexander, H. S. Goff and Robert B. Lewis. The latter succeeds F. R. Upham, now a member of the Bor-ough Council. The appropriation is \$12,000.

Former Mayor Edgar, A. L. Rohmer and George W. Bossler were returned to the board in Oaklyn, despite considerable op-

SUFFRAGISTS PLAN VIGOROUS CAMPAIGN IN SCHOOL ELECTION

Series of Meetings, Musical Entertainments and Demonstrations Arranged.

Suffragists in and about this city continue to carry on their activities preparatory to their spring and summer campaign. Every voter in the State will have heard a speech or received suffrage "literature" before he marks his ballot next fall, if the plans of the workers are completely carried out.

A series of meetings, musical entertainments and out-of-door demonstrations, to raise funds to carry on the campaign has been arranged. Mrs. M. C. Morgan, a prominent member of the Equal Franchise Society, 35 South 9th street, will give this afternoon, at the society's headquarters at 2 o'clock, an-other of her weekly talks on how to make candles. She will accompany her talk with a practical demonstration of fudge making. Considerable sums of money have been raised by the society in selling the candles made by Mrs. M. C. Morgan and already a number of orders remain

side at the meeting. Another meeting will be held on Friday afternoon by the Fox Chase Monday Club at the parish house of the Church of the Holy Nativity. Miss Lida Stokes Adams will speak on "Woman Suffrage," A musical program has been arranged.

\$750,000 TO OLD SWEETHEART

Romance of Aged Man Revealed by Will.

DENVER, Col., March 17 .- Lodging of the will of James T. Wilson, 75, a Dener pioneer and stockman, who died last ver ploneer and stockman, who died last Saturday, in county court yesterday, re-vealed a romance the aged man guarded during his life, when he left virtually his whole wealth, estimated at \$750,000, to Miss Carrie Hurd, of Denver. Wilson and Miss Hurd were engaged to be married about 1875. A quarrel caused the engagement to be broken.

Neither ever married.

Aliens' Need of Education

Foreign-born workers in this country should be required to learn English before obtaining positions, in the opinion of H. H. Wheaton, a Federal Inspector. II. H. wheaton, a rederal inspector. In delivered a lecture before the Philadel-phia Safety Council last night at the Franklin Institute. Education, the speaker said, was a prime essential to the decrease of accidents. In Pennsylvania there are 450,000 aliens over 15 years of age who are unable to speak English and

A number of eminent Philadelphia artists participated in the concert which was given at Musical Fund Hall, Inst night, for the benefit of the earthquake sufferers in Italy. It was presented under the direction of Antonio O. Scarduzio, the eminent operatic baritone under the pat-ronage of "I'l Circolo Italiano," of this city. A large audience attended and it is city. expected that the funds for the earthquake victims will be largely increased by the affair.

> Sale at Perry's

Half Price

FIGHT OVER LICENSES LICENSE ORDERED **REVOKED AT ONCE**

IS WAXING WARMER

of Witnesses Made in West Chester Court.

WEST CHESTER, Pa., March 17 .- Hav-WEST CHESTER, Pa., and in in-inte-ing completed his investigation of license applications in West Chester, Phoenix-ville and Contesville, the leading hor-oughs of the county, Judge William But-ler has directed his attention to the smaller hotels, and it is likely at least three days will be consumed in consider-ion chesse cases. It is expected that deing these cases. It is expected that de-cisions on license applications will be made known Friday morning.

Two of the West Chester applications have been heard. That of Park Gable, who is asking a license for the Brandy-wine Inn, formerly the Farms Hotel, will not be heard until most of the other cases have been disposed of. Gable has con-ducted the house without a license for a

reached in more recent years until last year the biggest haul was less than 300 fish. Between Pennsgrove and the Delaware Bay there are a larger number of smaller nets than ever before, and it is asserted by experts that the shad do not get, a chance to come up the river to spawn.

Charges of Attempted Bribery

Above, at the left, is Dr. Emma M. Richardson, whose management of the Mary J. Ball Home is attacked by the Board of Managers. Below is the institution building.

Court Takes Unusual Procedure in Case of A. E. Friedberg.

Judges Staake and Patterson, in the License Court today, ordered that the wholesale and bottling license of Abraham E. Friedberg, at 5423 Market street, be revoked immediately. An immediate

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The firmness of the court's disposition

Brooks high license law in disposing of their supplies was made evident by the remarks of the Judges when they re-voked Friedberg's license.

revocation is extremely unusual.

to compel wholesale liquor dealers to comply with all the requirements of the

The earnest pleas of the liquor man's attorney, William F. Rorke, and counsel for S. M. Wass and his wife, owners of sions women

last two years. CHICAGO'S VOTE INCREASED

More Than Half of 123,135 New Names Are Those of Women.

CHICAGO, March 17 .- There will be 789. 041 Chicagoans eligible to cast ballots in the municipal election of April 6, according to today's returns from yesterday's registrations by which the number of eligible voters was swelled by 123,133. Of the latter number, 67,612 are women. Of the total number of eligible voters, revishowed today that 286,624 are

"DIAMOND JIM" AIDS WIDOW

Throws Down \$100 Bill When Woman

table rather than a business institution that brought on the rupture. Those most active in the work were Mrs. Fanny S. Bieakley, Mrs. Stephen Pfeil, Mrs. Amelia Croft, Mrs. Carrie Von Nieda, Miss Eather Croft and Miss Evelyn Croft. ILL, MAN ENDS LIFE Victim Turns on Gas in Room and Dies.

Illness, which had prevented him from obtaining employment for more than two years, was responsible for the sulcide of John Dearn, 63 years old, of 2844 Ormes street, late last night. Dearn took advan-tage of the absence of his wife, Mary, and carefully plugging all the openings in his

bedroom turned on the gas. His wife returned home about 11 o'clock last night, and smelling gas broke over the bedroom door and found her husband He was taken to the Episcopal Hospital. where Dr. Longacre said that he had been dead for some time. The police of the Front and Westmoreland streets station said the man had made several unsuccess-ful attempts to kill himself within the

408,000 over 21 years of age.



Scarcely any of the clubs have liquor In their lower club houses, but not all of them are in the confines of the Park, according to J. Elliott Newlin, an officer ef the Schuylkill Navy, an organization to which most of the Park boat clubs belong. He is himself a member of the Philadelphia Barge Club.

Philadelphia Barge Club. "We have no liquor in the lower house and our upper house, the Anchorage, is outside the Park at the Falls of Schuyl-kill," he said. "The University Barge Club, I know, has nothing of the kind in its lower clubhouse, but has, I believe, a locker system at the Lilacs, their up-fiver house. river house

"I think this typical of the state of A think this typical of the state of shars all along the line. Those who make an actual practice of rowing drink little or nothing. What little drinking there is in any of the houses is largely of a social nature and in that respect differe in an unit of the the whole obtains differs in no way from that which obtains in other respectable clubs."

POOR MAIL SERVICE

Letter Delivered Here 25 Hours After

It Was Posted in New York. Complaints regarding the poor mall service in Philadelphia continue to be made. Evidence of the failure of the postal system to move first-class mail with reasonable dispatch was furnished by a recipient of a letter mailed in New York city, which was in the Postoffice here more than 24 hours before delivery. Complaint as to this has been mude to It Was Posted in New York. Complaint as to this has been made to First Assistant Postmaster General Roper at Washington in the following communi-

"I inclose herewith a letter which by its postmark was in the Times Square Station, New York, at 7 a. m., March 15, 1915. This letter did not reach me until 50 a. m., March 16, 1915, or more than a whole day after it was mailed in New York."

The letter was of importance, as it con-tained tickets to a performance of the Beston Symphony Orchestra in Phila-delphia, which were rendered useless by the delay in delivery the delay in delivery.

BIG OPIUM OUTFIT TAKEN

Police Raid Results in Capture of \$1000 Layout.

\$1000 Layout. The of the most complete oplum outfits muscated in this city in recent years where the optime of the street oplum outfits int on a den on \$th street below Race, internal Revenue Inspectors Glover and where examined the collection, which is the street below Race. The optime is the street below Race into and key musc in the raw and cooked into an a den on the raw and cooked into an a den on the raw and cooked into an a den on the raw and cooked into an a den on the raw and cooked into an a den on the raw and cooked into an a den on the raw and cooked into a den of the raw and cooked into a den on the raw and cooked into a den on the raw and cooked into a den on the raw and cooked into a den of the raw and the raw and cooked into a den of the raw and the raw and cooked into a den of the raw and th

Pianist Perfects Device

y a simple mechanism, consisting of a which diffuses the sound to a greater the which diffuses the sound to a greater earner, Madame Mary Hallock, an artist and planiat of this city, has perfected a system by which the plano can be made a system by which the plano can be made a molecular the changing moods of any mained composition on the plano. The movering is called the coloring art, whi Madamu Hallock is credited with bring the planeer is the new musical ar-"commut. SUICIDE DUE TO FAMILY WOE

Man Shoots Himself Through Heart to End His Troubles.

Family trouble so preyed upon the mind of George Lee, of Gloucester, that he shot himself through the heart while his wife lay sleeping last night. Investi-gation of the suicide today by the authorities can trace no other cause for

the deed. According to Policeman Blackburn who lives next door to the Lee home, Lee has complained for some time about fam-ily troubles. The shot which ended Lee's life awakened the entire household, Every effort was made to save the man, but Dr. James A. Heek, who was sum-

noned, said that death had been instantaneous. Lee was employed as a printer with the Welsbach Company, of Gloucester. He leaves four sons and two daughters.

LOSS OF EYE NO DISGUISE

Man Who Was Held Up and Robbed Identifies Prisoner.

The lack of a glass eye falled to dis-guise Frank Rosenberg, of 1202 Mt. Ver-non street. He is accused of holding up and robbing R. M. Musselman, of 1950 South 60th street, of \$3 at 16th and Filbert streets. Rosenberg returned to this cor-ner minus his glass eye and wearing spectacles, and was recognized by District Detective Creedan and Keohane. Later the man was identified by Musselman

Rosenberg was held without hall for court by Magistrate Emely today.

School Boys Accused of Theft

School Boys Accused of Theft Six young boys, betrayed by a girl play-mate, were arraigned before Magistrate Gorman at the House of Detention today, accused of breaking into the Leidy School, on Thompson sirreet below Belmont ave-nue. The prisoners who are all pupils at the school are Francis Tyman, 13 years old, of 4652 Olive street: William Shan-non, 13 years old, of 4648 Olive street: Charles Weiss 15 years old, of 4515 Olive street: Francis Carr, of 655 North 55th street: Frank Stout, 14 years old, of 4511 Haverford avenue, and Harry Ellis, 15 years old, of 4631 Fairmount avenue. The boys are accused of stealing school sup-plies valued at \$59.

HOSPITAL SEEKS FUNDS

HOSPITAL SELAS FUNDS In an effort to continue the work of giving free treatment to the 1600 patients that call during every month at the dis-pensary of the Roosevelt Hospital, 710-712 North 5th street, funds are being solicited and collected today. Miss Johnson, the superintendent, appeals for contributions of food, clothing or money.

_ Lunch Tomorrow at Wiener's RJ The most delightful way to take the sharp edge off a most appe-tics. Testy midday snacks for discutowners. WIENER'S TUNNEL

Parkesburg, at Parkesburg, on the part of Hugh and Harry Brogan, was con-tinued at the night session. The applica-fining the sale of beer and liquors to his tion is bitterly opposed by the no-license store.

Charges of attempted bribery of witnesses are made by the opposition to the application. The application of B. F. Dorsheimer, of Coatesville, also was considered. Charles Dunn, son of a former postmaster at Parkesburg, testified that Harry Brogan had given him \$12 and told him to get out of the State March 12. Dorsheimer later added \$10 to this amount, Dunn declared, so he went to Trenton, N. J., where he remained until Monday.

N. J., where he remained mining analy. "I lived in the town since 1880 and got drunk at least four times a year at the hotel kept by the Brogans," Dunn said. "I borrowed \$10 from Harry Brogan and Intended to pay him later. When I re-turned to Coatesville Monday, I borrowed transport Downlemer A. S. Jackson, a

form Dorsheimer. A. S. Jackson, a special policeman for the No-license Com-mittee, gave me \$3 for expenses to come here." mittee, gave me 33 for expenses to come here." A dramatic scene was enacted when Mrs. William Dickson, of Parkesburg, whose husband committed suicide a year ago, was called. She declared she had served notice in writing on the hotelmen not to sell liquor to her husband, but the note had been returned with the reply that it was outlawed by time. "You, Harry Brogan." she explained, as she pointed at the hotelman, "are the man who robbed me of my husband." John McAvoy and Levi Townsley testi-fied that Dunn was a man of intemperate habits, but on New Year's Day had pledged to reform at the request of Town-sley. Francis A. Manlove, a Methodist minister, said he saw Walter Thomas in-toxicated and doing a cakewalk in a pa-rade.

rade.

Provost Offers Use of Buildings

Provost Offers Use of Buildings Provost Edgar Fahs Smith, of the Uni-versity of Pennsylvania, has offered the use of the buildings of the University to the Associated Advertising Clubs of the World, in the hope that it may serve as an additional inducement to them to come to this city for their annual convention in June, 1916. In making this offer Provost Smith supmorts the efforts of the Poor Smith supports the efforts of the Poor Richard Club to bring the convention here.

Ships Chartered for Ocean Trade

Ships Chartered for Ocean Trade To relieve the stringency of ships to carry transatlantic trades local interests have chartered a number of vessels pre-viously used exclusively on the Great Lakes. These vessels will come here as soon as the St. Lawrence River is opened. Underwriters have given permission for their use on the Atlantic Ocean. They will be used in the sugar trade.



After reviewing the notes of testimony taken at the hearing on the remonstrance filed by Dickinson, Judge Staake, speak-ing for himself and Judge Patterson, said: "You seem to think that you can sell liquor to an habitual drunkard during the moments when he actually is not in-toxicated. That isn't the idea of the law at all. If there was anything in this case indicating your refusal to furnish liquor After reviewing the notes of testimony indicating your refusal to furnish liquor to Dickinson, whom you admitted you knew was addicted to the excessive use of alcohol, you would have some ground upon which to base your plea for le-niency."

The second case brought before the attention of the License Court today resulted in the trial of Eugene C. Buck, of 2942 Gray's Ferry road, who is under indict-ment for forgery and perjury. The charges were brought by Mrs. Esther G. K. Furey, of 1726 Cayuga street, at whose

home Buck is a boarder. Mrs. Furey accuses Buck of having induced her aged uncle to mortgage his property so Buck could buy a saloon. She also declares he beat the old man on several occusions, and charges Buck with failing to return jewelry she gave him to pawn for her so that he could pay a bill.

Affair to Aid Seamen

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Seamen's and Landsmen's Aid Society will enter-tain at a musical and tea, this afternoon, from 3 to 5 o'clock in the Presser Build ing, 1712 Chestnut street, Room 242. The affair will be free, but there will be a silver offering taken for the benefit of the seamer's free reading room, 332 South Front stern:



Tells of Hard Luck.

NEW YORK, March 17 .- James B. Brady, commonly known as "Diamond Jim," was sitting as a Grand Juror yes-terday when Mrs. Martha Bruha, a wid-ow, of 1324 First Avenue, appeared to tell how she had recently been robbed

of all her money. She had walked all the way from her

home in Harlem because she had no car

home in finitem because she had no car-fare. A stenographer learned of her plight and gave her some change. She has two children. Mr. Brady threw a \$100 bill on the stenographer's table. The other Grand Jurors followed this up with \$30 more and the woman went home happy.

Pastor and Woman Lose Bonds

Mrs. Rhoda Schelly, wife of the Rev. R. Y. Schelly, of 1020 South 60th street, while ahe was on a train traveling from Cleve-land to this city. Mrs. Schelly, accompanted by her husband, went to Cleveland in order to settle the estate of a rel-ative. She was a beneficiary under the will and received bonds of the Michigan Limestone Chemical Company. The papers were left in a bag in the sleeping car while Mr. and Mrs. Schelly went to the dining car. The bonds were gone when they returned.

Fancy Gold Fish Exhibit

An exhibit of fancy gold fish, open to the public, will be given tonight at the meeting of the Gold Fish Fanclers' Society, in Saul's Hall, 804 Girard avenue. The show will be one of the largest and best of the year, and will consist of the best of the Telescope breed of 1914 in this city.

position. The budget adopted calls for \$4200. In Audubon, Horace Archer, Clar-ence Middleton and Philip Boos were named by the electorate. The budget of \$9000 for current expenses and \$1000 for repairs to buildings was also authorized.

GLASSBORO CELEBRATES RESULT OF SCHOOL ELECTION

Noisy Demonstrations Precede and Follow Voting.

GLASSBORO, N. J., March 17.-A noisy demonstration followed the announcing of the results of the biggest school election ever held in the history of Glassbore last night. Five hundred votes were polled in a lively three-cornered fight, and interest ran higher than at the fall elec

Interest ran higher than at the fall elec-tions. Parades and other demonstrations preceded the voting. Charles W. Hoy, general manager of the New Terzey Gas Company, led the field of nine candidates, with 235 votes; Thomas M. McCullough got 208 votes, and Samuel D. Beckett, for 18 years president of the D. Beckett, for 18 years president of the Board of Education, was third, with 261 Two other old members of the board wer defeated.



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