A NEW CHURCH DEATH IN THE POT. Rev. CRESET A. Taylor Prenches a Quantum

That Will Cost \$100,000 to be Built in the East End,

WITH A FINE PARSONAGE.

The Fourth Presbyterian Church Growing Very Rapidly,

HAVING NOW OVER 300 MEMBERS.

Something Quite Novel in the Form of Tower-Shaped Study.

A NICE SITE ON WINEBIDDLE AVENUE

A magnificent Presbyterian church will shortly be erected on Winebiddle avenue, East End. The church will be a handsome Gothic structure with stone dressings, and when completed will cost from \$75,000 to \$100,000. All the appointments of the church will be thoroughly in accordance with the latest ideas. Particular attention will be paid to the various rooms necessary for the proper work of a great church. The

In an interview with Dr. Shrom, pasto of the Fourth Presbyterian Church, last evening he said: "We are forced to either build a new annex to our present building or we must erect a commodious temple. The rapidly increasing membership forces us to procure a place which will be adapted to our wants. This congregation has been a migrating one: first they worshiped in a small frame structure on Pearl street, which was organized in 1871. It was then known as the Bloomfield Presbyterian Church. THEY MOVED PREQUENTLY.

"In 1884 the congregation removed the frame building to its present position on Eveline street. At that time it was remodeled. When I accepted the pastorate two and half years ago there were 118 enrolled members. To-day the membership is 318, and our Sunday school numbers about 500. This increase compels us to seek a place worthy of our people, who work hard for the cause.

"I have suggested to remove the church once again, this time to the corner of Winnebiddle avenue and Harriet avenue. This will be the location of our new church, which we trust will be started in a short time. Some of our people have become enthused, and push the project with energy. The large influx of members made the peo ple recognize how cramped we are.

BUILDING A PARSONAGE.

"The reason we do not commence work upon our stone edifice at once is that we are putting up a parsonage. When that is off our hands the other will be taken up with a vim and pushed through. Our expecta-tion is to be on the way in 12 months' time. The lot that the frame church now stands on is worth from \$8,000 to \$10,000, which will be sold after the other is built,

'The parsonage is to be exceptionally well built. It is in course of erection on Atlantic avenue, and will cost over \$9,000. It will be a three-story brick, with stone facings, four floors on each landing. At the entrance a room will be fitted out for the reception of visitors who come upon church matters. The most singular room will be an octagonal tower study. The ceiling will have an odd shape. The light will come through the tower windows at the rear end of the apartment. Beautiful carved shelves will be fixed on to the walls for the reception of my books. This study will be a very charming one, besides being unique."

A TRANSFORMED CHURCH.

The Methodist Protestant Temple Look Well in Its New Dress.

The First Methodist Protestant Church, on Fifth avenue, has been thoroughly renovated and cleaned. The church was closed for the last six weeks and given over to the workmen. It was reopened vesterday.

Outside the steps have been removed back about 334 feet, and the front of the building scraped and painted a bright red. In side the vestibule has been taid in oil wood, which gives it a much better ap-pearance than the old bricks. The walls ading up to the gallery have been calcimined a pretty fawn color, with a dark The audience room is furnished with new carpets and repainted seats.

ceiling and walls are handsomely decorated. A massive carved pulpit, with sanctuary chairs and table to match, have been provided. A number of stained-glass rindows of exquisite coloring are re-placing the old plain ones. The improvements reflect great credit on the committee who had the work in charge. The approximate cost of the work will be under \$3,000.

WITH A BEOKEN RIB.

Peter Schmidt Found Drunk and Badly Buttered Up.

Peter Schmidt was found lying in a court off Monterey street, Allegheny, on Saturday night, having blood on his clothes and unmistakably under the influence of liquor. City Physician Woodburn ordered his removal to the General Hospital, and there it was found that one of his ribs was broken and his lung had been punctured by the broken bone. Inquiry developed the fact that he had been fighting near the market house on Saturday with a man whose name he said was Swoger, but he could not tell how he came to be in the vicinity of Mon-

Schmidt is a huckster, 48 years old, and lives at No. 76 Davis alley.

THE BUSSES IN DEMAND.

People on Hiland Avenue Appreciate the Latest Convenience.

The people on Hiland avenue are appre ciating the new line of 'busses, put on by the Pittsburg Traction Company from their East Liberty station to the city basin. The busses began running on Saturday, and the first day they carried over 250 passengers. Yesterday twice as many vehicles could not accommodate the people who wished to ride. and the "busses were crowded each trip. The street is about two miles long, and formerly there was no means of conveyance to and from East Liberty station.

DEATHS TO BE REPORTED.

Dr. Conway Will Ask the Court to Inquire Into Two Denths.

Dr. Conway, of the Mercy Hospital, will to-day make a report to court about two deaths that have occurred in that institu tion. One is the case of Edward Schendel who died from the effects of a bad fall, and the other that of Mrs. Ludwig Rosheki, who died on Saturday. Mrs. Rosheki died from the effects of exhaustion.

ANARCHISTS' ANNIVERSARY.

A Local Labor Organization Asked to Help Celebrate the Event.

At the meeting of the German Trades Assembly yesterday, a committee representing the International Workingmen's Union, invited the delegates to take part with them in celebrating the anniversary of the exe-cution of the Chicago Anarchists. The in-vitation was referred to a committee.

DEATH IN THE POT.

Sermon at a Compmeeting-Broadax Smith Held Forth at Sewickley. Yesterday the advertised colored camp-

meeting to raise funds to pay for Rev.

Flemon's defense came off in McKee's MODERN METHODS TO BE ADOPTED Grove near Wilkinsburg, There was a very large attendance, more especially toward evening, and several colored ministers were present; among others, the Rev. C. B. Whitelock, of Baltimore; Rev. Isaac Jones, Chautauqua; and Rev. W. B. Peter-

WATCHING THE SIGNS OF THE TIMES sen, of Salem, Mass. The Misses Thomson's quartet sang during the afternoon. About 6:30 P. M. Rev. Casar A. Taylor, of New York City, opened service with a short prayer. Mr. I. E. Robinson presided, and introduced Mr. Taylor to his audience

as a young minister of great promise, and the leader of the Republican Association of New York State. Mr. Taylor then opened his discourse, taking as his text, II. Kings, iv., 40: "And it came to pass as they were eating that they cried out and said, O thou man of God, there is death in the pot!

And they could not est thereof," The preacher then said that this text dem onstrated a fact, namely, that since Adam's fall death soured all things. By sin death came, and all men must die. Men spoke erroneously when they said that they were living. No man was living; but all men were dving, and dving fast. Every step brought man nearer to that death which he feared so nuch. And yet men said that they were liv-

We were all spiritually present in Eden; Sunday school is to be made a specialty. A splendid organ will be placed in the rear of the auditorium.

That was why all men shared that awful death sentence with Adam. They were present in Eden and took part in the

> When the great"I am,"who ruled and superruled the universe, said to Adam, "When thou eatest thereof thou shalt surely die," he foreshadowed this death that lies lurking in the pots. That was a law made by God. Paul spoke of the "perfect law of liberty." That to the ignorant seemed a contradiction in terms; for they thought that liberty meant lawlessness, but these laws were only meant to guide, and they did not compel, wherefore they leave to all men liberty and tree action. It was a terrible warning for the glutton in worldly pleasures, that "death in the pot." With a rapid flight of fancy he then sketched the miseries of the drunkard, and the baseness of the genius which debauchery had dragged to the very

> They had supped at the pot, and they would die the death. He that would be saved should resist the savory temptations of the alluring pot. But alas there were people who, when they got to heaven, would require all the angels to bow, and scrape, and say, "Howdy do, brother so so," or "sister somebody-howdy do? Thank you ever so much for getting saved from hades and damnation, and excuse us for not providing you with an elevator. Those

> golden stairs are very steep."
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> There was also a very large colored assembly at Sewickley yesterday. Rev. G.
> L. Holliday, Bishop Jones, Broadax
> Smith and many others were present.

FEVER IN ALLEGHENY.

Typhold Seems to be Sprending Across the River.

There are 75 patients in the Allegheny General Hospital, 34 of whom are suffering with typhoid fever. The fever seems to be scarcely decreasing; one new case was brought in on Saturday, and another came

HITHER AND THITHER. Movements of Pitrsburgers and Others of

Wide Acquaintance. William C. McPherson, of the firm of McPherson & Son, contractors, of Philadel-phia, is in the city for the purpose of purchasing beavy structural iron from Carnegie, Phipps & Co. He is after beams of an extraordinary ec. Co. He is after beams of an extraordinary length and thickness, and it is said Carnegie's is the only firm in the country who can make them. Mr.; McPherson is the man who had the contract for the erection of the new municipal hall in the Quaker City. It is the only thing in the country known to have been started before work on the new Pittsburg Government building was begun. The Philadelphia building was started in 1871, and will not be completed for two years yet. The cost of the building is estimated at \$16,500,000. A bronze statue of William Penn will surmount the top, and will be 37 feet high. The top of the statue will be 55 feet from the ground. According to Mr. McPherson's statement it will be the highest building in the world excepting the Eiffel tower in Paris. The city officers will move into the building November 1.

—United States Commissioner McCand-

-United States Commissioner McCandess, Assistant District Attorney Alcorn and United States Detective McSweeney left last night for Williamsport, to be present at the night for Williamsport, to be present at the opening of the United States Circuit and District Court, which sits there to-day. They were accompanied by Mr. Wilson, one of the directors of the Marine National Bank, who will represent that corporation in the case against Harry Flaum, the embenzling bookkeeper. District Attorney Lyon, Marshal Miller and Deputy Chambers will leave this morning. The latter will be in charge of the prisoners whose trials will be in charge of the prisoners whose trials will come up. In the case of young Flamm, an indictment will be found and the case will be tried in this city next mouth. Judge Acheson is now in the East, and the sessions of the court will last till Saturday.

-Mrs. Leslie Carter, the Chicago beauty who figured in the famous divorce case, was a passenger on the limited express last night, on passenger on the limited express last night, on her way home from New York. She had given orders to the colored porter of the car to admit nobody to see her, and during the whole time she was at the station she sat staring out of the window. She was dressed in a dark traveling costume, and, unlike the other ladies on the train, did not discard her heavy fall hat. She has been in New York for some time, studying for the stage, and her yisit to Chicago lead, for the stage, and her visit to Chicago leads to that she has given up project for the present.

-Rev. Strief, pastor of the Mount Washington Presbyterian Church, conducted services at the West Penn Hospital yesterday after-noon. The institution has 220 patients at pres-

ent. Forty of them are cases of typhoid fer -James Chambers, of the firm of Chambers & McKee, with his interesting family, returned last night from the mountains. All of them were looking as brown as berries after their summer's stay.

-Miss Ida Sweeney, of Wooster, arrived in the city last evening, and with Miss Helen Rubesill, a well-known belle of Ashland, will spend several weeks with Miss Banker, of Mey-

ran avenue. -C. L. Mackey, the Republican politician, who was a candidate for Congress against W. L. Scott, of Erie, arrived in the city last evening and will spend several days here on

-Stauley G. Thomas, Alexander G. Matterson, Mrs. Robert Pool and Miss Pool, of Yankton, Dak., stopped over in the city last night on their way East.

-Richard Colfins, the well-known indus trial reporter of this city, returned yesterday from his two weeks' vacation to his home in Maryland. -C. B. Wheeler, of the Detroit Steel

Company, who has been here on business con-nected with his firm, left last evening for

-Mrs. W. A. Cowan, wife of the Superintendent of the West Penn Hospital, arrived home last evening from a trip to Atlantic City.

-John B. Schlosser, lately of the Hotel Duquesne, has returned from Long Branch, where he was looking after hotel matters. -James G. Wyman, ex-Mayor of Alie-

gheny City, went to New York last night to see his racer, Kinsman, run at Freeport. -Wharton McKnight, the boiler manufacturer, went to New York last evening to bring home his family. -George C. Dean, a prominent riverman

from Cincinnati, is in the city stopping at the Central Hotel. -C. H. Jackson, of the Standard Underground Cable Company, went to New York last night.

-Joseph Craig, of the Globe Refining Company, left last evening for Philadelphia. -Frank Armstrong, the coal dealer, went to Philadelphia last night.

TALKING INTO TUBES

Rev. J. W. Sproull's Telephonic Scheme Received Favorably.

In Order to Neutralize the Growing At-

tractiveness of Vice.

Three old persons had considerable difficulty in repressing their desire to shout "Hello, Central!" yesterday morning, when they applied their ears to sundry transmitters, just as Dr. Sproull commenced his sermon at the Central Reformed Presbyterian Church. Meanwhile divers comments were passed upon a funnel-shaped tin device attached to the pulpit, to which Rev. Mr. Sproull addressed all of his discourse and considerable of his attention. After the service everybody crowded around the three people who had received their sermon by telephone and asked how it worked. Two of them had heard every word distinctly, and the third had heard fairly well, but complained of the scattering of the words. This disability will be remedied by next Sunday.

The experts who are constructing the appliance maintain that the number of tubes and transmitters will be necessarily limited, but the pastor of the church stated that some experiments will be needed before the exact number to be furnished can be made known. He was much pleased, not only by guilt. So we were dying every day; death was in the pot—in the dish—in the food we hearty favor with which it was received. contrary to his expectations, for every church numbers conservative people who do not enjoy innovations. At present it is the intention to have ten transmitters attached to the tube. Rev. Mr. Sprouli stated subsequently that the labor of speaking was to some extent augmented by the fact that an evenly forcible tone had to be used, and that while in the pulpit the position of the speaker had to remain unchanged. He expects, however, to not only become used to the requirements of the system, but to make it a permanent feature of his ministerial

> CHURCHES TOO CONSERVATIVE. Rev. Mr. Sproull was seen at his home and requested to give his views upon the question of the application of modern discoveries to the practical work of Christianity. He said: "The church must adapt itself in every respect to every change in connection with society. I am a firm believer in progress. Too long the church has been the last to notice the kaleidoscopie changes which are slowly leavening society. I maintain that there is no divine haste in the preparation for every radical change in nature or in society, but I think religious bodies are over-cautious in the important work of conforming to changes when the latter take place. But ideas are pervading society which demand attention from the church. It would be a queer, old-fashioned world if the ideas of thinking men had not impregnated society. The minds of the people are being enlarged and their percepions quickened, and I would suppose that the church should be consulting its own welfare if it adopted a progressive instead

> of a stationary policy.
> "I look for the day to come when the interior of churches and the comfort of attendants will receive the same attention bestowed upon public amusements. The church must study the conditions of society in order to enlarge its scope. If comfortable chairs and personal accessories, and the best of music, lighting, ventilation, etc., will attract more people to church, all those re-quirements must be met. We must not confine ourselves to the launching of anathemas against crying evils. We must set can be minimized. must be brought to bear. Take, for instance, my little plan for enabling people to hear distinctly what the minister says. There are many people who refuse to go to church because they cannot hear. The present system of church life requires active overhauling with a view to attracting the tremendous number of non-churchgoers. city congregations are diminishing faster than new members are introduced. Under such stimulation the churches should be able

to both hold and increase popular attend-

SECRET SOCIETY METHODS. "Our churches are sadly neglectful of their poor. The Masons, Odd Fellows and other secret societies maintain and assist the bereaved families of their poor people. The church folds its hands too often and allows humanity to fight for daily bread. This should not be so. I have had nothing but praise for my plan as put in force to-day, but it is often the case that a minister who schemes for the future benefit of his flock is sometimes accused of sensationalism, when nothing could be further from his intention. The Reformed Presbyterian Church has recognized women's claim to active participation in church duties. In several local churches women are elected as deacons, and are actually serving in that capacity. Women has just as much right to recognition anywhere as man, and will eventually obtain those rights.

"I think that every church in town that has members who are hard of hearing will eventually adopt the 'telephone system. And I cannot help believing that if churches were as luxuriously appointed, so far as the comfort of attendants is concerned, as the interior of the average theater; if every plan was adopted which could make churches attractive, there would be fewer empty pews. The churches are altogether too conservative in some respects, but the signs of the time seem to point to a more progressive policy. It is, perhaps, a sweep-ing statement to make, but, to an observer, vice is daily being made more attractive to its votaries and the public, and the church must awake from its lethargy and adopt policy in accordance with the modern days.

THEY MAY MEET HERE.

The International Sanday School Associa

tion Will Be Invited. Next Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock there will be an important meeting of the Sabbath School Superintendent's Association in the chapel of the First Presbyterian Church, Wood street. The question to be discussed at the meeting is the matter of inviting the International Sunday School Association of America and Canada to hold their next triennial convention here in June, 1890. An earnest invitation has been extended to the members of the organization to be present. Rev. R. F. Miller and Rev. B. F. Woodburn, delegates to the late World's Sunday School Convention, held in London, will be present and address the meeting in reference to the wonderful con-

A CASE OF SPOONS.

John Plunkett Held for Working the Ben

Butler Racket. Last night Officer Burns, of the Penn avenue district, arrested a man named John Plunkett and sent him to the Twelfth ward station on a charge of drunkenness. When Sergeant Stix searched the prisoner at the lockup, three silver spoons were found in his inside pocket. Plunket claimed that the spoons were relies of the Johnstown flood, but as his story seems a trifle off coler he will be held as a suspicious character.

In vesterday's issue Mr. Howard, the voice teacher, is made to say that he has the half hour from 2:30 to 3 o'clock

A NEW RELIGIOUS PAPER. Canadian Convert to Protestantism Will

Enter the Field. Prof. Oliver Comtois, a French Canadian who has recently renounced Papacy, preached a sermon at the Eighth Stree Presbyterian Church last evening upon the "Errors and Evils of Romanism." He devoted his discourse to logic rather than abuse, attacking the infallibility of the Pope and the system of Romanism.

In regard to public schools, Prof. Comtois said: "Rome has made your schools Godless by bringing influence to bear in having the reading of the Bible eliminated from them and then bases its instructions to its sub-jects, in ordering them to remove their children from public schools, upon the fact that there is no religion inculcated—a manifest absurdity." The speaker al-luded to the fact that Archbishop Ireland, of St. Paul, is President of an immigration and colonization company which is settling Romanists by the thou-sand in the State of Minnesota. He maintained that within 20 years America would be dominated by Rome unless steps were taken to checkmate its growing power in

this country.

At the conclusion of Prof. Comtois' address, Rev. Mr. McAllister, pastor of the church, made several remarks to the effect that Prof. Comtois would shortly establish a weekly paper in Pittsburg to be called the Protestant Herald, the initial number of which would appear in August next, and bespeaking the good will and substantial aid of his hearers for the new enter-

A VERY SAD CASE.

A Southside Girl Crazed by Religious Funcies Sent to Dixmont.

Miss Kate Smith, the 24-year-old daughter of John Smith, a member of the Monongahela Sand Company, has become insane over religious matters. On Saturday she was taken to Dixmont from the residence of her father, No. 1923 Sidney street, South-

The young lady was a devout Catholic, and practiced some very severe exercises. Her mind finally gave way under the great strain to which she subjected it, and first a mild then a violent form of insanity set in. Her parents thought that her condition might be the result of fever, but the attend-ing physicians could only see in the case pure symptoms of insanity. They advised the removal of the girl to Dixmont, where

she can receive proper attention, and this step was accordingly taken. Mr. Smith, the father of the demented young lady, was seen by a DISPATCH re-porter, and he denied that the girl's affliction was due to brooding over religion. Her form of insanity turned on religious matters, but had been produced by other than religious causes. This view was also sustained by Dr. Thomas, one of the attending physicians.

THEIR ANNUAL SESSION.

Homeopathic Physicians Will Talk Doctor-

ing in Pittsburg. The twenty-fifth annual session of the Homeopathic Medical Society of Pennsylvania will be held in the Homeopathic Hospital next Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. One hundred delegates or more, including the most prominent and successful homeopathic physicians, are expected to be present, and royal arrangements for their reception have been made by the Pittsburg

The following is the programme for Tueslay afternoon:

"Symptoms Suggesting Nux Vomica," Dr. I. G. Guernsey; "Repertory of Symptoms of Leating and Drinking," Dr. I. G. Smedly; "Repertory of Symptoms of the Lungs," Dr. E. R. Snader; "Repertory of Symptoms of the Throat," Dr. H. F. Ivins: "Repertory of Symptoms of the Hypochondrise," Dr. Chandlies Weaver; "Repertory of Symptoms of the Cough," Dr. C. S. Middleton; "Repertory of Symptoms of Chill, Fever and Sweat," Dr. August Korndoerfler.

Latereting essays will be read at each

Interesting essays will be read at each meeting of the session. The meeting of the State Allopathic Society will be held in this city the week after next.

WAITING DEVELOPMENTS.

No Arrests to be Made Before the Hearing in the Scottdale Case. Superintendent M. J. Dean, of the Anti-Cruelty Society, who is pushing matters in the Scottdale case, was asked last night

if any new arrests had been made. "No," he replied; "at least, none will be made before the preliminary hearing, and then, of course, the character of the evigiven will determine our inture actions. have the names of quite a number of people who are said to be connected with the case in one way or another, but can make no arrests on mere rumor. So far our course has been plain sailing, and if I am not greatly mistaken, we will make some of the guilty parties suffer before we are through with them."

DIED IN BALTIMORE.

Well-Known Citizen of the Eleventh Ward

Expires There. The body of Joseph Lockner, Sr., one of the best-known residents of the Eleventh ward, arrived home last night from Baltimore. The deceased left for the latter place one week ago yesterday, and the first intelligence his family had of him was that he was dead. He resided at No. 380 Web-

LOCAL ITEMS, LIMITED.

Incidents of a Day in Two Cities Condensed for Rendy Rending. A YOUNG man named Michael Barrett, while

assisting in lowering a 32-inch natural gas pipe in a trench on South Twelfth street, yesterday forenoon, was struck by the crane handle and received a frightful gash over the right eye. He was taken to his home on Bingham street. JOHN COLASON and George O'Donnell, the two young men who were arrested on Saturday evening by Officer Carroll, of the Thirtieth ward station, on the charge of insulting ladies on Carson street, received 30 days each before Magistrate Brokaw yesterday.

An alarm of fire from box 213 about 11 o'clock vesterday morning was caused by, a slight fire in the roof of a house occupied by a family named Ening, on Thirty-seventh street. The fire was caused by a defective flue. The damage was trifling.

WM. PARRY, Michael and Patrick Woods were arrested early on Sunday morning for being engaged in a fight on the corner of Twenty-ninth street and Penn avenue. They were fined \$25 and costs each by Magistrate McKenna.

W. C. COOKE presided at the gospel temperance meeting in Curry Hall, Sixth street, last night. Messrs. Thomas Jones, Charles Robin-son, John Kirk, A. M. Brown, Charles F. Kel-lenberger and J. A. Moreland addressed the meeting.

AT the U. P. Church, corner of Devillers and Wylic avenues, an entertainment and concert will be held by the Young People's Association on October 11. A very entertaining and elaborate programme is being prepared. THE temperance meeting of the Moorhead Union last night was led by Mrs. R. H. Jones, and a song service was the principal feature the evening. Addresses were made by Shaner, Lee Smith and F. E. King. THOMAS MABERRY, a laborer at the Edgar

Thomson Steel Works, was brought to the Mercy Hospital yesterday suffering from a badly burnt foot, which he received from a lot of hot metal passing over it. THE condition of John Alder, the young German who attempted suicide by shooting himself through the right cheek on Thursday night last, is daily growing better. MRS. MARY WARDER, who lives on Murphy

M. D. HEASTINGS, a prominent Odd Fellow and Knight of the Golden Eagle, was buried yesterday in the Allegheny Cemetery. MARTIN FISHER, a former well known placksmith of this city, died yesterday at the Southside Hospital, from asthma. OFFICER McLAUGHLIN started for Hagerstown, Md., last night to bring back William Castle, wanted here for burglary.

M'KNIGHT HOPEFUL

He Feels Confident the Arbitrators Will Recognize His Claim.

IT IS A DIFFERENCE OF OPINION.

The Johnstown Contractor Shows Where . the State is Wrong.

TESTIMONY TO BE TAKEN ON PRIDAY

The board of arbitration created for the purpose of adjusting the differences existing between James McKnight, the contractor, and the State authorities about the work done at Johnstown will in this city on Friday next sit take testimony in the controversy. Upon their decision will depend whether or not Mr. McKnight will be paid his claims. The board is composed of Secretary Kremer, of the Relief Committee: Evan Jones, the contractor, and a third person to be chosen by the two named. A dozen names have been suggested, but he will probably not be known until Messrs. Kremer and Jones come together on Friday morning. They will likely hold their

meeting at the Hotel Anderson. As THE DISPATCH first published in a special from Johnstown, there is a difference of about \$30,000 in round numbers between the accounts of Mr. McKnight and the State's representatives. Mr. Mc-Knight's balance was about \$38,000. This includes a bill from Carlin & Sons for \$4,700 and an account from Anshutz & Co. for \$2,500.

THEIR BALANCE WAS SMALLER. Quartermaster General Hill, of this city, who had charge of the accounts of the State, and Colonel Douglass, of the Baltimore and Ohio road, who had immediate supervision over the timekeepers employed by the State, figured a balance of only 9,000 and some odd lars due the contractor. This Mr. Mc-Knight refused to accept, and after considerable discussion it was decided to leave the matter to an arbitration board. Adjutant General D. H. Hastings, acting as the rep-resentative of the State, and Mr. McKnight entered into an agreement to abide by the decision of the board. If the latter decide that the contractor is entitled to but \$9,000 he will have to accept it, there being no re-

In conversation vesterday Mr. McKnight "I have not the least doubt that the board will not give us what we are entitled to. We would have had no trouble with the State authorities had it not been on cal grounds. Colonel Douglass said he could not help but see that there should be a vast difference in the accounts. He did not say that our accounts were wrong, and as they were not under his immediate supervision he could not legally order our claims

to be paid. A DIFFERENCE OF OPINION. "The large discrepancy is due to a differ ence of opinion as to the rates paid men for working. I had men working waist deep in the Conemaugh river, and paid them \$1 75 and \$2 per day. This work was worth far more than that, but the State officials only allowed us \$1 50 for them. The water was so cold at times that men could not be prevailed upon to continue working, and had to be supplied with stimulants. They struck once for \$2 50, yet the State only wanted to give them the pay of an ordinary laborer. We had other men working in out of the way places that the State time keepers never visited. We had men with the commissioners and at the Red Cross headquarters that we were not allowed one cent for. Colonel Douglass only allowed us for the men actually engaged on the rivers and highways. All other claims he threw out. Secretary Kremer, I think, will act fairly with us and give us what he thinks is right. Mr. Jones, I am sure, will

do the same thing."

A QUEER JERSEYMAN. William Whipple, the Hypnotic Wanderer Will Go East To-Day. William S. Rule, of Jacksonville, Ill.

arrived in Allegheny last evening to take charge of his brother-in-law, William Whip-Before daylight Friday a policeman found Mr. Whipple wandering about on the Brighton road. The man could give little account of himself, and did not know what city he was in. He was taken to the Allegheny lock up. In his pockets and sewed in his clothing was tound \$2,970. He was locked up as a vagrant, and a telegram was

sent to Mr. Rule, whose name was given by Mr. Rule is a carpenter, whose wife is a sister to Mr. Whipple. Mr. Rule said:
"Mr. Whipple is 55 years old and a bachelor. He was formerly a farmer, but has not been working for several years. He lived with his aged mother at Kingston, N. I. He was rather eccentric. Last June he left New Jersey to visit us. He reached Fort Wayne and there lost his bearings in some way and went back home. About three weeks ago he reached our house. He said he could not remember how he got there or how long he was on the way. We thought that was because he was worn out with travel. He brought his money with him, and I had him put it in bank. He did not like to have it there, being afraid that he could not get it again. He drew it out and left for the East last Wednesday. He appeared to be all right when he departed. My wife sewed some of his money into the

lining of his clothes." Whipple was very wild yesterday, having been excited by the great number of drunken prisoners brought in during the preceding night. He declared that all the policemen in the country were trying to kill him. He recognized his brother-in-law, but could not talk with him coherently. Mr. Rule said he would take Whip

ple probably East to-day. IN HONOR OF SUNSET COX.

Postoffice Clerks Pay a Tribute to Their

Departed Friend. The Pittsburg postoffice clerks met yester day afternoon and passed fitting resolutions in honor of Congressman S. S. Cox, deceased. Some eloquent tributes were paid to his memory. The clerks decided to push the bill which the genial wit introduced in the last Congress, providing for a classifica-

The resolutions adopted follow:
WHEREAS, It has pleased Almighty God to remove the Hon, Samuel Sullivan Cox, member of Congress, from the scene of his active patriotic and fruitful labors here on earth. ber of Congress, from the scene of the active, particle and fruitful labors here on earth.

Whereas, The deceased ever showed himself the generous friend of the subordinate employes of the civil service, espousing their cause with the full warmth of his noble heart, the full power of his towering intellect.

Whereas, He was ever ready to exercise his splendid talents in behalf of all his countrymen splendid falents in benair of all his countrymen irrespective of creed or party; be it Resolved, By us, the members of the Association of Pittsburg Postoffice Clerks, in meeting assembled, that First—We offer to the widow and family of the deceased our heartfelt condolence and sym-

the deceased our neartest controlled and spathy.

Second—We put on record our deep sense of the loss we have sustained by the death of our most earnest and steadfast friend,

Third—We condole with the nation at large, now weeping over the bier of one of her most talented and patriotic sons, and pray the spirit in which he lived and worked may illumine the path of our nation's future statesmen.

J. EDWARD COWAN, President.

BERNARD O'TOOLE, Secretary.

MR. JAS. B. HAZEN, of Hazeldell, Law rence county, Pa., was hit in the eye with a stone last summer, cutting the ball open from top to bottom, followed by total blindfrom top to bottom, followed by total plind-ness. A week after he was brought to Dr. Sadler, 804 Penn avenue, who has restored the sight sufficiently to read all common print, leaving but a slight scar.

AN ITALIAN FUNERAL.

The First One From the New Church-A Member of the Societa Fraterna Dies After Two Days' Illness.

The first funeral of an Italian to take place from the Italian church, in the basement of the Cathedral, in that language occurred yesterday. It was that of Giacome Bonini, the tallest and one of the best known members of the Societa Fraterns in Pittsburg. He formerly kept a stand at the corner of Penn avenue and Sixth street and lately has been in charge of the refresh ment booth in "peanut heaven" at the Bijou

The deceased died on Friday, after an illness of two days. The funeral took place from his late residence, No. 25 Diamond street, and was in charge of Director James J. Flannery. The Italian society turned out in a body, and headed by the Cathedral Band, marched to the church.

At the church, Rev. Father Giacomo Annovazzi, the Italian priest, conducted the services and preached a touching sermon in his pating tongue.

his native tongue. Nearly 100 carriage followed the remains to St. Mary's Ceme tery, where they were interred. At the grave, Joseph Cuneo, President of the society, delivered a few remarks on the life of the departed member. It was almost dark when the tuneral cortege left the ceme tery and returned to the city.

CONVICTED BY HIS WIFE.

Thaddens Frisbee's Rough Record, According to Mrs. Frisbee.

Thaddeus S. Frisbee, of the Ninth ward of Allegheny, was yesterday sent to the workhouse by Mayor Pearson. Frishee and William Morrissey quarreled in Good's grocery store, on Preble avenue, late Saturday evening, and Officer Cochran arrested both for disorderly conduct.

When Frisbee was arraigned he told the Mayor that Morrissey had broken up his home by coming between him and his wife. Mrs. Frisbee keeps a boarding house on Mc-Clure avenue. She testified against her husband. She said that he was a worthless drunkard, that he had not been sober for two years, and that she had been forced to keep him. She had borrowed money from Morrissey to start her boarding house. She salleged that her husband had treated her with great cruelty, that he had not allowed her to go to bed for an entire week, and that he and his brother had plotted to murder her. Morrissey paid the costs in his case,

DRINK FOR THE THIRSTY.

That Public Fountain Formally Presented the Citizens.

After a great amount of trouble and vexaion the public drinking fountain of the Fifteenth ward was finally presented to the citizens last night. An interesting programme had been arranged for the occasion. St. Augustine's Brass Band, which is a branch of St. Augustine's Young Men's Literary Society of Lawrenceville, played some very excellent music, and they were sisted in a vocal way by Amphi Quartet. Mr. M. P. Hawley was the orator of the occasion, and presented the fountain to the citi

ens in a neat speech.

Red fire, Chinese lanterns and an immens Red fire, Uniness innerns and an immense crowd added enthusiasm to the occasion, and everything passed off pleasantly. The fountain is located at the corner of Thirty-ninth and Butler streets, and is the pride of

INTERESTING LECTURE. Miss Campbell Talks About the Work of Foreign Missions. A Bible reading was given at the Bethany Home, 173 Center avenue, yesterday after

noon by Mrs. Sarah Grier Beck. The feat

ure of the evening was a lecture by Miss

Campbell, formerly of the Mildway Mission and now with Dr. Hudson Taylor's China-Ireland Mission.
She described in a vivid manner the ociety, ar remarks with numerous anecdotes. The inisters of the society work without pay, but are nevertheless accomplishing a great The heathens are burning idols and turning with alacrity to Christianity. An American mission is being estab-lished in China, and about 17 Americans

are on their way to the mission ground. A large and attentive audience listened to the Rare Opportunity for Ladies. Mr. J. J. McKenna, ladies' tailor, of 36 East Twenty-third street, New York, will be at the Hotel Anderson on Monday, Tues-

He will have samples and designs of the latest importations of fall and winter cloths suitable for ladies suits, long coats, jackets, ulsters and riding habits. His cloths have been carefully selected from the best English and French manufacturers and will give thorough satisfaction. A call solicited; all orders promptly at-

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FONDNESS FOR CASH.

How Sharp Europeans Like to Relieve Americans of Their Gold.

DR. F. M'DONALD'S EXPERIENCES.

The Yankee is Considered a Good Pellow Across the Deep Water.

A WATERLOO GUIDE WAS OVERMATCHED

Dr. Frank McDonald, who returned from Europe last week, has had some funny experiences du ring his trip, and says he will not underta ke another tour without first engaging an interpreter. Among other souvenirs he brought across the berring pond are some exceedingly interesting exterior views, which are picturesque and natural. He says the American is regarded very highly in all the countries he visited. At the Alhambra, in London, a series o national tableaux was presented one night, and the Russian, German and Austrian sets were roundly hissed, while America, magnificently set and accompanied by "Hail Columbia" by the orchestra was the signal for a wild outburst of
applause, liberally helped out by the American colony, which was represented by some
25, of whom seven were Pittsburgers, and
who were rejoiced by the sight of the Stars
and Street.

THEY LIKE AMERICAN GOLD. There is another thing, the doctor says, which follows the average American, and that is the supposition that he is a gold mine, and should be worked for all he is worth. While he and a friend were visiting an old church in Cologne the verger, on being asked what the charges were, promptly replied a mark.

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"While we were paying it," continued the doctor, "a Dutchman came up, and on asking the same question was charged 40 pfennigs. I just understood German enough to see that we were being swindled, and I talked United States to that fellow, but he wouldn't give up. I tried German on him, but the cuss didn't understand his own language, which didn't surprise me, come to think of it. I finally grabbed him by the collar and shook him till his back teeth rattled, and he produced the other 60 pfennigs. We got out of Cologne that evening, as we had no desire to be run in for assault and battery, disorderly conduct, or whatever else the German coppers might charge us with. We found that the money he tried to beat us out of would have kept him in beer for a month, and the old fellow had some capacity that way, too, but for the honor of the flag we were bound that no foreigner would beat us out of 60 cents, if we could help it.

HIS FRIEND'S BIG YARN.

HIS PRIEND'S BIG YARN. "Paris is a wonderful place and Brussels is a little Paris. When we visited the field of Waterloo we had one of those hereditary guides who had very exalted views of that great battle, and very exaggerated ones concerning the United States and its people. My friend asked him how many days the fight at Waterloo lasted and how many men were killed and on being told gravely inquired if the guide remembered the inquired if the guide remembered the American war some 25 years ago. He said yes and my vivacious companion unblush-ingly informed him that some of our battles ingly informed him that some or our natties lasted from three to six weeks, and 150,000 killed in the engagement was regarded as quite an ordinary loss. This the guide took in without even gulping and I saw him make some notes in a little memorandum book a lew minutes later, so I suppose the mill give some year remarkable pointers. he will give some very remarkable pointers in American history which would as-tonish even the editor of Scribner's Maga-zine."

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