CATSUP MAY GO HIGH.

lersey, Delaware and Maryland Tomate

Crop Ruined by the Coast Storms-The

Canned Article to Advance Pos-

sibly 10 Per Cent.

PHILADELPHIA, September 22. — The secent great storms, the almost continuous

rains of the last two weeks and the sudder advent of cold weather have destroyed the

greater part of the tomato crop. Canneries which should now be in operation at their

full capacity are nearly at a standstill

agents have been instructed to refuse orders,

and it is probable that there will be a

large advance in the price of canned to-

matoes and catsup. The full extent of the

damage to the crop has not yet been ascer-tained, and dealers and canners are waiting

anxiously for developments before making any contracts to can or sell tomato products.

The loss falls heaviest upon the New Jersey,

Delaware and Maryland farmers who are given fixed prices for their tomatoes, and the destruction of one-half of their crop means the loss of just so much cash to

from last year, and the canners have turned these goods over to the dealers at low prices

in order to enable them to start this season clear. This old stock will very effectually

prevent any very large advance in the price of new goods, notwithstanding the losses oc-casioned by the storms. From present indi-cations, however, I should say that there

The B. & O. R. R. will sell excursion

tickets to Cincinnati and return at rate of

PROF. CHRISTY'S Dancing Academy

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### OF NATIONAL CRANKS

Washington is a Center, as It is Headquarters for Hobbies.

THE WOMEN WHO WOULD BE MEN

Lead the List as Being Most Noticeable, and

Others Follow.

SOME DECIDEDLY AMUSING CLAIMS

CORRESPONDENCE OF THE DISPATCH. WASHINGTON, September 21 .- The National Capital is the center of "Crankdom." People with hobbies and fixed peculiar ideas abound here. They form a large element of the population, and in one sense an important one. Every inventor with an impossible flying machine or a device for obtaining perpetual motion comes to Congress with it sooner or later, and once here he usually remains, besieging the halls of legislation with imaginary claims.

The men and women who have claims against the Government are the majority of the cranks. Their claims are of all kinds. Some of them are purely imaginary. Some of them are based on services performed and already sufficiently recompensed. Some have real merit; but the claimant, through constantly shooting at one target, has come to magnify the target beyond all natural proportions.

In addition to these people there are the men and women with peculiar ideas about certain branches of the Government and the way they should be managed.

Dr. Mary Walker is a crank, although she would be exceedingly angry if anyone should tell her so; and Charlotte Smith, the President of the Woman's League, is a crank on the subject of working women, although I suppose when Charlotte sees this she will call down all sorts of madedictions on my innocent head.

WITH OTHERS' GRIEVANCES. Charlotte Smith is in continual pursuit of the heads of the bureaus in the different de-

partments, always with some other woman's grievance to redress. She is a bustling little woman who dresses in black, and who usually carries in her well-gloved hands a bundle of papers. She makes it her business to see that the working women the departments are given an qual chance with men, and she usually carries her point. She has great influence with certain members of Congress, whose little faults and vices she has learned through the House servants who are members of the Woman's League, and whenever she calls on the heads of departments for recognition and fails to get it, she pulls a string or two, and they soon see the advisability of letting her have her own way, at least in part. She has an ample tear reservoir, on which she frequently calls, and with good effect. Mrs. Smith was a sister

of Bob Odlum, who was killed by jumping from Brooklyn Bridge into East river. Dr. Mary Walker is very different from Mrs. Smith in every respect. This explana-tion is necessary when associating their names in the same paragraph. Dr. Mary Walker is a most disagreeable person, while Mrs. Smith, when not rehearsing a tale of woe, is an exceedingly jolly individual.

HOW DR. MARY IS REMARKABLE. Dr. Mary Walker, however, is a remarkable woman. During the war she rendered great service to the Union army in the hospitals of the West. She asked no compensa-tion for her work and received none. It was during this period that she adopted the bloomer costume, which was the first step

After the war she came to Washington and made application to Secretary Stanton for a commission as army surgeon. She had graduated as a physician and had done a phy-sician's work during the war. The matter was referred to Judge Advocate General Holt for decision as to the legality of such an appointment. He decided that it was perfectly legal and Secretary Stanton had a ssued to Dr. Walker as Major

and surgeen of the army.
Of course the appointment was purely honorary. There was no emolument attached to it. Dr. Walker had some money then, and she asked none of the Govern-ment. Shortly afterward she hung out her shingle and entered on the practice of medicine, still wearing the bloomer costume. She joined hands with Belva Lockwood and other enthusiasts in the organization of a Woman's Rights Association, in which she became quite prominent; but she disagreed with her co-workers on the subject of dress, and she soon separated from them. At this time Dr. Walker wore the full male cos tume which has distinguished her since.

PRACTICE WAS NOT GOOD,

are she went to Congress for a pension, which she succeeded in obtaining. She also obtained a clerkship in the Pension Office. which she held for a number of years. Her ideas developed in so peculiar a way, however, that her services were dispensed with Since that time she has constantly pursued pension, which she finds it very difficult to She succeeds, however, in making a complete nuisance of herself. She de mands the rights accorded to those who wear the male costume, but insists upon her privileges as a woman. She has been known to order a man to drop the cigar he was smoking because its fumes offended her and because he had "no right to smoke in the presence of a lady."

She is grown so uncomfortable now that she is denied admittance to most of the de-partments and to the White House. She has not bothered President Harrison very much, but she used to make President Cleveland's life a burden. She would appear regularly at his public receptions and de-mand an immediate audience on the subject of her grievances, which, it is almost unnecessary to say, was not accorded her.

A GENERAL'S WIDOW. Another woman who used to frequent President Cleveland's receptions was the widow of General Ward B. Burnett. General Burnett was a distinguished soldier, who died in 1884. His widow cherished even before his death, the idea that the Gov-ernment was indebted to her in large sums of money, and she has been for many years laying siege to the Pension Office. Failing there, she appeals to the Secretary of the Interior, and from him to the President. She has succeeded in seeing Secretary Noble only once, and then for but a few moments. She managed to gain an interwoments. She managed to gain an inter-view with Judge Chandler, the Assistant Secretary of the Interior, recently, and in-formed him that he was "a fool." Mrs. Burnett is somewhat violent at times, and her wrath is directed almost indiscriminately at all with whom she comes in con-

Another local crank of some renown is John Pope Hodnett, who has a claim against the Government for many thousand dollars for services which he claims to have rendered to the workingmen of the District many years ago. He was an organizer of labor meetings in the time of the old Board of Public Works, and championed the cause of some laborers whom the contractors did not pay; but he has no possible claim against the Government.

UP TO A HUNDRED MILLIONS.

One of the old-time cranks of Washington, who is now airing his ideas in the St. Elizabeth Insane Asylum, was a man named Pinchover. He was a crank of magnificent ideas. He had a claim against the Government, he said, for a sum which ranged from \$40,000,000 to \$100,000,000, according to the liberality of the mood in which he found himself. He went about the Capitol for many years with a long tin cylinder under

He furnished a great deal of amusement to the employes of the two Houses of Congress for many years.

He had a penchant for beer, which he was

not always able to gratify, for lack of funds.
General Clark, the clerk of the House, used to amuse himself bribing Pinchover with a glass of beer to eat hard-boiled eggs, shell and all. He used to crunch them up and swallow them with apparent avidity.

Some of the newspaper correspondents would write out railroad passes for him, and he would present them in all sincerity on the trains running between Washington and Baltimore. He insisted on his right to ride on them, and the conductors learned to

ride on them, and the conductors learned to know and humor him. Many of the Girls Enthusiastic Over the

know and humor him.

Another mild-mannered crank named Morris died some four years ago. He had a claim against the Government for \$20,000,000, and he was a regular visitor at the Treasury Department. On all subjects but that of his claim he was sensible enough.

FAITH UNSHAREN IN SIXTY YEARS.

There are a number of cranks who are seen constantly about the halls of Congress. One of them, who has an imaginary claim against the Government, is generally believed to have been a daily visitor to the Capitol for 60 years. He likes to talk about his claim, but he is silent on all other mat-ters pertaining to his life. There is another old gentleman, a cousin of the Hon. Ran-dolph Tucker, of Virginia, who is a constant attendant on the proceedings of the House, and who takes a great interest in the debates in progress. He is an en-thusiastic Democrat, and he betrays his po-

litical bias by extravagant gesticulation whenever a Democratic orator is on his feet.

Clara Morris, the old woman who keeps the notion stand in the passage between the rotunda and the old hall of the House of Representatives, is one of the oddest characters in Washington. She visits the halls of the two Houses of Congress at certain hours each day, and attracts a great deal of attention by her peculiar dress. For a long time she used to sit in the gallery of the Senate every afternoon, waving a little flag. It was to give her an occupation that the privi-lege of keeping a notion stand was granted her. She is not so demonstrative now her. She is not so demonstrative now. "Aunt Clara," as she is commonly known,

COTEMPORARY WITH CLAY. She is shrewd enough in business matters. She has given her son and daughter excel

lent educations, and sent one of them to col-lege and the other to Europe to complete their preliminary training.

The Executive Mansion is besieged with cranks at all times of the year. Sergeant Dinsmore, whom Cleveland dismissed, but who came back with the Harrison administration, can spot a crank at a thousand yards, and as he is constantly on duty at the main entrance of the mansion during the day, they never get a chance to see the Presi-

Most of the cranks who come to the White House are possessed of the idea that they have been given some post of responsibility by the President—possibly in charge of the army or navy. Occasionally a crank appears who thinks he has been made Presiient, and who wishes to take charge of the White House immediately. One man who laid siege to the White House for many years was an Italian, who had a scheme for laying out the Potomac flats artistically which he wished the President to lay before Congress. He proposed to lay out the large tract of land immediately in front of the White House in the design of an American flag of huge proportions. The design was to be carried out in beds of flowers and gravel paths. The plans were drawn with great care and precision; but the designer could never persuade anyone to give them much

POLITICS NO BAR TO HIM.

There is an old gentleman, whose name I do not know, who has been in pursuit of the position of Collector of Customs at Eagle Pass, Tex., for many years, under Republican and Democratic administrations alike. He is a tall, thin man with dark complexion and jet-black mustache, and he wears a silk hat at all seasons of the vear. No one seems to know where he got the idea that he had a claim on the Government: but it is too deep-seated now to be

A man named Dunlop attracts a great deal of attention from people who pass Willard's Hotel. He dresses in most extraordinary style. His shoulders are padded out to an enormous size, and the back of his neck is painted black. He wears a little and on his nose a pair of glasses. He carries an umbrella in all weather. He looks like a comedian made up for a burlesque part. Although he is sensitive and resents any undue notice, he is vain as well, and his room is said to be

walled with mirrors. There is a romantic story behind his hallucination. It is said he was madly in love, and, after a quarrel with his fiancee, he sprang on his horse, which stood at the door, and rode madly out into the night. His horse was found riderless in the stable the next morning, and he was found senseless in a ditch by the searchers who went out after him. He has never been in his right mind since. He is harmless, and as his parents are wealthy, he is allowed to wander O'BRIEN-BAIN.

### ELOQUENT PREACHERS.

Hon. E. S. Morrow and J. S. Lamble De-

liver Sermons to Young Men. Hon, E. S. Morrow and John S. Lambie. Esq., delivered addresses at the evening services in the Wylie Avenue United Presbyterian Church last night. Judging by their work last night one would almost Congress with a claim for an additional be led to believe that both these gentlemen had missed their vocations when they failed to become ministers.

Mr. Morrow spoke eloquently of the great duties devolving upon young men in this country and of the bright prospects be-fore them. He argued that unless they placed a perfect confidence in God and gave themselves up entirely to Him, ultimate success would be impossible. He drew ome very forcible pictures during his ad-

dress of Bible characters.

Mr. Lambie explained in a very forcible manner the necessity of choosing either good or evil, truth or error, and of announcing the choice, whatever it may be, to the world. He advanced interesti ments to prove that everyone should actively ally himself with Christianity. The auspices were well attended, and were under the services of the Young Peoples' Association of the church.

### Not in McCarthy's Saloon.

The account of the assault on Sixth street Friday evening, which appeared in THE DISPATCH of last Saturday, contained an inadvertent misstatement to the effect that the affair occurred in the saloon of Owen McCarthy. It did not take place either in or near Mr. McCarthy's place, and had no connection with it,

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GIRLS TO PLAY BALL.

A Team Composed of Pittsburg Young Ladies Being Organized.

GOOD MATERIAL TO SELECT FROM.

Open Air Pastime.

GLAD TO ESCAPE FROM INDOOR WORK.

An advertisement has appeared for two days in the local papers asking for 20 young ladies, between the ages of 16 and 20, "to travel with a show company." The advertises is Mr. W. S. Franklin, of Chicago, who is the manager of the young ladies' baseball team, now playing in this city. It is his intention to put upon the road a second

advertised as noted. Mr. Franklin was visited by 12 young women last evening at the Hotel Crescent. They desired to go upon the stage. Most of them were surpised when told that they were wanted for a baseball team. To some of

them, however, the idea was agreeable. Mr. Franklin said, after the young ladies had departed: "I feel quite sure that I can get the material here for a good club. The young women who came to me this evening are from various stations in life. One of them told me that she was a bookkeeper; another said that she was a waiter in a hotel and was tired of that work; a third said that she lived at nome with her parents, and that they were willing for her to join some traveling organization. Yes, some of there were surprised when I told them what

SOME AFRAID THEY CAN'T PLAY.

"They thought they were wanted to sing or dance or do something on the stage, but feared that they could not play ball. Some have had experience on the stage as supernumeraries, while others have had none. A majority of those who came were willing to play baseball. Some of them were delighted with the idea, and said they would rather engage in outdoor sport than in

theatrical work.
"Of course I give attention to the looks
of the girl. I prefer those who have a good figure and a comely face. I don't want skinny girls or girls who are too fat. I want them to make a good appearance on the ball field. I find some girls who are not beautiful who yet make good ball

players.
"It is not difficult to teach them to play baseball. As a rule they take a great in- for terest in the game, and play earnestly. I sometimes find young women who have had experience at the game. Of those who called on me this evening there were two who said that they had played ball a good deal, and they were quite enthusiastic as to their ability. When I have secured 15 or 20 young ladies who are willing to play, and are satisfactory in appearance and health, I will take them out to some ball ground, some of these afternoons, and let them have a chance to show what they can do. I can soon tell whether or not they will make players, and I will pick out a

IT IS A WOMAN'S GAME.

"Why shouldn't the girls play ball? It was originally a woman's game, and the men have stolen it from them. Go to any country school, and at noon you will see the girls playing ball with great vim and relish. It is the best sport they could engage in. Open air sports were popular among the women of ancient Greece and Rome. Stewart, in his 'History of Ancient and Modern Games and Pastimes,' says that the women of England played ball over 500 years ago, and were encouraged in it by the nobility. He says, also, that the first ball ever constructed for playing was made by a lady of distinction and king's daughter."

It is Mr. Franklin's distinction to have organized the first female baseball club in America, the one which was formed in New York ten years ago last spring. He is try-ing to secure here a number of female bicyclists, and met three of them yesterday. He considers Pittsburg a good city in which to find athletic women.

### THE BUSINESS DOUBLED.

The Records of a Postoffice an Indication

of the Growth of a Town. Samuel F. Patterson, of Station B, Lawrenceville, was commenting last night on scending the hill cable car No. 6 threatened the increased business of this postoffice stato run into the rear of the procession. Several of the Poles struck at the gripman with

"We have every opportunity," he said, "for observing any changes in the business condition of the city right in the postoffice, and if our standard of judging is of any account, a bright era of prosperity is before Pittsburg. Since this office was established last September one year, our business has nearly doubled. We have handled a large number of stamps, and in one year over 20,000 registered letters and 30,000 money orders. The business is already too heavy for our carriers, and we were promised an additional man as early as last September. When those carriers in Washington struck for pay for overtime, the offer of the extra man was recalled. The work to be done is also too much for one clerk, and another

TABLEAUX OF THE STATES.

man is badly needed.

The Mt. Washington Ladles to Represe Them in Costume.

On Thursday and Friday evenings an entertainment will be held in the Mt. Washington Free Reading Room for the benefit of that institution. Tableaux will be presented of all the States and Territories of the United States. The actors will be 52 ladies in appropriate costumes. Recitations and scenes from camp life, with the stirring war songs of the Rebellion, will make the night a merry one. After the entertainment refreshments will be served by the ladies in costume. The business committee consists of A. Filson Dalzell, H. C. Digby, E. W. Smith, Dr. O. W. Sadler, Mrs. I. A. McMillen, Miss Ida Smith and Mrs.

SUNDAY JUSTICE.

Mayor Pearson Sends Up a Number for Minor Offenses. At Mayor Pearson's hearing yesterday morning James Smith, a boy, paid the costs of arrest for shooting at sparrows in the parks. William Reed, Robert Barr and Alex Salters were given 60 days each for disorderly conduct. Hugh Grine got 30 days, Michael O'Hara paid \$20 and costs, Michael Dempsey \$15 and costs, John Hayes \$10 and costs and James Welsh \$5 and costs, all for the same offense. James Wilson, a drunk, was dis-charged. Mamie Scanlon got 60 days and James Merriman 48 hours for the same, and a vagrant named Thomas Kane went to the workhouse for 30 days.

A FAMILY QUARREL.

Mrs. Frederick Charged With Severely Beating Her Daughter.

An information was lodged before Mayor Pearson against Mrs. Frederick, of East street, on Saturday last. The charge states that when Mrs. Erhart, daughter of Mrs. Frederick, went to her mother's house they fell out about some property, and the elder lady threw the younger upon the lounge and beat her severely, punching her in the stomach and over the breast. Mrs. Erhart is laid up in consequence, and Dr. Kirker who attends her thinks her case a serious

A ROMANCE OF THE TEMPEST.

Storm-Bound Lover on Block Island Avoids a Wedding Walt. NEW HAVEN, September 22.-Frank W. Guion, owner of the yacht Endeavor of this city, has arrived from a voyage to Block Island, where he was weather-bound during the recent great storm. He reports a thrillthe recent great storm. He reports a thriliing scene there of which he was a witness.
The Endeavor had intended to remain at the island only a day,
but was not able to leave until long after
the inhabitants had run out of fresh provisious, on account of the blockade by the
storm. At the height of the gale the sea
which swept the east shore of the island was
terrific. It washed over the breakwater and
submerced the steamboat dock

terrific. It washed over the breakwater and submerged the steamboat dock.

Among those imprisoned on the island was the principal of a school in New York, who was engaged to be married to a young lady in New Jersey on the day following that which marked the crisis of the storm. He vainly urged the island boatmen to take him to the mainland. None of them would make the venture. Finally he and two other strangers who were anxious to get away opened their pocketbooks and persuaded the grizzled skipper of a little schooner smack belonging in New London to attempt the task for \$200.

The wind was north-northeast. To get out past Clay Head from the breakwater would require at least two tacks in a sea running mountains high. It would be a team, composed of Pittsburg girls, and it is to secure material for this team that he has

running mountains high. It would be a desperate venture, for if the vessel failed "in stays" she would be hurled on a lee shore. It took nearly a day to warp the schooner into deep water to prepare her for the trip. Finally, with a storm-reefed mainsail and

her trysail set as a jib, she shot away. There was great excitement when the pas-sengers boarded the craft, and, although gale of wind was blowing from 60 to 70 miles per hour, more than 2,000 people gathered on the bluffs to witness the evidence of the lover's described. gathered on the bluffs to witness the evi-dence of the lover's devotion.

The schooner worked with difficulty in the seas outside while beating off the lee shore. Twice she nearly missed stays and

tailed close in to the breakers, which swept her from stem to stern. In despair her skipper was on the point of running for the breakwater, but the anxious lover per-suaded him to try once more. He did so, and the attempt was a success. The schooner barely crawled by the Head, and then the danger was over, for with a long main sheet the little vessel was squared away before the blast. She shot safely into Stonington harbor one hour later, and it is presumed that the wedding took place as

#### NOT SULLIVAN THIS TIME.

Something Else in Boston that Knock People Down and Offends.

w nat is true of the tomato crop this year is also applicable to nearly every other fruit and vegetable that the canners and preservers use. Peaches are scarce, the apple crop is a failure, and the canners are sending to Europe for beans. BOSTON, September 22 .- A skunk foun his way into this city a few nights ago, and kicked up quite a disturbance physically as well as atmospherically. He held possession of West Boston bridge nearly an hour, and furnished more fun than had been seen there-\$6, tickets good for six days; and to Colum-bus and return at rate of \$4, tickets good for four days, for all trains, until further notice. abouts in a long time. He looked like an

innocent kitten crouching down by the curbstone, and a fellow whose brain was belogged with whisky thought he'd have som fun with the quiet creature. He had his fun, but he paid dearly for it, and the whole neighborhood suffered with him.

The street was being repaired, and there was plenty of ammunition with which to carry on a spirited warfare. He shied a stone at the supposed cat, and, for a wonder

hit it. Then the animal's true character was discovered. The animal used the de-iense provided by nature to such good advantage that the man was quickly trans-formed into an object of loathing and the atmosphere was heavy with the sickening The man was too drunk to know what wa good for him, and he continued the assault with stones and feet, and as the fight was conducted at close quarters the skunk had a chance to get in his work with telling effect.

He managed to prolong his existence nearly an hour, but then succumbed, and the drunken victor was as proud of his success as though he had slain a lion. The Cambridge night car came along, and he jumped aboard carrying the skunk. With remarkable unanimity, the other pasture.

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their swords. The entire club broke ranks and surrounded the car, threatening to drag

the gripman from his place, Officers Crossan

stored order with difficulty. They compelled

the gripman to hold his car until the pro-

Smithfield street. Complaint will be made

against the gripman to Superintendent

A Farewell Reception.

of Rev. T. E. Holliday, who is about to

A. McClenahan, and others of the congre-

gation. After the service an informal reception was tendered Mr. and Mrs. Holli-

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The

and Young rushed into the crowd and re-

One of the Finest. killer disappeared in the direction of the North End. Klein's "Silver Age" display at the Ex-

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FOR nervous indigestion use Klein's "Silver Age." It will help you. MWF As the Polish society was returning from the corner stone laying about 5:30 o'clock, it turned from Smithfield street up Fifth avenue to the Cathedral, and then countermarched to Smithfield street. As it was de-

CARTER—On Friday morning, at Denver, Col., HENRY CARTER, aged 31 years, son of Mrs. Kate Carter, formerly of this city. Funeral from the residence of his brotherlaw, F. P. Bell, 6855 Penn avenue, East End, or WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON, September 25, 1889, at 2:30 o'clock. Interment private at later

FORSE—On Sunday morning, September 22 1889, at 7 o'clock, MATTIE J., youngest son of Mary A. and the late Americus V. Forse, aged 6 year, 9 months and 4 days. Notice of funeral in evening papers.

HILL—On Saturday, September 21, 1889, at 6 o'clock A. M., EMIL, busband of Sofia and son of Jacob Hill and son-in-law of John Helm, aged 38 years, 4 months and 9 days. Funeral from his late residence, 85 Chestnu Last evening a farewell meeting was held street, Allegheny, on Monday, September 23, at the Third Presbyterian Church in behalf at 2 o'clock P. M. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. JUDGE—On Sunday, September 22, 1889, at 6:30 o'clock A. M., THOMAS R., son of Michael and Elizabeth Judge, aged II years 5 days. Funeral from the residence of his parents

leave for India as a missionary. Mr. Holli-day will be supported in his labors by the congregation. The future missionary de-livered a short address, as also did Prof. D. Laughlin street, near Marion station, Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, on TUESDAY MORN-ING, the 24th inst., at 8:30 o'clock. Services at St. Stephen's Roman Catholic Church, Hazel-wood, at 9 A. M. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

OWENS-On Sunday, September 22, 1889, a 2:30 P. M., NANCY OWENS, aged 72 years. Funeral from her late residence, Pine township, Allegheny county, Pa., on Tuesday 24th inst., at 11 A. M. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. POSKE—On Sunday, September 22, 1889, at 10:20 P. M., at his residence, 620 Fifth avenue, JOHN D. POSKE, aged 33 years and 4 months. Notice of funeral hereafter.

SMITH—On Sunday, September 22 1889, at 5:30 A. M., SUBAN G. SMITH, beloved mother of Mr.Charles W. Smith, in the 80th year of her

Funeral will take place on MONDAY AFTER-NOON at 3 o'clock, from her daughter's residence, Mrs. L. E. Clagett, No. 95 Pennusylvani avenue, which friends of the family are invited to attend. Interment private.

SNOWDEN—On Saturday morning, September 21, at 9 o'clock, BEN REESE, youngest son of Frank L. and Emma Reese Snowden, aged 2 years, 7 months and 4 days. Funeral services at the residence of hi parents, No. 222 Forty-fifth street, on MONDAY, September 23, at 3 P. M. Friends of the family are invited to attend. Interment private at

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# CARPET SALE

GREAT DIMENSIONS.

In explanation of the situation Benjamin Githens said yesterday: "The canneries usually begin operations about August 25 and continue until the middle of October. and continue until the middle of October. This year, however, the season has been later than usual, and work was not begun until after September 1. The canneries had got well under way and had had about one week of active work when the storm of last week knocked everything flat. All of this week the business has been practically at a standstill. Until about a week ago our instructions from the canners were to sell all the goods we could but at the beginning of 9,864 yards Moquette, 9,973 yards Body Brussels, 5,612 yards Velvet, 18,784 yards Tapestry, 26,898 yards Ingrain, 833 yards Axminster MAKES A BARR the goods we could, but at the beginning of this week they told us to stop selling and take no orders for tuture delivery "The wind and rain have beaten the to-

OPPORTUNITY

to cover your floors. None but exmato vines down close to the ground. The ripening tomatoes lie in the mud or on the damp soil, and are rotting at a rapid rate, It is hard to tell what proportion of the crop is ruined, but I should say about oneperienced carpet makers and layers engaged. This with the entire winter stock of J. R. Anderson put on sale this week makes a busy "Until the exact extent of the damage can be ascertained we cannot tell what the effect place here. of the storm will be upon prices, but there will undoubtedly be a large advance. A large stock of canned tomatoes was left over

CARPET SACRIFICE SALE.

T. M. LATIMER,

will be an advance of at least 10 per cent."

What is true of the tomato crop this year 138 Federal St., Allegheny, Pa.

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LADIES' FRENCH RIBBED MERINO VESTS, One-third cotton, guaranteed not to shrink, H. N. L. S., \$1 25 each; H. N. R. A., \$1 to \$1 20 each, according to size. A very beautiful fabric. according to size. A very beautiful fabric.

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