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ALLEGEDLY MAYORIAL SCANDAL. There is a prospect, as we have said before, of a very highly flavored mess of politics being set before the citizens of Allegheny.

BLAIR'S BILL DEAD. It is not at all certain that Senator Blair, of New Hampshire, is happy yet. His Education bill was defeated yesterday at third reading in the Senate by a vote of 37 to 31.

IDEAS ABOUT GOOD ROADS. The Hon. W. H. McCullough, of the State Commission on the Improvement of Country Roads, contributes some interesting ideas in another column upon the subject in which all Pennsylvanians are concerned.

MARRIED IN CAMDEN. A young couple laughs at the locks shaken by judgmental parents. John Edwards, a traveler for the drug firm of Edwards & Co., of Philadelphia, on Thursday night showed that love

THE NEW TARIFF BILL. NEW YORK Press: The tariff bill as reported is the best and most satisfactory measure of the kind ever introduced into Congress.

A CURIOUS RIFLE TRADE. A curious reason for Germany's vigorous colonial policy has been discovered. It is said that owing to the numerous changes made in the armament of the Imperial troops since 1870 millions of rifles of various kinds have been stored away in the arsenals.

BISMARCK. The resignation of Bismarck is really the abdication of an Emperor. The imperial spirit of Germany has a far greater reverence in Bismarck than in the throne.

DEATHS OF A DAY. Mrs. Sarah E. Hastings. The death of Mrs. Sarah E. Hastings, which took place suddenly on Wednesday morning, was a severe shock to a large circle of friends as well as to the community.

ADVICE TO YOUNG MEN. The First M. P. Church has probably never (unless Bob Burdette has lectured there before) selected so many and such startlingly dissimilar pairs of laugher as made it ring last evening.

Social Character. A MUSICAL and literary entertainment will be given to-night in the Sixth United Presbyterian Church, Franklin and Charters streets, Allegheny, under the auspices of the Partisan Young Woman's Christian Temperance Union of Manchester.

PIATS TO COME. It takes a popular opera to stand a successful revival, and an exceptionally strong company to give it. In the J. C. Duff Company's production "Emma," "The Pirates of Penzance" at the Grand Opera House.

A Premature Boom. Governor Campbell's political boom has reached Pittsburg, but is premature—1891 and 1892 are to be come.

the crown nor a dominant political party to support him. The Reichstag is, on the whole, clearly not in accord with his policy. Taking into account his advanced age with these other things, his resignation is hardly to be wondered at.

THE LICENSE CONTRACT is being conducted this year with dignity and strict justice—but comparisons are odious.

JUDGE EWING ought to announce that his remarks are sometimes ironical. It is truly pitiful to see applicants for license basking in the Court's outspoken approval of their enterprise in obtaining United States licenses.

PEOPLE TALKED ABOUT. MRS. HURST was an accomplished linguist and was of great assistance to her husband, Bishop Hurst, in his educational and church work.

WILLIAM H. ANDREWS was a few days in getting ready to start for New York City, where he will spend in Philadelphia. They are the guests of the Continental.

MRS. JOHN DREW, her daughter, Mrs. George Drew, and her son, the latter's husband and John Drew are playing in New York City the week, in four of the best known theaters of that city.

THE SIGNATURE OF Benjamin Harrison, signer of the Declaration of Independence, was recently sold for \$245 at an autograph sale.

GOVERNOR MERRILL, of Minnesota, is thickest as to build, round as to head, and neither one thing nor the other as to height.

GOVERNOR GODDARD, of New Hampshire, was to visit Washington with his staff and family on Monday next.

THE old opera appear to be the most popular. "The Trovatore" was given by the Abbott Company at the Bijou last night and even tonight.

THE ladies of Circle No. 52, of the G. A. R., last evening had a reception at the residence of Mrs. Riggs, Virginia avenue, Mt. Washington.

THE pupils of the Curry School of Dramatic Culture are to give a play to-night.

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