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ISPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.1

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low its liabilities. President MacFarlane said to-night that the action of the Attorney

General was unexpected. He declined to an

swer the question whether the assets of the company have recently been changed by substituting bad securities for good.

A dispatch from Harrisburg says: Insur-

ance Commissioner Forster said to-night

made to him that the American Life Insur-

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SUICIDE IN THE AIR.

Frederick Werner, an Old Man. Hangs Him-

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Some philosopher has remarked that dark

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American Life.

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Literally Taken by Storm. MEN PACKED IN LIKE SARDINES.

Fifteen Policemen Necessary to Manage the Thirsty Crowds.

THE PROPRIETOR FORCED TO CLOSE

lis License Cost Rim \$8,000 But He is Dead Sure to Get all Back.

John Lannon paid \$8,000 for a license to

run a saloon in a suburb of Lowell, Mass,

He opened yesterday. Everybody was dry.

Excursions were run and it took 15 police men to manage the crowd. There was little drunkenness. ISPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.1 LOWELL, May 10 .- Probably no city or own in the country ever witnessed such scenes as were enacted to-day at Dracut at the opening of the only saloon in the town, to run which the prosecutor, John Lannon, paid a liceuse fee of \$8,000. It seems as though the entire city of Lowell had

Two Lowell policemen were placed at the doors this forenoon in anticipation of a crowd, but before night there was work enough for 15 of them. When the mills in this city closed at noon a rush for Dracut began. Within an hour the electric railroad doubled its car service, and every 15 minutes two cars, in which men were packed like sardines in a box, started from the postoffice square for Dracut.

emptied its dry citizens at the saloon's

COULDN'T GET IN OR OUT. The saloon is a one-story structure, about 40 feet long and 15 feet wide. It has one entrance. The crowd became so great that the room was filled with men standing six feet deep before the bar calling for beer. No one could get in, nor could those who were one could get in, nor could those who were in get out. The policemen were finally called upon to clear the room. Then a regular system was adopted. Enough to fill the saloon were admitted and the doors were closed. The thirsty crowd was thus filled up and fired out. Then another crowd

was admitted and similarly treated.

This process was too slow for the crowd in waiting, and they pushed against the doors till they burst. Hats flew off and were crushed, men came out of the crowl with clothing torn and buttons gone. Then a line was formed, and it reached several hundred feet down the dusty road. The barkeepers hustled around in vain endeavo o serve the crowd. Some paid for their drinks and others did not.

THE PROPRIETOR GOT ENOUGH. They climbed into the windows, squeezed by the police, and acted as though their lives depended on getting a drink. Mr. Lan-non, the proprietor, looked on disgusted, and at 6 o'clock he had seen enough. The doors were then closed by his orders, and the barkeepers, after cleaning up, were sent home.
The policemen remained to keep order in
the village, but no more liquor was sold.
Still, up to a late hour, the street railroad continued to dump car loads of thirsty and urious individuals into the little town. In spite of the crowd and the drinking very little drunkenness was apparent, but the scenes paralyzed the country people with wonder. It is freely predicted that if the

s likely to be complained of as a nuisance. BUILDING TRADES ORGANIZE.

fitters

scenes of this afternoon continue the saloon

still hanging from the limb of a tree, not yet having been cut down, Patrol wagon No. 2 was sent to the place at once, and Officer Mike Babilan cut him down, with The Knights of Labor Cannot Gain Admission to the Trades Council-A Bitter Fight Over Two of the Delegates-Supthe assistance of Officer Weber. The body had been first seen by Mr. George Comley. porting the Strikers. The Building Trades Council of Alleghenv

county, was permanently organized at 537 Smithfield street last night. About forty delegates were present, representing every of several daughters and sons. For the past 20 years he has traversed the streets of building trade except the gas and steam marble and Allegheny with a wheelbarrow, peddling vinegar. He was nicknamed "Essex" by workers. About 10,000 workmen in all are represented. George Jones was elected Temporary Chairman and John williamson Secretary. A committee on credentials was appointed, and when they reported they decided that the delegates representing the Slate and Tilelayers' As-

sembly No. 491, and the Painters' Assembly No. 1393, Knights of Labor, should be requested to leave the hall.

A heated debate ensued. The representative of the painters retired without asking any questions, but the Knight representing John Lall, a young man 22 years of age, the slate and tile layers wanted to be heard.

And he was heard. He argued that he had been a member of the Knights of Labor be-fore building trades unions were organized,

dose of paris green yesterday evening and was in a critical conditton at a late hour last night at the Southside Hospital. He was discovered in an unconscious condition in an outhouse, but by a vigorous use of the stomach pump his senses were soon restored. He gave no reason for his act, but those who know him best say his mind is unbalanced.

Clair township, and for a number of years was employed in the machine shop of Jones & Laughlins' mill.

SYNDICATING SCOTTDALE.

Its Manufacturing Concerns.

Resolved, That this body lends its aid, mer-ally and financially, to the journeymen tinners and plumbers, who are now engaged in a con-test for just compensation and the adoption of proper apprentice systems. SCOTTDALE, PA., May 10 .- A rumor has been affoat for several days that a New A Committee on Law, consisting of John Griffith, of the Stonemasons; A. J. McDon-ald, of the Bricklayers; A. M. Swartz, of the Carpenters and Joiners; M. P. Carrick, of the Painters and Decorators, and J. York syndicate has been trying to buy several of the Scottdale manufacturing establishments. The report was that the directors of the rolling mill, furnace, and pipe foundry, were asked to name a fair cash price for their works, and a meeting of the various interests was to have been held several days ago, but owing to the absence of a couple of the magnates, the meeting

the deal, was seen this afternoon, and said it was the intention of the syndicate, if the works could be purchased at a reasonable price, to double their capacity.

AT THE LAST MOMENT. STOCK NOT WORTH A PENNY.

World's Fair. for the Depositors-All Business Has Been Suspended Until the Investigation sed last night. THE King of Dahomey wants to negotiat

> cago breweries for £1,900,000 HOAGLAND won the 72-hour walking match Detroit with a score of 330 mi CHARLES EMORY SMITH, the American Minister, has reached St. Petersburg.

terday opened the Texas Springs Palace at

A CALL has been issued for a conference of n-partisan temperance workers at Mont-lier, Vt., June 4.

THE Southern Baptists, in convention at Fort Worth, yesterday voted \$16,000 for the Louisville Theological Seminary.

the United States Supreme Court of Dakota, ed yesterday, aged 73 years, at Delavan, Wis. NEAR Bangor, Me., Fred Sawyer and wife terribly maltreated their two daughters. A mob went to the house after the couple, but they had fied.

Washington. Edmunds has a bad attack of in-flammatory rheumatism. BALTIMORE saloons have been decrease one-half by the new high license law. There are 1,600 still however. The revenue is increased \$330,000 by the jaw.

these of Heller Bros', planing mill, have re-turned to work. Heller Bros concede the ad-vance of wages, but will not reduce the hours from ten to nine. BANKER JUNIUS SPENCER MORGAN'S WILL

policy holders of the company would get what was left of the financial wreck. As to the stock of the company it was not worth a penny, and he wished the affair extended among his relatives. no farther. Examiner Tompkins is ex-pected to finish his report of the questionable THE graves of the Confederate dead at Chat nooga were decorated yesterday. The orator operations of the company, next week, and ex-Deputy Attorney General Gilbert, of this of the occasion, Colonel George Fry, of Geor-gia, made a red bot defense of the Southern

city, has been retained as counsel for the ylvester and his 15-year-old son saved the live

> N. LACHENBRUCH & BROS., wholesale deal rs in tobacco, of New York, failed yesterday ers in tobacco, of New York, failed yesterday. The four partners are brothers, Nathan, Matthias, Isaac and Jonas. They made an assignment to Aaron J. Bach. The liabilities are about \$200,000, the greater part of which is due to the banks.

THE WEATHER. FOR WESTERN PENNSYLVA. NIA: CLOUDY AND RAIN IS SOUTHERN PORTION, STATION-ARY TEMPERATURE ON LAKE SHORE, CLEARING BY SUNDAY, AND

FOR OHIO AND WEST VIRGINIA: COLD-ER, NORTHERLY WINDS, CLOUDY AND RAIN, CLEARING DURING SUNDAY AF-TERNOON, AND PROBABLY FROSTS IN TORTHERN OHIO SUNDAY NIGHT.

PITTSBURG, May 10, 1890. The United States Signal Service officer in this city furnishes the following: River at 5:20 r. M., 9.1 feet, a fall of 1.3 feet in

Forced to the Wall. SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.1 NEW YORK, May 10 .- The Iron Car ompany, at 120 Broadway, is in the hands of Deputy Sheriff Harris, on an attachment of \$50,000 granted by Judge Lawrence in favor of Henry B. Haworth, on a promissory note made by the company on August 16 1889, for \$50,000, payable on demand.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY.

MEMBERS OF MANCHESTER CASTLE
No. 212, Knights of the Golden Eagle,
are requested to meet at their hall, corner of
Beaver avenue and Juniata street, Allegheny,
on TUESDAY, May 13, at 1 P. M. sharp, to attend the funeral of our late Brother, A. B. Chatin.
Members of sister castles are cordially invited
to attend.

MEMBERS OF PEERLESS COUNCIL
No. 346, Jr. O. U. A. M., are requested to
meet at their hall, corner of Pennsylvania
avenue and Bidwell street, Allegheny, on
TUESDAY, May 13, at 1 P. M., sharp, tosattend
the funeral of our late brother, A. B. Chatin,
Member of sister councils are cordially invited
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Col. McCormick Gets a Pointer.

It is an undisputed fact that when a man at-ins power and eminence through politics his iends try to give him more or less advice.

such, however, was the case the other day, Colonel McCormick, through his friend Jud-ion, discovered that it was the height of folly to buy a new suit of clothes every time his old

ones became a little worn, and that the proper caper would be to take them to Dickson, the Tailor, corner Fifth ave. and Wood st., who

as to make them look like new at a trifling cost. Telephone 1558. myll

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MR. LINCOLN, the American Minister

THE Emory Candle Works, of Cincinnatti ave been sold to an English syndicate for EX-GOVERNOR A. ADAMS, of Colorado, yes-

THE meeting of General Passenger Agent

JUDGE A. H. BARNES, ex-Associate Justice

THERE is prospect of settlement in the Wheeling building trades strike. The bricklayers and masons met the Builders' Exchange nittee last night and talked compromis

THOMAS EDMONDS died in Cleveland in February, and, being a pauper, his body was dis sected. It is now discovered that his name was Hubert Von Bamber and heir to 6,000,000 ALL the carpenters of Youngstown, O., save

on that created a sensation among his AT North Scituate, Mass., Captain Danforth

MRS. CAROLINE H. ROBERTS, daughter of Dr. William H. Thompson, of Philadelphia has brought suit for divorce from her husband, Dr. A. Sydney Roberts, Jr., formerly chemical professor in the University of Pennsylvania, on the ground of cruel and barbarous treatment, and because she and her three children were driven from Dr. Roberts' home.

Alleghenv Mayor's office last night about 8 -Show I

PROBABLY FROSTS.

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## THE M'KEESPORT MIX

Peculiar Manner in Which the Post- of Arkansas; on merchant marine and fisheries, Springer, of Illinois. office Mistake Occurred.

A TELEGRAM WITHOUT INITIALS

Wrong Mr. Soles. RAY AND WANAMAKER BOTH THROUGH.

Was the Cause of the Appointment of the

Re Power on Barth Could Induce Them to Make Any Further Change.

A terse telegram which simply said "We Want Soles" caused the appointment of the wrong man as postmaster of McKeesport. He had thanked the Congressman before the mistake was discovered. The nomination was recalled just 15 minutes before it would have been confirmed. Neither Ray nor Wanamaker will make any further

PRON A STAFF CORRESPONDENTA WASHINGTON, May 10 .- The nomination to-day of Elmer M. Soles to be postmaster at McKeesport caused a great deal of curious inquiry, as Representative Ray' some days ago recommended Edwin Soles for the appointment, and the Postmaster General had the name promptly sent to the Senate. The mistake occurred on account of a similarity of names. Edwin Soles was an applicant

for the position, and had his papers on file. Eimer M. Soles, a cousin of Edwin, was also an applicant, but his papers were delayed in transit, and that delay caused the whole of this curious complication. When the Postmaster General formally withdrew the nomination of Captain Thompson, Representative Ray, after a few days, recommended the appointment of Mr. Reese.

CAUSED BY A TELEGRAM. The latter refusing to accept, Mr. Ray ran his eve over the list of names to familiarize himself with them, and while cogitating received a telegram signed by gentlemen in whom he had placed his confidence as safe pilots in his stormy voyage on the sea of McKeesport postal politics. This telegram

read as follows: "We want Soles."

As there was but one Soles in the list of applicants up to that time, Mr. Ray at once sent to the Postmaster General his recommendation of Edwin Soles, and on the day following the nomination was sent to the Senate. It was telegraphed to McKeesport that Soles was appointed, and the friends of Elmer M. Soles supposed it was their own particular Soles, until by subsequent telegrams it was made perfectly clear that a mistake had been made in the identity of the men, and telegrams were sent in hot

ste to inform Mr. Ray of the blunder, The Postmaster General was also flooded with letters and telegrams to hold up the nomination, and a messenger was sent by the fastest train to make an effort in person to bring order out of the confusion of this atest version of the two Dromios. Mr. Ray was in even a more uncomfortable po-sition than he had been at any time during the contest.

Edwin Soles was a formal applicant and, believing him to be the Soles desired by his the nomination was made. Mr. Soles had responded nimbly to the nomination, apparently somewhat surprised himself at the ease with which he accomplished a feat in which those who had more influence than he had failed, and came on the ground in person to thank Mr. Ray, who did not know him at all.

The situation was most distressing. Both the Congressman and the Cabinet officer were nonplussed. Ray and Wanamaker sat and looked in each other's faces, mutely expressing language that would have not wanded well in the Sunday school it spoken aloud. Meantime the telegrams kept pourmountain high on the private desks of the Congressman and the Postmaster General.

Such influential citizens of McKeesport as E. C. Converse and Thomas M. King fluence of the young city added to these prayers of private individuals, decided the Calla, of the Enterprise. They were officials that only the most heroic treatment

would set matters straight. IMMEDIATE ACTION NECESSARY. Something had to be done quickly, as there was danger that at any moment the nomination of Edwin Soles would be con-firmed and thus fasten on McKeesport a postmaster whom it was not intended to ap-point. Late yesterday afternoon it was decided to withdraw the name of Edwin Soles. To prevent any further complication the Postmaster General telephoned to the Senate to hold up the nomination and it was well he did so, for the name of Edwin Soles had been reported favorably from the

proper committee and was even then await-

ing its turn in an executive session of the It is probable that within 15 minutes more the confirmation would have been complete, had not the telephone message been received, and then there would have been no recall. As it was, Mr. Soles, No. 1, was bowled out by telephone, and Mr. Soies, No.2, was bowled in in the same manner to the Presidental mansion to be reported thence to-day to the Senate, Mr. Soles, No. 2, will be confirmed. The friends o Mr. Soles I will raise a row, of course, but there is not enough influence in the universe to compel Messrs, Ray and Wanamaker to take any new tack and embroil themselves

# in any fresh controversy in regard to Me-Reesport affairs.

BAY MUCH CHAGRINED. Mr. Elmer M. Soles has been connected with the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad for a quarter of a century, and for 17 years of that time has been a conductor of the road. He is a solid citizen and property holder, who needs no introduction to the people of Mc-Keesport. Of course Mr. Bay is very much chagrined on account of the blunder, and expresses much sympathy for Mr. Edwin Soles, whose position is the most painful of all, but the entire grotosque business is to be blamed on the little telegram. "We want Soles," sent by persons who did not know Edwin Soles or that there was such an applicant, and re-ceived by one who knew neither of the

Soles, but who had heard of Edwin Soles as the only applicant of that name. It was a blunder such as probably never before occurred in the history of the Post-office Department, and will be memorable in its annals, and what is not the case with

### most blunders, no one is to blame. A Washington County Man Removed.

WASHINGTON, May 10 .- The nomination to-day of William H. Abercrombie, of New Jersy, to be Consul at Nagaski, removes from that position a well-known former citizen of Washington county, Pa., Consul John M. Birch, son of the Hon. John Birch, of Claysville, late a member of the State Legislature.

### To Reverse the Supreme Court. WASHINGTON, May 10 .- The bill to prohibit the transportation of intoxicating lianors from any State or Territory in the

laws are in force, will be called up in the House at first opportunity. An Interesting Story Spoiled. WASHINGTON, May 10 .- The story that the Government is indebted to General Fre-

amount involved is \$1,900, and Congress will be asked to pay it. The Committee Vacancies Pilied.

to-day announced the following committee

nia; on banking and currency, Cooper, of

DEMOCRATS AS PROPHETS. THEY PREDICT A BIG MAJORITY IN THE

pringer Alleges That the New Tariff Bill Will Not Benefit the Farmers-The Duty On Eggs Pat in to Help Ex-President R. B. Hayes.

WASHINGTON, May 10 .- After the reading of the journal, the House went into committee of the whole, Mr. Grosvenor, of Ohio, in the chair, for the further consideration of the tariff bill. Mr. Lanham, of Texas, in a speech generally critical of the measure, urged the importance of reciprocity with Mexico. With a proper policy on the part of the Government, the United States could defy the efforts of Germany and England to control Mexican commerce. He especially antagonized the feature of the bill which places a duty on silver lead ore, leclaring that it would have the effect of destroying the smelting industry of Texas and neighboring States. To place a duty on Mexican ore would be to invite retaliatory legislation on the part of Mexico, and close Mexican markets against the

oroducts of this country.

Mr. Springer, of Illinois, opposed the bill. He denounced the granting of bounties on sugar and raw silk and then in a facetious manner proceeded to point out the benefit which would enure to the farmers of Illinois from the provisions of the law. Cabbages now were taxed 10 per cent ad vaem. It was now proposed to tax them 5 cents a head. According to the agricultural reports, no cabbages were imported at 10 per cent. How many would be imported at an equivalent of 50 per cent? [Laughter.] This was for the benefit of the Illinois farmer. [Laughter.] After ridiculing the imposition of a duty on eggs as a measure of protection to ex-President Hayes, who had gone into the chicken business, he reviewed the free list, and declared that the American hog was discriminated against, in that bristles were placed on the free list, while a high duty was placed upon woo Was it for the benefit of the Illinois farmer that his sleek, fat hogs were placed on an equality with the razorbacks of Mexico's (Laughter.) The Democratic party was ready to meet the issue tendered in the bill; and he predicted that the House in the Fifty-second Congress would have a Demo-cratic majority of 50. In 1892 there would

be a Democratic Congress pledged to repeal this bill if it should become a law. Mr. Dingley, of Maine, supported the bill, and Mr. Barnes, of Georgia; Mr. Audrews, of Massachusetts; Mr. Cummings, of New York, and Mr. Brickner, of Wisconsin, opposed it. The committee then rose,

### NO LIQUORS IN THE ARMY. A Proposition to That Effect Passes th

Sennte by a Party Vote. WASHINGTON, May 10 .- In the Senate to-day the army appropriation bill was taken up, the pending question being Mr. Hale's amendment providing that no alcoholic liquors, beer, or wine, shall sold and supplied to enlisted men in any canteen or building in a garrison or military post; and Mr. Cockerill's amendment to it, striking out the words "beer or wines." The latter mendment was disagreed to to-day-Yeas 16; navs, 28-a party vote, except that Mr. Sherman voted "aye" with the Democrats. Mr. Hale's amendment was then agreed to-Yeas, 30; nays, 13-a strict party vote-Mr.

Sherman stating that in order to make : quorum, and with some doubts, he voted Mr. Butler suggested that to make the thing complete there should now be a provision inserted in the bill to supply our bottles, infants' food, catnip tea and such things for the use of the officers and soldiers

## of the army. The bill was then passed.

PROBABLY A SUSPENSION. Special delivery letters were piled The Finding of the Court Martial in the

Case of Commander McCalla. WASHINGTON, May 10 .- Lieutenants Garst and Slavton have arrived in Washthrew themselves into the breach, and the ington with the record of the proceedings vast weight of the dominant political in- and findings of the court martial in closeted all to-day with Judge Advocate General Remey, making a full synopsis of the case for the consideration of the Secre tary of the Navy, who will have final jurisdiction unless the septence is dis-

missal, in which event the President alone can act. The result of the trial will not be known officially until the Secretary is prepared to promulgate the action of the department. The impression prevails among naval of-ficers, however, that the court found Commander McCalla guilty of several of the charges and sentenced him to suspension from duty and to be reprimanded by the

# department. It will be several days before the case will be ready for the Secretary.

SENATOR QUAY'S MEASURE. An Amendment to the Inter-State Law to Benefit the Drummers. WASHINGTON, May 10,-Senator Quay

introduced a bill to-day to amend the inter-State commerce law by adding the following to the twenty-second section: Provided, That nothing in this act shall be Provided, That nothing in this act shall be construed to prohibit any common carrier from giving reduced rates of transportation and a permit to carry a weight of simple baggage in excess of the amount allowed the ordinary traveler to commercial travelers, whether em-ployer or employe, who travel to sell merchan-dise for a wholesale business, taking orders from dealers for goods for subsequent delivery.

## ONE EMPLOYE KILLED.

A Powder Mill in the Vicinity of Carbondale

Blows Up. PEPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.1 CARBONDALE, PA., May 10 .- The Corning Mill of the Consumers' Powder Company, near Peckville, blew up this morning with terrific force, wrecking the building and killed an employe, William Millett. The building was one of ten mills and the escape of many of the men from fate of Millett is remarkable. The Corning

Mill was a large building, strongly built, It was in this department that the powder was ground into different sizes, and it is believed that the accident was caused by the friction of the machinery generating heat and igniting the powder. The loss to the company is \$25,000.

EQUALITY OF THE RACES Is Decided Affirmatively by the Protestant

Episcopal Church of Kentucky. VERSAILLES, KY., May 10 .- The annual meeting of the Diocesan Council of the Protestant Episcopal Church, in Kentucky, was held here this week. Mr. Reinecke, in an | Rumors of a Concerted Movement by the interesting paper, agreed with the Rt. Rev. Bishop Dudley, that the negro should be considered the equal of the white man in every respect. Father Betts, of Louisville, urged the equality of the two races.

Bishop Dudley will devote several months in every year to the study of the race ques-

tion, and will report on the same at the next general convention of the churches. The next annual council will be held at Paducah, Ky. Butterick's Patterns Have Moved to 27 Fifth mont in the sum of \$21,000 is incorrect. The

Avenue. We have no store on Penn avenue. Be sure every pattern and publication is stamped The Butterick Publishing Co.; all WASHINGTON, May 10.—The Speaker others are worthless.

A. G. CAMPBELL & Sons, 27 Fifth ave.

# appointments: On rules, Blount, of Georgia; MERELY A MOCKERY.

That is How German Socialists View the Proposed Labor Reform.

OPPOSITION GATHERING FORCE. An Imperial Board of Salaried Arbitrators

to be Created. THE MILITARY BILL TO BE PUSHED.

White Book Defining Germany's Position on African Colonization. The German Socialists do not take kindly to the labor reform measure to be presented in the Reichstag. They find a number of tatal dejects in the bill, and insist that it is

merely a scheme to give the Government greater control over the working classes.

COPYRIGHT, 1889, BY THE NEW YORK ASSOCIATED BERLIN, May 10 .- The Reichstag, beginning the active labors of the session on Monday with the debate on the East Africa credits, has only six weeks' work before prorogation, which has been fixed for June 20. The consideration of the military bill will precede the measures for benefiting the workingmen. Not much will be heard of the last mentioned measures before adjourn-

ment. Since the labor protection bill was issued on Wednesday a scrutiny reveals a number of riders to the main proposals, tending to make use of some of the best provisions of the measure by giving employers means of escaping them. Thus, under special circumstances, employers can be authorized to break the rule limiting the work of children under 13 years to six hours and of youths under 16 to ten hours. The bill mentions spinning factories and similar occupations where exceptions may be granted, of which the employers may readily avail themselves,

EVADING RESPONSIBILITIES. Another clause transfers direct respon sibility for a breach of the laws from the employers to the managers or foreman, thus opening a way for evasions and making men of atraw answerable instead of the proprietors. The proposed rider to the breach of contracts sections are held by the Freisinnige party and the Socialists to be disguised attacks apon the right of coalition, leading to further powers for the sup-

pression of strikes. The opposition gathers force, the Social-ists declaring that the supposed new era of labor reforms differs little from the Bismarckian era, and that the bill will be a deception unless much modified. This spirit of the opposition promises a sequence rirritating debates before the House can dispose of the labor bill.

Another labor conference having influ-ence in molding the final form of the bill will be held here. The Emperor intends to sum-mon delegates from every trade in Germany to discuss trade questions, and he proposes to establish a special permanent Operatives' Council, under the presidency of Baron von Berlepsch, Minister of Commerce, each member having 2,000 marks yearly, with the title of Arbeitsrath. LOOKS LIKE A BRIBE

The members of the council will be select-

ed from the delegates to the conference.

The project is obviously in the same line as

the labor scheme, aiming to give imperial control of the workingmen, with purchase power over the salaried leaders. Socialists like Vollmar, Liebknecht and Bebel, who are impregnable to money considerations, will resent the Emperor's orderings. The military bill will be the first to lead to some definition of the party groups. The Socialist section, the Freisinnige section, and the Center section are expected to oppose the bill. Still the Government will have a large majority. The Freisinnige party con-

### dissension, largely of a personal character. Rickert, Barth and Schrader are still aiming to get rid of Richter's leadership. ace Scoenach-Karolath, whose human itarian oration at the last session attracted so much attention, has receded from the Reichsparter, and gone over to the National

Liberals. He has just become Grand Master

of the Orient of Prussia.

ROYALTY'S QUEER DISPUTE. William Wants the Czar to Speak French and the Latter Says He Cannot. BERLIN, May 10 .- A queer issue has arisen with the Czar over the meeting with Emperor William at the coming maneuvers at Krasnoeselo. Last week at the Imperial meeting Their Majesties spoke French.

Emperor William recently instructed General von Schweinitz, German Minister to Russia, to ask the Czar to use the German language.

General Schweinitz preferred the request to M. De Giers, Russia's Prime Minister, in the Russian language, promising that at the next visit of the Czar to Germany Emperor William would speak the Russian language and would cause everybody around the Czar to use the same tongue. M. De Giers pleads that the Czar don't speak good Ger-

# man, and says that if Emperor William ignores French he must have recourse to

GERMAN WORKMEN STRIKING. Brewers, Carpenters, Masons and Shoe makers All Have Grievances. BERLIN, May 10 .- At Hamburg 40,000 masons and carpenters are on strike, and at Stettin 8,000 masons and carpenters are out. At Cologne the brewers' workmen have quit work. The shoemakers demand a minimum of 15 marks weekly and a working day of 11 hours. At Leipsie the employers have formed a permanent union to fight the strikers. The Berlin iron masters and metallurigists have signed an agree-ment by which they bind themselves not to

### agitation. It says that in view of the solidarity of the workmen there is no need

The Volksblatt denies that an interna-

tional committee is keeping up the strike

employ strikers.

SAVAGE ATTACK ON BISMARCK. A German Newspaper Says He is Suffering From Alcoholism. BERLIN, May 10 .- The Freisseninge Zeitung is gaining a bad notoriety through its publication of scandals in regard to Prince Bismarck. It declares that a medical specialist knows that the ex-Chancelior is auffering from alcoholism, and not the morphine habit. Bismarck's friends do not beed the at-

### tacks, and even his enemies are disgusted AFTER THE ANARCHISTS.

European Governments. BEBLIN, May 10 .- Dispatches from Vienna of doubtful authenticity assert that M. Constans, the French Minister of the Interior, has made overtures to the Austrian and German Governments for united action against the Auarchists. At the Foreign Office here nothing has been heard of the alleged proposals.

www William Goes a-Shooting. BERLIN, May 10.-The Emperor will go to Silesa to-morrow to shoot on the estates of Count Hochberg.

Preparing a New Miners' Law. city on a visit to New York. BERLIN, May 10 .- Minister Von Berlepsch hes called a meeting of Inspectors of | business trip to New York.

Mines to assist in the preparation of a new

AFRICAN COLONIZATION. EMIN PASHA MADE OVERTURES TO THE GERMAN GOVERNMENT.

He Wanted to Escape From British Influence-Bismarck Welcomed His Offer-England Denies Gormany's Territorial Claims-Sallabury Grasping a Large

BERLIN, May 10 .- A white book on East Africa was issued to-day preparatory to Monday's debate. It gives a dispatch from Major Wissmann, stating that Emin Pasha strongly desired to place his experience at the disposal of the German service, and begged that his offer might be placed before the Emperor and Prince Bismarck. Prince Bismarck replied: "Emin's offer is welcome. Inform me exactly of his wishes." Major Wissmann thereupon arranged the existing engagement with Emin, who from his first contact with Major Wissmann had

been eager to escape from English influence.
The white book describes the progress of
the consolidation of the German power until
the capture of Kilwa. Chancellor Von
Caprivi is expected to inform the House as
to the position of the negotiations with Enpland as to the delimitation of the boundaries in Africa. The English Envoy, Sir Percy Anderson, declined to admit the German claims extending her frontier and influence to the Congo Free State. He claims that the English influence extends from Victoria Ny-anza to Albert Nyanza, including the whole basin of the White Nile. It is obviously the aim of the Salisbury Government to grasp a territorial line from South Africa to the Soudan.

BISMARCK STILL FEELS BIG. He Thinks the Emperor Will Soon Come to

Him for Assistance.

PEPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCIL'S BERLIN, May 10 .- Prince Bismarck during the week received several communications from the Emperor couched in friendly terms, but practically suggesting that his retirement from office should involve political inactivity. Herren Bucher and Poschenger stayed two days at Friedrichsruhe, and left impressed with the conviction that the ex-Chancellor considered himself still the most potent influence in the Empire, believing that the Emperor ere long will be obliged to recall him to extricate the Government from the difficulties into which he will have plunged it. He treely expressed his discontent because the Emperor, in the speech from the throne, omitted reference to his dismissal.

The Emperor denies that "dismissal" is the right phrase. If the Prince had not sev-eral times offered to resign, the Emperor

### made in writing and was granted. PRINCE HENRY IS ALL RIGHT.

would not have taken advantage of the last threat to part with him. The threat was

first made verbally, and was not accepted;

then a request for permission to resign was

He is on Good Terms With His Royal Brother, and is Enjoying Life. BERLIN, May 10 .- The story that Prince Henry, the Emperor's brother, was in disgrace, and had been given a month's inforced leave of absence, is untrue. He was present at the opening of the Reichstag, and has stayed at the Schloss in the friendliest

ntercourse with his brother. He left with the Princess to-night on a

visit to the Ducal family, of Hesse, at Friedburg. From there he will go to Hamburg to visit his mother, and thence to England, where he and his wife will be the guests of the Queen at Windsor. A Saller Drowned. ISPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH. ERIE, May 10 .- A floater was found in the bay this evening, and papers on his per-

Thompson's Bail Fixed at \$5.000. Judge Ewing yesterday fixed the bail for E. Thompson, charged with causing the death of George Corken, at \$5,000.

hadn't given the bail last evening, and is

still in jail.

LOCAL ITEMS. LIMITED. Incidents of a Day in Two Cities Condensed for Rendy Rending. THE Board of Directors of the Wheeling Natural Gas Company met at the office in the Stevenson building yesterday and elected the following officers: William Flinn, President; J. M. Guffy, Vice President; W. J. Diehl, Secretary and Treasurer; Henry Fisher, J. M. Guffy, A. F. Keating and Robert C. Elliott, Executive Committee.

HARRY KENNEDY, of No. 508 Fifth avenue. s not the boy who was arrested on April 30 for rambling back of the Citizens' Traction Company's building on Penn avenue. The lad has been put to a great amount of annoyance by people supposing it was he who had been ar-rested. JUSTICE BRADLEY, of the United States

Supreme Court, has written a letter to Judge Acheson, saying he will probably be unable to come to Pittsburg to try the Monongahela navigation case. The hearing will be held the and week of the term. THREE drunken men boarded car No. 115 of the Pleasant Valley line, on Federal street last night, and refused to pay their fares. After considerable parleying with the conductor the latter put the men off. For a time it looked as if a riot was imminent.

on a charge of larceny from the person, pre-ferred against him by A. Turner, of Beaver Falls. He was held for a hearing before Alderman King to-morrow. THE Second Avenue Electric Company has accepted the road from the contractors. The work of laying the new tracks from the Cop-per Works to the Exposition is progressing

WILLIAM GROVES was arrested yesterday

rapidly.

THE Coroner's jury in the case of Giles Collins, who was killed by a shifting engine at Demmiler station Thursday, rendered a verdict of accidental death, yesterday. THOMAS CARMODY, indicted for perjury in the United States Court, yesterday gave bail for his appearance at Williamsport on the third Monday in June. Labor, was held early this morning in a More than 150 immigrants were transferred from the Baltimore and Ohio to the Pennsylva-nia for points West. They were in a filthy con-Allegheny, and 15 more men were admitted to membership. were admitted to membership. District Master Workman Evans was pres

THE regular summer excursion business of

the B. & O. road will open with the usual an-nual excursion to Ohio Pyle on Decoration

Others Who Talk.

-Ex-Congressman R. G. Horr, of Michi-

ent. He had a lively time keeping away from the company's spotters and detectives, who evidently were determined the meeting MATT CARET was arrested for fighting at the Forks of the Road last evening. Mr. Evans also had a few men on picket duty, and he was kept posted all night as to the whereabouts of the company's men. WHAT PEOPLE ARE DOING. The meeting was announced to have been held on Ohio street, and while the "spotters" were trying to find the hall the meeting was Some Who Travel, Some Who Do Not, and

ex-Congressman R. G. Horr, of Alchi-gan, was at the Union depot for a short time yesterday, going home. He savs Federal con-trol of Federal elections must come, sooner or later. Mr. Horr has been lecturing before Pennsylvania teachers' institutes, and he is much impressed with the educational work -Among the east-bound passengers on the Pennsylvania road last evening were Secretary D. P. Corwin, of the Pittsburg, Virginia and Charleston road; Ed Bean, one of the pro-prietors of the Anderson Hotel; Homer Laugh-lin, an East Liverpool potter, and Dominick McCaffrey, the pugilist.

City, formerly of Allegheny, have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. C. H. Speer, of Franklin street, on their way to Europe. The Umbria, which sailed yesterday, was the vessel se -Superintendent Burt, of the Fifth Division of the Railway Mail Service, passed through the city yesterday, bound for Cincin--Miss Maggie Swaney, of Bellefonte, is visiting her sister. Mrs. L. A. Miller, of Congress street.

-Mrs. J. M. Gusky is absent from the

-Mr. William DeWolf is at present on a

Inspector McCutcheon Gets a Salty Dos From Magistrate Hyudman.

thoroughly organized in a few days.

in progress in Manchester.

esolution was unanimously adopted:

Mackintosh, of the Plasterers, was appointed

The council adjourned to meet next Satur

FIFTEEN MORE TAKEN IN.

Pleasant Valley Employes Gradually Get-

ting Into the Fold.

Employes' Assembly No. 2213, Knights of

should not be held without their knowledge

About 100 men are now in the assembly,

and Mr. Evans expects to have the road

ONLY TWENTY AND COSTS.

Meat and Milk Inspector George Mc

Cutcheon had a hearing before Magistrate

Another meeting of the Pleasant Valley

in the lower part of

to prepare constitution and bylaws.

day evening at the same place.

Hyndman vesterday afternoon on a charge of maintaining a nuisance. The suit was -Mr. D. D. Jones and wife, of Kansas brought by Inspector Whitehouse, of the Second Police district, acting under orders from the Department of Public Safety. The alleged nuisance was the drainage of an outhouse onto neighboring yards. Mr. McCutcheon's defense was that the recent rains flooded the place, causing an overflow. Magistrate Hyndman fined Mr. McCutcheon \$20 and costs.

Senator Sherman's Birthday. WASHINGTON, May 10 .- Senator Sherman elebrated the sixty-seventh anniversary of his

birth this evening by a dinner, which was at-tended by President Harrison, Vice President Morton, General Sherman, General Peale and

for peace with France. An English syndicate has purchased five PHILADELPHIA, May 10 .- The American Life Insurance Company to-day suspended in accordance with the writ of quo warranto issued on Friday at Harrisburg

by Attorney General Kirkpatrick, service of which issued upon the officers of the com-pany was by mail. The writ, as already published, was issued at the instance of Insurance Commissioner Forster upon in-formation of the unsound condition of ondon denies that he intends resigning. the company, resulting from an ex-amination of its affairs by Mr. George Tompkins, who was employed by the commissioner for that purpose. Although the doors of the company's offices were open to-day as usual, no business was transacted. The only occupation of the clerks was the

at Chicago ended in a fizzle, and the rate war will be resumed. telling to the many callers that the company PRACTICALLY, the entire Turkish Ministry was changed yesterday. The move has created a great sensation in Europe.

had suspended operations until the argu-ment at Harrisburg upon the writ. When premiums were tendered by policy holders, the money was not taken. Note was, how-ever, made of the tender by the holder of a policy of such and such a number, in order that he might be placed at no disadvantage by reason of the enforced suspension.
Since the publication of President Mac-Farlane's financial transactions the whole

business of the company has been, it was stated, under the control of the Finance Committee of the board. But President MacFarlane and Directors Pfeiffer and SENATOR EDMUNDS and Congressman Grout, both of Vermont, are seriously ill at Dungan, who are respectively President and compose a majority of the committee, and the control of the Finance Committee has

has been probated. He leaves an estate of £2,022,054. With the exception of £4,000 given to the Hartford Hospital, the estate is divided

of six shipwrecked sallors. The schooner Lucy B, Windsor struck on Chest Ledge and sank immediately. The men were taken to shore in a boat after a fearful struggle.

rained yesterday, and one man took his life by hanging, and another made a similar attempt with paris green, but the stomach pump thwarted him. Whether it was the weather or innate cussedness, of some other cause, that is responsible, will more fully appear, and each man who reads the accounts must A telephone message was received at the

o'clock, stating that an unknown man had committed suicide by hanging on the place of H. M. Boyle, on Perrysville avenue, near Charles street, and that he was at that hour The suicide was a well-known character of Allegheny, Frederick Werner, whose home is at 63 Third street. He was 70 years of age, married and had a grown up family

the small boy, and was known by that name by many who were not acquainted with his proper name.

The manner of his death was in placing a doubled twine about his neck, the end being wound about the limb of a tree some eight feet from the ground. The man must have stood upon the ground to adjust the fastening and after securing it to the tree lifted his feet from the ground and strangled to

and claimed the right of admission into the council. The other delegates answered him by saying the tile workers had refused to go into the parent organization. He was over-whelmed and finally consented to retire.

The business of the meeting was then taken up and the election of officers was first disposed of. Mr. Jones and Mr. Lall is the son of a farmer in Lower St. Williamson were retained as permanent President and Secretary, respectively; A. M. Swartz was elected Treasurer, and Will-iam Snyder, Vice President. The following

New York Capitalists Willing to Purchus ISPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH,

was postponed.

The gentleman reported to be conducting

OPEN ALL THE YEAR.