

to amuse themselves." and last, but not least, the barbecue. It is just possible that these celebrations did not case the spirit of patriotism, but it made PITTSBURG ALWAYS IN THE LEAD. the ex-Mayor's eyes sparkle and his chest bicage's New Method of Assessment in

swell just to think of it

NOT A UNION MOVE. "This step to agree on one set of prices has not been considered by the Union. It is only the action of Allegheny barbers. Eight years ago a move was made not to cut children's hair on Saturday, but that is a nother.

Superintendent Dean, of the Anti-Cruelty ulating rates, except in so far as prohibiting any barber being a member who charges less than 10 cents for shaving and 15 for hair-cutting. lociety, last evening arrested Mrs. Sarah J Hallin, of Ann street, near Pride street, on a charge of cruelty and neglect to her children. Mrs. Hallin has six children, three

of whom are living at home. It is alleged that the mother spends her husband's wages and North, will be idle after to-night, and in drink, and beats and neglects her chilabout ten factories will not close down until ren. The latter were delighted when Mr. Dean went to the house and arrested their dead letter now. "I think, though, the Alleghenians have Mr. Hallin is a watchman at Hammond's mill. He sleeps there, as he declares his home is too unhappy for him to go there. He further says that for a long time past he a good case. They ought to have more for hair-cutting. Twenty-five cents is not any too much. I believe the general public will agree that it is little enough. Some people appreciate the work, and don't consider the has been feeding his children at the mill, as their mother neglected to provide food for appreciate the work, and don't consider the prices. They are the class that will be nat-isfied. Others object to anything like a quarter or more. I know certain men who spend a dollar in the saloon and squeal on a them.

Until Compelled To. The window glass houses of this city and

will not, of course, decide the Allegheny few exceptions in the West will close contest. down to-day, and will remain out of blast until about September 1. Thirty-two factories, running 892 pots, located in the West

known high-grade goods than you must pay

for cheap, unknown instruments with no record for tone or durability. In buying a

piano you want a sweet, pleasing tone, and

then you want that tone to be lasting. Mr. Hamilton has dealt in the pinnos and or-

gaus he offers you for the last 18 or 20 years,

with an unbroken record of success. Why'

Because he and you can turn to your neigh

to them years ago still giving every

bor and find planos and organs sold by him

faction and showing scarcely any wear or

failure, because he sells at the lowest possi-ble margin and on the easiest terms, be-

cause every instrument is fully warranted

and must do just as represented. To those who are about to buy we say go and see. You will save money by purchasing an in-strument from Hamilton's.

HALF PRICE.

We Acquaint You With the Fact That to

ing We Have Cut the Price in Half.

our summer stock of clothing, including men's custom made suits, boys' suits and

fine pantaloons. When it gets to the end of each season we hold these half-price sales,

THE PEOPLE'S STORE.

Great Bargains.

CAMPBELL & DICK.

Dispose of All Summer Weight Cloth-

We have two weeks in which to dispose of

throu through in a lew days, notwithstanding the establishment was crowded with other orders. At one time three improved cylinder presses, manufactured by C. B. Cottrell & Sons, and just erected in Mr. Smith's estab-Do You Want a Good Plane or Organ for Little Money? If you do, go to Hamilton's, 91 and 93 Fifth avenue, and he will convince you that he can and does sell at lower rates than you he can and does sell at lower rates than you can buy the same quality of goods else-where. Many have been informed that at Hamilton's you must pay for the name of their high-grade goods. If you will call and see him, you will find out that he charges no more for his thoroughly well-

was issued from the presses of Percy F. Smith, 53 and 55 Virgin alley, last evening. The programmes are beautiful specimeus of the typographer's art, and were rushed Men's Bathing Suits. th in a few days, notwithstanding the

The 75-dozen lot of Fisk, Clark & Flarg's Washable "4-in-43"'s" all gone. A bigger lot ready for to-day, and every plece new.

Shirts and drawers in the light to very light gauge weights. Gauze Wool Underwear as soft as silk. Natural Underwear in weights suitable for the warmest weather, \$1 50 and \$2 per garment and upward, including the celebrated goods of Allen Solly & Co. There's nothing in Uunderwear you cannot get here.

Light Summer Coats, \$3 50, upward.

Superintendent George H. Browne, of the Bureau of Water, is delighted with the idea of a revival of Fourth of July demonstrations. He said: "Patriotism, especially that self-sacrificing patriotism which has placed the United States in the front rank f the nations of the world and made it the envy and admiration of all the Powers, is a sentiment, and one of the noblest which finds a resting-place in the human heart. A pure sentiment, like an odorous flower, needs cultivation, and the time to work the soil is while the plant is young.

brazen clamor of the bands as they played "Yankee Doodle," the mighty choruses

of voices which united in swelling the

trains o

"The Star-Spangled Banner

WILL DEVELOP PATRIOTISM.

"Therefore, I am heartily in favor of THE DISPATCH'S suggestion to hold an oldfashioned Independence Day which will be the means of inculcating the principles of Republicanism in the minds of the children. It will be a pleasant change for the children, and its general adoption through-out the country would develop a stronger feeling of patriotism among the miltions who owe allegiance to the Stars and Stripes. Superintendent Morris W. Mead, of the Bureau of Electricity, has struck a povel idea in connection with the proposed de-monstration. "Perhaps it would be possimonstration. "Perhaps it would be possi-ble to instill patriotism into people by means of electricity," he said, "and I should be only too glad to render any assistance to that end. But, joking aside, I think the idea is one which must meet with general approbation. Children should be brought up with a full understanding of the duties incumbent upon them as citizens, and should be so imbued with love of country that any sacrifice they might be called upon to make its sake would be offered willingly. I armly believe that if this celebration is held next month it will never be allowed to lapse, but will become a regular institution of Pittsburg. In the years to come, say 20 or 30 years hence, the children of to-day will tell their children about the first Fourth of July celebration ever held in Schenley Park.

in the history of the United States." A WESTERN FOURTH.

B. C. Christy, the attorney, said: "On that day there should be public meetings, gathering of the people together, and pub-lic speaking to teach the people the princi-ples of our Government. The Declaration of Independence ought to be read. We are so busy as a people that we do not ordinarily take time to study these affairs. I think it is well to have at least one day in the year set apart when the people would be re-minded of the principles on which our Government is established.

"I vivialy remember an old-fashloned Fourth of July in which I took part three venrs ago in Keosauqua, Van Buren county, Iowa. It is the county town. The people came from all sections of the county, in wagons and on horseback, and assembled in the handsome grove around the Court House. There was a regular pienic and a number of public speeches. The people en-joyed themselves and everybody was sober. No liquor was sold in the town and I did not see one intoxicated man. From the place where I sat on the platform I could look right into the door of the county jail. The door stood wide open. The jail had not an inmate. I thought that a good example of what a Fourth of July ought to be."

A SOBER SUGGESTION.

Western Pennsylvania Humane Society, has lived in Pittsburg 60 years. He was acked what the old-time Independence Day celebrations were like. He said: "I be lieve there is as much celebrating now as there was 60 years ago. Then people got drunk, and they do the same thing now, There is too much drinking of liquor on the Fourth of July. In my humble opinion the saloons should be closed on that day. Last year I remember that many families smong my neighbors had liquor at their houses, and the women drank as well as the men. I do not think there is as much pa-triotic sentiment as there used to be. It seems to me that people are not as temper ate and not as religious as they were when I Samuel Davidson, the Secretary of the

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Operation Here for Years. City Assessor Hoerr, in speaking yester-

day of the movement in Chicago to assess unimproved property at the same rate as lots with buildings upon them, says this method has been in practical operation in this city for several years. Pittsburg real estate is divided in three classes-full, rural and agricultural. The first comprises the thickly-settled portion of the city, and is assessed at its full value. Rural property embraces the suburban districts, where dwellings are scattered, and is assessed at two-thirds its value. Agricul-tural property is land devoted exclusively

holiday, and I think one of the happiest ways of enjoying it and making it a regular old-fashioned celebration is to close up all

business places and give everybody a chance

30 cents for a first-class clip. That is a 'top shelf price, and I think the Allegheay bar to farm purposes, and is assessed at onebers will have no trouble in getting 25 half its value. The fact that land in this city is not imcents. Early in the afternoon a call was paid to proved, has no bearing upon its valuation for assessment. Of course, where there is a building, that is added to the valuation. Many persons complain to the assessors that their lots, upon which there are no improve-Pittsburg's sister city, and the trials and tribulations of the tonsorial artists learned from their own lips. Mr. A. B. Hughes, one of those whose name graces the placards one of those whose name graces the placards distributed over the town, was seen. "High rents are at the bottom of it all," he said. "Few people realize that after we settle with the landlord there isn't much left in the treasury. Our expenses are heavy, and we had to raise the prices on heir outling to come out even. Hitherto we ments and from which they derive no revenue, is assessed for the same amount as

the lots adjacent upon which there are buildings. This plea does not move the assessors, who simply advise the com-plainants to improve their property and make it remunerative.

FOOLED THE WEATHER MAN.

Controller Morrow Coppers the United States

Signal Service and Wins. City Controller Morrow had an engagement in the country last evening. The Controller's foresight and hindsight had a sprint, but foresight came in a length ahead, and he decided to call up the Signal Service Observer and ask him what the prospects were for good weather. The observer re-plied: "We shall have no local storms be-fore 8 o'clock to-morrow morning." The Controller heaved a sigh and said:

I believe the proposed demonstration will become an event which will be handed down "That looks dangerous; I guess I'll stay at At 7:30 P. M. the Controller sat under the shelter of his porch and watched the rain falling in torrents. He had coppered the Signal Service and won.

RUMORS OF SCHOOL CHANGES

That Those Most Interested Declare Are Without Foundation.

A rumor to the effect that Prof. C. B. Wood, the principal of the High School, was to be displaced and Prof. Jillison, the professor of chemistry and geology, be ap-pointed to fill the vacancy at the election of teachers, which was postponed last Friday evening, was investigated yesterday and found to be without foundation, so far as on the placards was the talk in the barber shops in Allegheny yesterday, and some interesting opinions on the subject were advanced by the deft manipulators of the scissors. "I have shorn locks for years," the knowledge of either one of the gentle-men referred to extended. Each in his turn said there had been some

dissatisfaction among the members of the committee over a case of disciplining in the school some few months ago, but, so far as they knew, it had all passed away, and all s would be re elected

NOT WANTED IN TWO CITIES.

Harry Howard, Who Was Suspected of the Box Car Tragedy, Agala Arrested.

Inquiries were made as to whether the increased prices would advance the present wages of barbers. No change of that kind Harry Howard was arrested yesterday

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A RATHER STRANGE FRIENDSHIP.

Charles O'Connor Tells What He Know 15-cent shave. As a matter of fact, a 15-cent

About J. A. Vincent.

Charles O'Connor, whose friend, J. A. Vincent, committed suicide in Cleveland, on account of their having to part, is at his sister's home on Margaret street, Allegheny. Mrs. Thomas Rowan yesterday said the two had been very close friends, but, thinking Vincent was not a proper companion for her brother, she ordered him away. Vincent once told O'Connor that he had

accidentally poisoned his stepfather, mother, two sisters and a brother in Kansas City. Mrs. Rowan emphatically affirmed that there is no truth in the alleged story of Charley O'Connor being a girl.

RAISING DEER IN CAPTIVITY.

Dr. De Pay's Success in Breeding Them His Piace in Homewood.

Mr. George Reese was interviewed and Dr. H. De Puy has a pretty little fawn, Mr. George Reese was interviewed and the following facts learned: "I have not yet signed the card, and don't know of any Federal street barbers who will put down their names. I am a member of the Pro-tective Union and want to see what the association does in the matter first before I which was born at his place at Homewood last week. It has always been considered difficult to breed deer in captivity, but the doctor has raised four within the last four years. He caught the original pair when sign. I understand the prime movers in this matter are Messrs. Frank H. Kline and they were very young, while he was hunting in Wisconsin four years ago. Passengers on the Pennsylvania Railroad

Charles Zeig, who solicited names for the cards you see in the different barber shops." have noticed the beautiful lawn and wellkept garden adjoining the track opposite the Homewood station. In one corner of Charles Nunge, of 245 Federal street, was one of the barbers called on by the committee to sign the card. "They told me in a the grounds can be seen the doctor's deer park.

High Masonie Officials.

The Grand Chapter Arch Masons, of Philadelphia, arrived in the city again vesterday morning, and registered at the Monongahela House. They are inspecting the local Masonic lodges. Several of the gentlemen left for their homes last evening.



Some Who Travel, Some Who Do Not, and Others Who Talk.

-Congressman Hatch, of Missouri, passe through the city yesterday with his family going home. He thinks the McKinley bill in a modified form will be passed by the Senate, Out his way he says the Democrats are all for Cleveland.

scissors. "I have shorn locks for years," remarked one knight of the razor in John H. Stern's emporium, "and find it as much work to cut children's hair as a grown per-son's, the little ones find it so hard to sit still. The price ought to be the same for both and I will be glad to see the 25-cent -General John A. Wiley, of Franklin, arrived last evening, to be present at the mili-tary display for the Weat Penn Hospital to-day. The Marine Band will come in this morn-ing, and stop at the Monongahela House.

still. The price ought to be the same for both, and I will be glad to see the 25-cent -Among the people passing through the city last evening, on the Eastern express, was General Passenger Agent Atmore, of the Louis-ville and Nashville road. He was bound for New York.

-John J. Davis, Assistant City Controller, was yesterday re-elected Supreme Re-cording Scribe of the A. O. K. M. C., at the meeting of the Supreme Lodge at Philadel-

-Judge Wickham, of Beaver, is holding court in Kittanning, presiding in the trial of some sults in which Judge Rayburn has a per-sonal interest, which prevents his sitting. -Hon. A. C. Robertson yesterday passed successful examination, and will to-day be idmitted as a member of the Allegheny County -E. C. Dunnavant, City Passenger Agent

of the Lake Erie road, returned yesterday from a business trip to Kansas City. -Postmaster McKean went East last

July 1. It is said the few exceptions would not close down then if the Window Glass Workers' Association did not compel them to go out of blast. Sometime ago a circular was issued to all metime ago a circular was issued to all the manufacturers, asking them if they would shutdown about two weeks before the regular time. At a meeting held in the regular time. At a meeting held in Chicago promises were secured from nearly every manufacturer in the business that they would go out of blast June 14. Sev-eral of the manufacturers have gone back on the promises made at the meeting, and refuse to go out of blast until compelled to by the workers' association. Some of them have orders on hand that must be filled, and they have not the stock on hand. If they shut down with the other manufacturers, the tock of glass now on the market would be sold before resuming work in the fall. A

meeting of the Pittsburg manufacturers will be held Monday to consider the situation. The flint houses will close down for six weeks on the 28th instant. The bottle houses will close the same day. REPORTING MR. M'GAW'S CASE.

Attorney Cotton Says the Proposition Was Made Through Him. The special committee appointed by the Central Trades Council to investigate the charges against Homer L. McGaw, to the effect that the latter tried to procure a settlement of the Jeannette glassworkers' case for \$5,000, met last evening in the Commoner

which enables us to clear our counters and start with fresh, bright goods. To-day is the day of our first grand clearance sale, and we make the unqualified assertion that office. The object of the meeting was to lay be-fore the committee, the report of the sub-committee, investigating the case. Consid-erable evidence was laid before the com-mittee. Among other matters, a letter was read from E. E. Cotton, coursel for James Campbell, in which Mr. Cotton states that the promotion to pattle the case was made we'll sell the finest tailor-made clothing at lower prices than any other house in this city. Suits made from foreign fabrics, the finest in our stock, which always sell for \$28 and \$30, are now marked \$14 and \$16, P. C. C. C., cor. Grant and Diamond streets, opposite the Court House. the proposition to settle the case was made to him by Mr. McGaw. Mr. Cotton wanted the proposition put in writing but McGaw's attorney, General Blakely, refused to allow his client to do this.

HOW THE LABORERS WORK. Ladies' French flannel blazers opened to-day. Price \$2 50, worth \$3 75. They Say They Want Their Hours of Labor Shortened. The laborers at the Pittsburg Tube Com-

pany's plant on Second avenue have sent a letter to THE DISPATCH office stating they have to Work until 4 o'clock ou Saturday afternoons, while the other men go off duty at 1 o'clock. They are compelled to report at 6:40 in the morning and get half an hour for dinner. During the remainder of the week they are compelled to work until 6 o'clock in the evening; and think their hours should be shortened.

shortened.

A PLATE GLASS PLANT.

It Will be Located in the New Town of Ellwood, Near Rock Point. Henry W. Hartman returned last evening with the Pittsburg party of capitalists who went to Ellwood, the new town near Rock Point, for the purpose of familiarizing themselves with the place. The latest is a large plate glass factory to be established at the place, with James McCrea, Vice President of the Penusylvania

Company, the prime mover in the concern. About six or seven manufactories have ocated at the town.

JUST a few of our \$5 black importe JUSI size 32, at \$2 to close. TUSI HUGUS & HACKE.

FRENCH and English balbriggan under JAMES H. AIKEN & Co., 100 Fifth ave.

MEN's gause vests 25c each, JOS. HORNE & Co.'s Penn Avenue 6

Louvre. Commencement gloves-a full stock in all the latest shades and lengths. Graduates give us a call-we fit them to your hand. 24 Sixth st., directly opposite Bijon Theater entrance. We have no branch store. \$2 50 Quality-Milas Hats for \$1 To-Day In millinery department, black and best colors-only \$1 each. JOS. HORNE & CO.'S Penn Avenue Stores. B. & B.

This morning at 8:30 we will sell 1,200 yards new Tussor wash silks at 50 cents. Boggs & BUHL. DON'T fail to see the largest line of neck-

wear ever shown in the city at James H. Aiken & Co.'s, 100 Fi th ave.

FLOWERS-Close them out-half price. 500 bunches at 25c. 500 bunches at 50c. 100 wreaths at \$1. JOS. HORNE & CO.'S

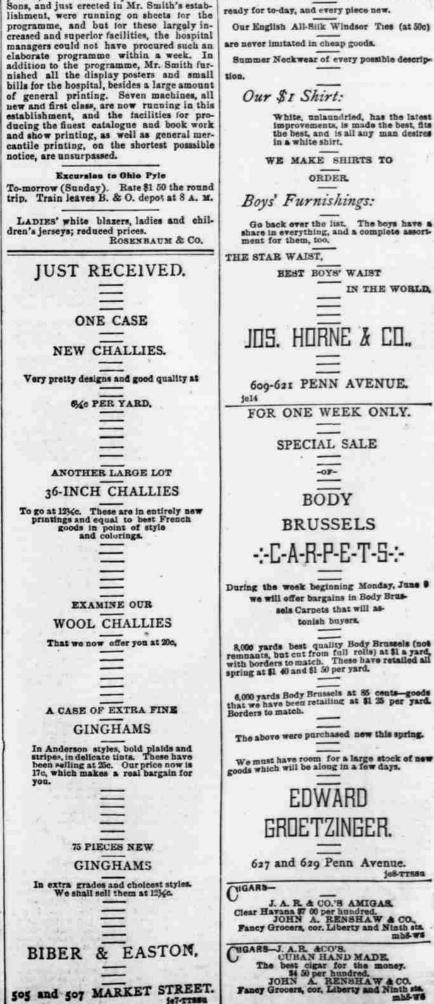
Penn Avenue Stores. ANGOSTURA BITTERS, indorsed by physi-

cians for purity and wholesomene Excursion to Ohio Pyle

To-morrow (Sunday). Bate \$150 the round trip. Train leaves B. & O. depot at \$ A. M.

WHITE and fancy vests at James H. Aiken & Co.'s, 100 Fifth ave.

BLACK silk mitts, jersey and ince, 25c. JOS. HORNE & Co.'s Penn Avenue Biores



very significant manner that they would cause my customers to boycott me," said Mr. Nunge, "il I refused to join the com-bination. I don't understand how they could do that. It we cut hair for less than their standard, 25 cents, it seems to me that people would most likely boycott them and patronize us." Charles Lang said: "There are so many different organizations of barbers at present that I would much rather see one general in that have a new association come up. In that way we could better agree on one price that would be reasonable and just. In this way one man charges his price and another asks for something else." The combine of "union prices" announced

shave will improve a man's appearance mor

than a 15-cent drink of whisky. I charge

hair-cutting to come out even. Hitherto we have cut at 20 cents, but after this a shingle

UNPOPULAR ON FEDERAL STREET.

rate go into effect as soon as possible."

WAGES WON'T GO UP.

will cost 25 cents, man or boy."