

morning, the meeting was called to order by Senator Harlan, who told briefly the object of the gathering and said the commission would be pleased to hear from anyone who had any information to impart on the subject of roads.

FEMALE DEADBEATS.

The first gentleman to make a statement before the meeting was Albin J. Griffin, of Marsha, N. Y., a representative of a road machine company. He said he had traveled about the State of Pennsylvania considerably and found that the majority of country people favor road taxes and State aid, yet they object to the effort being taken out of the hands of taxpayers to make the roads better.

How Some Charming, but Wily Feminine Passengers Attempt to Duppe Railroad Conductors.

A TYPICAL CASE UNDER INQUIRY.

Some Fine Crown Children Whose Parents Try to Pass Them as Below the Age, but Don't.

TRAVELERS WHO LIE FOR A FEW CENTS.

By checking to the Station on Mileage Tickets, and going on to the next.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company's local officials are inquiring into a charge brought against a conductor by a woman who alleges that she was roughly treated and improperly addressed by the officer. The woman attempted to leave the train without paying her fare, and the conductor, as in duty bound, restrained her, as he declares, without any violence.

There are many ways of traveling by rail without paying one's way. The tramp jumps a freight train, steals or swigs under the car. He does this, of necessity, as he generally has not the wherewithal to pay his way. He is frequently discovered and put off, but not burdened with any pressing business, by the aid of little patience and passing trains he reaches his destination in the end.

But there is another class, not confined to any grade of society, which endeavors to travel without the formality of paying for the accommodation. This class is known in the railroad service as "dead beats."

It is stated that the water supply in this district was never better than since the meeting of citizens held Monday night. The pressure has shown a marked increase, but whether the company that supplies the water has realized that it must do something to better the service, or whether the increase is due to something over which the company has no control, is a question.

DEATH IN STRANGE FORMS.

Horrible Accident in a Brickyard—Minor Mishaps of Yesterday.

William Rickhoue, aged 18 years, who lived at No. 101 Fortieth street, died from the effects of injuries sustained at McGraw's brickyards, thirty-ninth and Liberty streets, yesterday. He was employed at the yards and engaged at work near the brick kiln.

In fact, the easy time which the conductor of any ordinary train would seem to have, is not so in reality. Not alone must he remember the faces or general appearance of his passengers, but he must be constantly on the alert for those who do not travel the limits of their tickets.

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SAVED FROM THE KNIFE.

Lizzie Murray's relatives have to hustle for her remains.

Lizzie Murray, the girl found last week on Fifty-second street dying with consumption, passed away at City View early Wednesday morning.

A DISAGREABLE ORDER.

A GILDED OPIUM DEN.

In the Heart of Pittsburgh Raided by Detectives Yesterday.

MAGNIFICENTLY FURNISHED ROOM.

A Woman Offers Her Diamonds to Secure Her Release.

POLICE MOVING AGAINST THE EVIL.

The police unearthed a palatial opium joint in the heart of Pittsburgh yesterday. It was a magnificent room, and an effort was made to rid the city of this evil.

Yesterday afternoon Inspector McAleese received information that Charles King, or Charlie King, as he is generally known, and who is a very intelligent Chinaman and member of the Order of Freemasons and able to speak English fluently, was operating an opium joint at No. 113 Grant street.

THE POLICE OFFICERS.

The detectives were somewhat surprised when they reached the house and saw that it bore every appearance of being inhabited by a highly respectable family.

COULDN'T BEHIND IN CARDS.

The detectives explained that they had no opportunity of sending in their cards to herald their approach, and to end the argument they sent for the patrol wagon and placed Charlie under arrest.

GOT HIS WASHER.

A Chinaman Charged a Customer With Robbery, But It Did Not Hold.

ROW ON A STREET CAR.

The Participants Find a Resting Place in the Allegheny Lockup.

THE ASSEMBLY DISMISSED.

Painters Wind Up Their Business and Enjoy a Picnic.

THEY GET 3 PER CENT INCREASE.

Blazers.

Woolen Challies.

Striped Silk Surahs 7/4c.

AT SPECIAL PRICES.

A STATUE FOR MR. SHIPLE.

HOW HIS FELLOW-MASONS WILL HONOR HIS MEMORY.

It will be made of Fine Marble and When Finished will be Placed in the New Hall—A Perfect Model Already Made—A Beautiful Work.

LABOR AND LEVITY.

How Workers Would Benefit by the Establishment of Clubs.

FOR PASTIME AND INSTRUCTION.

Prescription Glass Workers Granted a Material Advance.

PAINTERS WIND UP WITH A PICNIC.

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ROOM FOR IT HERE.

HE SOLD THE FURNITURE—White His Wife Was in the Hospital.

A short time ago she had to be sent to the West Penn Hospital, and while she was there her husband sold all her household effects.

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