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Adjutant Joe Eaton has been heard from out West, and is well pleased at the recent action taken by the Grand Legion.

P. G. C. John Rowen left Thursday for Mt. Clements, Mich., to attend his afflicted wife, who is reported to be growing worse.

Bellevus Legion, No. 3l, has gone into camp on the shores of Lake Michigan, and will spend about two weeks fishing and bathing. Grand Standard Bearer, C. L. Hannon, has gone to Atlantic City to spend a couple of weeks. Salt water is an excellent thing for his

Legions throughout the State will receive official circulars, announcing the action of the Grand Legion at the late session in a very short Humboldt Legion No. 17, ought to be well satisfied. It secured two trustees at the Grand Legion session. Good for the German com-

Past Grand Commander Sam Shaner was seen to smile when Bradford was selected for next Grand Leglon session. He has a warm spot for McKean county.

S. V. C., Dr. J. C. Dunn and family returned from DuBois Thursday. He says he has been royally treated by the people of DuBois since the adjournment of the Grand Legion. Keystone Legion No. 3, and Tarentum Legion No. 33, failed to materialize. They should see to it that their representatives are present hereafter.

Aiready the good work has been begun along the line, and the boys at Du Bois propose to assist the organizer from their locality in or-ganizing lerions at Brockville, Punxsutawney and Reynoldsville.

The comrades all seem to be well satisfied with the selection of the grand officers, particularly that of Grand Treasurer James M. Todd, who is considered one of the most energetic workers in the order.

Miss Nellie Ross, the accomplished and pleasing little songstress of DuBols, connested with the Presbyterian Church choir of that place, enertained the delegation from this vicinity to the Grand Legion session at DuBols.

Adam Acker, of Humboldt Legion No. 17, captured the prize offered at last session—a new uniform. There was only two candidates ahead of DuBois Legion No. 18, but the Germans are bound to get there every time. Past G. C. John Bowen, G. R. Thomson, G. T. J. M. Todd, and Colonel C. V. Lewis are the authors of a new ballad, entitled, "The Day We Went Blackberrying," and have formed a quartette to sing it sine next session of the Grand Legion at Bradford.

Ben Leech, Grand Junior Page, was met at Parker's Landing by his wife who Ben Leech, Grand Junior Fage, was mer at Parker's Landing by his wife, who accom-panied him on a trip to Buffalo and Niagara Falls. Ben says what he don't know about Du Bols, since forming the acquaintance of the Chief of Pelice there, isn't worth knowing. The committee on ritual for the new work consists of Grand Vice Commander Dr. J. C. Duna, Grand Treasurer, James M. Todd and Colonel C. V. Lewis. They will report in the near future, and it is given out that the report will be something beyond the average in such

Evans City Legion No. 32 should feel proud of the manner in which it was represented by assisted in his efforts by the newly-elected Grand Medical Examiner, Dr. F. V. Brooks, also a member of No. 82, who is not only a great favorite at home, but all over the State.

Order of Solon.

Deputy Organizer Samuel Beatty is getting Supreme Vice President C. L. McMillen has charter list of 25 for a second lodge at Colum-

Supreme Secretary B. F. Beatty left Thursday for Youngstown and Cleveland to look up the interests of Solon. Medical Examiner Dr. Elizabeth Uncapher

examined several candidates for Mispah Lodge during the past week. The steamboat excursion held by the German lodges last Monday was quite a success. About 600 persons were present, and were

Brother John A. Elseurath has resigned his position as secretary of Tarentum Lodge No. 13 and moved to this city. Brother A. R. Benouf has been elected his successor. No. 13 loses an active worker.

Coke Lodge No. 84, of Stoners, Pa., will celebrate its first anniversary Septemberl by initiat-ing II new members and having an excellent entertainment and banquet. A fine programme has been arranged, and a number of the Supreme officers will be present.

Deputy Supreme Organizer W. L. Davis in-stituted Lodge No. 125 at Mingo Junction, O., early in the week, with a charter list of 23 mem-bers. From there Brother Davis went to Teroute, O., and will complete a charter list there and organize a fine lodge Friday evening.

Last Monday evening, while returning from an appointment in the suburbs of Toronto, O., Debuty Supremb Organizer W. L. Davis was waylaid by two tramps. He sailed into them, knocking one down and chasing the other into the woods. Although almost 60 years of age, Brother Davis still retains the vigor of youth. Members of Hunter Lodge No. 26, Turtle Creek, Pa., celebrated their first anniversary Friday evening by holding an open meeting. After the regular business of the evening was disposed of Supreme Member William Adams was elected Master of Ceremonies and presided in an able manner. Several addresses by members present were well received, and refreshments were served by the ladies.

On Friday evening, August 15, Deputy James H. Blue, of Sheridan, Pa., assisted by Supreme Secretary B. F. Beatty, of this city, instituted Indiana Lodge No. 124, at Indiana, Pa. No. 124 starts with the largest charter list of any lodge in the order. Up to that date Columbus Lodge held the honors, with a charter list of 38. Indiana, however, comes to the front with 50 charana however, comes to the front with 50 charana. ana, however, comes to the front with 50 char-ter members, and is entitled to first honors.

Jr. O. U. A. M.

State Vice Councilor Slifer and Junior Past State Vice Councilor were in the city this The American, the organ of the order, is taking great interest in the proposed change of

The new laws adopted by the State Council of Pennsylvania have been approved by the National Councilor. John E. Armstrong Council will raise flags over the school houses in the Thirty-first ward

The list of Deputy State Councilors for Penn-sylvania is being made up, and will probably be announced next week.

State Conneilor Collins and Mayor Gourley will go to Slate Lick next Thursday, where a reunion of all Armstrong County Councils will be held

Wm. Thaw Council No. 398 is arranging for an eatertainment and reception, to be given at Masonic Hall, Allegheny, some time during November.

The vote on the change of name will be taken on the last meeting night in September. Many of the Councils are holding special meetings for the purpose of discussing the change.

A preliminary meeting of the new council being organized on Mt. Washington by Thomas F. Ashford, Jr., was held on Friday evening. There are 48 names on the application.

A popular subscription fund has been started by the Allegheny Monumental Committee. The American has been made the custodian of the fund, and the doubtions are limited to \$1. The Past Councilors' Association discusses the question of striking out the word "white' at its meeting last night. Some forcible argument was produced favoring the proposition,

The Eastern district is becoming since Bro. Hiram J. Slifer, of No. 52, was honored with the position of S. V. C. Councils are being organized in different sections of the district. The parade of 1891 is being talked of already. In connection with the parade the unveiling of the Washington Menument will take place, and

will be an affair of National interest and im-Arrangements have been completed for the public mass meeting of the Past Councilors' Association on September 27. It will be held in Lafayette Hall, and prominent members of the order will be present. Quite a number of Juniors left over the Bal-timore and Ohio last night to attend the annual session of the Daughters of Liberty, at Salem, Mass., among them National Vice Councilor James W. McCleary and Deputy National Councilor G. E. Keppee.

The Golden Eugles. Louis E. Stilz Commandery No. 69 will meet The General Commandry will have a meeting next Saturday evening to finish up some very

The new castle in Allegheny will be instituted on or about September 11 in the castle hall of Manchester Castle, the members having kindly consented to grant this privilege to the members of the new castle to be D. G. C. Dr. T. E. White will pay Iona Castle a fraternal visit next Wednesday evening, at which time he will confer the Past Chief's degree on those entitled to it and who care to have it. It is expected that a number of others will accompany him.

Grand Chief Davis Cassellberry, of Philadelphia, has been visiting among the castles of this vicinity the past week. On Thursday even-ing a school of instruction was held at Man-chester Castle and a right royal good time par-ticipated in by those present. The Grand Chief is quite a favorite here.

District Grand Chiefs Dr. E. T. White and Louis Smith were the only district officers present at the school of instruction held in Manchester Castle last Thursday evening. There has been some very nice improvements made in the unwritten work, which Grand Chief Cassellberry exemplified to the satisfaction of all present.

At Lorena Castle Tuesday evening Grand District Chief Dr. E. T. White installed the following officers: Noble Chief, Ed J. Dagney: Vice Chief, J. M. Reynolds; High Priest, John A. Marks; Sir Herald, Thomas Brown; Master of Records; H. Grant Miller; Clerk of Exchequer, James McKee; Keeper of Exchequer, W. S. Duff; First Guardsman, William Hall; Worthy Chamberlain, L. Waltz. On next Tuesday evening Noble Chief Edward Dagney will give a treat to the boys.

United American Mechanics.

Lincoln Commandery No. 4, of Allegheny, intends giving the affair of the season at Windsor Park, Bellevue. Two bands, the U. A. M. orchestra and the First Regiment, U. A. M. bands, have been engaged for the occasion. Senior Past Supreme Commander Harry R. Peck and the Supreme officers will be present and lead the grand march.

General Lodge Notes. Keystone Assembly No. 3, Pythian Sister-hood, now holds its meetings on the first and third Thursdays of each mouth at Hugh's Hall, corner Forty-fifth and Butler streets.

The annual Heptasoph day celebration occurs this year at Silver Lake Grove Thursday next. Guenther's Orchestra and the Great Western Band will furnish the music. During the afternoon Prof. Guenther will play a solo, and the name of his daughter, Miss Auguste Guenther, appears on the evening programme.

A JEWELER ACCUSED OF ROBBERY. Two Charges of Stealing Watches Made Against Him.

William G. Dunseath, the jeweler, was Thusday on a charge of larceny by ballee, made by Joseph M. Perry.

It is alleged that Dunseath disposed of a watch that had been given him by Perry to have repaired. This is the second charge of the kind made against Dunseath in the last

LATE NEWS IN BRIEF.

-A Jack the Ripper has been getting in his —Only a third of a crop of Irish potatoes will be secured in Illinois, owing to drought.

—Canadian officials are afraid that Asiatic cholera will reach Canada from Japan next

—A ukase has been issued for the formation of two squadrons of cavairy to be composed en-tirely of natives of the Caucasus. —J. B. Long was nomin: ed for Congress at the Palestine, Tex., convention on the five hundredth and twenty-third ballot.

—The Democratic Convention of the Fifth Mississippi district nominated J. H. Benjan for Congress on the three hundredth ballot. -Treasurer Huston has mailed all the checks

the 436 per cent loan, amounting to \$929,640. -Mrs. A. L. Setter, wife of a lumberman on the Chippewa reservation, was fatally beaten by an Indian woman because she refused alms. —The Sultan of Morocco has agreed to the demands of Spain for satisfaction for the fir-ing upon a detachment of Spanish cavalry by Araba, near Meilila.

-John N. Insley, cashier of the Oskalocsa State Bank, Oskalocsa, Kan., shot himself becouse short in his accounts as administrator of the estate of Eli Metzger.

-Grand Army men in Boston are working to promote the formation of an encampment of the Union Veteran Legion, to be made of with-drawals from the G. A. R.

—The Lancashire Miners' Federation has decided that the question of an eight bour day be submitted to the British miners before an international strike is entered upon. -San Domingo was invaded by a Haytlan

force of 800 men, and repulsed with a less of 23 men. The cause of trouble is dissatisaction with some features of a commercial treaty. -Two insane and deaf mute boys named Nortoo, living at Buckingham, Que., killed and partially ate the infant of Mrs. Cote. The mother left the child in the boys care while

—Several cases of leprosy have been discovered at Englishtown, Victoria county, B. C. The victims have been constantly associating with their neighbors, and it is feared the disease has been communicated.

ERWIN OMOHUNDEO, of Harper Camp 162, is enjoying the sea breezes at Atlantic City. Now, then, get ready for G. A. R. Day, boys SECOND LIEUTENANT CHARLES S. BABST, Harper Camp 162 has been added to the sick list, but is not seriously iil. F. W. PATTERSON, son of Colonel W.J. Patterson, of Post 151, was on last Thursday even-

ing mustered into Hays Camp No. 4, of the Southside. FIRST LIEUTENANT THOMAS HUGHES, of

Camp 162 is enjoying his summer vacation having fully recovered from his late mishap while driving in Schenley Park. A MEETING of all aids-de-camp on the staff of the Division Commander in Allegheny county, has been called for Monday evening, Sep-tember 15, at ball of Camp 83, Allegheny.

In the appointment of Lieutenant James W. Carson as aid de camp on the Coloner's staff the division has a good hustler and a gentleman that is a credit to the position. Great things are looked for from Lieutenant Carson's systematic work in this end of the State MORE systematic work and less decoration of the person by fancy colored badges is what is wanted in this county just at present. Allegheny county has the material for a half dozen of the finest camps in the order, but the members are not doing the proper amount of hustling for new members.

TWENTY-FIVE thousand strangers are exdrawn there by the ninth annual encamp of the Commandery in Chief. Five years ago as many bundreds would have been considered a large crowd for the encampments. This encampment will be the grandest ever held by the Sons of Veterans.

COLONEL GEORGE W. GERHARD Stopped over in this city one day last week while en oute to the Commanderyin Chief encampment. While here the Colonel was the guest of Lientenant Colonel Ribele and Judge Advocate John A. Woods. After the encampment the Colonel contemplates making an extensive tour of the Western States.

THE officers of Harper Camp 162 have secared the new regulation front piece for their caps. They are very handsome, consisting of the crossed cannons in gold bullion, at the junction of which is the red corps mark, bearing the number 182, over which is the word Harper and beneath S. V. in silver. They were made by Hartman, of Philadelphia.

Bar Silver. NEW YORK, August 23.—Bar Silver-Lon-ion, 544d; New York, \$1 194.

SICK HEADACHE_Carter's Little Lyler Pills SICK HEADACHE_Carter's Little Liver Pills. SICK HEADACHE_Carter's Little Liver Pills.

SICK BEADACHE_Carter's Little Liver Pilla.

NEW DEPARTURI

and Selling Real Estate. HINTS TO OWNERS AND AGENTS

Home Stocks Tied Up Temporarily and gregating \$40,000. Buckeye Oil Drops Out of Sight.

THE NEWS AND GOSSIP OF THE CITY

It has been suggested-and the idea seems worthy of consideration-that, inasmuch as it takes two people to make a bar gain, in which buyer and seller must both satisfied, there should be some method by which buyer and seller of real estate could be placed on the same footing and given the same advantages.

It is obvious that, under existing custom

in real estate transactions, the purchaser must take from the agent or owner whatever is offered for sale, or do without. He may, it is true, aimlessly wander about in search of something that has not been offered, but peregrinations of this order are tiresome, to say the least, and an exceedingly uninviting field is covered without much compensation.

It is said that there is a compensation in everything, and that loss in one form is gain in another, but it is very difficult to make this reasoning clear to the man who has decided upon the purchase of a house, which he has puctured in his mind's eye, and then started out in search of, and comes home without it. He did find a number of houses, such as he and his wife had talked about and longed for, but some

of them were in an undesirable location, and others were not for sale at any price. To meet the wants of this dlass of people and to assist them in securing what they desire without importunity, physical exertion or mental anxiety, it is suggested that the person in want of a home or an investment advertise

about as follows:
"Wanted-A Queen Anne house of seven or eight rooms on Lombard street, West Side, be-tween Spruce and Myrtle avenues. Must have hot and cold water, both gases and be unassociated. Give price, terms and full particulars by mail. Box 'E,' DISPATCH OFFICE." In this way the buyer makes known to the public, and the real estate agent in particular, just what he wants and where he wants it, and at the same time covers his personal identity.

The agent can't object to this; it opens up a new field without expense to him, and gives him assurance of a purchaser if he can meet the want. The house and the buyer's eye being of the same size, shape and color, there is nother than the same size, shape and color, there is nother than the same size, shape and color, there is nother than the same size, shape and color, there is nother than the same size, the same size that the same size is not same size. ing left to do except to "haggle" about price, and that sort of diversion would be indulged in under any circumstances.

The proposition is only novel in its relation.

Every other branch of trade asks for what it

wants in about the same way, or invites proposals to supply certain wants, and there seems William G. Dunseath, the jeweler, was no good reason why the people who desire committed to jail in default of bail for a houses and lots should not describe in the adhearing before Alderman Gripp on next vertising columns of the papers the character Thusday on a charge of larceny by ballee. of the house and the location fancied. It is an innovation, an old idea in a new place, and an invitation to buyers to take advantage of the best thought at a busy day, The time is coming when buyers and sellers

> else an exchange will be formed to meet the views of traders and the growth of a business that is as seential to this community as the exchange of other commodities.
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> Will not some one try this in the interest of a

Business News and Gossip.

It is every man's duty to do all he can to develop the interests of the city. Buy a lot and build on it.

It is in Good Supply and Moderate Demand at Usual Rates Building was active again last week. Sixty

be neglected. The benefit, therefore, largely tweighs the damage Of 23 mortgages on file yesterday, the largest

was for \$8,500. Ten were for purchase money. Interviews with numerous wholesale dealers n Chicago are to the effect that business unning from 10 to 20 per cent larger than last rear, and the money stringency has not been felt in the West.

There is a good movement in building lots out the Perrysville road. Building is also pick-It is estimated that 90 per cent of the house erected and going up this year are for resi-dence. Still, the demand is largely unsupplied. As the result of a conference between the iron masters and President McLeod, of the Reading Railroad, that company has reduced the price

of coal and also freight charges to furnace men along its line, with a view to fostering the local ron industry.

Railroad earnings: Erlanger system, first week August, net increase, \$10,126, Ohio and Mississippi, second week August, net decrease, \$750. Northern Pacific, second week August, et Increase, \$51,966.

Attempts to belittle the business of the Pittsburg Exchange are unjust. The institution should be upheld instead of derided. It is a necessary adjunct to the prosperity of the city.
Mr. J. C. Alles returned from Atlantic City

William Flinn and D. P. Black had a lengthy onference yesterday afternoon. Both of the It is not yet settled whether the Duquesne Traction Company will pass over or under the

railroad at Wilkinsburg. Movements la Real Estate. There was a decided improvement in this narket last week, due to colder weather and

the return of a number of absentees. Two large deals were completed—one at Swissvale and the other on Sixth avenue, involving \$100. 288,002.

288,000 respectively, and several others pushed forward. There was a better inquiry for business property.

A transaction on Penn avenue was reported closed yesterday, but particulars could not be obtained. It was also considered to the several other particulars could not be obtained. It was also considered to the several other particulars could not be obtained. closed yesterday, but particulars could not be obtained. It was also reported that a dwelling

on North avenue, Allegheny, below Avon street, had changed hands at about \$40,000, All the brokers spoken to said the inquiry for su-burban building lots was as active as at any previous time this year.

The last lot of 115 in Valley View place was disposed of yesterday afternoon. The plan was put on the market about a year ago. This is

regarded as one of the most successful re-tate operations in the history of the city. Black & Baird were asked for confirmation or devial of a report that they had sold a Center avenue, Shadyside, residence to W. H. Keech for \$35,000, but they had nothing to say. It is believed the deal was made. Mr. Keech was

out of the city.

Anderson & Beeckman, Lim., sold for Mrs.

Anderson & Beeckman, Lim., sold for Mrs. M. J. Thompson to S. A. McClelland, the three-story brick dwelling, No. 88 Boyle street, Allegheny, for \$5,000. L. O. Frazier sold for Julius Schmidt, a lot naving a frontage of 48 feet on the easterly side of Fortieth street, near Daylson street, Seventeenth ward, and extending back 112.50 feet to a 20-foot alley, to Jos. Fuhrer, Jr., for \$4,800 cash, or \$100 per foot front. Melion Bros. sold to John Gilchrist, builders

of the East End, lot No. 4, Baum plan, fronting 57 feet on Negley avenue, Twentieth ward, for \$5,700. The purchaser intends erecting a fine brick residence to be occupied by himself.

Black & Baird sold to Phillip Le Goullon, for the Nicholas Stuppy estate, a lot on Baum street, Shadyaide, 100x120 feet for \$4,200; also to Thomas F. Kane, lot No. 564, and the west half of lots Nos. 623 and 749 in the Homestead plan, for \$1,500: also lots Nos. 59 and 60 in the J. Walter Hay Valley View Place plan, Nineteenth ward, to the Mt. Washington, Homestead Loan and Trust Company, for \$600 cash.

Thomas Liggett sold for J. G. Wainwright,

Elmer streets, 40x150, for \$1,600. Samuel W. Black & Co. sold a property on the north side of Second avenue, above Try street, being Illigation feet, for \$700 cash.

Baxter, Thompson & Co. sold for John A. Graver the property No. 18 Clark street, with

a two-story brick dwelling, lot 18x55, to Colwell street, Seventh ward, for \$1,850. M. F. Hipple & Co. sold to Andrew Jackson a lot 25x120 feet, on the east side of Harman atreet, Denny estate plan, Thirteenth ward, for

Suggested in the Method of Buying Brown & Saint sold to K. D. Mark a lot 30x105 feet, on the south side of Fifth avenue, Wilmerding being No. 275 in Mellon's Routh place plan, for \$300. place plan, for \$300. Sloan and Co. sold 80 lots yesterday in George S. Martin & Co.'s Leamington square plan, ag-

HOME INTERESTS.

Too Many Wet Blankets for the Good of the Stock Market.

A dull week in the stocks closed yesterday without a transaction. This was mainly due to labor troubles and high rates for money East. There was some easing up in this direction yesterday, and the feeling was somewhat more Assuring, but it will take several days to get things on their feet again.

Most of the price changes of the week were

declines, stocks showing the greatest losses being Philadelphia Gas, Central Traction, being Philadelphia Gas, Central Traction, Pleasant Valley and Electric—the latter leading the procession. The greatest advance was in Luster, which closed five points better than the opening on Monday. Citizens' Traction improved a fraction.

Pennsylvania Water Company, which supplies Wilkinsburg and adjacent towns, made its first appearance on the list yesterday, receiving a bid of 49% for the preferred stock.

EXCHANGE STOCK.

Pitts. Pet., Stock & Mctal Ex...... BANK STOCKS. Arsenal.

Bank of Pittsburg.

Commercial National Bank....

Citizens' National Bank...

Duquenen National Bank...

Exchange National Bank... 106% Exchange National Bank.

Farmers' Deposit National Bank.

Fifth National Bank
German National Bank
Masonie Bank
Merchants & Manufacturers' Na. Bank
Merchants & Manufacturers' Na. Bank
Merchants & Manufacturers' Na. Bank
Pittsburg Nat. Bank of Commerce
People's National Bank
Safe Deposit Company
Tradesmen's National Bank
Union National Bank
Union National Bank

GAS STOCKS. thaide Gas Co. (Illum.)..... NATURAL GAS STOCKS, Bid. Asked. | Bridgewater | 59 | Chartiers Valley Gas Co. | 41% | 43 | Chieve OIL COMPANY STOCKS. Bid. Asked. Haselwood Oll Co., PASSENGER RAILWAY STOCKS.
Bid. Asked.
27 27 27

BAILBOAD STOCKS. Pitts, McK. & Yough, R. R. Co. 60 COAL STOCKS. N. Y. & Cleveland Gas Coal Co BRIDGE STOCKS. Point pref..... MINING STOCKS. La Noris Mining Co......

ELECTRIC LIGHT STOCKS. Westinghouse Electric. MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS. Monongahela Water Co....... Union Switch and Signal Co... Westinghouse Air Brake Co... Westinghouse Brake Co. Lim. Pennsylvania Water Co. pref...

HOME MONEY.

There was an easier feeling in the Eastern permits were issued, representing 79 houses, of an estimated cost of \$137,825. The number of buildings erected in the city and suburbs to commodations, putting regular customers and cent, this being the inside figure, while 7 was
the other extreme. Routine business was fair,
showing that things are holding their own.
Fall prospects are full of encouragement.
Bank clearings for the week show a gain of
\$3,436,000, in round numbers, over the same period of last year, and are over \$1,000,000 better
than those for the previous week. The position
above the \$2,000,000 line was firmly held
throughout the week. The Clearing House report shows:

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 \$ 2,346,289.56

 Yesterday's balances
 310,456.94

 Yesterday's balances
 14,613,831.73

 Previous week's exchanges
 13,473,224.64

 Gain over week of 1559
 3,46,154.25

 Gain 1890 to date
 97,409,697.35
 Money on call at New York yesterday was easy, ranging from 3 to 4 per cent, last loan 3, closed offered at 3. Prime mercantile paper closed offered at 3. Prime mercantile paper 5% 27. Sterling exchange quiet and steady at 34 22% for 60-day bills and \$4 82% for demand.

The weekly stagement of the New York banks, issued yesterday, shows the following changes: Reserve, decrease, \$1.857,250; loans, decrease, \$4.491,600; specie, decrease, \$2,222,100; legal tenders, decrease, \$2,122,900; deposits, decrease, \$9,500,000; circulation, increase, \$23,300. The banks now hold \$2,512,975 less than the requirements of the 25 per cent rule.

Closing Bond Quotations. Cleaing Bond Quotations.

U. S. 4a, reg. 125
U. S. 4b, reg. 125
U. S. 4b, reg. 125
U. S. 4b, reg. 126
V. J. U. Int. Cert. 126
V. J. V. U. Int. Cert. 126
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NEW YORK—Clearings, \$148,281,276; balances, \$4.815,305. For the week—Clearings, \$717,416,695; balances, \$29,935,135. Dalances, \$23,185,150.

BOSTON — Clearings. \$17,006,815: balances, \$1,685,475. For the week—Clearings, \$13,825,299; balances, \$10,742,871. For the corresponding week last year—Clearings, \$71,006,662; balances, one of the corresponding week last year—Clearings.

BALTIMORE—Clearings, \$2,810,648; balances, \$286,002.

THE WEEK IN OIL.

Outsiders Fall to Catch On to the Buckeye Product, falled to come up to expectations, it was the best for months. Sales were respectable in the aggregate, and the market was characterized

day, and a good deal of it was marketed, but it weakened on Tuesday, outsiders suddenly loss interest in it, and it steadily let go, with a few weakened on lucescay, outsiders suddenly loss interest in it, and it steadily let go, with a few spasmodic efforts to regain lost ground, until yesterday, when no one wanted to trade either way, and not a transaction took place. It was bid up to 35% offered down to 35, dropped another fraction, and closed at 34% bid, nearly 8 cents below the opening on Monday.

Several disappointing features were developed to which the slump and loss of interest were attributed. The uncertain value of the oil for illuminating purposes and the questionable attitude of the Standard toward the exchanges and the public, leading to the establishment of a double value, giving it all the advantage, deterred outsiders from taking hold and took the wind out of the brokers' salls. Several crooked things, will have to be straightened before Buckeye oil will obtain firm standing as a speculative commodity. Public confidence must be scenred to make it of any value as a medium of commerce. So far there seems to have been no effort to do this.

Finctuations for the day and week are presented in the following table, Saturday's figures being nominal:



The feeling in Pennsylvania Oil during the week was rather mixed, with duliness and weakness as the salient features. There was fair trading in it yesterday, but at the lowest average price of the week, although the close was at the best figure of the day. The loss for the week was 6%. The apathy and slumps may be part of the Standard programme to compel speculators to let the Pennsylvania stuff severely alone, so as to interest the public in the Ohio commodity. The situation is mixed. There are evidently wheels within wheels, and what the outcome will be is as much a puzzle as who butted the bull off the bridge.

Fluctuations of Pennsylvania oil for the day and week were:

Clearances for the same time are appended: Fentures of Yesterday's Oil Market. Corrected daily by John M. Cakley & Co., 45 ixth street, members of the Pittsburg Petro-num Exchange:

Refined, New Yorz. 7.33c, Refined, London, 55/4, Refined, Antwerp, 17f. Refined, Liverpool, 5 11-18d. Refined, Bremen, 6.60m. A. B. McGrew, No. 115 Fourth avenue, quotes Puts, 33/4; calls, 35. Other Oil Markets.

Other Oil Markets.

NEW YORK, August 23.—Petroleum opened steady, but soon became strong and advanced 1½@1½c. After the buying orders in Lima oil was filled those certificates broke and declined 1½c, while September option in Pennsylvania oil remained firm until the close. Only one lot of spot Pennsylvania oil was traded in. Pennsylvania oil—Opening, 86c; highest, 86c; lowest, 86c; closing, 86c; September options, opening, 85½c; lowest, 85½c; closing, 86½c. Lima oil, opening, 34½c; highest, 85½c; lowest, 86c; closing, 84c. Total sales, 100,000 barrels. BRADFORD, August 23.—Petroleum opened at 85%c; highest, 87c; lowest, 85%c; closing, 86%c; charters, 84,687 barreis; clearances, 724,600 barreis.

OIL CITY, August 23.—Petroleum opened at 84%c; highest, 80%c; lowest, 84%c; closed, 86%c; sales, 298,000 barrels; runs, 70,644 barrels; ship-ments, 88,184 barrels; charters, 34,087 barrels.

HOMES FOR THE PEOPLE. Last Week Scored a Gain in the Number of

New Buildings. All of the permits issued last week were for small and medium-sized houses. There were 60 of them, representing 79 buildings. Specifi-cations called for 60 frame, 17 brick and 2 ironclads. The total cost is figured at \$137,825. The Fourteenth ward led with 14, followed by the Pwentieth with 11.

For the previous week 63 permits were taken out, representing 72 houses, at an estimated cost of \$387,939. To date this year 1,058 permits have been issued, representing nearly 2,500 Samuel Crothers, brick two-story and attic dwelling, 20x32 feet, Forty-sixth street, Seven-

deenth ward.

James Ashworth, frame one-story washouse, 10x12 feet, on Stanton avenue, Eighteenth ward. George Horstman, frame two-story and attic dwelling, 17x32 feet, on Keystone street, Eighteenth street.

Bennett & Stitely, frame two-story dwelling,
22x52 feet, on Inwood street, Twenty-first ward.

Samuel S. Spratt, frame two-story kitchen,
12x18 feet, on Nineteenth street, Twenty-sixth

ward.

Richard Price, frame addition one-story dwelling, 16x32 feet, on Brereton avenue, Thirteenth ward. \
Owen McCaffrey, frame two-story and man-sard dwelling, 20x34 feet, on Halket street, Fourteenth ward. Henry C. Weber, frame two-story and attic iwelling, 18x34 feet, on Fillmore street, Four-

teenth ward.

B. N. Jacobs, brick two-story and attic dwelling, 30x40 feet, on Craig street, Fourteenth ward.

J. A. Aaron, brick two-story and attic dwelling, 40x16 feet, on Boquet street, Fourteenth ward. ward.
William Brandenstein, frame two-story dwelling, 20x20 feet, on Lincoln avenue, Twenty-first ward.
Christ Mertz. frame two-story dwelling, 17x34 an estimated cost of \$137,825. The number of buildings erected in the city and suburbs to commodations, putting regular customers and outsiders on a more equal footing. Considerable money was put out on the basis of 6 per cent, this being the inside figure, while 7 was the suburbs hurts property in some locations. Putting regular customers and outsiders on a more equal footing. Considerable money was put out on the basis of 6 per cent, this being the inside figure, while 7 was the other extreme. Routing business was fair.

John Hurd, frame addition one-story dwelling, 17x34 feet, on Hackstown street, Twenty-seventh ward.

John Hurd, frame addition one-story dwelling, 18x30 feet, on Climax street, Thirty-first ward. ward.

William C. Pfell, frame two-story stable and wagon shed, 20x48 feet, on Washington avenue, Thirty-first ward.

John Kiesel, brick two-story dwelling, 17x32

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feet, on Rose street, Eleventh ward.
Nicholas Gloady, frame two-story dwelling,
18x32 feet, on Climax street, Thirty-first ward.
Charles Geisser, frame two-story dwelling,
18x32 feet, on Mabon avenue, Thirteenth ward.
St. Joseph's R. C. congregation, frame addition, second story school, 80x60 feet, on Liberty
avenue, Sixteenth ward.
Emma D. Bickel; brick two-story and mansard dwelling, 22x58 feet, on Fisk street, Seventeenth ward.
E. H. Watkins, frame two-story and attic. E. H. Watkins, frame two-story and attic dwelling, 36x59 feet, on Parker street, Twentieth ward.
Alexander McKinley, two brick three-story stores and dwellings, 24x73 feet each, on Main street, Seventeenth ward.
Thomas E. Baker, frame two-story dwelling, 14x18 feet, on Morningside road, Eighteenth laxis feet, on Morningside road, Eighteenth ward.
W. G. Johnson, five frame two-story and attic dwellings, 23x41 feet each, on Howe street, Twentleth ward.
A. A. Hawk, frame two-story dwelling, 20x46 feet, on Lemington avenue, Twenty-first ward. James Hamilton, frame addition, one-story kitchen, 16x20 feet, on Frankstown avenue, Twenty-first ward.
Genaro Logiodia, frame two-story dwelling, 20x30 feet, on Park avenue, Twenty-first ward. Michael Leideman, three brick two-story and mansard dwellings, 16x34 feet each, on Tustin street, Fourteenth ward.
John J. Grogan, three frame three-story tenements, 17x18 feet each, on Tustin street, Fourteenth ward.

Mary Coslett, frame addition two-story dwell-ing, 9x10 feet, on Forbes avenue, Kourteenth ward.

George Schaffer, two brick two-story and mansard dwellings, 21x24 feet each, on rear Thirty-seventh street, Fifteeath ward.

Minnie Slapp, brick two-story and attic dwelling, 20x32 feet, on Penn avenue, Seventeenth ward. ward.

A. J. Miller, two frame two-story dwellings 19x30 feet each, on River avenue, Nineteenth Charles Frazell, five frame two-story dwellings, 16x25 feet each, Valley View place, Nine-

teenth ward.

Mrs. Sarah Smith, frame two-story and man-sard dwelling. 20x32 feet, on Broad street, Nineteenth ward.

Balser Schubert, brick addition two-story dwelling, 12x15 feet, on Devillier street, Eieventh ward.

Dickson, frame two-story dwelling, 20x28 feet, on Jones Hill, Thirteenth ward.

T. Griffin, four frame two-story dwellings, 18x30 feet, on Herron svenue, Thirteenth avaid.

T. C. Lindsay, brick two-story dwelling, 84x59 feet, on Baum street, Twentieth ward.

David Brown, frame two-story dwelling, 18x86 feet, on Bigelow street, Twenty-third ward.

A. Haller, frame two-story machine shop, 10x70 feet, on Lafayette street, Twenty-third ward. large feet, on Maple avenue, Thirty-first ward.

Central Traction Railroad Company, frame two-story shop and stable, 20:58 feet, on Herron avenue, Thirteenth ward.

W. W. Francis, frame two-story dwelling, 18x32 feet, on Butler street, Eighteenth ward.

Friederick Eckhardt, frame addition, one-story dwelling, 18x16 feet, on Jane street, Twenty-fifth ward.

James Murphy, brick two-story and attic dwelling, 33/x47 feet, on Bayard street, Fourteenth ward. dwelling, object teenth ward.

John C. Knipp, three frame two-story dwellings, 18x32 feet, on Mayflower street, Twenty-first ward.

Albert Miller, frame two-story attic dwelling, 17x29 feet, on Dresden alley, Eighteenth ward.

Edwin Edwards, frame two-story dwelling, 22x28 feet, on Berthold street, Thirteenth ward.

ward.

Louis Benthaler, frame one-story and basement dwelling, 18x32 feet on Beulah street,
Twenty-seventh ward.

Miss S. W. Brown, frame two-story dwelling,
18x18 feet on Breedshill street, Nineteenth
ward. locis feet on Breedshill street, Nineteenth ward.
James McClurg & Co., iron-clad addition side one story to warehouse, 75 feet long on Woodstreet, Third ward.
Elizabeth Obeldabel, frame addition two-story dwelling, 15x15 feet on Edwards niley, Twenty-sixth ward.
Liberty Machine Company, frame one-story machine shop, 24x30 feet on Liberty street, Sixteenth ward.
Evan Davis, frame addition one-story dwelling, 12x14 feet, at head of Twenty-eighth street, Twelfth ward.
Miss G. Malone, frame one-story dwelling. Twelfth ward.

Mrs. G. Malone, frame one-story dwelling,
10x10 feet, on Penn avenue, Ninth ward.

Brown & Co., iron-clad one-story factory, 38x
100 feet, on Duquesne way, Fourth ward,
M. C. Murray, frame two-story dwelling, 18x
32 feet, on Reed street, Thirteenth ward.

Dr. W. H. Hart, frame addition one-story

kitchen, 8x14 feet, on Emerson street, Twen-tieth ward.
George Pabst, frame two-story dwelling, 21x 82 feet, on Fillmore street, Fourteenth ward.
John Engelhart, frame two-story stable, 25x 16 feet, on rear Idlewood street, Twenty-first ward.

Thomas W. Aislett, frame two-story dwelling, 20x34 feet, on Juliet street, Fourteenth ward.

Martain Nealin, frame two-story and mansard dwelling, 17x34 feet, on Kansas street, Twenty-third ward.

THE FEELING EASIER. The Demand is Small and Prices are Drooping - A Small Rally, With Close Dall and Heavy-The Money Pinch Over.

NEW YORK, August 23.—It became known

that the acceptances of bonds yesterday aggregated about \$3,300,000, and the feeling on the monetary situation was perceptibly easier this morning, and while there was little attention paid to the threatened strike, the chances that there would be one were believed to be small. Little demand for stocks appeared, however, and the opening prices were irregular as com-pared with those of last evening, the changes pared with those of last evening, the changes extending to ½ per cent either way. The general expectation was to the bank statement, as it would not reflect the purchases of bonds for the past two days, would show a further loss in the reserve, and the local operators were inclined to take the short side again for a turn, with the result that prices were drooping throughout the greater part of the session. No special weakness an pasted except in Super Respecial weakness ap peared except in Sugar Refineries, Cleveland, Columbus, Cincinnati and St. Louis and Chicago Gas in declines of 1%, 1% and 1½ per cent respectively were forced. The losses in the rest of the list extended to only % per cent, and before the close of the only % per cent, and before the close of the first hour a substantial rally occurred. Ex-treme duliness then intervened, and little or no change took place until after the issue of the bank statement, which reflected a deficit of \$2,500,000 in the surplus reserve, and the droop-ing tendency was resumed. The close was therefore dull and heavy at fractional losses for the day in most cases, though there were some advances, and Sugar Refineries is down 1 per cent.

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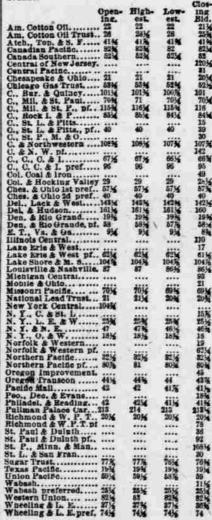
Railroad bonds were very dull, the sales being only \$245,000, and while there was a generally heavy tone most of the active bonds show gains, Louisville Southern firsts rising 5 to 91. Government bonds were active and steady. State bonds were neglected.

The Post says: The effect of the threatened railroad strikes seem now to have been to a large extent discounted. If the Knights of Labor decide to-day to try to institute a general strike, it would probably have some slight further effect to depress the stock market. But the main question is in regard to the rates for money, and so far as this is concerned there is abundant reason for believing that the pinch is over. The importing marchants have been compelled to stop their excessive importations, as is clearly shown by the latest statistics of imports at the port of New York. The offer of the Treasury to redeem the 4½ per cent bonds at par and interest to maturity September I, 1891, has already brought in nearly \$4,000,000 of the \$20,000,000 called, and the rest will undoubtedly come in a few days. As soon as capital in London finds that there is not going to be any serious financial trouble here, but that a fair rate of interest can be had for money, it will come, and, though money is likely to work close during the remainder of the year, there is no reason to expect a continuance of any decided stringency.

The following table shows the prices of active

Stringency.

The following table shows the prices of active stocks on the New York Stock Exchange yesterday. Corrected daily for THE DISPATCH by WHINEY & STRPHENSON, old Pittsburg members of New York Stock Exchange, 57 Fourth avenue:



Philadelphia Stooks. Closing quotations of Philadelphia stocks, fur-nished by Whitney & Stephenson, brokers, No. 37 Fourth avenue, Members New York Stock Ex-

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Lenigh Valley
Lehigh Navigation
Northern facific...
Northern Pacific preferred...

LIVE STOCK MARKETS. OFFICE OF PITTSBURG DISPATCH. SATURDAY, August 23, 1890.

CATTLE-Receipts, 1,842 head; shipments, 1,864 head; market nothing doing; all through consignments. Twenty-three cars cattle shipped consignments. Twenty-three cars cattle shipped to New York to-day.

Hoos—Receipts, 2,350 heads shipments, 1,900, heads market active; selected cornted, \$4 40@ 4 50; hest cornted Yorkers, \$4 30@ 40 grassers, \$4 00@ 4 57; pigs, \$3 50@ 3 75. Fifteen cars of hogs were shipped to New York to-day.

SHEEP—Receipts, 2,400 head; shipments, 1,800 head; market nothing doing.

MARKETS BY WIRE.

in Unsettled Feeling in the Grain Pit-Wheat Active and Higher - Corn Bobs Up and Onte Stendy-Pork Narrow and Quiet.

CHICAGO—Wheat—A large speculative business was again transacted, and an excited market at times was witnessed. The opening was decidedly unsettled, with first sale anywhere from %c to 1%c higher than yesterday's closing, advanced to more and then declined.

RIVER INTELLIGENCE.

Start Made by the Towboats-About 100,000 Bushels of Coal Sent Out Yesterday on Flats-Business About the Wharf Qutite Brisk.

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Boats and boatmen were astir early yesterday morning, making final preparations to go out after barges. Seventeen towboats made up the van that passed through to the Ohio after empties. During Friday night and yesterday morning the boats were loading up with provisions to last them for an unusually long trip, as it is expected the water will not continue at the present stage long enough to allow all the boats to get back with empties. Some few of them took out light tows of coal or flat boats. About 100,000 bushels were sent out on flats. Packets from below have started on the way up, and business about the levee will resume the old-time liveliness for awhile. Reports from headwaters on both rivers show the river to be falling, with the exception of Oil City, where it is rising. The Monongahela river packets did a big business during the day, and the harbor was covered with moving boats making up tows to go out. The highest point which the river reached during the day was at S.A.M. when it registered 8 feet 8 on the Gov. making up tows to go out. The highest point which the river reached during the day was at 8 A. M., when it registered 8 feet 3, on the Government mark. At 6 P. M. it was obling on the 8.3 mark, having fallen about a half inch during the day. The Ohio below Davis Island was 7.8 at 6 P. M., the nearest it has reached to the Monongahela since the wickets were raised. The bear traps and some needles have been dropped to decrease the pressure against the dam.

dam.
Arrived—Adam Jacobs, James G. Blaine,
Elizabeth; H. V. Bedford, Mat. F. Allan, J. S.
Neal, Bennett, Departed—Adam Jacobs,
James G. Blaine, Elizabeth; Mat. F. Allan; H.
V. Bedford, J. S. Neal, Bennett; Tom Dodsworth, Percey Kelsey, Dave Wood, Voyager,
Iron City, Crescent, Josh Cook, Tom Reese No. Iron City, Crescent, Josh Cook, Tom Reese No 2, J. W. Gould, Ed. Roberts, J. A. Blackmore Sam Brown, Little Bill, Rescue and Anni Roberts. Leaving to-day, 9:30 A.M., for Browns ville and Morgantown, James G, Blaine.

THE Josh Cook was out light after empties. RIVERMEN are making bay while the river runs. THE Rescue left to bring up emptles from Louis

THE Crescent took out about 10,000 bushels to THE Iron Age went out light, after an iron THE J. S. Neal went below and came back wiff a tow of empties. THE Enterprise left about 60'clock last night for empties at Pond creek.

THE Annie Roberts took three flats out loaded with coal yesterday morning. THE Little Bill had a light cargo of coal to Cincinnati yesterday for O'Nell & Co. THE Tom Dodsworth left for Cincinnati and Louisville, light, to bring up emplies. THE H. K. Bedford will be in Tuesday again if the present stage of water continues. THE Frank Gilmore was one of the first to pass Davis Island yesterday, after empties. THE Percey Kelsey took out about 40,000 bushels

THE Bennett went below the dam and returned with a big tow of empties. She will continue her trip to the mines to-day. THE mayflower will take out her usual excursion to-day, going to Economy instead of turning back at Davis' Island, as heretofore. THE Germania will not go out on her scheduled ran to-morrow. lying over here to be inspected by the Government Boat Inspector, till Tuesday. THE Adam Jacobs will relieve the James 6. Binine of her freight and passengers at Browns-ville to-day and complete her trip to Morgan-town.

THE Acorn took out two flats for Fawcett & Son to Cincinnati and will return with empty barges.

THE Voyager took three flats down to Sewickley to the Charlie Brown, and returned to Browns ville. The Brown will go to Cincinnati and return with empties. THE H. K. Bedford is once more in the Pittsburg

THE Mat P. Allan arrived last night, after an

absence of about three weeks. She is to replace the Courier, between Pittsburg and Wheeling, the Courier taking her run between Wheeling and Marietta. Does your cake

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MR. ANDERSON'S STATEMENT

"My trouble commenced with a cold, or rather a series of colds, which I suffered

with and failed to give them proper atten-The speaker was Mr. Samuel Anderson, timekeeper in the forge department of the Oliver Steel and Iron Company, and who

resides at 68 Stephenson street. "As I said, I paid but little attention to my colds, and soon what I regarded as a slight matter became a very serious trouble. "My head and nose were constantly stopped up. I had a dull, heavy pain in my forebead. My eyes were weak and watery. There was a constant dropping of mucus into my throat and an acrid dis-



Mr. Samuel Anderson, 69 Stephenson St. "I tried in vain to obtain relief. I grew worse instead of better. Sharp pains would shoot through my chest. A dry, hacking cough set in. I could not sleep. The mucus would gather in my throat and I would have to sit up in bed and hawk and raise to obtain relief. I would feel tired and unrefreshed in the morning. Such nights as these rendered me unfit for work. I had no appetite. The very sight of food would nauseate me. There was a weight on my chest as of a weight pressing down, and a distressing feeling in my stomach. I grew weaker every day, and I had no ambition to do even the slightest labor.

"It was while in this condition that I called on Drs. Copeland & Blair, and after consultation placed myself under treatment. The result has been perfectly satisfactory. In fact, more so than I had dared to hope. I sleep well. My appetite is good. I am no longer troubled with the distressing feelings in my stomach. My head is free from pain and the dropping in my throat has entirely ceased. In fact, I am like a different man, and owe the change in my condition to Drs. Copeland & Blair."

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