"Another source of prolific trouble, which has resulted in several deaths, is the wholly in-

adequate protection to citizens at grade crossings. This has been remedied in many places

by the erection of proper safety gates and over-

by the erection of proper safety gates and over-head bridges and by the placing of flagmen where none existed before. Immediate atten-tion should be given to such other places where there is even the remotest danger to huma-life. As long as the evil of grade crossings ex-ists no measure for the protection of line can compensate for the daily and hourly risks in-curred not only by pedestrians, but by pas-sengers in the various railway, traction and electric cars.

ettric cars. "Two recent deaths by the failure and crimi-

scapes, "Overhead wires have received the attention

MANY DEATHS ON ELEVATORS.

"The establishment of a public morgue will

"The fact that during 1500 one dozen persons

EXACTLY MEET HIS VIEWS.

Chamber of Commerce Resolutions. Superintendent Follansbee, of the Chamber, of Commerce, has been kept quite busy lately,

letter from Congressman Bayne, to whom a copy of the resolution was forwarded:

DEAR SIR-I have a copy of the resolutions passed by the Chamber of Commerce of Pittsburg relating to the unsatisfactory condition of the finances of the country. I shall present the reso-lution to the House of Representatives. In my

inion they suggest the real causes of our duan il troubles, and point out the right remedy. Respectfully yours, THOMAS M. BAYNE.

DEATHS AND ACCIDENTS.

Work for the Coroner and Surgeons for

Many Days to Come.

One death was reported yesterday from an accidental cause. The slippery pavements,

broken legs and arms. Following is the list:

illing castings, etc., increased the number of

JOHN SMITH-John Smith was killed by a fall of state in Keeling's coal mine.

JAMES KAYLOR-James Kaylor fell from the

Thirty-third street railroad bridge and broke his arm and sustained a fracture of the skull. JAMES KILDAY—James Kilday had his

CHARLES HEALTON-Charles Healton, of

ment and broke her arm.

SAMUEL DAVIS—Samuel Davis broke his lettleg at Shoenberger's mill yesterday.

ANNUAL WATCH MEETING

To Be Held This Evening at the Smithfield

Street M. E. Church.

The annual watch meeting will be held this

evening at the Smithfield Street Methodist

ommencing at 9:30 o'clock and continuing un-

til the opening of the new year. The pastor, Rev. Charles Edward Locke, will deliver an ap-

propriate address.

The watch meeting is peculiar to Methodism and is always a time of special interest.

City Paying Big Prices for Snow

Over 100 men and 70 teams are at work day

and night cleaning the snow off the streets,

The cost of the work is about \$1,000 a day, and the envire cost of the storm to the city will be about \$12,600.

Fire Engines Have the Right of Way.

against the cable roads because of numerous

Meeting of the Humane Society.

At the regular meeting of the Humane So

An Enterprising Manufacturing Town.

phenomenal growth for a Canadian town.

or first-class industries. Dr. Carleton is Chairman of the Factory Committee.

West Toronto Junction-a town bounding

complaints from the firemen that gripmen re-

Chief Brown proposes to make a move

Episcopal Church, corner Seventh avenue

lig broken by the fall of a casting

Mr. G. Follansbee:

ongressman Bayne in Line With the

## GROWTH OF THE CITY

Demands Nearly a Half Million More Dollars for Running Expenses in 1891 Than in 1890.

a new water reservoir,

For a fine bridge to the Southside, \$100,-000 is the figure deemed necessary. Beside this \$50,000 is wanted for two minor bridges, Added to this the report shows a hundred places where the increase asked for will slip

A Tall: With Chief Bigelow. Mr. Bigelow was asked to what he at-

tributed the increase in the demands of his department, and he said: "I don't believe there is much to say that is not explained in my report. The city is growing rapidly and the expenses grow with as a matter of course. My department feels the growth more than any other branch of the city government. As the property of the city grows the expenses grow, too The parks will cost money to put them in proper condition, and there is a large amount to pay for new ground. For instance we must pay \$75,000 in one payment for the Forbes street entrance to Schenley Park. If the original plan to pay it in installments had been followed we should not have telt the purchase so much, but perhaps it's better to pay it at one clip and be done with it. But read the report and the letter to the Mayor

The letter to the Mayor reads as follows: PITTSBURG, Dec. 30. To the Hou. H. I. Gourley, Mayor City of Pitts

and you'll understand the situation per

DEAR SIR-Herewith please find scheduled report of the expenditures and receipts of the Department of Public Works for the ten months ending November 30, 1830, with approximate receipts for the months of Decemper, 1850, and January, 1891. The amounts appropriated for the several bureaus of the department, I am pleased to say, will be sufficient or the expanditures of the two remaining \$157 69, divided up into many small items. mouths of the fiscal year.

Approximating the amounts to properly con-

et the department for the incoming year, I u the following bureaus: Engineering and Surveys, City Property, Highways and Sewers, Public Lighting, Water Supply and Distribu tion, Board of Viewers, Repaying and Parks, for the reasons given below:

In the Bureau of Engineering and Surveys the work already proposed will necessitate the employing of an additional corps.

In the Bureau of City Property the increase is caused by the remodeling of the City Treasurer's office, registry office, plumbing and other repairing to Municipal Hall.

Improvements in Streets and Sewers. The large number of streets improved and miles of sewers constructed during the past year, and the rapid growth of our city make it necessary that the force be increased to keep apace with the times. I had arranged to purhase machinery, horses, etc., out of the appropriation of 1880, but on account of the storms of the past two weeks the expenditures of the can have been so increased that they will such the greater part of the appropriation. the greater part of the appropriation,

nisorb the greater part of the appropriation, compelling me to add the above-anged items in the approximated estimate for 1891. In the matter of public lighting I have provided for 160 are lamps to be placed on the Southside, 39 on Second avenue, 12 on Batter street and Simton avenue, 11 in the Cakland district, 22 in Shadyside and 05 in the East End. In the Bureau of Water Supply and Distribution the increase is caused by the item of natural gas. In connection with this, I wish to call year attention to the fact that we pump at least one-half of the water used in the city 120 feet higher than is necessary. To save this expense and to provide for the proper reservoir in pacity, I have placed the amount of \$75,000 for the porchase of property for that purpose. The Increase in the office of the Board of Viewers is on account of the advance in the Viewers is on account of the advance in the ralaries of the clerks, which was ordered by

ouncies.
In the tiem of parks, the purchase of prop-rry, and the law compelling us to pay the en-ite purchase at one time, increases the amount asked for over \$190,000.

In the anatter of repaying, the schedule draws the cost of the several streets that, in my judgment, should be repayed. Councils may referred petitions for repaying many precis that I shall be compelled to leave over

streets that I shall be compelled to leave over for another year.

The subject of bridges is a new one. I have placed the sum of \$100,000 for a bridge over the Moneagabela river, that amount seeming to satisfy the demand of the citizens of that section of the city. I have also added \$20,000 for one over Forward avenue, Twenty-third ward, believing that the increased value of the property will soon repay the city for the outlay.

Very respectfully. F. M. BIGELOW, Chief of Department Public Works,

numary of Expenses and Estimates. Following Mr. Bigelow's letter is a lengthy summary of the expenditures of his department for the present year, and then the esti-mated expenditures for 1891 are given, as

General office, Department of Public Works. \$30,000. Of this amount \$5,000 is the chief's salary, \$5,400 the salaries of 4 clerks, I messenger and I stenographer, and \$100 for incidental

ger and 1 stenographer, and \$100 for incidental exponents.

Bureau of Engineering and Surveys, \$40,360. The exportantendent gets \$2,400 of this, registrar, \$1,800; 3 assistant engineers, \$1,500 each; 4 draughtsmen, \$1,000; 3 transitmen, \$2,700; 3 redmen, \$2,100; 3 chainmen, \$1,800; 3 axmen, \$1,800; 15 saver inspectors, \$1,800; 3 derks, \$2,400; transportation, \$1,000; general expenses, \$500.

Bureau of City Property, \$4,228. Office sairries take \$4,900 of this amount; market constraints, \$2,600; market excepts, \$2,106 60; market cleanors, \$900; market carter, \$900; repairs to Dispond market, \$700; market, bouse supplies, \$1,000; transitude for Register's office, \$1,200; furniture and known for Council Chambers, \$3,000; furniture for Register's office, \$1,200; repairs water massesments office, \$2,00 desk for Assessor's office, \$500; 20 water closets, plusbing, etc., for four floors of Municipal Hall, \$3,000; counters, desks, etc., for City Treasurer's office, \$1,500; applies, \$1,500; observatory time. City Hall, \$1,500; applies, \$1,500; improvements to Allegical and the second landings, \$1,000; improvements to Allegical and the second and the se

2006 for requirs to city scales, \$533 50; wharves and landings, \$1,600; improvements to Allegheny wharf, \$2,400.

Eurean of Highways and Sewers, \$265,800.
The Singerintendent's salary, \$2,400; 5 assistants, \$7,500; I clerk, \$1,200; I binspectors, \$5,000; labor, repairing and cleaning streets and sewers, \$174,-000; machinery, including 5 sweepers, 200 brooms, a street sprinklers; 16 borses, 5 wagons, 9 carts, 19 sets harness, \$12,700; materials, including lumber, hardware, graved and sand, stone, feed and blacksmithing, \$34,000.

Bureau of Assessments of Water Rents, \$9,700. Of this \$2,400 goes to the Superintendent; clerks, \$4,720; 14 deputies for April and May (53 days), \$2,225; incidental expenses, \$354.

Bureau of Public Lighting, \$175,000. Superintendent, \$1,200; labor, \$2,000; East End Electric

Dollars for Running Expenses
in 1891 Than in 1890.

ESTIMATES OF CHIEF BIGELOW

ESTIMATES OF CHIEF BIGELOW

Show That the Great Public Improvements
Needed Can't Be Made for Less
Than the Amount Asked.

ONE FREE BRIDGE TO COST \$100,000.

ONE FREE BRIDGE TO COST \$100,000.

Chief Elliet Says Be Can Get Along Next Year with an increase of \$5,000.

All the reports from the chiefs of the deportments have now been filed with the Mayor.

Chief Bigelow and Elliot made their reports yesterday, but the former's was coupled with a surprise. Chief Elliot modestly asks for an increase of \$5,000 in his appropriation. Last year his appropriation. Last year his appropriation. Last year his appropriation. Last year his expenses. St. 100.

The wonderful growth of the city, Chief Bigelow says, demands this increase. Last year a million and three-quarters will be required. Nearly every bureau has to be increased to keep pace with the advance of the city. The park entrance claims \$75,000 is wanted for a new water reservoir.

For a fine bridge to the Southside, \$100, Long and street, \$1,500, Long's St. 100, Long's St. 110, 120, Last year his amount. Another \$75,000 is wanted for a new water reservoir.

For a fine bridge to the Southside, \$100, Long of this amount. Another \$75,000 is wanted for a new water reservoir.

For a fine bridge to the Southside, \$100, Long of street, \$1,000, Long and street, \$1,500, Long of street, \$1,000, Long and street, \$1,500, Long of street, \$1,000, Long of street, \$1,000, Long of street, \$1,000, Long of this amount. Another \$75,000 is wanted for a new water reservoir.

For a fine bridge to the Southside, \$100, Long of street, \$1,000, Long of street, \$

Boodle Demanded for Bridges. \$80,000; Forward avenue, \$20,000.

In the portion of the report devoted to expenses of the present year, the portion expended by each bureau is shown as follows, the principal portion of each bureau's expense being for labor:

General office, \$8.495 54; Bureau of Engineering and Surveys, \$31.151 37; Bureau of Highways and Sewers, \$205.087 99; Bureau of City Property, \$29.602 53; Bureau of Water Assessments, \$8,003 56; Bureau of Public Lighting, \$117.410 05; Bureau of Water Supnty and Distribution, \$12.279 04; Board of Viewers, \$8,571 35; repaying, \$256.678 21; distribution main from Highland reservoir, \$98.655; public parks, \$185.694 10. Total, \$1.388,157 21.

In a portion of the report devoted to the receipts of the department \$22.363 65 is shown as money received and turned over to the City Treasurer and Delinquent Tax Collector, as follows: In the portion of the report devoted to ex-

From Bureau of Engineering and Surveys, \$17,145.58; highways and sewers, \$157.56; city perty, including markets, wharves and land, etc. \$69.861 72; water supply and distribuand of Viewers, \$13,850 51; switch and scale licenses, \$2,975.
Of this sum disbursements were made as follows: City Treasurer Denniston, \$591,952 65; Delinquent Tax Collector Ford, \$29,411.

### CHIEF ELLIOT'S REPORT.

The Year's Work of the Department of Publie Charities Shown in a Paper to the Mayor - Each Division of the Work Noted.

R. C. Elliot, Chief of the Department of Public Charities, submitted his report for the year to date to Mayor Gourley. The greater part of the report is a detailed necount of the expenditures. The city office has cost to date, \$8,468 30, all for salaries. The expenses were \$976 08, and traveling, At the City Farm salaries took \$11,476 37. which covers the pay of 34 persons. Of this

sician \$1,200. The rest of the amounts are quite small, the total going to the 14 attendants in the insane department being but \$3,000 % Other expenditures at the farm amounted t

To the orphan asylums for boarding pauper children there was paid \$198.66, the greater part, \$423, going to the Concordia Orphans Home. For caring for insane paupers the Western Penusylvania Hospital for the Insane

Western Pennsylvania Hospital for the Insane got 8,906.

The receipts were 50 cents from the city official expense account, 89 from the City Farm transportation fund; 8776 17 for board of inmites paid by their frieeds: £23 repaid "cash relief:" \$341 repaid coal fund; \$4 repaid undertaking; \$509 28 repaid transportation; and \$5,097 84 repaid accounts. This is a total of \$6,536 20.

The total expenditures to date were \$02,687 84 less the receipts, \$6,523 20, leaves a net expenditure of \$55,566 64. The estimated expenditure for December and January, the remaining months of the fiscal year, is \$22,000 which will leave a balance of \$384 14 out of the appropriation of \$85,600 at the end of the fiscal year on February 1, 1891.

which only covered one page of legal cap whereas this year's report covered eight pages.

Twenty-five Insane Soldiers Fass Through

to the Washington Asylum. mad seen active service, and were middle-aged men. Some one or two were vicious, but the majority were quiet. They mostly labored un-der delusious, some of them fancying they were relatives of Queen Victoria, while others were assured they should now be occupying the White House.

### CAREY CAUGHT AT LAST.

tion Finally Arrested in Pittsburg.

Miss Chamberlin, the Famous Whistler. Miss Ella Chamberlin, the phenomena whistler, with the Redputh Concert Company, will be at Old City Hall next Friday evening. This will be one of the most de-lightful of the holiday attractions. Tickets may be secured at Mellor & Hoene's Music Store.

Some Startling Facts Are Shown by Coroner McDowell's Report.

Recommendations That Have Proved Safe-

SUICIDES ARE ALSO ON THE INCREASE

Yesterday Coroner McDowell handed out the report of his work for the past year to

that not only the dead, but the living have been cared for.

Recommendations from the Coroner have aused the appointment of watchmen in nearly all the dangerous localities in the city. Many measures have been brought or will be brought to the notice of the Legislature so that life in any part of the State

will be surrounded with fewer dangers. Among the recommendations are requests for more strict laws regarding overhead wires, grade crossings and fire escapes. A public morgue for Allegheny county will also be the subject of a bill.

WAYS TO CUT DOWN EXPENSES. A number of methods of reducing exbenses are also presented. One of them is by incompetent and inexperienced hands emthat the Deputy Coroner should have a

Of the 984 deaths investigated 28 of them were homicides, but this is not remarkable in view of the fact that only one man has been nanged for murder in Allegheny county in al-most eight years. The following list of in-quests on homicides is self-explanatory:

quest heid January 2 and 3. Heid for murder and gave hall on January 6. MARY ANN RUDERT-December 23, 1885, gun-shot wound at hands of Eggy Couroy, Alex. Killain and Peter Griffin. Inquest January II; Killain sentenced to hang November 33, 1890, and Couroy and Griffin still at large. JOHN BOND-January 23, skuil fractured by Lewis Wagner at McNulty Bros. stable, Center-avenue. Inquest heid January 33. June 28, sen-lenced for years to the neal entlays. scenae. Inquest field January 31. June 28, sentenced five years to the peal entiary INFANT TAWEEKT—February 19, strangled by Aguess Tawkert. Inquest field February 12. July 1, sentenced one year to pealtentiary. ANNIE HAFER—March 15, head crushed by Stopfather Frank Gerade, Shady and Aligheny. Inquest field March 15. November 5, sentenced to be hanged.

"The fact that during 1800 one dozen persons were drowned in the rivers surrounding the two cities, and their bodies never recovered shows the necessity of establishing a river police patrol to recover the bodies of the drowned and protect from drowning as far as possible the hundreds of people who go to the rivers. The ordinance introduced by Mark Donley, chief clerk in the Coroner's office, and member of Council from the Twenty-fourth ward, Pittsburg, for the establishment of such a patrol, could well be passed at this time, and it is earnestly hoped that this suggestion may meeb with the desired action on the part of the Councils of the city of Pittsburg." MURDERED BY HER NEPHEW. MARGARET DOUGLASS-May 15, shot by her nephew, Edward Myers at McKeesport, In-quest held May 16 and 17. Sentenced eight years and four months to penitentiars. MARGARET CONNELY-June 7, shot by her

ber 18. SAMUEL SAWYERS-June 2, blow from a hammer at the hands of Frank O. Morrison, at Ca tle Shannon. Inquest held June 10. Committe by the Coroner and released by the Cou July II. CHARLES RANSON—June 10, shot by Laura Meyers at Douglass station. Inquest held June 12 and 13. October 18, sentenced 17 years to the sending out copies of the resolution passed by the Board of Directors of the Chamber at the

penitentiary.

HENRY E. RALSTON—June 23, shot by Patrick Varier at McKessport. Inquest held July Land Variev committed for court. SEORGE H. SHERIFF—June 23, blow on the head at the hands of John Kilpatrick at Oliver & Roberts' wire nill. July 2 committed for last regular meeting, relating to the present Roberts' wire mill. July I committee to court on charge of mand ugater.

EDWARD CRAMER-July shot by an unknown colored man on hill back of Twenty-cighth street. Inquest held on July 16.

INFANT ALEXANDER-July 17, found dead at 2015 Spring siley. Sadic Alexander was the mother. On October 4 she was scatteneed six mother. On October 4 she was scatteneed six mother to fail. ths to iall.

CAMPBELL-August 10, skull fractured ohn Paradeiu, on Millin street. Committed

by John Paradein, on Millin street. Committed by Coroner for mandaugater August 16. DANLEL, SULLIVAN-August 10, shot by Richard Herndon. Held for mandaughter Au-gust 12 and discharged by the Court on Oc-tober 2.

liam Flins at Evans alley, Alterheny. Held for court on October 11. MARY BLANCH PERKINS—September 30, death caused by malpractice. R. L. Healon held for the crime October 13. GEORGE C. Mc ORKEN—May 1, shot by Edgar Thompson. Held for manishinghter May 8, and discharged by the Court July 3, 1890.

RECORD OF THE SUICIDES. rall between life and death. Four passed fro the visible to the invisible by jumping out of windows, while only three persons cut their throats and the ties that bound them to earth,

windows, while only three persons cut their throats and the ties that bound them to earth, and one poor woman ended existence in self-lighted flames.

During the year railroads claim 259 victims: passenger and traction road accidents, 18: accidental shooting, 5; poison taken by mistake, 7; burns and scalds, 3l, death from horse fires, 7; buller explosion, 2; hot kettle explosion, 2; croshed in mines, 16; in mills, 23; in cranes, 2; in elevators, 5; in billdings, 3; in quarries and clay banks, 3; in ditches, 4; and in stacks, 5; caught in belt of machinery, 3; falls from buildings, etc. 39; falls from or run over by wagons, 14; suffocation, 2; asphyxiation and strangulation, 15; falls of iron, wood, etc., 8; bridge accidents, 6; furnace explosions, 1; dynamite and powder explosions, 7; electric shock, 2; extrem heat and sunstroke, 12; alcoholism, 30; hightning, 1; from diseases of various kinds, 205, of which 163 cases were from heart trembles.

The record by months is as follows: January, 29: February, 49: March, 60: April, 80: May, 87 June, 115: July, 197: August, 116; September, 85: October, 89; November, 77; December, 78. STEADY INCREASE IN THE WORK. The records show a steady increase in the work of the Coroner's office. From 1880 to 1883 inclusive, when Major Hope was Coroner, there were 1,498 inquests; from 1883 to 1887,

there were 1,488 inquests; from 1883 to 1887, when Coroner Dressler and Coroner Pattison were in office, the inquests numbered 2,68; in 1887 to 1889 inclusive, under Goroner McDowell, there have been 3,327 inquests.

Coroner McDowell says in the report: 'In submitting the above report the Coroner feels the imperative necessity of adding a few suggestions, prompted by the numerous inquiries from all sources as to the cause of the number of violent deaths in this community. Before referring to those causees a word might be added as to the cause of the increase of expenses in this department, despite the fact that every effort has been made to decrease the expenses of the Coroner's office and at the same time to keep abreast of the times. The great increase of official business has necessitated a greater outlay than would at first glanco seem to be needed. But to offset this the new system of juries manugarated by the present incumbent of the office has tended to relieve the county of what has hitherto been an enormous expense. This system has had the effect of expediting the holding of inquests, and has resulted in a better selection of intelligent inverse. It was the fused to stop their cars when the engines were running to fires. The Chief says he favors all the privileges possible to ranid transit roads but he will not allow them to interfere with the ciety yesterday resolutions of sympathy were tendered Mr. and Mrs. H. Lee Mason, on account of the death of their son. Secretary Davidson reported contributions to the society amounting to \$24. the city of Toronto on the west-has had a In 1885 its population was less than 300-to-day it numbers 6,000 prople, and is a

bustling center of manufacturing enterprises. It presents especially good facilities for commerce—the main line of the Canadian Pacific and Grand Trunk Railways, the T. G. & B., the C. V. R., and the N. R. R., all center in the heart of the town and offer "The various printed and timely suggestions of these juries have been effective in mitigating many of the evils that existed and have warded off danger to life and limb by the prompt carrying out by railway companies and others of the recommendations. During the year various cases have been investigated by the Coroner where the parties have died in the county jail, having been sent there in a dying condition. The consideration given this subject by Mayor Gourley comes at an opportune time and meets with the hearty endorsement of the advantages for shipping to all parts of the

LIQUOR MEN DIVIDED

On the Question of a Change in the Manner of Granting Licenses.

SOME WISH THE JUDGES TO REMAIN

In Charge, While Others Think Better Men Could be Elected.

DISPATCH regarding John H. Fow's proposed bill for a change in the license laws caused considerable comment among the liquor dealers of the city. There was also another theme for discussion among the same men, the decision

"Two recent deaths by the failure and criminal neglect to erect fire escapes are yet fresh in memory. The defective legislation on this subject should be remedied by the next Legislature in order that the responsibility for preventing such flagrant violations of the law, as it now exists, may be definitely designated. Prosecutions should follow quickly in the noncompliance with the order of the Board of Fire Escapes. of the judge in the Philadelphia courts, that a bottler's license does not grant him premises.

"Overhead wires have received the attention of many juries during the past year and the condemnatory verdices entered in cases where loss of life followed the coming in contact with such wires shows what an awful and great menace to human and animal life they are. There is but one remedy for this evil and that is the placing of all wires charged in any way with the deadly electric current under ground, where, according to the testimony of many experts before the Coroner, they will be of the same utility, and serve the same purpose for which they are now strung overhead.

"Work of the fire department is constantly interfered with by those wires and in consesquence great loss of life and property occurs that might be avoided were the firemen able to raise their ladders unimpeded by such obstacles. premises in that quantity. The Supreme Court will probably be asked to rule in the

"Many cases of death have been reported to the Coroner, caused by the criminal negligence of property owners where elevators are used. These deaths, in most cases, have been caused courts. A QUESTION OF RESPONSIBILITY.

ployed to run the clevators, and by the total absence of sufficient safety-guards around the clevator shafts, in direct violation of an act of Assembly. The factory bill should be amended by the present Legislature requiring all manufacturing companies and others using clevators to employ connectont, experienced and adult hands to run the same.

"The number of homicides during the year has been unusual, but the active and effective work of the police departments of Pittsburg and Allegheny and suburban towns laid a heavy hand on the perpetrators of such crimes, and every ussistance possible has been given the Coroner in placing the responsibility, especially where the death seemed to be shrouded in mystery. Another question has been raised, and that is, is a man responsible for the fact that the liquor is consumed on his premises, after he sells it in a bottle, provided it is not drunk in his office. A gase of a bottler is mentioned who has an empty shed close by, and a great many of his customers buy their beer and go to the shed and drink it, and then beer and go to the shed and drink it, and then return the bottles. The dealers seem to think he is not responsible, as the beer is not used in the room in which he holds a license.

There is a division of opinion as to whether a change in the license law would bely the business. Some seem to think the change would be lest, while others believe that under the present system the best work can be done, both for the people and the dealers. J. J. Finch said:

"Because two commissioners were dishonest and punished for it, it does not follow that they all will be. However, I believe in allowing the all will be. However, I believe in allowing the people themselves to settle this matter, just as they choose, and I will be willing to abide by the result, which ever way it goes."

U. E. Lippencott takes an opposite view of the case, and in support of his ideas said: "I don't want to see a change, because the judges have done fair and honorable work, and there is no call for any change being made. By putting it in the hands of a commission a ring might get control, and that would settle it with a good many people. Those who stood in with such a ring would be favored in the granting of licenses, no matter as to the fitness of other

such a ring would be favored in the granting of licenses, no matter as to the fitness of other applicants. For my part I am perfectly satisfied with the work of the judges, and kope to see the noatter remain as it is."

Yesterday was a busy day with all the liquor men, and it was very difficult to get them to talk However, they were about evenly divided on the question, though the majority seem inclined to let it alone and allow the Legislature to do as it thinks best, without any protest, one way or the other. There has been no meeting of the liquor men called, nor is there likely to be one held unless some more radical changes than those now proposed are advocated.

PREPARING FOR THE EXHIBITION.

the City. The Verestchazin collection of paintings of the American Art Association arrived at the Lake Erie depot yesterday, and a number of them were removed to the Carnegie art rooms. There are four earloads of the paintings, and some of them are so large as to require a dozen men to lift them from the wagons. They are under the care of Mr. Brandus, of New York. It will require about 12 days to prepare the collection for exhibition, and they will be kept before the public for 30 days. One of the paintings is valued at \$100,000.

Carnegie Hall. They took advantage of the opportunity to visit the Allegheny General Hespital and make an investigating tour of the different departments in behalt of the new Miners' Hospital to be opened on or about the 1st of January in Connellsville, in which Dr. White is greatly interested.

The superintendent and the two nurses for the new cospital will be graduates of the nurses' school connected with the Allegheny Hospital.

A Fog Under a Clear Sky.

Pittsburg citizens were yesterday treated to

The cases of Harry W. Williams against Mur doch, Kerr & Co., proprietors, and Dr. W. J. Reid, editor of the United Presbyterian, for libel and criminal libel, respectively, were not pressed by the plaintiff, and the entire matter has been amicably settled. The alleged libelous pressed by the plaintiff, and the entire matter has been smichbly settled. The alleged libelous article was in regard to the character of the performances at the Academy of Music.

## SOME PEOPLE WHO TRAVEL.

registered at the Seventh Avenue Hotel, Captain Mausfield is a Government steel inspector. -H. Schneid, formerly chief editor of the Volksblatt, left yesterday for Steubenville, O., to assume charge of the Germania, a weekly German paper he has purchased. -John Murray, formerly connected with the Pittsburg press, but now a student at

Princeton, returned last night from spending the recess with his parents. -Colonel Levi R. Greene, who is connected with the Walworth Manufacturing Company, is at the Duquesne. -Alderman Foley, of the Ninth word.

Allegheny, who has been sick for some time since, is convalescent. -The Harvard University Glee Club, to

-W. M. Cribbs, a real estate agent of Purtle Creek, is at the Anderson. -Captain Henry H. Kuhn, of Johnstown. is at the Duquesne.

### SHALL SCRAPS OF LOCAL NEWS.

Quire a little excitement was caused by a fire in Dr.Chamber's house, Carson, near South frenh street, early yesterday morning. No. II Eugine Company responded to the still alarm, and the fiames were put out with small loss. THERE was another big crowd last night at the temperance meeting at the Clipper Theater. Addresses were made by Mr. Dunn, Gilbert McMasters and J. K. Barbour. E. V. D. BRYANT died yesterday at his home

Continent, which are unexcelled in the Dominion. The Town Council are alive to the interests of the town and have secured several very valuable factory sites on the lines of railway, which, together with ex-emption from taxes and free water, they offer as inducements for the establishment CONTROLLER MORROW yesterday purchased your pick. \$5,000 worth of city bonds.

SERIOUS TANK EXPLOSION.

The Calcium Light Manufacturer, H. E. Church, Hovering Between Life and Death-He Lighted a Match to See a Pressure Gauge Dial. H. E. Church had his right foot torn off

The Allegheny Finance Committee held and hip injured about 7 o'clock last evening a special meeting last night to consider the by the explosion of a hydrogen calcium light resolutions of Mr. Hartman and Mr. Kennedy. Mr. Hartman's provided that no He had been filling the tank in his place further municipal legislation be enacted of business, in the basement of the Red Lion until after the courts had passed on the man Hotel, and struck a match to see the per of conducting Allegheny affairs, and Mr.

hands on the pressure gauge. Some oil on the outside of the tank caught fire, and he immediately carried the tank out in the alley. The heat caused the ras to expand, and the tank exploded, the end flying out, striking him in the right leg and him. Kennedy's related to securing legal counsel to assist the City Solicitor in determining what the proper action of Councils and the city is to be. When City Solicitor Elphinstone was called Mr. Church was taken to Mercy Hospital, where it was stated that his chances for living where it was stated that his chances for fiving are slim.

The explosion broke the panes in several windows of the hotel, and for the time being caused a panic. A little boy was in the alley at the time and baroly escaped being struck by pieces of the tank.

Mr. Church has manufactured gas for the calcium lights of the theaters of this city for years, and is very well known amirespected.

Mr. James Rowland, a partner in the business, was found at the scene of the explission shortly after it occurred, and from inquiry decided that the accident happened in the manner stated.

When City Solicitor Elphinstone was called upon to report progress, he declared that alt the talk about Allegheny not knowing where she stands is mooushine. "One individual in particular," he said, "has talked in that way, who is more used to handling nucles and watering car stock than in lending a helping hand in securing any good government."

Continuing he said that the city would be in the second class on the first Monday in April, He had made arrangements with Judge Slagle to secure a judicial decision on legal points in the matter this morning, and he secured additional counsel. D. T. Watson and W. B. Rodgers, to assist him in the argument.

The election of counsel to assist Mr. Elphinstone in the legal proceedings all through was brought up, and Messus. Watson, Hodgers and Knox & Reed were nominated. After a hot discussion, Messus, Watson and Knox & Reed were elected. It was moved to add Mr. Rodgers name, but that was defeated. However, he was unanimously elected to assist in the argument this morning.

On motion of Mr. Dahiinger the following committee was appointed to act with the attorneys in the matter: Messus McDonald, Kennedy, A. Hunter, Suaman and Dahlinger. The scene closed with a little repartee between Messus. J. M. Hunter and Dahlinger. All the care possible is taken in filling the tanks. The hydrogen tanks, large receiving tank and accompanying pump are painted black, while the oxygen tanks are painted red. The oxygen is made of chlorate of potash in a small furnace, and the hydrogen is obtained from the city gas works. The hydrogen gas expands very easily, and every precaution has to be taken to keep the tanks and gas cool.

Mr. Rowland, in speaking further about the business, said that the reason that better calcum effects could be obtained in New York than in Pittsburg was because the New York City gas is a pure water gas, while the Pittsburg gas is made from coal, and is of a heavier quality, and has consequently less intensity. Supposed to Be Buried in a Drift.

Patrick Cassidy, of Fifty-ninth street, who disappeared on Christmas night, is still missing, and it is believed he was overcome in the storm and is now buried under one of the huge drifts on Penn avenue.

MANY THANKS -FROM-

E. P. ROBERTS & SONS', JEWELERS.

To their customers for the generous patronage bestowed on them during the holiday season which has been the largest in their history. New goods have been ordered by telegram, so that ample stock will be shown those desiring to make New Year's Gifts

Fifth Ave. and Market St.

HUGUS & HACKE

LAST WEEK OF OUR

Exceptional Bargains in all Departments.

DRESS GOODS.

We offer a choice now from several lines of plaids, checks and stripes, all new and desirable styles, EDWARD FORD was sent to juil yesterday for | the prices of which have been \$1, \$1 25 and \$1 50,

> AT 75c A YARD. 50-inch wide English Cheviot

plaids and stripes, the most fash-

ionable novelties shown this season, NOW AT \$1 A YARD. Combination patterns, astrakhan

interwoven, rough effects; the very

newest styles and most desirable

and \$35;

colorings. These have been \$30

NOW \$16 EACH. Paris Robes. All that remain of our superior assortments now at very much under value prices.

\$45 and \$50 Robes now \$30. \$35 and \$40 Robes now \$25. \$30 Robes now \$20. \$25 Robes now \$15. \$20 Robes now \$12 50.

SILKS.

Odd lots of fancy and Pekin Striped Surahs, Colored Striped Moire, Colored and Black Brocades, Plain and Figured Indies, Satins,

The regular prices were from \$1 to \$2 50; all reduced now to close quickly to

75c A YARD.

Cor. Fifth Ave. & Market St.

FINE TABLE

SETS.

We show a splendid line of Fine Table Scaris, Napkins, Fancy Towels, Lunch Cloths, Tray Covers, etc., for the Holidays.

> TABLE SETS.

FINE

MRS. C. WEISSER,

435 and 437 MARKET ST.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

PENN AVE. STORES.

- Store Open To-Morrow Only Until 12:30.

Sample reductions and bargain prices in novelty and plain Dress

inches wide-reduced from \$1 20 to \$1 a yard.

All-wool fancy plaid and striped Cloakings, 54 inches wide-reduced from \$1 25 to 75c a yard. All-wool 50-inch Homespun Cheviot mixtures-reduced from \$1 to

Soc a vard. All-wool imported Serges, choice new colorings-worth 6oc-at 46c a vard.

a yard. 50-inch Suitings, in Gray and Brown fancy mixtures-special price 36c a vard.

good light and medium colorings -reduced from 75c to 50c a vard. Special bargains at 38c a yard, reduced from 50c:

38-inch English style Checks, in

(worth 371/2c) at 25c a yard. A special bargain, new to-day, neat fancy pland Suitings, 36 inches

Special New Year Offering in

wide, at 35c a yard.

Odd patterns, 7 to 10 yard lengths, in Cashmeres, Serges, etc., must be closed out at very low prices in a very few days.

All present stock of

EMBROIDERIES,

Must be closed out at once-will be sold away below cost. Cambric Edgings and Insertings. at 15c, 20c, 25c, 35c and 50c-half and less than half former prices.

ies, reduced in the same proportion. Get your pick quickly. Such a

Nainsook and Swiss Embroider-

articles-Mugs, Mirrors, Brushes, Combs, etc.—but all must go to-day everything at half price to-day. Sterling silver novelties reduced

Bargains in the Millinery Depart ment: Best quality untrimmed French

Felt Hats and Bonnets, that were

lamp shades and general New Year's decorations, at greatly reduced And great bargains in Ribbons at

Special Bargains To-Day in Table Linens.

Closing out fine sets away under

value: Fine Damask Towels, slightly soiled, at about half price; 50 dozens regular \$3 Napkins reduced to \$2 30 a dozen.

for evening and reception dress for ladies and gentlemen: Evening shades silks and woolens. Appropriate trimmings and beau-

tiful flowers.

Gentlemen's full dress Shirts, Cuffs, Collars, Neckwear, Studs, etc., etc.

Store only open in the forenoon to-morrow.

JOS. HORNE & CO.'S,

609-621 PENN AVENUE.

Light Company, \$158,500; Allegheny County Light Company, \$10,000; Pittsburg Light Com-pany, \$1,500; repairing and erecting new lamps, \$2,500; general expenses, \$300.

Needs of the Water Department. Bureau of Water Supply and distribution, \$345,000; of this, \$4,900 is superintendent's sal ary: chief clerk, \$i,200; distributing main, Moultrie to Shingiss streets, \$30,000; pipe extension, by petitions, \$5,000; gate houses, Highland reservoir, \$11,000; Brilliant pumping sta-

reduc, from end of present payement to Inde bendence street, \$1,000; Logan street, \$1,500, Bridges, \$150,000, Of this, \$100,000 is for a free bridge over the Mononganela river; Negley's Run, Larmer avenue extension,

starts with the salaries of the district physicians, which amount to \$2,990 70; cash relief, \$2,679 10;

tion of \$85,000 at the end of the fiscal year on February I, 1891.

Chief Elliot concludes his report as follows: "A special effort to collect oid accounts was made this year, and was highly successful, which explains the large amount of the receipts. The cash distursements are made up of innumerable small expenditures for which it was impossible and impracticable to draw warrants at the time and was disbursed from money drawn for current expenses.

"I estimate the necessities of the Department of Charities for the next fiscal year at \$90,000."

The amount asked by Chief Elliot is \$5,000 more than the amount used this year. In speaking of the report Mayor Gourley said that he was particularly pleased with the report as it was complete in every detail. The Mayor compared it with Chief Elliot's report of isst year which only covered one pace of legal cap

SUBJECT TO DELUSIONS.

The Eastern express last night had attached to it a car containing 25 insane soldiers from the National Military Home at Dayton, O., to the National Insane Asylum at Washington. The party was in charge of Dr. D. H. Negley and Acting Assistant Surgeon of the Dayton Military Home, C. V. Herdliska. The men would not be taken for insane as the result of a cursory glance. They were very orderly, and during the half hour their car lay at the deput, did not better by their carriers and the state of the state o did not berray by their manner that they were other than a detail of soldiers passing through on duty. The party left Dayton at 9 o'clock yesterday morning. A supply of provisions, consisting of cold turkey, beef and other food ore carried, as also a medicine chest.

Dr. Herdliska said that details were sent to ashington semi-annually. All of the part

Another Agent of the Granite State Associa-

William E. Carey, one of the agents of the Granite State Provident Association, whom the police have been trying to locate for more than six weeks, was arrested at the B. & O. depot last night by Detectives Shore and Bendel. Carey was one of the first agents the Granite Carey was one of the urst agents are oranic state people had located in Pittsburg. Carey is also the man whom the attorneys for the as-sociation professed to be so anxious to have captured, claiming that his arrest would go far captured, claiming that his arrest would go far toward removing susplcion from their clients. Although Carey has never had a hearing he was held for court, and a true bill has been returned against him by the grand jury. His arrest at this time is fortunate, as the case is expected to come up in court next week. Carey has been living for some time at No. 224 Market street, Allegheny. He had his mustach removed, and has been living under the name of Golden.

# GRIM DEATH'S WORK

Coroner. The establishment of a city hospital where the sick and maimed could be properly attended is of vital importance in a county dolly increasing in population as this is. Prompt action should be taken by the proper authorities for the erection and maintenance of such an institution. A few months ago one of the juries drawn by the Coroner embodied in its variety attention. erdict a strong recommendation in this regard TROUBLE AT GRADE CROSSINGS.

MURDERS IN ONE YEAR.

guards to the Living.

The number of inquests held during the cear was 984, or an increase of 219 over last year. This does not alone mean that only the cause of death in each case has been discovered, but also that hundreds of recommendations have come down from the Coroner's office. These recommendations have been safeguards to the lives of the people, so

HARRY E. SMITH-January 3, 1890, from fract ured skull at the hands of F. J. Jordenbacher, at planing mill, Lucocs street, Allegheny. In-quest held January 3 and 4. Held for murder

"The establishment of a public morgue will probably come before the present Legislature as it should. A county of the Brist-class can hardly overlook the necessity of such a repository for the unknown dead. The private morgue now in existence has received, cared for and succeeded in having identified by published description, photographing, and otherwise over 150 out of 107 bodies received; that number being for the city of Pittsburg alone. There are numerous cases of unknown persons being killed in the suburbs of the city and a public morgae would be a blessing to the county of Alienteny.

"In the same line the appointment of a physician at a fixed salary to hold antopsies when needed and the appointment of a Deputy Coroner at a fixed salary would tend to decrease the expense to the county very materially. quest held March 15. November 8, schlenced to be hanged.

JOHN O'HARA—April 5, gunshot wound at hands of Urysess Weems, with Frank Seymour, William Johnston, William Harris and Charles Gauce aiding and abetting said crime. Inquest held April 6. All out on bail.

UNKNOWN—White male child found at McCabe's bar in the Ohlo river on March 5, with its throat cut. Inquest held March 6.

ANTONIO RUFFSA—March 16, killed at Stoop's Ferry by stone thrown by Peter Carmonia, with Joseph Natlai, Fron enerseus Citino and Louis Graco as accessories inquest held April 2, 8 and 11. July 12 Carmonia sentenced seven years to penlientiary, Natali five years, Citino released.

husband, Arthur Connely, at Boston street. In-quest held June 7 and 5. Committed for man-shaughter and discharged by the Court Septem-

gust 12 and discharged by the Court on October 2.

THOMAS DAILY—September 2., fractured skull at the hands of John Baer at Wylic avenue and High street. Sentenced December 1 to one year in the workhouse.

WILLIAM STEWART—September 25, shot by Samuel Walker at Swissvale. Inquest held September 29. Sentenced five years and four months to the pentientiary on November 20.

MICHAEL GUZOWSKY—October 4, shot by Joseph Higgins on Chartiers street, Allegheny: John Molieki, Anthony Molieki, Levonus Letonius, John Andrellus and John Atchas, accessories. Committed for caur: on October 6.

JOHN BOTHWYLL—October 2, stabbed by Willliam thins at Evans alley, Allegheny. Heid for court on October 11.

Another remarkable feature of the report is that 64 persons assisted themselves out of the world during the year. Reaching eternity by means of banging is still the most popula method 21 victims having chosen that method ixteen persons shook off life and earthly cares to face the great beyond by means of various orisons. Twelve unfortunates passed death's orials aided by as many pistol balls. For even others the dark rivers swept away the

by seem has been accessed a special to holding of inquests, and has resulted in a better selection of intelligent jurymen. It was the custom in former administrations to swear a special jury for each case, whereas now a jury is sworn at the opening of each week to serve or all cases that week, making a great saving for the county.
"The various printed and tunely suggestions

DECISION THAT AFFECTS BOTTLERS

The special telegram in yesterday's

the privilege of Selling beer by the quart and then allowing it to be drunk on his In this case James Howard was convicted of retailing on a wholesaier's license. The testimony showed that he had 50 quart mugs which he would fill for his customers, and he would then furnish them glasses. The accision was that while Howard could sell a quart it must be carried from his

Of course, what affects Philadelphia affects Pittsburg, and for that reason the ruling caused a great deal of tatk. There are now cases somewhat similar pending in the courts of this county, and the above decision will doubtless be considered a precedent, unless it is overruled by the higher

"I read the outline of the proposed bill, part of which would be very good changes, should they be made. I believe that in Allegheny county and Philadelphia the courts have enough to do without hearing all the applications for liquor licenses. In this county there were ever 2,000 applicants to be heard, and that takes tots of valuable time. In these two counties a commission could do the work as well. DIDN'T MAKE A PRECEDENT.

It was reported vesterday that the Pennsyl vania Company had at length allowed its agents to accept commissions on the sale of tickets for connecting lines, but none of the efficials would confirm the report. The company has strenuously refused to permit this for the last

Four Carloads of Fine Paintings Arrive in

BUSINESS AND PLEASURE. Dr. White Attends a Concert and Inspects a Hospital. Dr W E White a distinguished physician of Connellsville, was in the city yesterday with his daughter, to attend the Harvard concert at Carnegie Hall. They took advantage of the

Woods' Run, had his left leg crushed.

Johnston-The daughter of Detective
Johnston, of Allegheny, slipped on the pavethe novel experience of sceing a deep fog hang over the city when the sun was shining clear. twas impossible in the early morning to see further than a square. The fog rose at 11 o'clock, and the thermometer went up to 40°. The weather man said that the fog was also experienced in many other cities. Samuel Hoag-Samuel Hoag had his right A Libel Suit Amicably Settled.

> -Captain F. W. Mansfield, of the United States Army, and his niece, Miss Dudley, are

> the number of 30, put up yesterday at the -W. P. Black and E. O. Emerson, both oil men of Titusville, are at the Anderson

on Rebecca street, from an overdose of mor-phine. The Coroner will hold an inquest. THERE were 100 visitors at the penitentiar yesterday. Many of these were from Beaver Falls and other places near Pittsburg.

Miss Harriett Watson Acted as Hostess After the Concert. Miss Harriet Watson was hostess last evening to a supper party of 30, composed of prom-inent young society people, who first attended the concert at Carnegie Hall and afterwards were conveyed to the magnificent Watson resi dence where several hours were consumed in a course dinner-or rather supper. Originally it was intended that the handsome Harvard students should be invited to swell the company, but the Duquesne Clubhouse banquet prevented that, and in immense bouquets of rose and the smiles of Pittsburg's galiants, the young ladies smothered their natural disappointment at not having the slightest opportunity of a brief flirtation with the strangers. The appointments of the supper were of the degree of clegance always noticeable in the Watson home and the dressing of the young ladies especially pretty. was intended that the handsome Harvard stu-

A LATE HOUR SUPPER.

### HAD THEIR HANDS FULL. A Fire in Allegheny City Hall That Was Hard to Put Out.

A \$50 fire in City Hall, Allegheny, last even-

ing caused quite an excitement. At about 10 o'clock the floor in the Controller's office caught o'clock the floor in the Controller's office caught from the heat from the boilers below. The Columbia Company tried Babcocks, but they were insufficient, and a line of hore was laid, when the fire-nlug was found to be frozen up. Another alarm was sent ic, and about an hour after its start the blaze was subdued. A hole in the floor and a ruined carpet was the damage. Expecting a New Year's Gift.

COLLIDED WITH THE LAW. ial on a charge of desertion preferred against im by his wife. Mrs. Elizabeth Smith yesterday sucd Mrs. Jacob Schmidt, before Alderman Hart-man, for assault and battery,

DANIEL KING was sent to jadl yesterday by

Justice of the Peace A. W. McMillen, of Char-tiers borough, on two charges of larceny. JAMES BAYLES, colored, was arrested last night in the East End on a charge of having used a knife on Grant Miller a week ago. that were \$1 50 and \$2; CHARLES HERLINE was committed to jail yesterday by Burgess Tilbrook, of McKeesport, for a hearing on a charge of burglary. JOHN WILBERT made an information before Alderman Warner yesterday, charging Thomas

Mason with larceny of a watch and chain by

GEORGE S. COLLINS made an information

before Alderman Wafner, yesterday, charging Simon Wilson with striking him on the head with a poker. KASTANTA MALITZSKI was committed to jail for a hearing yesterday by Alderman Hartman, on a charge of felonious assault, pre ferred by Anna Sagzgia. BELLA BELL, who resides on Hall street, yesterday made an information before Alder-

man McMasters charging Annue Little with im-morality. Bail was entered for a hearing on

JOSEPH BERDELL, who discharged a revolve on Carson street last Tuesday and assaulted Officer Thompson, who attempted to arrest him, was yesterday fined \$5 and costs by Alder-man Succop. MICHAEL BANNON yesterday entered bail to answer a charge of immorality, preferred against him by Mary Marron before Alderman McMasters. Mary Marron is now an inmate of

An information was made against Charles

Hall yesterday before Alderman McMasters,

charged with assaulting James McManus Christmas night. The latter is still in a critical condition, and the hearing was accordingly

Overcoats Almost Given Away.

charging him with the larceny of a gold watch from Hattie E. Bergesser. Hall entered bail and will have a hearing on Friday. A HEARING was given by Alderman Spece resterday in the case of Jacob O'Sheka, charged by Barbara Rapare with attempted assault and y Joseph Srevinski with assault and batter The Alderman reserved his opinion. ALDERMAN SUCCOP was to have had a hearing yesterday in the case of John Amend,

We are offering for to-day the greatest bargains in overcoats ever known. no boast, but real solid facts. Read what we have to offer: Men's heavy storm utsters, worth \$8, for \$2 39. Men's heavy chinchilla and cassimere overcoats, nicely made, worth \$12, for \$4. Men's all-wool blue fur beavers and chin chilla ulsters, with heavy all-wool cassimerc linings, worth \$15, for \$7 25.

Men's imported chinchilla overcoats, in blue and black, either with satin lining throughout or with fine cassimere lining, a

S1 65.

Year's.

CLOTHING COMPANY, corner Grant and Diamond streets, opposite the Court House. Special Clearance Sale Of scarlet and white country blankets country white and barred flannels, com orts, table damasks, doylies, napkins and sheet-ings before annual stock-taking, at H. J. Lynch's, 438-440 Market street. WFSu

Ladies' Black Purse Silk Mittens,

Splendid values, 75c, \$1 and \$1 15 a pair. Extra heavy at \$1 25 and \$1 50 a pair. Jos. Horne & Co.'s

CASEY'S "EXCELSIOR" RYE still leads as

Penn Avenue Stores.

very stylish garment; worth \$20, for \$8 90.

Children's cape overcoats, worth for, for

Remember our store is closed all day New

P. C. C. C., PITTSBURG COMBINATION

the purest and best old rye whisky in Pittsburg. Price per uil quart, \$1.25; cases containing one dozen bottles, \$13.50. T. D. Casey & Co., 971 Liberty street, cor. of Tenth. STORE open only in the forencon to-mor 609-621 Penn Avenue.

Opens January 5, 1891. Send for eatalogue 50 DOZEN regular \$3 napkins reduced today to \$2 30 a dozen. Will go quickly, get your pick. Jos. HOBNE & Co.'s Penn Avenue Stores.

Curry University, Winter Term,

IN QUIET ALLEGHENY.

The Leading Meeting of the Finance Committee in Which Broadsides of Hot Shot Were Fired About With Profusion-A Discussion Over Legal Advisers.

JOS. HORNE & CO.'S

New Year's Bargains

DRESS GOODS.

Goods-near the upper entrance: All-wool Homespun Cheviots, 50

Full yard-wide Cashmeres, good line of colors-worth 35c, at 25c

A special line of Gray and Tan mixture Mohairs, 36 inches wide, at 25c a yard. 12-inch Black and White Checks and fancy Stripes and plaidsreduced from 50c to 38c a yard.

36-inch all-wool Scotch Plaids, 36-inch all-wool Cloth Stripes, 38-inch Imported Stripes, 43-inch Novelty Plaids. Double-width all-wool Tricots

BLACK DRESS GOODS.

Over 5,000 yards,

chance may never come again. Counters stocked with goods to-day. A good assortment of silver-plated

more than 25 per cent.

\$2 50 each, reduced to 5 oc. 50 trimmed Hats and Bonnets at \$4 75 each, less than half value. Beautiful Flowers, in full assortments, suitable for dress garniture,

5c, 8c, 12c, 15c, 20c and 25c a yard.

Materials and articles of apparel

Ladies' and gentlemen's Gloves in all the latest and most correct