George Glass represented the Chartlers Company, while Samuel Duncan and Attorney Galbraith appeared for the Chartlers Valley. The afrangements were soon made. Superintendent Turner has promised to light the Parks Bun tunnel on the Panhandle, the first one beyond the city limits.

NO CHANGE APPARENT.

The Carpenters' Strike Not Nearing a Settle

ment—President Gompers Looking Into the Local Situation—He Thinks the Out-

The strike of the carpenters, plumbers and

tile layers presented no new features in itself yesterday. Nothing transpired to in-

dicate that a settlement is near or that steps

are to be taken by either side to effect a

men are strengthening their forces and pre-

It was given out yesterday that the mas-

turn to work under the rules adopted by the employers will be given employment to-morrow, it is very evident that they do not expect to see much done for another week at

President Gompers, of the American

Federation of Labor, and Charles Rodgers, President of the Board of Walking Dele-

gates of New York, came into the city yes-terday morning. The former is here in the interest of the building trades who are

affiliated with his organization, and will re

main until Monday or Tuesday, Mr. Rodgers is here to investigate charges that

prison work has been shipped to Pittsburg, and to prevent structural iron workers from

going to New York, where there are 7,000

foundrymen and pattern men on strike.

When seen by a Dispatch reporter last evening Mr. Gompers spoke with the utmost confidence that the local carpenters

were in good shape to win the present fight,

and said the eight-hour struggles all over the country are progressing satisfactorily and with every indication of terminating

successfully for the workmen. Mr. Gompers

receives daily reports from every point where the eight-hour fight is on, and he

states that where the men have not already won everything they are gradually

gaining. He says the carpenters here will receive financial aid from the Federation as soon as it is needed, but from the informa-tion given him he does not think the local fund will be exhausted before the strike is

"Master Builders here regard the failure

of the miners to strike as an evidence of weakness likely to extend to the carpen-

ters," was suggested to Mr. Gompers.
"Well, if they think that of the car-

penters they are misjudging their men, that's all," replied the labor leader. "I

was very much surprised at the sudden turn the miners' affairs took. I had no intima-

tion that they would not strike until I read it in the newspapers, but no other trade is to be judged by what the miners have

A mass meeting under the auspices of

the Building Trades Council will be held to-morrow night in Lafayette Hall. The

meeting will be in the interest of the eight-hour movement, General Secretary P. J.

McGuire will arrive in the city to-day, and

will address the meeting.

Special Agent A. M. Schwartz stated last evening that 13 additional contractors, em-

ploying about 60 men, granted the demands of the men yesterday. This, he said, made about 120 contractors in all who have so far granted the demands of the strikers.

GLASS WORKERS' ASSEMBLY SUED.

Attorneys for Homer L, McGaw File

Precipe in a Suit for Damages.

the Window Glass Workers' Assembly No.

300, K. of L., was filed yesterday by Attorneys L. K. Porter and Robb & Fitzeim-

mons for the plaintiff.
The action is brought by Homer L. Me

Glass Workers' Assembly No. 300, K. of L.; and the Window, Glass Workers' Assembly No. 300, K. of L., John P. Eberhart, President; George L. Cake, Secretary, and A. M. Hammett, Tressurer. No statement of the case was

Tinners and Sheet Iron Workers.

The International Association of Tinners.

Cornice Makers and Sheet Iron Workers will

hold their annual convention at 537 Smith-

field street; beginning next Tuesday. About 50 delegates had reached the city last night.

Industrial Notes.

THE Eagle Rolling Mills in the West End shut down for want of coal.

THE prescription scale of the flint glass workers will be adjusted next Thursday.

THIRTY men arrived yesterday from New

VICE PRESIDENT WILLIAM CARNEY, of the

Amalgamated Association, is home from New York, where he addressed a large audience on the eight-hour question.

THE Picule Committee having in charge the

A precipe in a suit for damages against

NARROW ESCAPE FOR PASSENGERS.

CAUSED BY A LOUSE CROSSING BOARD

President Offver and Other Preminent

People on the Train.

compromise. On the contrary the journey-Pitusburg and Western road at Sample's station yesterday. It was a paring to lay idle all summer if need be in special train and nothing but order to force the bosses to give in, and the contractors are apparently taking matters easy, caring little "whether school keeps or a miracle saved the lives of the distinguished party on board, while the poor conductor and fireman were severely injured ter builders have made extensive arrangements for a picnic and game of baseball next. Thursday, and while they have issued an order to their men that all who desire to reand one is liable to die. It is the worst

The special carrying about a dozen prominent persons started from the Allegheny depot at 12 o'clock to go to Ellwood. The train consisted of an engine, President Oliver's private car and a coach. The wreck happened at 12:30. Among the passengers were President H. W. Oliver, General Manager Patton, John Chalfant, Sol Schoyer, Jr., and General Fitzhugh. Their destination was the new town of Ellwood, which they intended to inspect. The train was running at the rate of 40 miles an hour. At Sample's station a wheel of the engine struck one of the planks of the crossing which was out of place, and the engine jumped the track. The engineer shut off steam, but the momentum of the train carried it along the ties for some distance. when the engine turned over. The first car was also partly upset. The engineer saved himself by jumping, but the fireman and the conductor, John Hersh, who was riding on the engine, were caught in the wreck.
The passengers, who were in the rear car,
were severely shaken up and somewhat
bruised, but none were injured to any ex-

to his home in Allegheny, and the fireman

a regular train.

Accused of False Pretense. Martin Bishop, of Kosciusko street, couthside, is reported missing. A

The hearing was set for yesterday, but Bishop failed to show up. His bondsman, Andrew Sebastian, called later in the day and paid the costs of the suit and returned to O'Conner the money which Bishop was accused of appropriating. Nothing has been heard of Bishop since.

CRUSHED BY AN ELECTRIC CAR.

Peter Cullin, aged 20 years, employed by the Second Avenue Electric Railway at their car shed at Glenwood, bad his right leg crushed last evening by a car passing

and, before Cullin could get out, the rear truck passed over his leg at the knee. He was removed to his home at Frankstown A CRIME TO ORDER.

Not satisfied with the refusal he received, he still persisted. The Lieutenant soon lost patience and said: "No one can sleep here unless he has committed some crime." "Is that so," said the tramp; "that's pretty hard, but I suppose I can help it; how will this answer?"

As he spoke he shot out his fist and knocked the Lieutenant from his stool into

'give me as good a cell as you have, for I'm tired and want to go to sleep."

The unfortunate Lieutenant did not hear

the end of it for months.

WHY MEAT IS SO DEAR.

The Opening of Markets Abroad Is Respon

sible for It.

The reason why meat has gone up so much ately, says a butcher in the St. Louis Globe-Democrat as every housewife has observed

with indignation, is simply that the markets abroad have been opened more freely to American beef and pork. This is thanks to the Government inspection of animals, which are branded as good and healthy, so that the foreign consumer does not view them with suspicion as provender.

Naturally, when the market for American meat products is expanded, a more extended demand makes prices rise. Therefore it is that I have to charge you 5c more a pound for good cuts of beef than you have been ac customed to pay; and pork in proportion. The Boy and the Slot Machine.

Manufacturers of slot machines find their nost untiring enemy in the small boy. His ingenuity is perpetually on the alert to devise means for beating slot machines, which he regards as his lawful prey. A youth in knee pantaloons who can produce from an automatic contrivance \$1 worth of chocolate for 1c, perhaps hauling out the cent at last on the end of a string, is looked up to as a genius by his "crowd."

Not Much Money in Books. There were close upon 5,000 books published last year, and a careful estimate places not more than one-fifth of these among those which yielded the authors sufficient profit to make anything like a return for the physical labor of writing, to say nothing of the mental effort.

WASHINGTON awnings at Brown & Co.'s, corner Grant and Water streets. Telephone

Will bardly prove a greater attraction this week than the May sale of men's fine suits, which will be continued for the next six

SALOONKEEPERS—Build up your trade in beer by using Iron City beer. It is a great favorite. Telephone 1186.

MOORISH awnings, elegant patterns, bril-liant fast colors, at Mamaux & Son's, 539 Penn avenue.

Ir your complaint is want of appetite, try Angestura Bitters before meals. Tresu

DEATH IN A CEMETERY.

on Captain Jones' Monum The believers in evil omens would find ground for their beliefs in connection wit the tomb of Captain Jones. It will be remem bered that he lost his life through an explo sion in the Edgar Thomson works at Braddock. Yesterday John Foster, of Mt. Washington was struck dead while working on a granite shaft which will mark the last resting place of Captain Jones in Monongahela Cemetery at Braddock. The Defendant Wrote to Judge White and

It was a bright day, several funerals were in progress and hundreds of people were out to see the graves of their lost ones. Here a grave was just receiving its burden of mortality. Just beyond Kunkle & Jordan's men were working on the monument. The minister was repeating "Earth to earth," when, raising his eyes, he saw a form stag-ger and fall and when he concluded with "ashes to ashes" he had repeated the office of the dead for two finished lives instead of

the Illegal Fishermen Fish Wardan Hague is again out on the

The same day he arrested three men on the Allegheny river at Thirty-third street. Each of them was made to pay liberally. Last night Mr. Hague was also on the watch near Pittsburg and he expects to spend every night along the river until the expiration of the fish law on May 30.

Cleveland. The committee of the Jr. O. U. A. M

met last night at 302 Smithfield street. The Committee on Transportation reported having arranged for a \$3 rate, good for ten days A communication was read from the Cleveland committee, stating that a general parade would take place on Tuesday, June 16, and that the visitors would be assured a good time. The reports indicate that about 5,000 members and others from this end of he State will attend the session of the Naional Council. Mr. Marron says there is no doubt that Kohu wrote the letters to Judge White and Lawyer Christy, because they are un-questionably in his handwriting. They will also prove, he says, that the letters were written in the interest of another party, but whether that person got a license on the strength of them he would not say.

CHARGED WITH LARCENY.

Pickles and Delicacies. Fred Schmidt, of Thirty-third street

married, and an employe in Heinz' pickl factory on Second avenue, was committed to jail yesterday on charge of larceny preferred against him by Charles Hortameyer, a fore-man in the establishment, before Alderman

occurred in the factory of late and Schmidt was suspected, and when arrested he had a large bottle of cucumber sauce in his pocket. Hearing during the week.

Died Far, From Home. Joseph Curtis, Jr., colored, aged 20 years, died at the City Poor Farm yesterday morn ing. He was sent to the farm on April 18, suffering from a severe cold, which turned into grip. Little is known in regard to his history. He came to Pittsburg 13 years ago from Maryland. He last lived at 72 Logan

Trial Trips Were Successful. Several trial trips were made last night on the Ellsworth avenue division of the Duquesne Traction Company. The cars ran smoothly and without any accident. The company expects to commence running cars on Friday and expects to have nearly all the

Andrew Carnegie and the Fort Pitt

his clothing and threw away the balance of his money. Then he waded into the water and disappeared.

He was fished out in an unconscious con-

MY DEAR SIRS-Your favor of May 5 re-

grateful citizen. With renewed thanks I remain, Very truly yours,
Andrew Carnegie.

NEW YORK, May 8, 1891.

CARPETSI

prices we quote in to-day's Dispatch. Start-lingly low as the prices may seem in print buyers will be still more startled to find that we've understated rather than over-

stated the facts?

We deliver goods to any part of the two cities, and within 100 miles of Pittsburg, freight paid. Carpets made and laid promptly. J. H. KUNKEL & BEO., 1347-1349 Penn ave., two squares east of Union depot. Union depot. Special Item to Tony Dressers

We have placed on sale about 180 men's very fine black and white stripe worsted very line black and white stripe worsted suits, cut in long roll sack style. They are really very handsome garments and the pattern is ultra fashionable. You have no doubt often noticed this particular pattern; its a dark ground cloth with white silk stripes. These suits sell everywhere for \$18 and \$20, but we will sell them Monday at

\$9 each.
P. C. C., PITTSBURG COMBINATION
CLOTHING COMPANY, corner Grant and
Diamond streets, Thou Shalt Not

And the opportunity to prevent her doing any harm lost. In six days more the oppor-tunity to take advantage of our great May sale will also be lost. Seize it while you GUSKY'S may.

GRAND HALF RATE EXCURSION

By Baltimore and Ohio and Pennsylvania system, on Monday and Tuesday, May 18 aud 19, on account of suction sale of lots by Port Norfolk Land Company, two days following.

President Gompere Is again in Pittsburg. If he is wise he, too, will take advantage of our great May su sale which will continue another week. Gusky's.

THE only exclusive trimming store in

LOST HER LICENSE

MARSHELL And Now Mrs. Johanna Pfeil Sues F.

THE CASH GROCER.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

WILL SAVE YOU MONEY,

Groceries Given Away

Hold on now! Don't take us up

too quick. We have not yet climbed to that starry pinnacle where we can sit with our thumbs in the armholes of our vest and tell the public how benevolent we are, and that we only live to do good for our fellow men. We are away down in the depths - hustling for elbow room. We cannot promise groceries free to everyone, but we can promise GROCERIES FREE TO ONE FAMILY OUT of EVERY TWENTY FAMILIES. Here is how we do it: ON ALL ORDERS OF \$30 AND UPWARD, sent direct to our store, WE WILL ALLOW 5 PER CENT DIS-COUNT, sugar and meat excepted. Five per cent discount means that we will hand you back \$1 for every \$20 you give us. If you want \$1 50 worth of groceries, get 19 other families to order 81 50 worth each and we will give you yours free. In other words, from each

order in a separate box and pay freight Send for our large weekly price list and order by mail. You will be astonished to see how much money we can

within 200 miles.

No. 24 Diamond Square, PITTSBURG. We have one of the neatest and bright-

> MARSHELL. 79 to 85 Ohio street, Cor. Sandusky,

ALLEGHENY. AND 24 DIAMOND SOUARE. PITTSBURG,

HUGUS & HACKE.

THIS WEEK

A fine assortment of India and China Silks, Black Grounds, with small, medium and large Figures in Jardinere and Pompadour effects,

Novelties in Crepe du Chene Dress Patterns, black and colored ground, with woven figures, very

Over a hundred styles in Striped and Checked Habutais in washable esterday, and while walking down Butler

colors, at 75c and \$1 a yard. street toward the river he threw a handful of small coin at the crowd of boys following Four Special values in White im. On the river bank he took off some of

Pongee and Habutais, at 50c, 65c, 75c and \$1 a yard.

FRENCH CHALLIS.

of beautiful new designs, at 55c a

BIBER & EASTON.

SPECIAL SALE

at Greatly

REDUCED PRICES.

to 30c. 38-inch Satin Berbers in self-colored stripes, down from 50c to 3714c. 40-inch French all-wool Plaids in very

fice soft cloths and exquisite colorings, down from \$1 to 70c. 50-inch Euglish Suitings, down to \$1 and \$1 35. BLACK and colored Henriettas, in extra

width and quality, reduced to 50c and 65c.

DOWN TO 75c.

We offer a very large purchase of 46-inch, extra grade Henriettas at 75c-worth \$1.

These embrace black and all the choicest spring colorings. This is perhaps a bargain that you may care to examine.

50-inch English Suitings, in quiet gray and brown line and broken stripes, offered at \$1, worth \$1 35. Six yards a full pattern.

Gold, Silver, Steel, Jet and Jeweled Trimmings in a profusion of rare designs and charming colorings.

Dress Ornaments of all kinds, such as Corselets, Bodiees, Collarettes, Girdles and Bianer Girdles in exclusive designs. Prices extremely moderate.

BIBER & EASTON,

505 to 507 MARKET STREET.

STEMMING THE TIDE.

The Westinghouse Electric Company Negotiations Have Reached the Turning Point.

EASTERNERS ASSUME THE BURDEN

August Belmont, Brayton Ives, and Lee, Higginson & Co. Undertake the Reorganization, and

SUBMIT PLANS TO THE STOCKHOLDERS.

Neither the Edison Nor Thomson-Heuston Company Has

Say in the Matter. The negotiations looking to the reorgan ization of the Westinghouse Electric Company, upon which the head of the interests has been so earnestly engaged for some months past, have at length been brought to an issue which, it is expected, will be regarded by stockholders and creditors as very successful, under all the circumstances. The particulars of these negotiations are now officially announced for the first time in a lengthy communication sent to the stockholders yesterday, and which is appended. To complete the matter nothing is now wanting but the assent of the stockholders to the plan. This plan is to be carried out by a syndicate, composed of August Belmont, the New York banker, Charles Fairchild, of Lee, Higginson & Co., and Brayton Ives, President of the Western National Bank, of New York, who, with Henry D. Hyde, President of the Equitable Life Insurance Company, Marcellus Hartley, of Hartley & Graham, of New York, and Charles Francis Adams, of Boston, have agreed to become members of the Board of Directors

upon completion of the reorganization. Agreement of the Syndicate. The syndicate above referred with certain creditors of the company and others, has agreed take \$3,000,000 of the 7 per cent preferred stock, upon the assent of the stockholders to the plan, which comprises the following propositions: The present authorized capital, \$10,000,000, is not to be increased; the holders of the outstanding stock, amounting to about \$7,000,000, all of which is common stock, are to surrender 40 per cent of their holdings into the treasury. This will turn about \$6,000,000 of stock into the treasury, counting the \$3,000,000 formerly issued but not placed. Four million dollars of this treasury stock is to be converted into 7 per cent preferred stock, of which \$3,000,000 is to be sold for account of the floating debt and working capital, while \$500,000 is to be held in re-Part of the remaining stock will be devoted to purchasing further interest in the United States Electric Light Company and the Consolidated Electric Light Com-

The Plan Expected to be Approved. The Mercantile Trust Company, of New York, has been named as the depository of the stock, and negotiable certificates of deposit will be assued by the company as against the stock assigned to it by the stockholders, who are also requested to send in to the Committee of Reorganization written authority to surrender into the is generally understood that this plan will be approved of by the bulk of the shareholders. It already has the approbation of those most heavily interested in the electric

company.
It is generally held that the accomplish this scheme of reorganizationwhich, it is thought, will receive immediate recognition and support - will not only straighten out the tangled web of the company's finances, but will enable it to enter upon a new era of prosperity, with every scility for doing a larger trade than before. Though hampered by its difficulties, the company has been enabled to keep its facories here and in New Jersey and New York going, as witnessed by the fact that

the sales of electrical apparatus during last year amounted to \$4,800,000. Gobbling Up Other Interests. The plan, as outlined, effectually dis-poses of the assertions so frequently published that the Thomson-Houston Company was attempting to absorb the Westinghouse So far from this being the case, it is stated on authority that the Electric Company will probably take other in-terests under its wing. When the propositions toward reorganization are accomplished it will be placed in a very invorable position to widen its field, for it will be substantially free fram debt and have an outstanding capital of \$9,000,-

terests with many millions of capital can The circular conveying the reorganization scheme is as follows: The Plan of Reorganization

OFFICE OF THE
WESTINGHOUSE ELECTRIC AND MF'G.Co.,
No. 120 BROADWAY, NEW YORK, May 7. To the Stockholders of the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company: Your officers have for some time been confronted with a condition of affairs which has kept the company upon the brink of a receiver ship, but having full confidence in the value of your property and realizing the magnitude of the injury which would be suffered by the stockholders in case the creditors should force the company into a receivership or an assign-ment for the benefit of creditors, we have spared ment for the benefit of creditors, we have spared no effort to keep the business together and the factories in operation, pending the perfection of the plan of reorganization set forth in the annexed resolutions, which are made a part of this circular. We feel confident that if this plan meets with that immediate and unanimous co-operation on the part of the stockholders, which is essential to its success, the credit of the company will be restored and the business placed upon a firm basis. The following gentlemen who have not been identified hitherto with the management of the company have consented to become members of your Board of Directors in case the proposed reorganization is successful: Messrs, August Belmont, Marcellus Hartley, Henry B. Hyde and Brayton Ives, all of New York, and Messra, Charles Francis Adams and Charles Fairchild, of Boston.

Conditions of the Agreement.

Conditions of the Agreement. The reorganization syndicate, certain creditors and others, have agreed to take at par \$3,000,000 of preferred stock upon the condition. among other things, that the stockholders as among other things, that the stockholders as-sent to the plan of reorganization and return to the treasury of the company, 40 per cent of their holdings as provided in this plan. An oppor-tunity will be offered to "assenting" stockhold-ers to sub-cribe to preferred stock at par. We are confident that the stockholders will feel that the surrender of 40 per cent of their stock has a part of the proposed plan, will be a posi-tive advantage rather than a sacrifice, for the following reasons:

following reasons: First-The return of this proportion of the stock to the treasury will enable the company to pay even without further additions to its to pay even without further additions to its property or business, an increase in dividends apon the remaining stock out-standing almost in propertion to the amount of stock surrendered, so that 69 shares of stock with the advantages resulting from the completion of the proposed plah, will be more valuable than 100 shares without the surrender.

Second—The "assenting stock" will be entitled to a 7 per cent annual preferential dividend before any dividend is paid on such stock at may not assent to the plan.

sisting of Messrs, August Belmont, (of August Belmont & Cu., bankers of New Yerk), Charles Fairchild (of Lee, Higginson & Cu., bankers, Boston), and Brayton Ives (President of the Western National Bank, New York), shall in the event of the failure of the plan above reterred to continue to represent and act for so many of the stockholders as shall become parties to the reorganization agreement, thus by unanimity of action through experienced gentlemen affording to the assenting stockholders a manifest advantage in any effort to reorganize.

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With these ends in view, a reorganization agreement covering the above plan and such other plan as the Reorganization Committee may deem it wise to adopt it the above plan fails, has been executed in triplicate by the Mercantile Trust Company, by the Reorganization Committee above referred to and by the holders of a considerable amount of the capital stock of the company. One of these executed reorganization agreements is at the capital stock of the company. One of these executed reorganization agreements is at the office of Messrs. August Belmont & Co., 120 Broadway, New York City, and another at the office of The Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company, at Pittsburg, Pa., and another at the office of Messrs, Lee, Higginson & Co., Boston, Mass., at either one of which places, and at the company's office in New York City, you can obtain full information regarding the afficies of the company and its proposed reorganization.

Negotiable Receipts for Deposited Stock. You can become a party to this reorganiza tion agreement either by executing any one of these original agreements and sending your stock to the Mercantile Trust Company, or simply by assigning to and depositing with the Mercantile Trust Company of the City of New York your certificates of stock or your trustees' certificates for stock as the case may be. Upon receipt of your certificates the Mercantile Trust Company will issue to you its negotiable receipt for the shares so deposited by you, which shares will be disposed of by the Trust Company in accordance with the instructions of the Reorganization Committee under whatever plan they may adopt. tion agreement either by executing any one of

ganization Committee
they may adopt.
By order of the Board,
By order of the Roard,
GEORGE WESTINGHOUSE, JR., President. The following is a copy of the resolutions of the Board of Directors of the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company, adopted April 7, and referred to in

the toregoing circular:

Need of a Working Capital. WHEREAS, The Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company, as shown by its balance sheet of March 31, 1891, has a floating debt of \$3,305,611 45, and in order to meet its pressing obligations and to obtain sufficient working capital for the conduct of its increasing business, it is essential that it should obtain capital to the amount of \$4,000 and is to the amount of \$4,000,000; and,

Whoreas, The financial condition of the com-pany is such that unless such amount can be obtained in the immediate future, a receiver-

pany is such that unless such amount can be obtained in the immediate future, a receivership of the company and its property, or a general assignment for the benefit of creditors, is, in the judgment of this board, inevitable; and Whereas. The varied interests of the company, and the number and nature of its outstanding obligations are such as to make the ultimate result of a receivership or a general assignment, so far as interests of the stockholders are concerned, very uncertain; and Whereas, For many months past this board has used its best efforts to obtain extensions of its indebtedness and to procure the additional money essential for the prosperous continuance of its business, which efforts have met with only temporary and partial success; and Whereas, The President of the company reports to its Board of Directors that after consultation with responsible bankers, he has every reason to believe that the following plan for the relief of the company can be carried to a successful result, if approved by this board, viz:

First-The present authorized capital stock of the company (\$10,000,000), not to be increased.

of the company (\$10,000,000), not to be increased. Second—The present holders of the outstanding common stock of this company to assent to this plan and to transfer and surrender to this company, or its order, to be used for the purposes hereinafter specified, 40 per cent of the nar value thereof (aggregating about \$2,720,000,000), which, with the treasury stock now ansold, would make an aggregate of about \$3,920,000 of usesold treasury stock. unsold treasury stock.
Third-The 60 per cent of stock retained by

Third—The 60 per cent of stock retained by the assenting stockholders, together with the 40 per cent surrendered, to be stamped "assenting stock," and to be entitled to a preference over the "non-assenting" stock in that no dividend shall be paid upon the "non-assenting" stock in any one year until after 7 per cent dividends shall have been declared and paid in that year upon the "assenting stock."

Fourth—One million dollars par value of the common stock so surrendered to be converted into preferred stock, which, with the \$3,000,000 of preferred stock, which, with the \$3,000,000 of preferred stock on a unthorized issue of \$4,000,000 of preferred stock cuttled to a 7 per cent annual preferential cumulative dividend, and also to a pro-rate share of dividends declared in any one year after 7 per cent dividends shall have been paid in that year upon the other stocks outstanding, the entire \$4,000,000 of preferred stock to have a preference in the assets of the company, but no part of the issue to have a preference over any other part thereof either as to dividends or assets. The remaining stock surrendered, amounting to about \$1,820,000 to remain common "assenting stock."

Fitth—The said treasury stock, both ava.

stock,"
Fifth-The said treasury stock, both pre-ferred and "common assenting stock" to be

Purposes of the Treasury Stock. (a) Three million dollars par value of the preferred stock to be issued for money and in payment of the company's debts.

payment of the company's debts.

(b) Five hundred thousand dollars par value of the preferred stock to be left in the treasury of the company to provide further working capital when needed, and to meet other requirements of the company;

(c) So much as is necessary of the remaining treasury stock to be used in the purchase of as many shares of the capital stocks, respectively, of the United States Electric Lighting Company and the Consolidated Electric Lighting Company as the Recreasuration Committee hereinafter named deem advisable.

(d) The remainder of the treasury stock not used for the above purposes to remain in the treasury of the company for future use.

Sixth—This plan to be executed and carried out through a Reorganization Committee composed of Messrs. August Belmont, of August Belmont & Co., bankers, of New York. Mr. Charles Fairchild, of Lee, Higginson & Co., bankers, of Boston, and Mr. Brayton Ives, President of the Western National Bank, New York, who shall have power to add not to exceed two members to add filt reservations in the recent two members to add filt reservations in the recent two members to add filt reservations in the recent two members to add filt reservations in the recent two members to add filt reservations in the recent two members to add filt reservations in the recent two members to add filt reservations in the recent two members to add filt reservations in the recent two members to add filt reservations in the reservations and the reservations are reserved to add not to exceed two members to add the reservations and the re

York, who shall have power to add not to ex-ceed two members to and fill vacancies in their Seventh—The Reorganization Committee to be entitled to a substantial representation in the management of the company.

And whereas, in the judgment of this Board of Directors the method proposed by this plan is the only one by which the company can be successfully relieved from its financial embarrassments and be saved from a receivership or a general assignment for the benefit of its greditors and be supplied with sufficient working capital to conduct its business; and

Whereas, The successful carrying out of this plan absolutely depends upon the surrender to the company by the stockholders, for the purpose of said plan, or 49 per cent, or approximately \$2.720,000, par value of the common stock of this company now held by its stockholders.

Recommended by the Directors.

It is Resolved, That this Board of Directors

It is Kesolved, That this Board of Directors recommend to the stockholders the approval of recommend to the stockholders the approval of the foregoing plan, and further recommend to the stockholders that they shall surrender, for the purposes of said plan, 40 per cent, or an aggregate of approximately \$2,729,000, par value of the capital stock of the company held by them. And this board further recommends to the said stockholders that they authorize the officers and directors of the company to carry out said plan and to issue the whole or any part of the said \$4,000,000 of preferred stock and any part of said common "assenting" stock for money, stocks of other corporations, for the payment of the debts of the company and otherwise as they may deem for the best interests of the company in pursuance of said plan and that, by a proper resolution, said stockholders shall declare said preferred stock as and when issued to be fully paid and not subject to further or future calls or assessments,

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And it is further resolved, That said plan be and the same hereby is adopted and approved by this Board of Directors and the officers of the company be and they hereby are authorized and directed to carry out said plan, and to incur on behalf of the company such liabilities and expenses and to pay such sums as they shall deem proved for the carrying out of said plan and to proper for the carrying out of said plan and to to every act and thing necessary therefor. What Mr. Westinghouse Has to Say. The following statement from Mr. West-

inghouse, who is in New York, was received last night: The plan as set forth in the resolution speaks for itself. I have all along had great confidence in the property of the Westinghouse Electric Company and I have therefore devoted myself the broperty of the Westinghouse Electric dead before any dividend is paid on such stock as may not assent to the plan.

Third—The issue of preferred stock rendered possible by the surrender of a part of the common stock, will enable the company to care for its floating debt and provide working capital.

Fourth—Treasury stock is provided wherewith to purchase additional property in the shape of the stocks of the United States and Consolidated companies, which purchase will greatly strengthen the company.

Fifth—When the plan above referred to is carried out, there would still remain in the treasury of the company a substantial amount of hoth preferred and common stock for other purposes.

Avoldance of a Receivership.

A. a failure of the stockholders to join prompily and with practical unanimity in the proposed plan would render a receivership or an assignment for the benefit of creditors or other legal proceedings inevitable, it is proposed that the Reorganization Committee, conMAY GO BACK AGAIN Proposition Said to Have Been

Made to Wm. Martin to Take

OFFICE IN THE A. A. OF I. AND S. W.

No Developments in the Strike to Indicate a Settlement.

GRIST OF A DAY FROM LABOR CIRCLES For the past four or five weeks there has been more or less talk among members of the Amalgamated Association in reference to the coming convention. The conversation naturally drifts toward the election of officers. As intimated in THE DISPATCH some time ago, there are great possibilities in store for the organization during the coming year, and one of them is no less than the fact that William Martin may, again be connected with the association in

an official capacity. It was reported in labor circles on the Southside, more than a week ago, that members of the National Lodge, who can guess pretty closely at least 24 hours ahead what is to transpire in the organization, had made a proposition to Mr. Martin to go back into the association: that he could have any office he desired, and that he might even name his own salary.

In Need of Mr. Martin's Services Considerable comment has been created by the report, and when it reached the cars of the reporters last night, the latter set out to find Mr. Martin. The search was in vain. From what could be gleaned from outside members of the associafrom outside members of the associa-tion, it seems that Mr. Mar-tic's rare executive ability, his keen judgment of right and wrong, and his ever willingness and desire to do what is right made him many friends, and the associa-tion lost a valuable and able offi-cer. To win him back again is what some of his friends seem

to have set about to do.

The trustees of the national lodge met last night for the last time before the annual session. William Carney, the first Vice President, was seen after the meeting adjourned. He said he had not heard of any proposition having been made to Mr. Martin, but he had the kindest words for that gentleman. Mr. Garland, the Assistant President of the association, was next seen. He said: "While I do not know anything about the proposition supposed to have been made to Mr. Martin, we must all acknowledge that his work was among the ablest ever done for the association. If any such action has been taken it has been done by individ-uals as no subordinate lodge has acted on

Everybody Friendly to Him. E. A. Keil was rather more outspoken in expressing himself on the matter: "If such a proposition has been made to Mr. Martin, I know nothing about it, but I will say this very frankly, without meaning any disrespect for any who are in the association at present, that, if Mr. Martin will accept any office within the gift of the association he can name his price, so far as I am concerned. I regard Mr. Martin as the one man who was the life of the association at times. He was to the association what James G. Blaine is to the nation. I am not aware of what position he has been offered. His name having been mentioned for any office is sufficient to arouse the support of the greater

There will be another change on the Board of Trustees. James Nutt, of Youngstown, who has been in the National Lodge regularly ever since the lodge was organized, has been elevated to the office of Police Commissioner in Youngstown, and his place in the association will be filled by P. F. McAfee, of that place. The trustees will be in session to-morrow.

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BEATING THE ICEMAN An Experiment in Cooling Now Being Made in Allegheny. The Pennsylvania Cooling Company, of Allegheny, has in course of construction a plant which, if it proves a success, will relieve a long suffering public of the terror known as the iceman. The object of the company is to furnish a material to take the place of ice through a system of pipes the place of ice through a system of pipes to each residence and store in the city. The Allegheny market house is now being fitted up with the system, and in a short time it will be ready for operation. The company will first supply the butchers of the market, and if successful, will extend its plant and supply all who want it. It has already obtained right of way from Councils to lay pipes through the streets.

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The system, which is a patent of Edward Armstrong, late Chief of the Department of Public Safety, consists of a main line, with connections for each individual, running through the ice box and out, and rejoining the main pipe. The fluid consists of salt water or brine, treated in the same manner as manufactured ice. When it reaches from 20° to 30° below freezing, it is forced through the pipes, making the circuit of the lines and back to the plant again. The connections to the ice boxes consist of colls of pipe which take up very little room, and freeze every-thing in it. The officers of the company are

A. J. Laurence, President; W. A. Ford, Secretary; C. H. Hetzel, Treasurer; Directors, Samuel Grier, Barton Grubbs, R. C. ors, Samuel Grier, Barton Grubbs, R. C. Tannehill, J. C. Hetzel and James McAfee. GOOD IMMIGRANTS GO WEST.

Mr. Layton Says the Worst Classes Sto Pittaburg. Robert D. Layton lingered around the Union station after dark last evening with the suspicion that more immigrants might land in Pittsburg. None came and he heaved a sigh of relief. The Baltimore and Ohio has agreed to notify the Government agent when their people from the Baltimore

ort will arrive. "You may say," said Mr. Layton, as he scanned his record book, "that we have been deluzed with the lowest classes of Europe this week, and chief among them are the Italians and Sicilians. Of the 200 immi-grants that remained in the city for the reek, 80 per cent were Italians, and a very undesirable class they are, I am puzzled to know what sort of mongrel breed will be the result of intermarriage between the different low classes that come here. Do we get some decent immigrants? Yes, and it is the one thing that gives me hope for the country under the present immigration laws, The rosy-cheeked, well-fed Swedes and Swiss frequently break the monotony of my work, but, alas, for Pittsburg, the don't stay here. The great Northwest captures them with its inviting farms and lumber fields. Under the present commercial agreement with Italy, we can't exclude the offscouring of that country without ignoring the treaty entirely. They are hardly paupers, but I am sure we will be happier without them."

LEASED AN ELECTRIC PLANT.

The Parks Run Tunnel on the Panhandle to Be Lighted.

A deal has been made between the Chartiers Valley and the Chartiers Electric Light companies by which the former company leases the latter and its plant for 99 years. The Chartiers Valley now supplies Chartlers borough with light, and under the agreement Crafton. Ingram and other Panhandle towns will be cared for. At a meeting yesterday P. F. Smith, Captain J. J. McCormick and BOTH LEGS BROKEN

Conductor and Fireman Hart in a

A serious wreck about which the officials were very reticent, occured on the wreck the road has had for some time, and, after all, one of the luckiest,

The engine, a new one, was a complete wreck, and work was at once commenced to get out the injured conductor and fireman. They were soon released and given attention. Conductor Hersh had both legs broken and was badly scalded. The fireman was severely cut and bruised and was also scaided. Hersh was brought was taken to his home in Butler.

The wreck delayed travel somewhat but was soon cleared up, and the party who were on the special continued their trip by

PELT ASHAMED OF HIMSELP.

fartin Bishop Is Not Visible Since He Was couple of days ago K. T. O'Conner, a foreman at the Republican Iron Works, made information against him before Alderman Flack, charging him with false pretense. It is alleged that by misrepresentation he secured the wages of a fellow employe at the

Peter Cullin Run Over and Badly Hurt at

Gaw agains: James Campbell, George L. Cake, A. M. Hammett, J. G. Slicker, L. L. Conaway and John Fees, associated together as the Window Glass Workers' Assembly No. 300. K. of L.: and the Window He was doing some repairing under the car when the vehicle was started suddenly,

> How a Tramp Got a Night's Lodging in a Station House. St. Louis Globe-Democrat.] A great bulking tramp walked in and asked the Licutenant in charge, a rather dudish fellow, to give him a night's lodging.

"I hope I didn't hurt you more than was necessary," he said, as his victim slowly picked himself up, his nose streaming blood;

annual demonstration of the Amalgamated Association will meet next week to make pre-limbary arrangements. YESTERDAY the difficulties between the marble cutters and polishers and their em-

ployers were settled in a manner satisfactory to the men. The demands made on the employers were granted. Work will be resumed to-day. SMALL SCRAPS OF LOCAL NEWS. THE teachers and officers of the Western Pennsylvania Institution for the Blind have designated next Thursday afternoon for their visit to the May Festival, in response to the generous invitation of the managers. The Pittsburg Transfer Company has very kindly offered to furnish an omnibus to take the pupils and teachers to and from the concert,

OSCAR H. LAPPE, of the J. C. Lappe & Sons Tanning Company, leaves the last of the week for New York to make a tour of Great Britain and the Continent. He expects to be gone about six months. His brother, A. D. Lappe, will accompany him to New York. A LAMP exploded in the house of Andrew Schack about 8:50 o'clock last evening, on Murphy street, Fourteenth ward. An alarm was sent in from box 92, but the fire was extinguished before the engines arrived. To-DAY the First regiment of the U. A. M. will attend services at the Second M. E. Church. The members will assemble at the gas office building, Sixth avenue, at 9:30 A. M.

THE G. A. R. Memorial Day Committee met last night in Select Council Chamber. Hearing the reports of sub-committees was the only business transacted. A VERDICT of accidental death was rendered yesterday in the case of G. A. Erickson, who died at the Homeopathic Hospital from the results of a fall.

REV. JAMES B. HILL, who has just gradus-

ted from the Western Theological Seminary, has accepted a call to the Ingram Presbyterian THE dogs of Pittsburg have been reprieved until May 25 because the proper forms for issu-ing canine licenses have not been completed. WILLIAM MERKLE bad four fingers taken off yesterday by a circular saw in McClure & Co.'s sawmill at Twenty-seventh street. The citizens of Crafton are moving to have the town incorporated as a borough. They have the required number of people,

HON. JAMES F. RICHARDS has any

himself for Sheriff. He has a record of three terms in the Legislature.

A GANG of men is now employed at cleaning out the conduit. The work has been finished as far as Soho. Dn. B. M. HANNA. Eye, car nose and throat diseases exclusively. Office, 720 Penn street, Pittsburg, Pa. 8&8u

Jack the Ripper In Pittsburg. Not the London fiend, but a ripper in prices. Step into Gusky's this week and see the prices on men's suits. Comes to John Foster While Working

P. Kohn, Saloonkeeper, for Libel. A LETTER WHICH CAUSED TROUBLE

Later the body was removed and Squire Holtzman held an inquest. The was death from heart failure.

SAD BECAUSE SUCCESSFUL. Warden Hague Makes Life Miserable fo

rivers doing work. At daylight Friday he caught four men fishing in the Beaver Dam at Bridgewater. They had a large number of black bass. He made them put back the

PREPARING FOR THE TRIP. Mechanics Expect to Send 5,000 People to

having charge of the Cleveland excursion

an Employe of Heinz' Who Was Fond of

It is charged that various thefts have

On receipt of one of the Pittsburg his-torical souvenir spoons Mr. Carnegie sent the following characteristic reply, appre-ciative of his great regard for all that pertive city. Messrs. E. P. Roberts & Sons:

My Dear Sirs—Your avor of May 5 received. I thank you for the most interesting and valuable spoon you have been kind enough to send me. If I were not "born with a silver spoon in my mouth" you seem determined that in my latter years I shall at least have a gold one.

It seems quite appropriate that this should come from Pittsburg, where all that I possess of gold has been found by its ever grateful citizen. With renewed thanks I

CARPETSI Most Extraordinary Values We strongly urge a careful reading of the

Pay a full price for a new suit. That is, you need not if you take advantage of our great May sale, which we will continue in full force all this week. GUSKY'S. The Itata Has Escaped.

To Norfolk, Virginia, the Coming

petite, try Western Pennsylvania.

TERSU BEINING & WILDS, 710 Penn avenue.

LIVELY DEVELOPMENTS ARE EXPECTED A libel suit of more than usual interest was brought before Alderman McMasters yesterday, and its outcome will be watched losely by lawyers as well as laymen. Mrs. Johanna Pfeil had Frank P. Kohn arrested on a charge of criminal libel, and the Alder-

that the case will show some very interest ing phases, and will let in some ligh

upon queer doings around the Court House

during the session of the License Court,

of her liceuse through the basest falsehoods.

Mr. Marron says there is no doubt that

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS A CHURCH.

Interesting Anniversary Services to Be Held at Wilkinsburg To-Day.

The twenty-fifth anniversary of the organ

ization of the Wilkinsburg Presbyterian

Church will be celebrated to-day. Rev. 8

H. Moore will preach a sermon in the morn-

ing, and a fraternal service will be held at

3 o'clock. Ministers from all the other

churches in Wilkinsburg will participate

with Rev. Dr. Fisher, of Swissyale, and

liver an address on the work of the church.

A good programme of music has been prepared for both the afternoon and evening

services. The music is to be a specia

THREW AWAY HIS MONEY.

River, but Is Fished Out.

WILL TAKE GILKINSON'S PLACE.

Constable Murphy Granted a Detective's

License for Three Years.

few days after the murder of Detective

American Detective Bureau, Constable P. J. Murphy, is to take charge of that detec-

tive agency.

Yesterday be was granted a three-years'

Bedford County Association Meeting.

regular monthly meeting last night in Moor-

head Hall, Grant street, Scott Dibert pre-

siding. After the transaction of routine business Dr. George H. Keyser, J. C. Dicken

and others gave brief reminiscences of peo-ple and things in Bedford county.

Joe Little, a Limited porter, found a gold

watch on his car last Tuesday. He turned

it over to Superintendent Merrill, and yes-terday a lady called and identified it. She

presented the porter with \$5 for his honesty.

NEAPOLITAN awnings, absolutely sun-fast, at Mamaux & Son's, 539 Penn avenue.

THE SPECIAL PRICES

INGRAIN

Tapestry Brussels

CARPETS

Are Creating a Lively Trade at the

Penn Avenue Carpet Palace.

5,000 yards Ingrain Carpet at 35c,

worth 45c. 5,000 yards Ingrain Carpet at 40c.

10,000 yards Best All-Wool Ingrain

6,000 yards Tapestry Brussels at 50c,

6,000 yards Tapestry Brussels at 60c,

8,000 yards Tapestry Brussels at 75c,

5,000 pairs Lace Curtains at 75e to

EDWARD

GROETZINGER.

627 and 629 Penn Ave.

less than real value.

\$5 a pair-10 to 15 per cent

worth 60c.

worth 75c.

worth 90c.

Carpet at 60 and 65c, worth 75c

The Bedford County Association held its

As was announced by THE DISPATCH a

White and Magee.

Lawyer B. C. Christy.

man held him in \$1,000 for a further hearing next Tuesday. Kohn keeps a saloon at the corner of Greenwood and Beaver avenues, Atlegheny, while Mrs. Pfeil had a saloon last year at 79 Chartlers street, in the same city, but her application for a renewal of license was recently refused by Judges She charges that Kohn was instrumental in knocking her out, because he wanted a friend of his to get a license within her immediate neighborhood. It is alleged that Kohn wrote a letter to Judge White and Lawyer B. C. Christy, in which, according to the information she made before Alderman McMasters, he assected that a few weeks after she had procured her license last year she got drunk and drove her eldest son and daughter from the house, and that he also asserted that "he the oldest son of

he also asserted that "he, the oldest son of the affiant, is a sober young man, and could not stand her drinking and abuse, thereby meaning, and pretending to believe, that affiant was addicted to the excessive use of order amounting to \$30, outside of sugar and meat, we will deduct \$1 50.
If possible, we will pack each person's intoxicating liquars, and was abusive of her family, and, by reason of drunkenness, drove the children from the house." to any point within 200 miles. Mrs. Pfeil has retained Attorneys Robb and Marron. The latter gentleman says

Orders amounting to 810, outside of sugar, packed and shipped free to any When you come to town, don't forget They propose to make it lively for people who have purposely misrepresented the standing of applicants before the Court. He contends that Mrs. Pfeil is a sober, hardworking woman, and that she was deprived our new store.

> est stores in the two cities, and from the way our friends crowd in we think they

Rev. Dr. Balston, of Beulah. The exercises will close with a praise service at 7:30 P. M. Dr. John Semple will read a sketch of the history of the church, Prot. Levi Ludden will talk about the work of the Sunday school, and John Gates will deliver a sudden on the work of the church. at \$1 and \$1 25 a vard. teature of the celebration. The singers will include Mrs. Balph, Mrs. Fricke, Misses Corey and Beichle and Messrs. Caunon, Penn, Hetzel and Cromish.

desirable for evening dresses. A Young German Then Dives Into the George Swienge, a German, got drunk

dition, but was soon restored. He came from Germany last January. The very best qualities and the choicest colorings in a great variety

David H. Gilkinson, the chief of the Cor. Fifth Av. and Market St. assume the control of the Gilkinson agency at once. It is understood that Coroner McDowell will assist him in the management.

FINE DRESS FABRICS

SPECIAL cut in prices this week. Many lines of choice Dress Goods and Sitks to go 38-inch rich Wool Plaids down from 450

Black Silk Passementeries, Galoons, Braids and Cords in newest styles.

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