# TRIAL OF THE TARIFF,

Mahlon Chance's Views of the Effect of the Mckinley Bill on Government Revenues.

HE HAS NO FEARS OF A SHORTAGE.

A Philadelphian Talks of Shady Business Methods That Have So Damaged His City of Late.

THE EXCITEMENT OF TARPON FISHING.

Chats With Piffsburgers and Visitors on Interesting Subjects.

Mahlon Chance, the representative of the American Turiff League, is at the Monongahela House. He is getting ready for the battle in 1892, and came to see what effect the McKinley bill is having on the local industries. Mr. Chance says the League is non-partisan and some Democrats belong to it, but so far it has been allied with the Republican party, as it favors protection to American manufactories and workmen.

Concerning politics, Mr. Chance said he thought the President's trip had helped the party more than himself. At present he thinks Harrison is the strongest man, but there is no telling what will happen before the convention meets. The question of a deficit in the Treasury in July as a result of the McKinley tariff is beginning to worry some people. It is claimed that so many articles have been put on the free list, and on others the duty has been advanced, that there is danger of the revenues falling below the needs of the Government. When asked for his opinion on this subject, Mr. Chance

#### Has No Fears of a Shortage.

"When the Mills bill was before the coun try President Cleveland sent a message to Congress warning the country of the big surplus in the Trensury, and he recommended a tariff that would cut it down. He claimed that with a low treasury the tendency to extravagant expenditure would be reduced and the Government would be more onomically administered. Mr. McKinley has carried out this idea, and now the Democrats are howling about a deficit. Verily, some people are hard to please. I don't think there is the least danger about the country running short, and at the end of two years, when the tariff shall have been adjusted, there will be plenty of money in the Treasury. The tariff has not cut off importations and won't. The foreign manucturers always have a surplus. They have their home market, and their aim is to get rid of the overproduction in America. It is better for them to ship these goods to the United States at a low profit, or none at all, than to keep at home and thus depress the arket. The Custom House reports at New York show no decrease in imports. At present goods from abroad are piling up in the country, and the effect of the McKinley bill has been to lower prices in general rather than advance them as predicted. The country is being flooded with tin plate, but this will fall off when the American manufacturers get to work, and after the duty goes into effect in July.

The Necessities of Life Cheapened. In New York I am told that the prices

of kid gloves and articles of that kind have gone up, but there are people who will wear nothing else but imported goods, be-cause fashion has set the style. It only shows that the tariff has advanced the lux-The real necessities of life, if anything, are cheaper, and are going down. Carpets, cot-sort of a joke, though." ton and woolen goods, iron and steel are as cheap to-day as before the tariff. The duty has, however, benefited the farmer, the man who has been complaining the most.
"Few people realize how the tariff has re-

ed prices from time to time. Bolting cloth is something that is not made in America. The price of this article has re-mained the same, but take any class of trade where American competition has been built up through the tariff, and the prices have gone downward steadily. Free trade would knock everything helter-skelter until the foreign manufacturers had driven the home producers into bankruptey, and then rates would go up with a jump. At one time we were at the mercy of these people, and they never failed to exact the highest prices, and we had to pay them or go without the goods. This was true of the tin plate business when the duty was knocked below a competing point, and it will apply to other industries in the f people who will stop a moment I think we will be able to make as good tin plate in America as they do in Europe. It will take some time before we can turn out as fine tin for cans, etc., but the tin plate required for roofing purposes, pails and articles of this kind can be made ere as cheap as abroad, and it will give additional work to our idle men.

One Feature Hitherto Overlooked. "Here is a feature that has not been noticed. In 1881 a tariff was put on cut nails. Before that time we paid a high price for them abroad. Under the protective duty Americans went into business all over the country. The market was soon all over the country. The market was soon glutted, and the price dropped to a nominal sum. It was soon apparent we had too many nail mills for the demand, and some of them shut down. Now it is found these mills can be utilized in making pig bar for tin plate, and as soon as the business is started they will be able to resume work. This point demonstrates that a tariff cheapens prices, and develops new industries

in the country.
"As for the revenue question under re ciprocity the Government has the privi-lege of putting on the duty on sugar imported from a country with whom a treaty has not been made. This law may be ap-plied to sugar from Cuba, if it is necessary. The dinner of the League in Brooklyn a short time ago only proves what Americans can do. Outside of the coffee, which came in under reciprocity, everything was made and grown in America. The best people in New York were present and they told me they never sat down to a more elegant banquet. I remember one gentlemen tried to buy a bottle of imported champagne, but the caterer told him he couldn't have it for \$1,000. The tariff was made a big bugaboo last fall, but its wisdom will be demonstrated after awhile."

## TARPON FISHING IN FLORIDA.

B. L. H. Dabbs Thinks It Glorious Sport

L. H. Dabbs, the photographer, has on exhibition in a downtown show window in immense fish which he captured after numerous days of fishing in a Florida river. "It is the most exciting sport one could wish," says Mr. Dabbs. "When you get one of those tarpons on your hook you are compelled to work several hours before you have him bagged, and your line is liable to spap at any moment. Comparatively few spap at any moment. Comparatively few of the fish are captured, on account of their great struggles after being hooked. When a man succeeds in making a catch his name is registered, and he becomes somewhat of a hero. In one case while on my excursion I worked with a fish an hour, and then broke my rod. After that I worked an hour with broken rod, and at last the line was

snapped and the fish got away.
"After a fish swallows the bait the first thing it does is to leap 10 or 15 feet into the air, and many a time it throws the bait and book clear out of its stomach.

metimes they will make a number of such mps. I hooked one that leaped 15 feet into the air five times in rapid succession. Since this was my first trial at tarpon fishing I consider myself very lucky at having landed a fish. Tarpon fishing has only been in vogue for a few years, and is rapidly growing in popularity. I believe that before many years it will be one of the most popular of sports."

YANKEES NOT PROTECTED.

South Americans Have a Wholesome Tear of English War Ships.

W. J. Robinson, who represents a Cin cinnati chemical company, is registered at the Anderson. Mr. Robinson travels ex-tensively through South America and has just returned from Venezuela. He did not go to Chile, but he finds that the South Americans generally sympathize with the insurgents. A gentleman in Caracas told him that Balmaceda was attempting to curtail the personal liberties of the peo-ple. He forbade them to be on the streets after 7 o'clock in the the streets after 7 o'clock in the evening and they were driven by the police into their musty houses. He imposed a tax on all families for the support of his own. To cap the climax he insisted on military service from everybody, and frequently large business houses had to close down because the proprietors and clerks were forced to join the army. Balmaceda was anxious to establish an absolute monarchy with himself as the chief figure. He has failed so far, and the rebellion of the people stopped him. He maintains his the people stopped him. He maintains his grip on the army through his generals, whom appointed from the ranks. They are superior men, and seem to hold the soldiers as Napoleon did, by sheer force of will. South Americans think the war should be stopped and that Balmaceda be deposed from the Presidency.

"The rights of the Americans are not re-

spected in South America," continued Mr. Robinson. "I remember, about 8 o'clock one evening, I was walking on the streets of Livingstone in Guatemala when a big policeman stopped me. He wanted to go through my clothes at once, but I wouldn't allow that and was taken to the guardhouse. The Heffe Palitico, a pompous man, ques.

'Are you an American?' he asked.

"'No, I replied, English."
"'Ah, senor, he answered quickly, sorry to have disturbed you. Hope we have not put you to any inconvenience, have not put you to any inconvenience," and then he gave general orders that I was not to be molested at any time. If I had said I was an American, I would have been flogged. The English protect their subjects abroad, but the hapless Yankee must take his chances. Why, an American was whipped in Guatemala during Cleveland's term. He demanded an indemitted the same of the same nity, but it was never paid. An English-man named Magee was flogged at San Jose. John Bull sent two warships to the port, and the commander plainly told the Government that if \$50,000 was not paid in a certain time to indemnify Magee, and defray the expenses of the trip, that he would blow up the town. The money was forth-

oming at once.
"Traveling through this country is not very pleasant as it is done on mules. The saddles are made of boxwood, and are not very satisfactory. The next time I make the trip I will take an American saddle

#### LAKE STURGEON MEN INVESTIGATE. They Object to Being Accused of Sellin

Poisoned or Damaged Fish. C. J. Nielsen and William Schoenen nembers of two firms of smoked sturgeo dealers of Sandusky, came to the city yesterday to investigate the poisoning cases and see that their firms get a fair show in the business. They visited THE DISPATCH

acted as spokesman, said:

"We are sending very little smoked sturgeon to Pittsburg, as a local man has been monopolizing the trade by selling 4 cents cheaper than we can. He buys sturgeon from Baltimore, which is cheaper than lake sturgeon. None of our fish is found where people have been poisoned. W. B. Knolle, who told the local dealer I refer to that he said lake sturgeon told we to day

## RIVERMEN TALK FIREBOAT.

They Indotse the Ideas of Chief Brown or

This Question. The Pittsburg rivermen now come forward o indorse Chief Brown's idea of a fireboat. "I think I voice the sentiment of the men on the river when I indorse Chief Brown's ideas," said Captain Sneathen. "Such a boat would be more powerful in saving valuable property belonging to mill men, glass house companies and individual property holders, than more expensive engines. Several disastrous fires on the river would have been stopped had we had the boats."

Peter Sullivan, well-known as an engi-

neer largely interested on the river, corro borates the above, and adds that it would b an easy matter to supply water to the engines in time of a drouth by running pipes at stated intervals into the uptown mains and to use the pumps on the fireboat to

## BEECH CREEK EXTENSION.

Talk of Continuing the Clearfield Road Into Cambria County.

James Kerr, of Clearfield, is authority for the statement that the Beech Creek road is to be extended from Gazzam to Patton in Cambria county this summer. Two routes are under advisement, one of which is via McPherson in Upper Chest township, the other by way of Bell's Landing and up the Susquehanna river. The extension would open up a good section of undeveloped coal field and indirectly would benefit this city. Some of the farmers are kicking on the right of way and demanding high prices for their land. The cheapest route will be se-lected, and Mr. Kerr thinks the grangers would be wise to give the right of way for

## KEPT OFF OF THE TRACKS.

Why Liberty Avenue Merchants Have It in for a Railway.

Some merchants on Liberty avenue want to know whether the Transverse Passenger Railway Company cannot be made to remove its tracks from that thoroughfare. They say cars are only run on it semi-occasionally, presumably merely for the purpose of hold-ing charter rights, and lately their ire has been aroused by some officer telling them they must not trespass on the tracks while loading and unloading wagons.

A gentleman connected with Wilson Harper's establishment states that they were threatened with prosecution if they allowed their rigs to project over the track, though there were no cars passing at the time.

## A CHAT ABOUT BATHING.

Old Men More Liable to Catch Cold Than Young People.

"When I was a young man," said General Passenger Agent Clark, of the Lake Erie, yesterday, "I was in the habit of taking yesterday, "I was in the habit of taking frequent baths and winding ap each time with a cold shower. I addn't stand it now, and almost every time I bathe of late years I catch cold. The liability continues for at least a day and a half afterward, and I have to be very careful. Why years should make such a change is a mystery, but it does in my case.

in my case.

"Men who perspire but little can get along with a very few baths. I find that rubbing the body thoroughly with a heavy Russian crash towel is almost as good as soap and water."

An Enormous Stock Of trunks and valises. We handle almost as many trunks as the baggage master at the depot. Our low prices in them have built for us a mammoth business.

## THOUSANDS IN LINE

Interest in the Approaching American Mechanic Meeting.

CLEVELAND IS TO BE CROWDED

By Members of the Order From All Parts of the United States.

PITTSBURG - PREPARATIONS : COMPLETE

Members of the Jr. O. U. A. M. of this city and Western Pennsylvania are actively engaged making preparations for the trip on June 15 to Cleveland, where the annual ession of the National Council will be held. The general committee having the arrangements for the excursion in charge met last night. The business transacted was of little importance. The time was chiefly taken up hearing reports from the various sections, which indicated that from 4,000 to 5,000 men will go from Pittsburg: and Allegheny, and other reports show that there is likely to be from 10,000 to 12,000 members in line on the day of the parade in Cleveland. Pride of the West Council in Allegheny

will pay the railroad fare of their members who attend, and will take over 300 in their delegation. Manchester Council will send over 200 members. Vine Cliff Council has chartered five Pullman cars, and will have their own band. Lescallette and other councils of the Southside, will take over 300 members, and be accompanied by a full brass band. The commanderies uniformed rank have chartered a Pullman train of 12 cars, and will be accompanied by their own band, who will wear their new uniforms for the first time.

Special Trains From Everywhere.

Star of the Valley Council at Monongahela City has chartered a special train, having secured a rate of \$3 50 for the round trip. The Erie councils have chartered 18 cars, and will be accompanied by music, and over 800 members will be in this party. Chicago will be represented by the commandery and 600 members and accompanied by the celebrated Second Regiment Band; they will travel in a special train, which will be at heir disposal during the entire trip. Masachusetts will send 186 juniors in special cars. California, Washington, Texas and Iowa will be represented for the first time in the coming session of the National Coun-

A rate of \$3 for the round trip has been secured from this city, and arrangement will be made to have special trains leave over the Cleveland and Pittsburg road all day on Monday, June 15 and Tuesday morning June 16, getting the excursionists into Cleveland in time for the parade, which will take place at 2 o'clock. All of the hotels in Cleveland have made special rates for the occasion. Headquarters of the National Council will be at the Hallenden, which has accommodations for nearly 2,000 per-

Advices were received yesterday to the effect that the resident committee in Cleve-land has nearly \$15,000 raised for the en-tertainment of the National Council. This entertainment will include excursions to entertainment will include excursions to Put-in-Bay on one of the Cleveland and Detroit Navigation Company's steamers, concerts at Music Hall, pleasure trips to all points of interest in the Forest City, in-cluding a view of President Garfield's tomb and monument in Lake View Ceme-tery. A bureau of information will be established at the Forest City Hotel, where office last evening, and Mr. Nielson, who strangers can obtain all information con-cerning the points of interest to be visited. Most Important of All Sessions.

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Regarding the session of the National Council, it will be the most important ever held. There are many questions to be considered that affect the future growth and prosperity of the order. The programme has not yet been issued, but among other things that is likely to be recommended from the membership in this section is a consideration of the proposition to strike the word white from the constitution, or to make some provision for the admission of colored citizens. This matter was discussed colored citizens. This matter was discussed at the last meeting of the Advisory Council of Western Pennsylvania. The sentiment expressed there was that the National Council should foster an order similar to the Junior order, for the enlistment of colored people in the same cause espoused by the Mechanics, this order to be convessed in membership anticals of omposed in membership entirely of colored persons, and to have no connection whatever with the Jr. O. U. A. M., except as to the similarity of the objects. 'A straw vote was taken, which resulted in 21 of the delegates voting in favor of such a body as against seven being opposed to it. There is a growing sentiment in favor of admitting

colored people in some way, which has been increasing ever since the last session. Steps Toward Regulating Immigration. Steps Toward Regulating Immigration.

Some vigorous steps will be taken with a view to enforcing the present immigration laws more fully, and amending them where changes seem necessary. The vote ordered last year on the change of name will be counted, but it is already known that the proposed change to "Order of United Americans" was overwhelmingly defeated. It is not likely that an attempt will be made to have another vote taken this year.

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The election of officers will be interesting. George H. Bartlett, of Haverhill, Mass., the present National Councilor, will retire from that position, and John R. Boblitts, of Baltimore, will take his place. James Cranston, of this city, and a member of the State Council of Pennsylvania, will be elected to fill Mr. Boblitts' place as National Vice Councilor.

## FOR THE BOYS.

Three Special Bargains. In our large boys' department we have marked three special bargains in suits, and you can dress the boys in good clothing for

you can dress the boys in good clothing for very little money.

No. 1—Boys' cassimere and cheviot suits, pleated, corded, in plain, light or dark colors, sizes 4 to 14, at only \$2.00 No. 2—Boys' very fine all-wool worsted and cassimere suits, extra fine, worth \$5 and \$6, sizes 4 to 14, our price..... 3 00

No. 3-Boys' long pants suits, sizes 13 to 19, a great bargain, at only ... 4 00 During this sale each boy will get a hardwood bat and League ball free. P. C. C. C., PITTSBURG COMBINATION CLOTHING COMPANY, corner Grant and

A Merchant's Opinion.

Mr. John Caraghar, a merchant at Caraghar, Fulton county, O., says that St. Patrick's Pills are the best selling pills he handles. The reason is that they produce a pleasant cathartic effect and are certain and thorough in their action. Try them when you want a reliable cathartic. For sale by

A Fine Exhibition

Of kilts and short-pant suits is now open for your inspection. Scores of new and lovely styles at prices within your reach. It seems impossible that you should fail to find just what you want. Gusky's.

For Home Consumption If you wish to buy a superior brand of malt liquor for home consumption, try the Iron City Company's Pilsner beer. For sale at all first-class houses. Telephone No. 1186.

Ohio Pyle. Spend your Decoration Day at this popular resort. Train leaves at 8:15 A. M. Rate, \$1 50 round trip.

ATTEND great sale of fine carpets at

Decoration Day at Ohio Pyle. The Baltimore and Ohio Bailroad will sell excursion tickets at rate \$1 50 round trip. Train leaves at 8:15 A. Mr OSCEOLA SCHOOL BUILDING.

mally Opened To-Morrow Evening.

The Osceola schoolhouse, corner Osceola and Cycross streets, Twentieth ward, will be formally opened to-morrow evening The structure is a handsome brick building containing eight rooms, and is furnished in a style combining elegance and comfort. The halls are floored with tile, and the ceilings

halls are floored with tile, and the ceilings are of paneled wood. The system for ventilation and the heating apparatus are the most perfect that could be secured.

The pupils are already in the building, though the work has just been completed, and the building will be formally opened to-morrow evening with appropriate exercises. Addresses will be made by Mayor Gourley, Major A. M. Brown and City Superintendent Luckey. A fing musical programme will also be furnished by Gernert & Guenther's Orchestra. A cordial invitation to be present is extended cordial invitation to be present is extended to everyone. On Tuesday, from 1 to 3 P.M., the teachers and pupils will receive visitors to the school

## COMBINE ON SWEET STUFF.

in Attempt to Form a Local Sugar Trus Broken Up.

An attempt was made a few days ago by several Pittsburg wholesale grocers to combine for the purpose of putting up the price of sugar, which is now down to about 3½ and 4 cents for the best granulated. But the combine struck a snag when they went to two of the wholesalers, and the entire scheme went by the board. Those who were interested have very little to say about it.
Arbuckle & Co, is one of the firms alleged
to have helped in breaking the scheme.
"I don't know as it was our fault," said

firm. "There was a scheme to put up the price, and we refused to go into it. Of course, we don't want to be identified with any combines, and that's all there was to it." ne of the gentlemen in the office of that

#### FOR MONDAY WE ANNOUNCE

A Nine-Dollar Men's Suit Sale.

Monday morning we start the sale of 2,000 men's fine suits at \$9 each. Monday night the sale closes, and with it vanishes this big bargain offer. Never before and probably never again will such an opportunity present itself. Just think of men's fine sack and cutaway suits made in the height of fashion, from the best known standard materials, being sold at \$9 a suit. The enormous assortment comprises any pattern in light or dark designs you could think of —all sizes—Monday's the day to go to the P. C. C. C., PITTSBURG COMBINATION CLOTHING COMPANY, corner Grant and

## EX-PRESIDENT CLEVELAND

And the Fort Pitt Spoon Upon receiving one of the famous historical souvenir spoons of Pittsburg, Mr. Cleveland sent the following courteons reply appreciative of his interest in the welfare of our city:

Messrs, E. P. Roberts & Sons:

I thank you sincerely for the very hand me spoon sent me as a souvenir of Pitts-

burg.

I shall preserve it not only as a souvenir of your city, but for what makes it most valuable to me—a token of your friendliness.

Yours very truly,

GROVER CLEVELAND,

NEW YORK, May 15, 1891.

At 39c we will sell you the identical brussels carpets others ask you 50c for; at 55c the same brussels they'll want 85c for; and \$1 00 the velvet brussels carpet they'll ask \$1 25 and \$1 50 fqr. We make, lay and sew carpets promptly.

J. H. KUNKEL & Bro., 1347-1349 Penn avenue, two squares east

Honor? Yes. Who Does Not? We would respectfully call the attention of the public to the fact that all union stores will close Deceration Day, 12 noon. Make revious to that hour doing you will advance and assist in the observance of a day which should be devoted only to honor the heroes who gave their lives to hold this glorious Union intact. Organized labor, take notice. SALESMEN'S ASSEMBLY 4907, K. of L.

## Well-Merited Praise.

In almost every neighborhood there i some one or more persons whose lives have been saved by Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhea Remedy, or who have been cured of chronic diarrhea by it. Such persons take special pleasure in recommending the remedy to others. The praise that fol-lows the introduction and use makes it very popular. 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by druggists.

Veterans, Attention. Reliable G. A. R. suits that will do you service can be had very low this week. Full suits at \$6 50, \$8, \$10 and \$12. White vests, gloves and caps, also hats with wreaths, at special prices for Memorial GUSKY'S.

Fine \$400 Upright Plane at \$200. An excellent upright piano, used but very little and in good condition. Piano has the finest action, the swinging desk, 71/2

octaves, splendid tone and handsomely carved case, worth when new \$400, will be sold fully warranted for \$200, handsome cover and stool included. Also a Sohmer, a Steinway and a Decker piano at less than one-half the original cost. For a great bargain call at once at the music store of J. M. Hoffmann & Co., 537 Smithfield street.

## One Cent a Bolt

For white back wall paper; better grades, 2c, 2½c, 3c; gold, 3½c; solid gold, 5c; embossed gold, 6c; gold border, 1c a yard. Samples mailed free.

REED, Wall Paper Jobber,
REED, Hochester, Pa.

For Home Consumption.

If you wish to buy a superior brand of malt liquor for home consumption, try the Iron City Company's Pilsner beer. For sale at all first-class houses. Telephone No. 1186.

Decoration Day Exercise The steamer Elizabeth will leave the foot of Wood street at 8:30 A. M., Decoration Day, for Lock No. 4. Fare for round trip, 90 miles, \$1 50.

ATTEND great sale of fine carpets at

Trunks and Valises. We are showing the best line and giving the best values in the city. See our crystal trunk at \$2 49 and our club bags at 74 cents.

Stylish Sultings. The largest stock suitings and trouserings at Pitcairn's, 434 Wood street.

Don't go away without taking with you a good hammock. The cost is but trifling if you buy in the right place. Strong Mexican hammocks at 98 cents. A splendid assortment of every kind at correspondingly low prices.

Ladies, Ladies, Go to 710 Penn avenue for the newest dress trimmings. We have the best goods, and the lowest prices prevail.

REINING & WILDS.

All grades, styles, colors and prices, at John S. Roberts', 414 Wood street. Moorish awnings, elegant patterns, bril-liant fast colors, at Mamaux & Son's, 539

Penn avenue. ATTEND great sale of fine carpets at STRIKERS IN COURT,

Charged With Having Disobeyed the Injunction Against-Them.

A FINE OF \$100 WAS PAID BY ONE

The Case of Deputy Constable Hoffman

Postponed a Week.

YESTERDAY IN THE COUNTY COURTS

Deputy Constable Hoffman, of Braddock,

was brought into court yesterday on an at-

it was charged, he disobeyed the injunction

In the case of Frank Stenneweg, one

GOOD DAY FOR DIVORCES.

of the Old Harness.

Stewart: Elizabeth J. Richards vs James

J. Creese from A. H. Creese, and one re-fused in the case of Aaron Henry against Rachel Henry. The latter couple are He-brews and were married in New York in 1879. They came to Pittsburg, where the

husband, who is a peddler, set up a house. On several occasions when he returned from his trips he found the house deserted and his wife gone back to New York. Each time he induced her to return. Only testimony on the side of the libellant was filed by the master in the sease.

by the master in the case. Judge Ewing refused the petition and put the costs on the

libellant, saying the testimony was illegal and that there was evidence of collusion. A petition was filed by L. E. Love asking that a rule be made by the Court allowing

her support pending the litigation in her suit against M. D. Love.

SIX NEW PETITIONS

pointed Liquor License Aspirants.

Attorney C. F. McKenna, yesterday pre-

sented further petitions for license applica-

tion rehearings to Judge White, so as to

get more cases before the Supreme Court.

They were those of William Walter,

Homestead; C. Seyerle, Sixth ward, Pitts

burg; J. B. Nelson, Chartiers; Patrick 8.
McGovern, Braddock; John Luchsinger,
North Versailles, and Angust F. Muller,
Seventeenth ward, Pittsburg. Attorney
J. K. Duff, presented the petition of Martin Haller, of the Eleventh ward, this city,
A rather amaging colleges.

A rather amusing colloquy was heard from some German petitioners in the lobby after Mr. McKenna had presented the petitions. Judge White in taking the papers said he would give them careful attention, as

said he would give them careful attention, as he always wanted to be on the right side with the lawyers when it was possible. Some of the interested overheard and mis-understood the remark, and gained great comfort from their misapprehension. Said

comfort from their misapprehension. Said one: "Judge White says he is with us and what more do we want? It's all right." This was given in rich German accent, and all went away satisfied, reasoning: "If Judge White be with us, who can be organized us?"

ASKING FOR A CHANGE.

A Motion for the Removal of the Admini

trator of Enoch Davis' Estate

Mrs. Rachel Piersoul yesterday filed a

petition in the Orphans' Court asking for the removal of David J. Davis as adminis-

trator of the estate of the late Enoch Davis

Mrs. Piersoul stated that she was a legater

under the will of Enoch Davis. On May

IN COURT FOR SEINE FISHING.

Two Suckers Enough to Cause a Grea

Deal of Trouble.

A hearing was commenced before Judge

Magee yesterday, on the appeal of George

H. Grady, of Sewickley, from the judgment of an alderman who fined him for violation

of the fish law, on information of Fish

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UNITED STATES COURT WORK.

Motion Granted by the Judge to Strike

In the United States Court yesterday

Judge Ackeson granted a motion to strike

off the judgment in the case of S. S. Brown vs F. M. Lechner. The ground of argu-

SUED FOR AN OPTION

For \$7,725 93 for the Manufacture of Some

of a Judgment.

and took part in several disturbances.

in his own behalf.

to recover \$7,725 93. In May, 1890, it was stated Mr. McKee obtained an option on patents held by J. C. Henry, for which he was to pay \$125,000 if he purchased them.

In order to test the patents Mr. McKee constructed for him four sample motors, of the kind covered by the patents, and one dynamo. They were furnished but the cost of them, \$7,725 93, has never been paid,

To-Morrow's Trial Lists.

Common Pleas No. 1—Gorman vs P., McK. & Y. Ry.; Redmond vs Crozier; same vs same; McCombray vs Erskine; Oberman vs Stiffig; Kober vs Weiler Bros.; Rose et al vs Howley & Son; Hildreth Varnish Company vs Lytle; Deveraux vs Van Gordon; Hall & Co. vs Baille; Carlin vs township of Patton; Jackson vs Pittsburg Times.

Common Pleas No. 2—O'Neil vs Bolley; Aull vs Johnston; Tunney vs Carnegie Bros. & Co.; Greenwood vs Walters.

tachment for contempt of court issued by Judge Ewing. Hoffman was included in the injunction issued by the Court some time ago against the strikers at the Braddock Wire Works. About three weeks ago, Briefly Told of the Courts. Mary Oliver yesterday filed a petition asking for the appointment of viewers to assess damages for property belonging to her, taken by the Pittsburg, Virginia and Charleston Railroad, in Mifflin township. She claims \$50,000 damages.

Three liquor licenses were transferred yesterday, that of Franz Meckel, Becker avenue, Alleghory to J. J. Huckenstein:

On one occasion, during some trouble be-On one occasion, during some trouble between some workmen and the strikers, it
is alleged, he arrested the workmen, who
were the innocent parties, and refused to
even protect them against the strikers when
he had them under arrest. On a petition to
court Judge Ewing issued an attachment for
Hoffman at the time, but he was not arrested until yesterday.

Judge Ewing heard a portion of the testimony yesterday concerning Hoffman's conavenue, Allegheny, to J. J. Huckenstein, Thomas B. Jones, Ninth ward, Allegheny, to James Oliffe, and A. Filman, wholesale, 52 South Diamond street, Allegheny, to E. H. Schuette and B. Wolkoska. A PETITION was granted yesterday

A PRITION was granted yesterday to Joseph Carroll on a writ of habeas corpus, in which he asked for the custody of Josephine Carroll, a 7-year-old child, a niece, who was alleged to be restrained by her stepmother, Ellen Carroll. The uncle was held to be the proper custodian of the child, he having been made her guardian by the Court. mony yesterday concerning Hoffman's conduct when he arrested the workmen. He then allowed him to go until next Saturday in order for Hoffman to bring in witnesses THE executors of the late William Than esterday petitioned the Orphans' Court fo vesterally petitioned the orphans court for instructions as to paying the taxes, etc., accruing on the heritage of the five minor children. The Court directed that the expenses be paid out of that part of the estate set aside by Mr. Thaw in his will, and called "supply part, out of which the debts of the estate were to be paid." the strikers who had been committed to jail in default of paying a fine of \$500 for contempt of court in disobeying the injunction, Judge Ewing reduced the fine to \$100. Stenneweg paid the fine and was released from jail on giving a bond in the sum of \$500 to insure his future obedience of the

#### DECLINES DIXMONT.

John Woods Hasn't Felt Mental Decay and Doesn't Want to Be Judicially Declare The Long List of People Who Have Tired Insane-A Legal Proceeding Held to Be Sort of Queer.

Subpenas in divorce were granted yester-day as follows: John Kilpatrick vs Vernie It is whispered that the matter referred to in the following excerpt from the record Kilpatrick; Margaret Stewart vs. Dudley C. in Common Pleas Court No. 1 covers a story that will, if the case be pursued to an end-ing, be of paramount interest to many peo-Richards; Frederick J. Force vs Henrietta E. Force; Elizabeth M. White vs Charles A. ple who know the parties to the suit: White, and E. G. McPherson vs John Mc-Pherson. The grounds on which divorce is asked in each case are the common ones of abuse and desertion.

A decree of divorce was granted Elizabeth And now, May 25, 1891, comes John Woods, by his attorneys, Kirk Q. Bigham and N. W. Shafer, Esqs., and moves the Court to quash the writ and set aside all subsequent pro-ceedings in this matter for the following

reasons:
First—The commission issued upon an application unaccompanied by affidavits of the truth of the facts therein stated, contrary to the requirements of the act of Assembly of June 13, 1856,

Second—That the averments of the petitional distribution is a support the proceed-

seembly of June 13, 1830,
Second—That the averments of the petition are insufficient to support the proceeding, no fact being set out therein on which the Court may act intelligently.

Third—That the single affidavit of petitioner is not up to the requirement of the said statute. The petition is only sworn to be true and correct to the best of petitioner's knowledge and belief.

Fourth—That the writ issued without notice to respondent or his next of kin, nor is or was any probable cause shown to the Court why the proceeding should be instituted.

Fifth—That the commission issued improvidently, there being no rule to show cause with service of notice on respondent or his next of kin.

King Q. Bigham,

Attorneys for respondent.

The story, as related to a DISPATCH re-

The story, as related to a DISPATCH reporter, is that John Woods, a well-to-do resident of Mt. Washington, lives with his daughter and her husband in the winter, and during the summer resides on and manages a farm which he owns and on which his son, the one referred to in the which his son, the one referred to in the above extract, lives, said farm being in Bethel township.

Now it is said that John Woods has been a kind parent and has already given the son another farm, the donation being made years ago. It is also stated that the rest of the relatives of the old gentleman have never some authing ways with his in

never seen anything wrong with his in-tellect, and they think he ought to be allowed to spend the remainder of his life in the ease and comfort which his wellearned possessions guarantee.

The case is numbered 167, June term, and

will doubtless be fully ventilated. Building and Loan.

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ws F. M. Lechner. The ground of argument was that the citizenship of the defendant was not alleged, and therefore the court had no jurisdiction. A motion to dismiss the case was also made, but the court allowed the plaintiff to amend the pleadings to secure judgment.

Decision was reserved on a motion of J. S. Bowser to file a cross bill in the case of Campbell vs Bowser, Ivory and Hays. A decree was made in Circuit Court dismissing the bill in the case of Turner Strobridge and the Charles Parker Company vs the L. H. Smith Woodenware Company. Suffer needlessly. A disordered stomach constipation, gout, rheumatism and kidney disease, can positively be avoided by the careful use of the genuine

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and trust company is being organized, and they make a great show of having a big capital, of which about 10 per cent is paid in. They pretend to do a heavy business in real estate, but whenever a streak of hard times strikes the city up they will go. The recent financial steals and losses will not affect many people. Mr. Beardsley is the heaviest loser.

the heaviest loser.
"I think it is about time that the Legislature investigates the trust companies as well as the wildcat beneficial societies. Some of these people are doing a land office business on air."

## THE CHAMPION FISH YARN.

nds of a Child Said to Be Found in the WINNIPEG, May 23 .- The hand of a child was found in the stomach of a catfish caught in the Red river yesterday, and to-day another catfish was caught with another hand in its stomach, apparently belonging to the same child.

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20, 1891—Proposals will be received at this
office up to noon of JUNE 87s, 1991, for constructing and delivering ten gunwale barges
and one floating dry dock. Attention of bidders is invited to the acts of Congress approved Feb. 26th, 1885, and Feb. 23d, 1887, vol.
25, page 332, and vol. 24, page 44, Statutes at
Large. Blank forms, drawings and all necessary information can be obtained by application to this office. C. McD. TOWNSEND,
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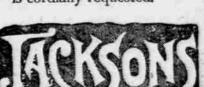
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