Sweeney and Deputy Marshals Barring and McManus to take a physician, go to Marble's home and have him examined, and if he was not too ill, bring him to court. They executed their commission, and the physician taken by the officers declared that Marble's removal would not hurt him. With this certificate Detective McSweeney and the two deputies placed Marble in a buggy and started off with him. They intended to drive to Corry, Pa, and there take a train for Eris. At Columbus, near Corry, they discovered a crowd in the road in front of them. When they reached the crowd Constable Gifford selzed the horses' heads. He commenced to harangue them about violating the law in driving too fast across a bridge.

The officers, thinking an attempt was to be made to rescue their prisoner, drew their revolvers. At this t's men drew back and they drove on. Marble was taken to Erie and sentenced to two years to the penitentiary, where he now is. In the meantime Gifford lodged an information against McSweeney and Barring, charging them with pointing firearms. They were arrested by Constables Dewey and Gifford and gave ball. Yesterday Detective McSweeney went to Warren and according to arrangement his ball surrendered him, and he was turned over to Sheriff Fuelhart, of Warren county. He immediately telegraphed the news of his arrest to United States District Attorney Lyon. The latter then went before Judge Acheson and presented a petition asking for a writ of habeas corpus directing Sheriff Fuelhart to produce Detective McSweeney in court.

In the petition it is alleged that the arrest of McSweeney and Barring was fillegal and was an interference with United States officers in the discharge of their duty. Judge Ackerson issued the writ directing Sheriff Fuelhart to produce McSweeney in court.

In the petition it is alleged that the arrest of McSweeney will probably be brought to Pittaburg to-day. The legality of arresting a United States officer for pointing fire arms to protect a prisoner will then be tested.

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DEMOCRATS IN LINE,

Delegates Selected Throughout Allegheny County for To-Morrow's State Convention.

LOUD TIMES IN SOME MEETINGS.

Futile Efforts Made in a Number of Instances to Insist on a Local Ticket Being Named.

BELIZHOOVER'S SCALP IS STILL SAFE.

Congressman-Elect Stewart's Views on the Dalzell-Robinson Fight.

If Democrats love fight they had their fill of it yesterday. The conventions in the various legislative districts elected delegates to the State Convention. There did not seem to be much thought given as to who would be chosen, the whole fight being made on the local issue of whether the Democratic party would nominate a successor for the late District Attorney Johnston. It is claimed that there has been an agreement between Wil-linm Brennen and Chrence Burleigh whereby Harry Beltzhoover will be retained as County Detective, if no Democrat is placed in the field against Burleigh lo-District Attorney. Whether there was or not, that was the only subject that marred the screnity of the various conventions. In every one the matter was brought up and just as promptly throttled. The hardest fight was in the Fifth district, where William Brennen and William Reardon measured swords, and it is still a tossup to tell which won. In the midst of the and no one knows the result of the fight.

In puny of the conventions resolutions approving Governor Pattison's administraored Grover Cleveland as the Presidental

rather quiet politically, save for the presence of Congressing: Stewart and the return of John W. Morrison.

HOLTZMAN RULED THE ROOST. The Democrats of the Eighth Legislative district opened proceedings by calling their convention to order in Select Council chamer. Squire Holtzman, of Braddock, was Chairman, Mr. Skelley, of McKeesport, tried nation of a District Attorney, but it was knocked in the head. The delegates elected were E. F. Kelly, of Braddock, Joseph Skelley, of McKeesport, and John Collins, of

The next convention was that of the Sixth Legislative district, which met at Excelsior Hall, Southside, Lawrence Pagan was Chairman and Michael O'Keefe, of Mansfield; P. F. Hannigan, of Chartiers; Charles Smith and Edward Burke, of Homestead, and Henry Lloyd, of Jefferson township, were chosen as delegates. A resolution fora Democratic District Attorney was also buried in this convention.

The convention of the First Legislative district, of Allegheny, was held last night in the Jacksonian Club rooms. Henry Boker was Chairman and Frank Fertig and John Patterson Secretaries. E. A. Robinson, August Freinstein and Herman Kunkle were chosen delegates to the State Convention. Resolutions approving of Governor Pattison's administration and indorsing Grover Cleveland for President were unanimously passed. A resolution to nominate a Democrat for District Attorney was laid

KEENAN PLAYS A LOSING CARD. The Democrats, Second district, met in Common Conneil chamber and were called to order by Heury Meyer, Esq. Lee Frasher was made Permanent Chairman and T. J. and Victor Paulin Secretaries. There were two contests, and the committee sointed to adjust the trouble that threatd to arise awarded the seats to Patrick
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Keenan then created a little breeze by ring a resolution asking that if the aty Committee cannot ful their ticket adorse the straightout nomine tions of Fitzsianmons and Fetterman for Judges and Porter for District Attorney. Mr. Keeman held the floor for some time in seech inudatory of these candidates and aid not be sat upon, but when he learned would not be set upon, but when he learned the sentiment was against the resolution he withdrew it, and the convention adjourned. The Third Legislative Convention met in select Council Chamber at 7:45 o'clock, and was called to order by R. A. Campbell, who was made permanent chairman, and paniel Gallagher, secretary. There were no contests, and Dennis J. Boyle, James Tallen and S. H. Gibson were elected delegates to the State Convention by acciamation, several other persons nominated refusing to be considered candidates.

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Michael Ennis took the floor to say that
he had been a member of the County Committee for ten years and had been a delerate to the County Convention when the nuthorizing a committe to cies was adopted. Since a vacancy had been fell vacancies was adopted. Since that time a vacancy had been caused by the untirely death of the worthy Democratic District Attorney, but no person had been named as a Democratic candidate to succeed him, and it was not right that such was the case. He demanded that a candidate be named, and his constituents wanted a candidate. They had told him that unless a Democrat was put up for that office they would support the straight-out nominee.

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BOYLE SPEAKS HIS MIND.

es Whalen introduced a resolution, "That it is the sense of this convention that the Democratic party place in nomination a candidate for District Attorney," which was candidate for District Attorney," which was read, and when a motion was made to adopt it Dennis Bovie took the floor and said:

"Mr. Chairman, I did not intend to speak on this matter, but that resolution is wrong and should not be tolerated in this connection. We are all Democrats. That resolution is the result of a lot of blather in the Leader. I was interviewed by a Leader resource a week are and declared myself to him in favor of having a Democratic candi-date for District Attorney, but not a word of that interview was printed. Toof that interview was printed. To day that paper comes out in an article quoting me laisely almost in every word, and they make an interview with me to suit their own ends. We know our business, and the statements published in har paper are an insult to the last De cratic convention and to every good Demo-cratic convention and to every good Demo-crat in this county. We don't need a Repub-lican sheet like that to tell us what to do, and I call on this convention, don't let such a sheet dictate to us what to do. Their motive is selfish, and we want none of

them."
This speech was greeted with cheers, and after the resolution was laid on the table the convention adjourned. The delegates were fourth Legislative Convention met at the Raiston School instruight and had a short session. Alderman McKenna presided and J. A. Donavan was Secretary. The delegates elected were Dr. C. C. Wylle, Alderman John Barns and J. J. McCahe. They were not in-

tructed.
The Fifth Legislative Convention was The Fifth Legislative Convention was called to order in Common Council Chamber, with William J. Brennen, Chairman; John O'Leary and George J. Bleichner, Secretaries. There were no contests and the officers were made permanent. The following ticket was presented for the 10 delegates to the State Convention, and the nommees were, with one or two exceptions, unanimously elected: W. J. Brennen, A. Frauenheim, H. T. Morris, John R. Larkin, Ad Schnessler, Henry Berger, A. Flach, E. S. Kennedy, John Collins and P. Foley.

Attorney William Reardon offered a reso-

Intion that crented quite a scene in the convention and for a time there was considerable excitement. The resolution, in a long preamble, recited that a vacancy had been caused since the last Democratic County Convention in the office of District Attorney and no provision had been made for placing in nomination a candidate to fill that vacancy, "although the conditions are unusually favorable for the election of a Democrat at this time." Therefore, resolved that it was the sense of the fifth Legislative Convention that a convention should be called to nominate a candidate without further delayra copy of the resolutions to be forwarded to the Democratic Protection Rectores a Long-Lost Industry County Committee.

BRENNAN AS A SPEAKER REED. Chairman Brennan promptly ruled the resolution out of order, and amid much ex-citement Mr. Reardon appealed. Chairman

citement Mr. Beardon appealed. Chairman brennan vacated the chair in favor of Thomas Mullen to argue the appeal.

Mr. Reardon argued strongly in favor of the resolution. It was not a demand on the County Committee to name a candidate, but simply a suggestion to them, and it should be adopted and acted upon, because if a good Democrat were nominated he would be elected.

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Mr. Brennen took the ground that this convention had only certain duties to perform and this resolution was entirely foreign to them and therefore out of order. Replying to Mr. Reardon he intimated that Reardon was a poor sort of a Democrat who the chances were ninoty-nine out of a hundred would not go near the polls on election day, as that was his past record and it seemed strange that he would bob-up with such a lively interest in his party at this time. There was no justification, Chairman Brennen said, for any one to assume that there would be no Democratic nominee in the field. He had authority to appoint the committee on vacancies and he had waited on the advice of representative Democrats of the county, until the straighouts had fixed up their places before proceeding furtner. There were other considerations in view, which it would not be good policy to reveal at this time, that covered this matter and yet were far, beyond the question now raised and for which there had been a delay, but there was still plenty of time. Mr. Brennen then devoted some remarks to the straightouts, which was, he said, a combination of friends of a law firm on Fourth avenue, one of whom had a grievance against the Republican party, and, in order to get even, had boomed this movement, with a view to defeating his party, and had put his law partner on the comtination's ticket for a catspaw, and expected the Democratic to help them pull the chestnuts out of the fire. Wintever is to be done, said Mr. Brennen, will be done well by the Vacancy Committee, and will be done for the best interests of the Democratic party.

There was a call for a vote on the appeal

while a dozen members were on their feet demanding recognition. The Chair decided ion were passed. They also strongly fav-ored Grover Cleveland as the Presidental right to speak on the appeal, and then amid great confusion a vote was taken and the appeal was sustained. The resolution was then before the meeting, and after consider-

then before the meeting, and after considerable wrangling was voted upon and the Chair declared it defeated. J. F. Miller, who had been ably assisting Mr. Renudoa and others in their fight for the resolution, then called for in reconsideration of the vote by which the resolution was defeated, and on a call of years and mays the reconsideration was defeated by a vote of 4 to 17. The meeting then adjourned.

Congressiman-elect Stewart, who is in the city, is quite pronounced in his criticism of Daizell and Robinson. He is of the opinion that the strite for the leadership of the League of Republican Clubs is becoming so bitter that it will result in serious Injury to the party. He says that both men have their eyes upon Senator Quay's shoes, and are eyes upon Senator Quay's shoes, and are working for the control of party reins with that end in view. Colonel Stewart is also much disappointed that the State Conven-tion did not openly indorse Blaine's candi-dacy, and regards the failure to do so as bac-

The Thirteenth Ward Independent Repub The Thirteenth Ward Independent Republican Club met at the Thirteenth ward school house last night. T. J. Gatewood was elected President, H. H. Brown Vice-President, Joseph Staunton Secretary and F. Collins Treasurer. J. William Gatewood was endorsed for Council and D. S. Mahoney for School Director. The club will meet again Friday. September 18.

Captain John W. Morrison, Republican nominee for State Treasurer, arrived here nominee for State Treasurer, arrived here yesterday from Butler. He is much pleased

with the way his canvass is progressing and says the Legislature should designate the State Depositories. A NEW PETITION NEEDED.

Residents of Ward Street Have Their In provements Delayed by a Slight Error-Large Number of Bills Recommended to

The Committee on Public Works met ves terday afternoon and affirmatively recom-mended to Councils a large number of sewer and street improvement ordinances. Captain Wilmot, Ross Black and several other entlemen interested in the improvement of Ward street and McKee place were before the committee with a request that some thing be done so that the street can be graded and paved. Some time ago an ordinance was sent to Councils from the committee providing for the grading and paving of Ward street from Frazier to Bates streets, but it street from Frazier to Bates streets, but it was then found that the name of the principal part of Ward street had been changed to McKee place, and consequently the ordinance was void. In this predicament the property owners were at sea as to what course to pursue. The committee decided that the only legal way out of the difficulty would be that a new petition from the majorily of the property owners and properly naming the streets be presented to Councils. The delegation of citizens left with that understanding and will have a new petition ready for the next regular meeting of Councils, on September 14.

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Ordinances recommended were as follows: For sewers on Larimer avenue, from Broad to Station streets, Thirty-third street, from Webster avenue to Two-mile Run; Fifth avenue, from Bolton to Soho streets: Ella street, from Friendahip avenue to Liberty street; Howe and Hailman streets, from Dunston avenue to Marshand street; Frankstown avenue, from Lincoln to Fifth avenues; Mulbery alley, from Sixteenth street Schweinhart's property; Aurelia street, from Denniston avenue to Landwehr street; Forbes street, from Maurice to Brady streets; Hampton street, from Megley to Highland avenues; Mulberry alley, from Twenty-sixth to Twenty-seventh streets; Shakespeare street and Reintz alley, from Run avenue to Landwehr street; Hamilton avenue, from Tioga street to the city line; Junett', street, Xenia alley and Renfrew street, from Shetland street to Negley's Run; old Run, from Firth to Denniston avenues. Opening Morris street, from Carolina street, from Pearl street to Friendship avenue; Mifflin street, from Thirty-eighth street to Denny street; Dresden alley, from McCandless to Filty-third streets; Ward street, from Bates to Zulema

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Yesterday Michael Castor and Jacob Risbeck host lers at the Homewood race track, got into a quarrel in the stable yesterday morning and during the fight which followed both men were badly used up. The men quarreled over some work, when Risbeck struck Castor over the head with a pitchfork. Castor picked up a hatchet and dealt Risbeck a blow on the back with the sharp edge, inflicting a gash about three inches long.

Risbeck had the wound dressed, after which he went before Magistrate Hynaman and entered suit against Castor for selonious assault and battery. Castor was arrested and held for a hearing to-morrow afternoon.

FOUGHT AN OFFICER

And Got Badly Used Up as a Result of His Pugnacity. David Dale was lodged in jail last night on a charge of assault and battery preferred by Henry Stomfels before Alderman Kaltenby Henry Stomfels before Alderman Kalten-hauser. Stomfels keeps a barber shop in Soho. The warrant was given to Constable Walosky. Dale resisted and knocked the officer down.

Walosky then drew his billy and Dale received a split lip and a big lump on his forehead before he was subdued. He was committed in default of \$300 bail for a hearing to morrow.

saring to-morrow. Sued for Neglecting Her Children. Agent James E. Berryman, of the Humane Society, will enter an information before Alderman Leslie to-day against Mrs. Mary Eckstein, of 419 Ellis street, accusing her of neglect of her three small children. She is said to have taken the food properly belonging to her children and carried at to a friend in jail.

Thomas Bowman, arrested at Greensburg on a charge of having counterfeit money i his possession, was brought to the city and lodged in juil last night by Deputy Marshal Garber to await trial in the United States District Court.

to Pittsburg. THE ELBA IRON WORKS IN OPERATION

Nearly 10,000 window-glass workers who should have returned to work yesterday after the usual two months' rest, were disappointed, and as matters appear now, there are no indications of a single factory in the United States starting up within th next month at the earliest. The final conference that might have settled all differences between the manufacturers and the men took place yesterday afternoon according to appointment, but it failed in bringing about an understanding and the struggle over the demands for a 5 per cent increase

for the tending boys is now on. The men say they will not withdraw their demands; nor can they even though they would, for the society has molded their policy and the conference committee has nothing to do but insist on the 5 per cent advance and nothing else. The manufacto operate a factory this year if they are forced to increase the cost of production further by advancing the wages of any porion of their employes.

COULDN'T COME TO TERMS. They were willing to withdraw their de-mands for a reduction of 10 per cent and settle the wages question upon last years terms, but this did not satisfy the men, and the conference adjourned without date. The men say the demands of the manufacturers men say the demands of the manufacturers were only made to be withdrawn for effect, to gain public sympathy; but theirs were made to be granted and they will stay out until they are granted. The workers' committee has not the power to withdraw their demands, without a vote of the association, and the latter can only order it done by a vote of the entire membership, which could not be taken in much less time than six weeks. Hence a settlement of the trouble may not be expected earlier than October 10, if then.

A STATEMENT BY MR. LOEFFLER.

After the conference adjourned yesterday ing statement for publication:
"At the wages conference held July 31, it became apparent that the manufacturers and workers were too far apart in their views to reach a settlement. Therefore a sub-committee consisting of Messrs. Chambers, Hart and Loeffler for the manu-

a sub-committee consisting of Messrs. Chambers, Hart and Loeffier for the manufacturers and Eberhart, Winter and Swearer for the workers, was appointed for the purpose of considering whether they could not suggest a compromise basis, in which event they were to call the general committee together.

"For that purpose this sub-committee met last week and adjourned to meet to-day. They met in the office of R. C. Schmertz & Co., Limited, and after a comparatively short session adjourned without date. At the meeting last week the manufacturers, in a spirit of harmony, withdrew their demand for a 10 per cent reduction and agreed to pay last year's wages, the workers having agreed to recommend some changes in some of the rules and usages. At to-day's meeting the workers' committee was to report whether they would withdraw rhe demand for the gatherers' advance. This they positively refused to do, and also recalled their consent to the change of some of the rules which had been agreed to by both parties at the last meeting. The workers' committee cliain that in former years they had authority to make the best settlement they could, but that this year their hands are tied. They have arbitrary instructions from their association to fight for the advance.

A MANUFACTURER'S VIEWS.

A MANUFACTURER'S VIEWS. "The manufacturers stated that they have all along cheerfully paid the high wages of the workers, as was evidenced by the fact that the manufacturers paid 5 per cent advance in settlement of wages in the fall of 1887 and again 5 per cent advance in 1889, but that the limit of cost has been reached and that the situation does not permit another increase. The manufacturers in the various meetings pointed to the humiliating spectacle of about 1200,000 boxes being imported tacle of about 1,200,000 boxes being imported yearly, a disgrace to both manufacturers and workers, and this condition of affairs exists to a great extent through the inability of the American manufacturer to make glass cheap enough, as both very high wages and rules and usages combine to increase the cost of production in this country. "The workers made no effort to contradict the arguments, and simply stated that all they had to say is, that they must insist on the advance as per instructions. The manufacturers stated there would not be any trouble to agree on rules if wages could be agreed on. Had a settlement bean made today most of the factories in the country would have been ready to start by the lôtin or lath, but even if the workers will withdraw their demand eventually, no settlement can be made for seven weeks, as the workers' committee states it takes that long before a vote of the association could be taken to reconsider the demand." before a vote of the association taken to reconsider the demand."

NOTHING NOW TO DO.

"Well, what will the manufacturers dot was asked. "Nothing," replied Mr. Loeffler. "There's no reason why they should be in a hurry about starting up, and they will simply allow the factories to remain idle."
"Will there be no effort to operate with

non-union men?"

"None whatever. It will be a game of freezeout and the side that can hold out the longest will win. The men claim they can remain idle longer than we can. We deny their statement, and it only remains to be seen which can stand the pressure the longest. There is not one of the manufacturers thinking of starting up, nor will they until this question is settled." this question is settled."
An effort was made last evening to see either President Eberhardt or Secretary Cake, but neither of them was at the workers headquarters on the Southside after the conference last evening, nor were they at their homes until a late hour.

SOME HEAVY IMPROVEMENTS.

The New P. & L. E. Line Along the Valley May Be Completed This Fall. Double tracking the P. & L. E. R. R. will be completed, it is thought, this year. The old road followed the general line of the hills, while the new follows that of the valley.

Among the expensive and heavy improvements made are in building several viaducts amounting in length to 2,000 feet and averaging 30 feet in height; a three-span bridge 311 feet long over the Beaver river and a five-span bridge 335 feet long over the Shenango.

A Hawaiian Customer. G. B. Hendry, a former resident of Califor nia but now a bardware dealer in Honolulu has been in the city on an annual tour of the has been in the city on an annual tour of the States purchasing stock for the winter sen-son. He bought extensively this trip from George A. Macbeth & Co., and from several manufacturing concerns. He leaves for the East this morning to continue placing or-

Making a Good Showing A report of the membership and finance of the Order of Railway Telegraphers has just been issued, showing that there are over 10 000 in good standing. The accumu-lated property of the organization is valued at \$15,000. It has cash on hands amounting

Will Begin Work To-day. Deputy State Factory Inspector, Miss O'Reilly who came here Monday evening, will begin her inspection of local factorie workshops and stores. She has been waiting to see S. H. Baker, in whose district she expects to work, but who has been absent from the city for a few days.

Selling Preferred Stock. The United States Glass Company has deeided to sell 5,000 shares of its preferred stock in order to provide a working capital.

The value of this stock is \$500,000. About half of it has already been subscribed for, and the remainder is in the hands of Robinson Brothers.

Bottle Houses Resuming. The bottle houses of D. O. Cunningham and Thursen & Co. were put in operation

ville Livery Stable. Leading Some to Suppose There May Be Trouble Ahead.

yesterday and fires will be started in the factory of Cunningham & Co., Lim., to-day. It is thought all the bottle houses will be in operation inside of the control of the

CARNEGIE AND HIS COKE.

Trouble Ahead.

There has been some talk among from and steel brokers as to the significance to be attached to the unusually large stock of coke yarded at Homestead and Braddock. The policy of the Carnegie Association in assembling this large stock of coke has been attributed in some quarters to fear of another season of idleness in the region. Information from that quarter points to agitation among the workers toward higher wages. A labor leader, wellknown in the region, was in town last week and in the course of conversation with a broker, he said that the men were quietly organizing toward the end of striking for higher wages at no distant date.

This is not credited by those immediately interested in coke operations. The trade has been in poor condition for some time and although it is picking up, there is no reason why additional ovens should be fired. Not more than 60 per cent of the ovens in this district are now in operation. Another view taken of the situation is that the Frick Coke Company has taken advantage of the dull season to lay in a stock for the two-fold purpose of guarding against idleness in the region, and of amassing a supply during the dull season, and while coke was cheap, so as to be able to supply the general market when trade becomes better in consequence of a brisker demand.

THEY WANTED TO CONFER.

Asked For a Meeting. President Barnes of the Master Builders Exchange, said yesterday that the brick lavers' asked for a conference, and he in ormed them that when they could com

\$4.50 a day he would confer with them. In regard to the Mellon job in the East End Mr. Barnes said no contractor could accept the job and pay his men more than \$3 a day. He claimed further that the men who are doing the work are using sand dug from the cellars. cellars.

The bricklayers are not allowing themselves to grow discouraged however. They claim to be getting along very well with 50 houses belonging to the Mellon estate and as soon as the new Builders' Exchange is organized they will be able to take larger contracts and more of them. It is now decided to hold a meeting Friday evening in K. of L. Hall for the purpose of organizing the rival Builders' Exchange.

A RESTORED INDUSTRY.

acturers Enjoying a Boom is The cotton tie industry is being restored to Pittsburg at a very rapid rate. Never in the history of the industry has such a quan tity been produced as is now being turned at a few of the local mills. At Painters' mill in the East End, three mills are in operation Three turns are on in each mill and the pro

Three turns are on in each mill and the product averages 1,250 bundles a day. Lindsay & McCutcheon, of Allegheny, and a number of other local firms have on hands large orders for ties to put up this year's crop, and they are busy filling them.

Some firms are now making ties that never made them before. The present tariff is credited with having restored the industry. During the Cleveland administration while the duty was 35 per cent advalorem, none of the local firms made any pretense at making cotton ties, with the exception of Painter's, and their output was limited. Since then a specific duty has been added and the imports have been reduced.

AMMONIA INSTEAD OF STEAM.

Local Company Organized to Use a Novel A meeting of the stockholders of the Northwest Ammonia Power Company was held yesterday afternoon at the office of Prothonotory Bradley. Among those pres-ent were Mr. Bradley, Ex-County Controller ent were Mr. Bradley, Ex-County Controller Speer, R. M. McKinney, Poor Director Frank Patterson, John M. Boyd, and others. The object of the company is to put into active operation the Campbell ammonia power re-cently invented by C. H. Campbell. The idea is to use ammonia gas in the cylinders of engines instead of steam. This, it is claimed, will reduce the cost of fuel 40 per cent, and do away with the use of cylinder oil.

oil.

General Manager Speer said that in a trial made recently in the East, on the tng boat E. J. Hartley, the invention was pronounced a success by a number of scientific mea, including the chief eugineers of the German Lloyd and Inman steamship lines.

BENEFITS BEGINNING.

Vesuvius Strikers Will Now Secure Finan The strikers at the Vesuqius Iron Works are still holding out, and they predict the severest part of the trouble is yet to come. Beginning with vesterday the men will re Beginning with yesterday the men will re-ceive strike benefits from the Amalgamated Association. Owing to the laws of the or-ganization they could not be supported financially during July and August. The men say that if they were able to remain idle without benefits, now that they will re-ceive finances they will be able to force their issue.

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On the other hand Mr. Moorhead clings to the idea that he has the fight won. There were 17 furnaces lighted up vesterday and enough nien were on hand bright and early to operate them. It is Mr. Moorhead's intentions to fill up all departments as soon as possible, but as to what class of help he will secure he has nothing to say.

FORCED TO START.

The New Elba Mills in Operation Before They Are Finished. The eight and ten-inch mills of the Elba Iron Works were started up yesterday. The new department has not yet been completed. but the firm has a demand for skelp, and it was found necessary to put the new mills in operation. About 7s men are employed, and the entire product of the mill will be made up into pipe at the Continental Tube Works. Both plants are owned and operated by the Oil Well Sangle Company. Oil Well Supply Company. Mr. Palmer, of the company, said yester

day that there is at present a good de for pipe, and the prespects for the are very encouraging. He is for pipe, and the prospects for the season are very encouraging. He knows of no large stocks in the market; thinks all the mills will be busy. The trade in the West is expected to be exceptionally good. Promotion of Mr. Peebles General Superintendent David McCarg of the Allegheny Valley Railroad, announ ces the appointment of William J. Peebles

ces the appointment of william J. Peebles as local freight agent for that line, vice E. W. Coombe, resigned. Mr. Peebles has long been connected with the freight department of the road, and his promotion is lavorably received by the employees of the company. Industrial Notes. LABOR DAY will be observed at Zanesville.

THERE is a building boom at Mahoning-McKnesport will have an electric road in operation inside of 30 days. THE cars on the Birmingham electric lir are to be fitted up with air brakes. THE Street Railway Association of Ohio, will hold a convention shortly at Akron. CANTON'S new industrial concern, the

Acme Roofing Company, has just put its new plant in operation. H. N. Boots, of Laurelhill street, has gone to New York to represent C. L. Flaccus, the glass manufacturer there. ASSEMBLY 3,307 K. of L., composed of Duquesne employes, met early yesterday morning and admitted 28 new members. It is said the building of the new American Tin Plate Company at Ellwood will be

in process of construction within the next 15 days. Bayes Higher & Co., will soon begin to experiment on the use of coal gas as a substi-tute for natural gas. A plant has been erected at a cost of \$5,000, and slack coal will THE Switchmen's Mutual Aid Association

at New Castle has been weakening for some time. It has just been decided that Key-stone Lodge should be dissolved and the members brought to Pittsburg, where they will connect themselves with Union No. 62. HORSFORD'S ACID PHOSPHATE For the Tired Brain From over-exertion. Try it.

to live in Pullman sleepers while attending the State Council at Uniontown, on the 15th instant. A large attendance is expected, and it is thought that the hotel accommoda-tions will be insultained. In other words drink Pilsner beer and gain strength and vigor. Call for it at salcons. The Iron City Brewing Company, Manufacturers. Telephone No. 1186.

Large Loss by Fire on a Lawrence-

FATAL INJURY OF A LITTLE LAD.

Ward Street Improvements Are Delayed by a Slight Error.

GENERAL NEWS FROM THE TWIN CITIES

The large stable and wagon shop of Ardary Bros., on Liberty street between Thirty-first and Thirty-second streets, was destroyed by fire last evening. The loss was \$20,000, on which \$15,000 insurance was held. As an indirect result Albert Glunt is lying at the West Penn Hospital almost dead, having been kicked by a horse. The fire broke out shortly after 6 o'clock. It was discovered by John Skinner, a stable boss, burning in the center of

the hay-loft on the second floor. In a moment the whole structure was ablaze. The horses, 135 in number, were all gotten out. They stampeded on Liberty street, and it was with difficulty that they were placed in the veterinary hospital, op-posite the burning stable. The heat by this time was intense, and drove the firemen back frequently, Company No. 6 suffering most severely, having the nearest position. Captain McKinley's face was badly

The fence on the opposite side of the street caught fire and the telegraph poles were in danger. Nothing could be done to save the burning stable, and in 45 minutes it save the burning stable, and in 45 minutes it was destroyed. It was a frame building, 192 feet front and 115 feet in depth. Under an extension of its roof was a veterinary hospital department, having a frontage of 100 feet and a depth of 50 feet, and a wagon shop and engine room, containing some tools and machinery for repairing vehicles. In the main stable were the hayloft and granary; the former holding nearly 100 tons of hay and the latter \$3,000 worth of grain. The total loss will be a little over \$2,000. The insurance is distributed through the Arrost agency. the Arrott agency.

The owners of the stable were James,
Robert and Frank Ardary. The former
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Albert Glunt, aged 18 years, attempted to catch one of the run-away horses. He was kicked on the head by the animal and suftered a severe fracture of the skull. He was sent to the West Penn Hospital, where it is believed he will die. The injured boy lives at 2530 Penn avenue.

The Citizens' Traction Company made good use of its new fire bridge. It was brought from the power house and placed at the plug at Thirty-second and Penn avenue, the hose was placed over it and the cars passed under it, thus avoiding considerable delay.

IN LEE BROWN'S MEMORY.

The Humane Society Adopts Appropriate The Board of Directors of the Humane The Board of Directors of the Humane Society at the regular meeting yesterday adopted resolutions appropriate to the demise of the Hon. Lee Brown, of Chicago, Ill., who was for a number of years President of the National Humane Society.

Secretary Davidson reported the following contributions to the society: Dr. C. G. Hussey, \$20; cash, (A. B.), \$10; W. L. Abott, \$5; James H. McAteer, \$2 50; Schwartz, Chesswright and Cherry, \$5; cash, \$3; E. P. Roberts & Son, \$5; J. G. H., \$5; R. S., \$5; fine of J. G. Nimmick, \$10; fines of Agent Campbell, \$50; other fines, \$50, or a total contribution of \$140.

CHANGES IN TRACHERS.

Allegheny Public Schools Open With Good Attendance, There have been several chadges in the faculty of the Allegheny High School this year. Prof. E. E. Miller, teacher of matheyear. Prof. E. E. Miller, teacher of mathematics, has been made principal of the Second ward school, and Dr. James E. Morrow succeeds him. Prof. T. N. Nolin, of Washington and Jefferson College, will be assistant teacher of Latin, vice Prof. Woods, resigned. Prof. Percy E. Farran has been elected an additional teacher of the high school. School.

The increase in teachers' salaries went into affect vesterday when the schools opened.

LOOKING FOR A HOSPITAL SITE.

The Chronic Insane Asvium Com Will Visit Pittsburg To-Morrow. The commission appointed by Governor Pattison to locate and build an asylum for the chronic insane of the State will arrive in McKeesport this morning and examine several sites that are offered there. The Mo Keesport Board of Trade has made arrange-ments to entertain the members of the com-mission. The members are Messrs. Barker, Dickert, Beynolds, Storm and Curwin. To-morrow morning the commission will arrive in Pittsburg, and then start for Greensburg. Chief Elliot will accompany the members, and they will examine sites on the Ligonier branch and at New Florence.

Crash of Two Traction Cars. Street car No. 2, of the Birmingham Line, collided with a Duquesne Electric car about so'clock last night, at Fourth avenue and so clock last night, at Fourier avenue and smithfield street. The only damage done was the smashing of a headlight on the Birmingham car and putting a small hole in the side of the Duquesne vehicle. A misun-derstanding of signals is said to have caused the scrident.

Money Order Business The report of the money order department of the Pittsburg postoffice shows a business of \$199,321 19. Domestic orders paid amounted to \$53,616 38. The next highest was the list of German orders paid, almounting to \$1,629 90. German orders issued were in excess of any other country, being \$4,540 18.

Mrs. McCrea Pleads Guilty. Mrs. S. L. McCrea who was arrested a few lays ago on a charge of keeping a fashionable speak-easy at her home on Penn ave-nue picaded guitty to the clarge before Al-derman McKenna yesterday afternoon and did not go into a hearing.

Ex-Mayor Brush was somewhat improved last night, although he is still in a critical condition. Dr. W. E. Stephens, the physi-cian in attendance, stated that Mr. Brush had fallen asleep for the first time in two days, and that he was resting a great deal easier.

Snap Shots at City Matters. THE Committee on Surveys has been called to meet in the City Clerk's office at 3 o'clock Friday afternoon. THE combined Slavonic societies will picnic to-day at Ross' Grove, after a parade through the two cities.

These will be a change of bill at the Grand Opera House this evening, and the first popular matinee this afternoon. A jos lot of 60 German and Irish emigrants arrived at the Union station yesterday, and will locate in Pittsburg and vicinity. ALTHOUGH repairs in the City Treasurer's office are not yet complete, the clerks are ready to receive the September installment

In the United States District Court yesterday Judge Reed handed down an opinion dismissing the specifications objecting to the discharge of A. F. Baum, of Carrier & Baum, from bankruptcy. MARY REAGAN yesterday entered suit gainst Edward and Margaret Reagan for

81,00) damages for stander. It is alleged that Mrs. Margaret Reagan made remarks reflect-ing on the character of the plaintiff. John Crowley, aged 19, died at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon at his home on the River road, Woods' Bun. He was struck by an ice wagon on Preble avenue, Allegheny, Monday. The name of the driver is not known, but his arrest has been ordered by the Coroner. Last night the representatives of a numthe rooms of Vine Cliff Council and decided

NOT OBEYING THE LAW.

propriation on Account of Not Using the roper Books-A Resolution Adopt

Remedy the Trouble, At a meeting of the Allegheny Board School Controllers last evening five addi-tional school teachers were elected. In the First ward Miss Minnie Donahey and Miss Annie Warren were chosen; Fourth ward, Miss Bertha Kaltenbaugh and Miss Hattie Brown, and Fifth ward, Miss Mamie Stone. Brown, and Fifth ward, Miss Mamie Stone.
Mr. Oliver submitted the report of Charles
Davis and Andrew Peebles, the experts appointed to examine into the
condition of the High School building, the southwest corner of which
had been reported sinking. They reported
that the portion of the building referred to
had sunk about three inches. It had been
constructed on filled-in ground, which had
now become compressed and would sink but
little more. They did not consider the building unsafe.

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Mr. Olivar offered a resolution providing that no pupil shall be required, directly or indirectly, to purchase or use any books other than those adopted by the Board of School Controllersass text book. The school principals were to be required to certify on their monthly pay rolls that no text books other than those adopted by the board had been used in the school. In the absence of such certificate the pay roll was not to be approved by the President of the board.

Mr. Oliver said the teachers have gotten the board into trouble by their independent conduct. They use books not adopted, and some of the books adopted are not used at all. The law was being violated and their State appropriation endangered.

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President Young said the rule was reasonable and necessary. The law requires the President of the Board of Controllers to swear that all the provisions of the law have been couplied with. If otherwise, the rules of the State Department are that they shall forfeit the State appropriation of \$50,000. Mr. Toung said next year he would have to take the oath. If the law was not compiled with he would have to perjure himself or they would lose the appropriation. The resolution was adopted and the meeting adjourned. journed.

The Committee on Evening Schools met later and fixed on the first Monday in October for the opening of night schools.

BROKE UP THE PESTIVITIES.

Red Pepper and a Hot Stove Spoil a Wedding Celebration. chman appeared at the Allegheny Mayor's office yesterday afternoon and wanted Deputy Mayor McKelvey to take an information from him in which he desired to charge a Mrs. Wittash with malicious to charge a Mrs. Wittash with malicious mischief, being a nuisance or in fact almost anything, so that she might be arrested. Mr. Bachman was accompanied by a young lady gaily dressed, whom he introduced as his wife. He said he had married the girl yesterday morning and while celebrating the event at his wife's mother's house, the Mrs. Wittash he complained of put red pepper or something on a bot stove in the basement, after which all the wedding guests were overcome with nausea. after which all the wedding guests were overcome with nauses.

Mrs. Wittash occupies the lower part of the house where the celebration took place and Mr. Bachman said when he attempted to go down the stairway to remonstrate with her he was so overcome that he fainted and fell to the bottom of the stairs. The odor of the pepper was sufficient to break up the festivities and Mr. Bachman wanted satisfaction. However he was not sure Mrs. Wittash was the cause of the trouble and the Deputy Mayor refused to take the case. Mrs. Wittash lives at the corner of South Canal and Cherry streets.

SETTLED AFTER MANY YEARS.

Bankrupt Spit That Has Lasted for 18 Years. Attorney A. Y. Smith, successor to the late Samuei Harper as Register in Bankruptcy, has after is years, wound up the case of Samuei R. McLean. an old-time banker who succumbed in 1873. The proceedings, which resulted in forcing Mr. McClean into bankruptcy, were instituted by George B. Hill & Co., and W. A. Woodward was at one time assignee. The assets have been realized on but slowly, Register Harper once declared a dividend of 10 per cent. Now Mr. Smith declares another of 2.16-100 cents, which is final. Thus creditors get altogether about one-eighth of their claims. The money to be distributed at present is \$3,116.

Among the claims is one of Phelps, Dodge & Lo., of New York. It is a note payable in gold, the premium on which was at the time \$154.90. Henry Clews & Co. were also creditors, their claim being for \$3,318.93. muei Harper as Register in Bankruptcy,

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Horses and Mules. The Arnheim Live Stock Company, Limited, at 52 Second avenue, Pittsburg, Pa., have just received twenty-five (25) of draught and general purpose horses weighing from 1,500 to 1,800 spiece. Among the lot are several matched teams, bays, blacks and grays; they have also several fine pacers and trotters on hand which can show better than 2:40. Anyone wishing to purchase a horse or a team should not fail to call at their stables; they are pleased to show their stock to all, and guarantee to sell their stock for les money than anyone on the market. Their mule yard is filled with 75 head of

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OFFICIAL IMMUNITIES

The Material for an Important Test

DANIEL M'SWEENEY ARRESTED For Pointing Firearms While He Was

Guarding a Prisoner.

WILL DECIDE AN INTERESTING POINT

Sweeney was arrested at Warren, Pa., yesterday for pointing firearms. One hour after his arrest application was made to Judge Achesou, of the United States Cir-cuit Court, to have him produced in court to test the legality of his arrest. The case dates back to an arrest made in July. At the July term of the United States District Court at Erie Chauncey Marble, a wealthy lumberman of Warren county, was indicted and tried on the charge of passing counter-feit money. He was convicted, but his attorney appeared in court with affidavits from physicians stating that Marble, who was out on bail, was at his home in Warren court for sentence. The Government de-tective, however, informed the Court that Marble was not too ill to appear in court and that the claim was simply a subter-

fuge.
Judge Reed at this directed Detective Mc

Sweeney and Deputy Marshals Barring and McManus to take a physician, go to Marble's

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FALL SUITINGS.

Wants to Hold the Harness William Eigeurance, of No. 219 First avenue, was locked up in Central station by Detective Bendel yesterday for refusing to give up stoien property. He was one of the purchasers of harness stolen by young George Gamble, now in jail. When the detective went to see him about it he refused to give it up.

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