A PAINT SHOP ABLAZE

In the Rear of the Central Hotel Causes | CONFUSION REIGNED FOR A TIME. Some Excitement Among Guests-The Loss Not Over Fifteen Thousand-One of Employanns' Buildings.

Fire partially destroyed the three-story brick building, No. 139 Second avenue, last night. It was discovered about 11:45 o'clock and an alarm was sent in. By this time the two upper floors were in flunes and it took hard fighting to subdue them. The Electric Mining Inchine Company occupied the lower floor Above this was the paint shop of Charles Walter and in the rear W. D. Walter conducted a model-making establishment. The less on building and stock will not exe of \$15,000. The former is part of the property recently purchased by Kaufmann

The fire, while not large, caused considerable excitement on account of its being restly in the rent of the Central stel. Word got out that the tel was after and people flocked the scene from all directions. This tempression was strengthened by the great light caused by burning paint and cits. Guests of the hotel vacated for a time but soon saw they were in no danger and returned to their rooms.

The boarding house of Adam Nixon, No. 155 Second avenue, was slightly damaged, and building No. 141, occupied by the servand wirls of the Central Hotel was secrebed The girls vacated the building and took up quarters in the hotel. The storage room of the hotel was on fire two or three times, maing building was damaged considerably

CALLS FOR ASSISTANCE

One Death and Several Minor Accidents Reported Festerday.

One man killed and a boy loosing a foot or the milroud with the usual cable caraccident, several men seriously injured in the various mills none seriously, was the accident record vesternay, The list follows:

Burns, aged 20, of Portage attempted to board a freight train on the Fransylvania Kaliroad near South Fork yes-te-day. He missed his footing and feil under the train. He was instantly killed. Deteit—Gus Douch, the Woods' Run black-smith, was kicked on the breast by a horse yesterday while shocing blut. He will be leid un for some time.

yesterday while shocing bim. He will be laid up for some time.

SMARKE—Frederick Smacker, aged about 12 cents, and his toot cut off last evening by a Pirtsburg, Virginia and Charleston Railroad train, near South Twenty-seventh street. He was removed to his home on Jane street, where his injuries were attended to.

SLATIM — Thomas Slater, a driver for Tromas R. Herd & Co., was injured in a collision with a Penn avenue car on Black Herse fill yesterday morning. The horses were injuried so badly that one of them died, and the other had to be shot to put it out of miser!

SWANTEWHIDEN-Charles Swartswelder, a Swartzwinden—Charles Swartzwelder, a workman in Carnegie, Phipps & Co.'s Thirty-third street mill, met with a serious accident vesterday. About three tons of iron fell on min and crusticed one leg so hadly that it will have to be amputated. He was removed to the St. Francis Hospital.

Layriem—Frank Leymein had his left hand crushed by an fagot failing on it at Park Bros. & Co.'s works hast night.

Brows—John Brown, while at work at the same place, had his unkle fractured by some plates tailing on him.

Sam—Samuel Shaw, while handling iron at Carnegic's Thirty-third street works last

Snaw Samuel Snaw, while handling from at Caraogic's Thirty-third street works last night, had one of his hands pierced by an Fron rod.
Schilliuski-Peter Schilliuski, while at work in Carnegie's mills last night, had both

ernshed by some heavy timbers falling on him.

WILL THEY CONSOLIDATE!

A Report That the Fifth and Second Ave. nue Lines Will Pool Issues.

It was reported that W. L. Elkins was in local street car magnates, with the view of consolidating the Fifth Avenue Traction and the Second Avenue Electric roads. George B. Hill and J. Dawson Callery were said to be in the deal, but the former, when asked for a statement, said he was not aware of any deal whatever in that connection.

He had heard many reports as to the pooling of interests of the Fifth avenue and Duquesne lines, also the Manchester and Pleasant Valley, but was at a loss to know how the Fifth avenue and Second avenue roads would be benefited by going together, The lines are not parallel and no competi-tion exists between them. He rather thinks that the Duquesne and Fifth avenue tractions will soon be under one management.

Blissing Since Last June.

Katharine Benzagenska, a native of Southern Prussia, has been missing since June 5. Her parents reside on South Twenty-sixth street, and early in the summer sent for her to join them, she having been living with her grandparents since her parents had come to this country. On the had come to this country. On the her parents, and was taken care of by order of St. Raphael in New York, until she finally remembered that her destination was Pittsburg. She was pinced on a train in charge of the trainmen, but never reached her destination. Her parents are very much worried over her disappearance, and have appealed to Consul Max Schamberg for assistance in finding her.

An Omnibus Company Chartered.

The Carrete Company to operate a stage and omnibus line in Pittsburg, with a capitol stock of \$10,000, was chartered by the Alles brothers yesterday. Their object is to run backs and other vehicles through the parks and to other points of interest in the city at a low fare. The Daugherty Type Writing Company, capital stock \$100,000, was also chartered. The nature of the corporation has been written up in THE DIS-

Lecch Missing Since Sunday.

Nicholas Leech, bookkeeper for Holmes Rowlen & Co., the East End stock dealers, has been missing since Sunday morning. It is not known that there is any shortage in his accounts, but experts will be put to work at once to ascertain if there is any thing wrong. Mrs. Leech stated that she bad received a note from her husband, in which he said that there was a little trouble at the office, and he thought it better to go away for a short time.

To Be Discussed This Evening.

A large crowd is expected at the public meeting in Allegheny to-night to discuss the issue of \$950,000 in bonds for improvement purposes. The question will be debated on both sides by able speakers, and then a general discussion will follow. Yes-terday 144 tin boxes were received to be placed in the polling places for the recep-tion of votes on this subject.

Dates of First Snow.

The carpenters over in Wilson's planing mill and carpenter shop, on Third avenue, have kept a chalk record against a door of the first snowfalls here for several years past. Their record is as follows: November 1, 1883; October 23, 1884; October 5, 1885; October 6, 1886; October 21, 1887; no registry for 1888; October 7, 1889; October 27, 1890; October 27, 1891.

The Mobican to Be Repaired SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 27-The United

Officers Needed to Quell a Lively Democratic Discussion in Allegheny Last Night.

A Republican Meeting Held in the Eleventh Ward Addressed by Burleigh and Others.

HASTINGS CONFIDENT OF M'KINLEY

British American Association Indorses the Straight out Ticket.

A pair of four onnce gloves would have been a very appropriate standard at the Allegheny City Democratic Committee which met in Common Council Chambers last night. Talk about a Sunday night meeting of the Lime Kiln Club! There never was s vocabulary which contained words and expletives enough to comprehensively give the reades a correct report of the proceedings. Mr. Edison's phonograph would have probably become imbued with life, the receiving cylinders refused to act, and implaringly said, "for goodness sake, gentle-men, wait till I catch up."

Chairman William Brennen wended his way over the bridge from his Pittsburg stamping ground, and essayed to put in a word for the good of the Democratic party. This attempted nsurpation was objected to by Chairman Huckestein, who allowed that Allegheny contained just as "pert" people as Pittsburg, especially when it came to a political or parliamentary issue. Edward G. Lang acted as secretary. The meeting became so animated after if had progressed awhile that the police were called from City Hall to quell the impending trouble.

PANDEMONIUM REIGNED. It, indeed looked, like a hand to hand contest, so excited were the people present.

Motion, pro and con were made, amid pandemonium, and if they had been lost by a vote, the movers were saved the humilia-tion of defeat, by losing them in the hurrah. To an outsider, an exciting Chinese Fan Tan game was articulately more comprehensive. Shouts of "order" and the heavy tap of the gavel were as much noticed as an advertis-

ing dodger on a busy day.

After the appearance of the police the meeting assumed a more placid aspect. The business transacted was not of much import, for the reason that the attempted discus-sions monopolized much of the time. The main object of the meeting was to select men to man the polls, of which there are 71

to cover on election day, Fred J. Manley, of the Eleventh ward, had a resolution he desired to introduce, and through the presentation of this the trouble commenced. His resolution was: s Resolved, That the Democratic City Committe of Allegheny City earnestly indorses the Democratic State ticket and the Democratic county ticket as nominated by the Democratic State and County Convention.

Wouldn't Hear the Motion, This resolution the Chairman would no hear nor countenance its presentation at the

time on the ground that it was not in order. A general cry went up from the members of the committee against the decision. John Sullivan was heard above the noise to say: "Mr. Chairman, you are tyrannical ou are a Czar, and your ruling is unjust. Henry Dedig, of the Fourth ward, walked almost up to the Chairman's desk and demended that Mr. Manley be given the privilege of reading his resolution. Mr. Man-

able confusion. He said: "I offer this resolution...." The Chairman-No, sir, you cannot. Mr. Manley-What are we to vote for, a county or a city ticket?

The Chairman-We will not hear your

resolution.
Mr. Manley (madly)—The Chair knows what the nature of the resolution is, and therefore will not entertain it.

Sent for the Police. At this point the demand was made, almost unanimously, that the resolution be rend. The Chairman then sent word for the police, and to this call Lieutenant Thornton responded. His appearance had the effect of quieting the meeting, and although there were several other out-breaks, yet nothing like the previous dis-order was manifested. The Chairman frequently declined to hear the resolution and peremptorally refused to entertain several notions that were made to adjourn. An imendment was at last offered to the resolution by Thomas Keenan to the effect that none but Democrats be voted for on the local ticket. This amendment was lost, and the original resolution was submitted and was carried by a vote of 16 to 4. The committee then adjourned

AID FOR THE STRAIGHTOUTS.

The County British-American Association for the Ticket.

The British-American Association of Pittsburg met in its rooms in Moorhead's Hall last night. The meeting was very interesting from the fact that the as ociation decided to support the Straightout ticket in Allegheny county.

Joseph Precce presided, and after a few remarks introduced Hon. Alfred Marland, a representative of the Straighout party. He made quite a lengthy address on the issues of the campaign in Allegheny county. Ex-President B. R. Heppinstall followed and spoke very vigorously the politicians have been and still are trying

to perpetuate machine rule. At the conclusion of his remarks he made a motion, which was carried, that the asso-ciation support the Straightout ticket in Allegheny county this fall, The Secretary was instructed to notify the members

ALLEGHENY REFORM COMMITTEE.

A Meeting Which Only Bore Fruit in a Pre liminary Way.

The Citizens' Reform Committee, of Allegheny, met last night at its hendquarters in the Third National Bank building. Nothing more than a permanent organization was effected, with the election of John Walker as Chairman and Gilbert Follans-

bee Secretary. A very fair representation was present, and a number of resolutions were adopted, which would not be given out for publiwhich would not be given out to patter cation. There was no discussion of future methods, and those who were supposed to methods, and those who were supposed to gathering which would make itself more prominent at the next meeting. This will take place at the call of the chairman. Among those present were James Boyard, James E. McCord, James G. Pontefract, The ophilus Second and others. The meet-ing was only in session a half hour with the

They Expect a Big Turn Out.

Great preparations are being made for the mass meeting of the Southside "straightouts" at Birmingham Turner Hall, Jane street, to-morrow. A parade will precede the meeting, in which a number of men have expressed a desire to join. The Alderman Beinhauer political club have expects to have nearly 300 men in line. The club San Francisco, Oct. 27.—The United States man-of-war Mohigan sailed to-day for Mare Island, where she will be put at once on dry dock for repairs.

The United to have nearly 300 men in inc. The club has had printed 15,000 hand bills, announcing the meeting, which are being distributed all over the Southside and the adjoining boroughs. The club has had several

banners painted and will have a large brass bend to lead their part of the parade. On one of the banners is painted the following: "We are straightonts," "Bosses must go," and "We demand equal taxation." The campaign issues will be discussed at the meeting by John S. Robb, W. D. Moore, L. K. Porter and Alderman F. C. Beinhauer.

Clarence Burleigh Pays His Respects to the Leaders of the New Faction-Niles and Culbertson Also Deliver Addresses in the Eleventh Ward.

Eleventh ward school building last night was particularly noteworthy in the enthusiasm displayed for Clarence Burleigh. The meeting was called to order by George Chambers, after which John Spratt was chosen as Chairman. A long list of vice presidents was read. Among them were the names of Robert Sproul, Robert C. Gray, John H. Detker, Dr. R. J. A. Irwin, Samuel Barckley, Revs. J. F. Patterson, John H. Vasham, H. P. Ford, Hon. J. F. Slagle, A. G. McCandless, William Hanes

and is now in the penitentiary that the whole Republican party is dishonest. The speaker did not expect the State of Mary-land and Louisiana to go Republican, be-cause Democratic treasurers had robbed the

H. J. Culbertson, of Lewistown, dwelt at ensiderable length on the question of pro-tection and a free ballot. In conclusion, he spoke of the blind bigotry of Governor Pattison in accusing the Senate of Pennsyl-

dress and was given a royal welcome. He said there need be no fear but that Allegheny county would roll up its old-time majority. The claim that the three Judges were nominated by C. L. Magee and William Flinh was non-Straightout movement and said they were

PREDICTS MCKINLEY'S ELECTION.

General Hastings Thinks the Major Will Have 20,000 Majority.

to listen to him.
"Out in Ohio," said the General, "I have given the State a pretty thorough canvass and I predict that Major McKinley will be elected by 20,000 or 25,000 votes. He is a great man and the people of Ohio are proud of him, not only for his diplomatic and public worth, but from a personal standpoint. I have met Governor Campbell, and he is a charming fellow. His views politically on the paramount issue of the campaign are not to my the campaign are not to my thousand Ohio voters who are of the same opinion. As to Pennsylvania, I can see no dissaffection in the Republican ley at the same time attempted to make himself heard, and succeded after considerranks. The only detrimental feature which might hurt us on election day is the apa-thetic feeling of the voters. They will not come out to vote in great numbers perhaps. a Presidental and Gubernatorial ele tion, but I think there is sufficient interest

on the extra session or the proposed Constitutional Convention. His wife inter-posed here that they had not seen a Pittsburg or Philadelphia paper for some weeks, consequently they were practically strangers to the daily goings on of Pennsylvania of importance. The General had a business engagement in Philadelphia to-day, in consequence of which he left on the tast line last night for the Quaker City.

OUT OF TOWN CALLERS.

The Work of Preparing Poll Books For the

Election Districts Completed. Business was brisk around the headquarters of the Republican County Committee yesterday afteruoon, and a large force of clerks were busily engaged in mailing campaign literature. Secretary Miller stated town workers had called during the day, and their reports were of a very encourag-

pleted yesterday, and the books are now ready for distribution to those entitled to re ceive them. They can be secured at the headquarters.

A new cure for hydrophobia is said to have been discovered in an extract from African palm. The juice, after suitable preparation, is injected under the patient's skin, and its immediate effect is to cause a moderate fever. The fever soon subsides and on from the fifth to the seventh day the cure is complete. It is stated that of 67 cases treated in this way 65 recovered, the other two dying of weakness. The remedy is claimed to be equally efficacious in cases

A Brake-Beam Wrecks a Train. dropping of a brake-beam on a car on a train on the Lake Erie and Western Railroad at Blaine, 40 miles west of this city, this morning, 12 cars loaded with grain and live stock were thrown off the track and went into the ditch. The wreck is one of the worst the company has experienced for

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LEGAL POINTS

Brought Out by the Loss of a Bank Check for County Taxes.

THE GOVERNMENT ON THE TRAIL.

While at Play.

HAPPENINGS OF A DAY IN TWO CITIES

A missing bank check and the efforts to locate it have brought out an interesting legal question concerning the payment of taxes. A Government expert is on the trail of the paper, and Delinquent Tax Collector Ford is figuring on the means of securing his usual 10 per cent commission on unpaid revenue

On July 27 Thomas Marshall, of the Marshall Foundry and Construction Com-pany, seal a check on a Pittsburg bank to the County Treasurer for the amount of his county taxes. The check and other necessary papers were put in an envelope, making quite a bulky passage. This was dropped in a letter box at Twentyeighth street, and Mr. Marshall had been accustomed to paying his taxes this way, just as hundreds of other business men do. He thought nothing more of the matter, supposing it was all right, until a few days ago, when he went to his bank to square up accounts. There he discovered that the check for his taxes had never been presented for payment. Mr. Marshall went at once to the County

Treasurer's office, where he found there was no record of the receipt of the check, and his taxes had been turned over to Collector Ford. This made a difference of 15 per cent in the amount, as at the time the check was mailed a 5 per cent reduction was offered, while at present there is an increase of 10 per cent over the regular amount. Mr. Marshill went to Collector Ford, but the only satisfaction obtainable was that his name was on the delinquent list and payment would be

The next move to be made was to find out what had become of the check. A state-ment of the case was sent to the Postoffice Department at Washington and a special agent was sent on. He is now at work on the matter. Mr. Marshall says the letter has been traced to the Court House. Any supposition that somebody in the County Treasurer's office appropriated the check to his own use is manifestly wrong, as in that case it would have been cashed before this. The conclusion, then, is that the paper was mislaid and lost in the handling of large

numbers of similar ones.

The peculiar feature about the case is what amount Mr. Marshall will have to pay. He claims that if his check reached the County Treasurer's office during the time of the 5 per cent discount he could not be made pay more than that. If the paper was lost or mislaid in that office it is no fault of his. On the other hand, Collector Ford insists that as Mr. Marshall's name appears on the books he shall have his commission. Mr. Marshall is not inclined to pay this, and the point of law will probably

SHOT HIS COMPANION.

A Revolver Goes Off Accidentally, an Badly Injures a Boy.

Albert Perry, aged 16 years, was accidentally shot, and probably fatally injured last evening by Ralph Hollis, a companion, who is also 16 years old. A number of young folks had gathered at the residence of Mrs. Rinneg, on Phillips street, Twentyseventh ward, to spend the evening, and among them were Hollis and Perry.

While gathered about a table with a number of other companions. Hollis took a revolver from his pocket and was playfully handling it when he accidentally discharged the weapon. Perry was sitting opposite Hollis, and was struck by the bullet just ward a little, and the ball passed through the cheek bone and down until it struck the lower jaw, and from there passed back to the base of the brain where it lodged.

Dr. Mundorff dressed the wound. The doctor could not say whether the shot would be fatal or not, but thought it very serious, as inflammation will likely set in. Hollis was arrested and locked up in the Twenty-eighth ward police station to await the result of the boy's injuries.

Alderman Cases Along Penn Avenue. There was quite a number of petty alderman cases along Penn avenue last night. Johanna Larkins was committed to jail by Alderman Burns for a hearing Friday on a charge of disorderly conduct made by Johanna Laskavage. The same magistrate issued a warrant for the arrest of William A. Cunningham, of Nineteenth' street, charged with abusing his wife. He discharged T. M. Sedgewick, the street car conductor, who was charged with assault and battery by Lawrence Reilly. Alderman Donovan committed James O'Brien to jail for hearing to-day on a charge of assault and battery preferred by Phillip Owen, as a re-sult of a street fight. Alderman Warner sent Mary Kavetski to jail for a hearing Saturday charged by Anion Kavetski with aggravated assault and battery. The case grew out of a family quarrel.

No Proclamation Issued.

Burgess Lloyd, of Sharpsburg, did not is sue a peace proclamation yesterday. The excitement over the Buckley murder has subsided considerably, and Mr. Lloyd has concluded not to move in the matter unless further indications of trouble arise.

SNAP SHOTS AT CITY ITEMS.

Seven more cases of diphtheria and five of scarlatina were reported to the Burea u of Health yesterday.

OFFICER SMITH locked Fred Zimmerman up in Police station No. 5 last night for fighting on the corner of Liberty and Pearl streets. JOHN SCHWAB was committed to jail last night by Alderman McPike on a charge of surety of the peace, preferred by David James.

EDWARD KESTNER, who was so seriously in jured by being struck by a Birmingham electric car on Monday, is much better, and DAVID WEAVER, aged 70 years, a slater, dropped dead yesterday aftern oon while

working on the roof of 208 Locust street.

Altegheny. He lived at 95 East Diamond street. YESTERDAY'S weather was a decided taste of winter. The temperature fell below 40° and snow fell several times during the day Happily the Weather Bureau promises fair and warmer weather soon.

MAYOR WYMAN, like the Pittsburg authorities, has called a halt on masquerade balls, and there will be no more of them in Alle gheny if he can help it. An application for a license to conduct such an entertainment was refused yesterday.

Condemning Hennepin Canal Land. ' PEORIA, ILL., Oct. 27 .- The suit of the United States against 82 property owners for the condemnation of land for the Hennepin Canal was to come up in the United States Court to-day, but at a meeting of in-terested parties the matter was compro-mised and Judge Blodgett and the jury merely assessed the damages.

The Lottery Magnates Arrested. SIOUX FALLS, S. D., Oct. 27.-At a late hour this afternoon District Attorney Sterling received word from New Orlean that the lottery defendants have been ar-rested, and asking on what date they should give bonds for their appearance here. He will have the eases for an adjourned term in

SAVED BY A LASSO.

An Adventurous New Jersey Woman's Ex perience on Pike's Peak. Philadelphia Times,]

Mrs. Schmults, of New Jersey, visited Colorado last winter, and after many lesser excursions set her heart upon making the ascent of Pike's Peak. A young guide, Steve Brown by name, undertook to see Mrs. Schmults safely up the mountain and Probable Fatal Shooting of a Small Boy down again. She rode a little Indian pony.

While at Play.

"It was wonderful," said Mrs. Schmults, "what intelligence the pony showed. The guide kept ahead on his mustang, looking back now and then to see how I was getting along. From the pommel of his saddle hung his lasso, and when I inquired its use he told me that he often had to tie travelers round the waist with it on the descent to

keep them from losing their seats.
"After we had got above the timber line, the horses were scrambling up a very steep bit of the trail when my pony began to slip back on some loose gravel. I thought I was gone. If the pony lost control of himself we should certainly go down the mountain together. Steve heard the grating of the pony's hoofs and turned like a flash. The next instant his lasso was swinging about his head, and before I realized what was going on, it had settled over my head and pinioned my arms to my sides. With one turn of his wrist Steve pulled me from the pony, who, relieved of his burden, quickly recovered his footing."

CHICAGO ON A CRUST OF CLAY.

It Is Very Dangerous to Build the High Structures Now Contemplated.

"Under existing conditions," said Gener al Fitz-Simons, of Chicago, to a Tribune interviewer in that city, "I would not invest a cent in one of those tall office buildings being erected downtown. Chicago is now confronted with a very serious problem. While I am not an alarmist, I must say that a grave danger exists from the big build-

ngs, "Chicago is practically affoat. We are resting upon a semi-fluid mass which is covered by a crust only 16 feet thick. The covered by a crust only 16 feet thick. The pressure of the tall buildings upon this semi-fluid mass has a tendency to force this substance upon either side. It's just like placing a brick in a pan of dough. The brick sinks down and the dough rises up on all sides of it. The same thing must happen with the buildings. As I said before, the crust, which is of tough clay, is 16 feet thick. Beneath this there is a soft substantial. thick. Beneath this there is a soft substance which is almost a fluid. It is from 30 to 36 feet thick, resting upon a stratum of indu-rated clay, directly underneath which is the hardpan. Now, as long as the crust remains intact we are all right; but break the crust and the most disastrous results would fol-

A DOG AND A STORK.

Amusing Argument Between Them Over the Possession of au Apple.

An amusing scene was witnessed in Lincoln Park, Chicago, the other day. A stork and an "ornery" yellow cur furnished the fun. The dog being young was flighty and foolish. The stork was just as grave as the dog was undignified. The pup found an apple and naturally wanted to play with it. The stork's eye lit on the apple and he had a desire to eat it. Not countenancing practical jokes, he pursued the pup, swept him aside with his long neck and seized the

apple.

But he could not eat it without jabbing it to pieces with his bill. The dog would give him no chance to do this, so the stork held the apple in his bill and looked down at the dog with the solemnity of a spectacle Heidelberg professor, while the pup barked rudely and danced around on his hind legs. In a moment of abstraction his storkship dropped the apple, and the pup pounced on it and scampered off. With two strides and a half the bird was on him and recaptured the fruit. Then the dog began again to exasperate the stilt-legged stork, and when darkness fell they were still wrangling

LETTERS IN CANNON BALLS.

Was Kept Up in Lead Spheres.

At the siege of Steenwick, in 1581, leaden cannon balls were used, each weighing about five pounds. These were hollowed out on one side, and a letter or other missive was placed in the cavity, which was afterward closed with a lead capsule. To the other side of the ball was attached a piece of tarred rope.

When one of these balls was fired from a cannon into the town, as a messenger from the camp of their allies, the blazing rope informed the inhabitants that the ball contained letters, and it was then opened Similar projectiles were used to convey messages during the siege of Turin, in 1640.

IN THE HANDS OF THE LAW.

EDWARD FRARELESKI was given a hearing by Alderman Beinhauer yesterday and held for trial at court on a serious charge, pre-ferred by Maria Shifkaskie.

MAGGIE GAMBLE will have a hearing before Alderman Gripp to-day on a charge of assault and battery preferred against her by Clara Gallagher, of Washington street. THOMAS BRESE was committed to jail by Squire J. W. McCreedy, of Mansfield, vester

day, to answer a charge of assault and bat-tery preferred by Frank Wilchesofskie. WILLIAM NOAKES was sent to jail yesterday by Alderman McKenna on a charge of as sault and battery preferred by his wife, Mary Ann Noakes. He will have a hearing on Ann No Friday.

GEORGE BROWN, colored, of Elizabeth, was sent to iail vesterday in default of \$1,000 ball y 'Squire J. W. Graham, of the same place answer a charge preferred against him by May Jones. FRANK NICHOLS, who is charged with stab

bing John Costello, in Allegheny, on Sunday night, was held for court in the sum of \$1,000 bail. Costello will recover if gangrene does not set in. JOHN E. SCHIMMEL is in fail awaiting tria at court on a charge of stealing \$76 79 from his employer. He was committed by Alder man McMasters, before whom John M. Bruce made the charge.

ALDERMAN KING committed J. Micholsky to jail last night on charges of fraudulently re moving goods and false pretence preferred by A. I. Scott. The defendant will be given a hearing on Friday.

EDWARD SHAUGHNESSY and John Burns two oil well drillers from McDonald, were arrested last night for creating a disturb nee in the house, No. 44 Second avenue where they had become obstreperous and proke a window. FRANK RODGERS, colored, was held for trial at court by Alderman McMasters vesterday

on a charge of assault and battery made by Mrs. Mary Ackerman, a white woman. The assault is alleged to have taken place at a restaurant at No. 10 Smithfield street. AUGUST TOZZALIS was sent to jail by Alderman Beinhauer vesterday to answer a charge of assault and battery made by Joseph Baluk. It appears the men had a dispute over a game of pool at a Southside pool room on Monday evening, which ended in Taz-zalis striking Baluk.

Louis Yunkle reported to Assistant Superintendent of Police Glenn, of Allegheny, last night that he had been bunkeed out o \$9. He was met by a man and was asked to join the Locomotive Brotherhood. He paid \$9 for a certificate and the man left to get it for him, but did not return. MICHAEL COMASINSKI will have a hearing

to-night before Alderman Hartman on a charge of assault and battery, preferred by Mary Kascik. Mrs. Kascik is a tenant of Comasinski, and sent him the rent by her little daughter. He took the money and re-fused to give a receipt for the same, and when Mrs. Kascik called for it he knocked her down, breaking her nose and otherwise injuring her. injuring her.

LEVI COATES and Isaac Rosenblatt were given a hearing before Magistrate McKenne yesterday, on charges of larceny from the person, preferred by Detective Fitzgerald. The detendants are alleged to have stolen a ring from H. V. Powell, of Youngstown, at the corner of Eleventh and L berty streets, on Sunday, and to have attempted to steal a watch from his pocket. Both were committed to jail for court.

NOT IN SHAPE YET.

Standard Plate Glass Meeting Postponed Till November 27.

STOCKHOLDERS ARE SATISFIED.

The Outlook Encouraging for a Successful Continuation.

FORD BROTHERS AFTER SOME STOCK

Much interest was evinced among the plate glass men about town in the adjourned meeting of the Standard Plate Glass Company at Butler yesterday. The prime object of the meeting was to increase the capital stock from \$750,000 to \$1,000,000. This was an adjourned meeting, which was held only in compliance with the law, which requires 60 days' notice, in order that a republicaction of the fact is not made necessary. It is done simply to retain a position under the

Since the embarrassment of J. A. Chambers and W. E. Schmertz, the stockholders have been more than satisfied with the smooth sailing of the Standard under the jurisdiction of Receiver D. E. Wheeler. In the opinion of many it was thought that the company would not be able to again conjurisdiction of Receiver D. E. Wheeler. duct its business successfully, but the result has been most flattering and encouraging. There were two or three freed sales of stock before the failure of Mr. Schmertz, but now since the increase of capital stock no doubt the shares will be taken up with avidity. It was said last night that the Ford Brothers were negotiating to take all the increased capital stock issued. This would materially en-hance the value of the commodity from a

speculative point of view.

The par value of the shares is \$100, but a few of the timid holders got shy of their stock at as low a quotation at \$25. This was immediately after the Schmertz and Cham bers embarrassments.

A last night's special from Butler says: The meeting of the stockholders to vote on the proposition to increase the capital stock of the Standard Plate Glass Works from \$750,000 to \$1,000,000 was continued until November 27. The time was extended at the instance of the Chambers and Schmertz interests. It is not thought that their stock will be in shape to vote by that time, and it is believed the adjournment was made in their interests in order that they may have time to sell their stock without making too great a sacrifice. The glass works are in good shape, and their capacity will be increased by one-half as soon as the additions now being added are finished.

BAILROADS AND MINING.

A New Line That Will Make Some Old New Mexican Property Pay. New York Telegram.]

"The mining industries of New Mexico are undergoing a great development," said Louis M. Kirkland, who is at the Gilsey House. "The mines are all being worked, and worked on business principles. The greatest trouble with us now is the insufficient railway accommodations. As soon as the El Paso short line is finished we will be in direct communication with the Trini-dad and Pueblo smelters, which will reduce the cost of the work to such an extent that all of the mines will pay big. As we are now, the ore has to be carted over 34

"In Raton, where I am located, we are introducing a new system of water works that we expect to finish in about four Then we expect factories to be Our irrigation system is working well and the farmers are getting fine crops Everything in New Mexico is on the boom.

Wood and Paper.

While paper is being used for dozens of purposes formerly monopolized by wood or even a harder material, such as car wheels, boxes, barrels, tubs, pails and so forth, wood is rapidly driving other ingredients to the wall in the manufacture of nearly all the cheaper grades of paper. Wood pulp is made by a comparatively lengthy process, but by taking the mills to river banks where there is raw material and water power at hand, it can be produced at less than half the price formerly charged.

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The Phi Gamma Delta Conventio The annual convention of the Phi Gamma Delta traternity will open to-day at the Monongahela House. Over 100 delegates, representing all the prominent colleges in the United States, will be present, together with as many more Pittsburgers. The con-vention lasts three days, winding up with a banquet Friday night.

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THE STRAIGHTOUTS ROASTED.

Ex-Auditor General Jerome B. Niles, of Tioga county, was the first speaker. He said he had the pleasure of knowing Mr. Morrison, and he could safely say that a more honest man never entered the State Legislature. He spoke of the Democratic party trying to spoke of the Democratic party trying to lead the people to think that because one man out of half a million forgot his honesty

vania of not being an honest body. Clarence Barleigh made the closing ad-

sense, said the speaker, and the men who sav it know better. The Judges were appointed by Governor Pattison, whose hon-esty no one could question. Nothing can be said against the three men named, and Mr. Burleigh asked why they should be taken from the positions they so ably fill. At this point he was interrupted by J. M. F. Foster a colored man, who had to be hustled out of the house by the po-lice before Mr. Burleigh could finish his talk. He roasted the managers of the

General D. H. Hastings with his charming wife, were guests at the Duquesne yesterday. The giant General was looking remarkably well. He was stylishly attired in a neat, black cutaway coat, and his trousers were ultra-fashionable, even to the crease. General Hastings was booked for a speech in the Eleventh ward last night, but owing to a severe sore throat he was forced to refrain from imparting more encouragment to local Republicans who would gather

being evinced to bring out an exceptionally large poll." The General did not care to be quoted either

last night that a large number of out of ing nature for the full Republican ticket.

The work of preparing the poll books for each election district in the county was com-

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The Republican meeting held in the