A Conference Called to Devise Ways and Means to Defeat Rutan's Ambitions.

NEW CANDIDATES ARE EXPECTED.

Frank Case Feturns From Washington and Thinks He Will Soon Be Signing His Name as Collector.

HE IS VERY SURE WARMCASTLE WILL GO

But Believes That He Should Be Permitted Fermally Resign if He Wants to.

Senator Quay telegraphed Pittsburg par ties vesterday that he would be at the Seventh Avenue Hotel to-day to consult with his political friends. Collector Warmeastie's troubles will be considered, but the most important question will be what means it is possible to adopt to knock out Senator Rutan, Senator Quay has given instructions to his friends in Allegheny county that Rutan must be sidetracked in order to keep him from leading the Dalzell forces in the next Legislature.

The Quay people have been convinced by recent developments that Mr. Rutan will engineer Congressman Dalzell's campaign to succeed Senator Quay. With the Federal patronnge in Wester: Pennsylvania in the hands of Mr. Dalzell and Entan to handle it, the friends of Mr. Quay see danger ahead, and in order to avert i the most convenient method is to choke off Mr. Rutan's new political life.

A Change of Candidates, Mr. Marshall and Mr. McDonald are believed to be the Quay candidates in the Second Legislative district, but within a we-k it is probable one or both of them will be out of it, and others who have not been identified with politics, but in whom confidence can be placed, will be run on the con-political platform and with the same arguments that were so successful in the Butan's running mate will be Mr. Cruikshank, who is strong politically, but against whom the cry can be made, as against Mr.

Rutan, that he is a politician.

Allegheny is believed to be in a reform spirit at present, and it will be the effert of the Quay people to take advantage of this by bringing forward citiren candidates who have never been in the chool of politics, but who, on the quiet, will be very willing to learn.

Case Thinks He Will Be Collector. Frank Case returned from Washington resterday hopeful that he will succeed Collector Warmcastle, and consistently stickwas of a private nature.

I called on Congressman Dalzell for a short time," he said in reply to a question, and the rest of my time was spect in visiting a sick brother."
"There is no doubt that Mr. Warmcastle

will have to go" he was asked. I cannot see any other course that the rument could pursue," was the anwer. "As it seems now, it is only a queswed to resign or whether he will be removed. For my own part, I think he should be given the privilege of resigning. although in view of the publication of all the details, I cannot see what advantage that would give Mr. Warmcastle. The vernment is very severe in its action, and lace down rules that must be followed

Will Mr. Dalzell be a candidate for the United States Senate? Thus is being considered," replied Mr. Case, with a smile which indicated that the matter had already been finally settled. You are, then, a candidate for the Collec-

My papers are on file at Washington, answered Mr. Case. "I will do nothing more. I do not know what other candidates there will be."

SIPE AND O'BRIEN RIGHT. So Says Ex-Commissioner McWilliams, Who

Is Out of Polities. Ex-County Commissioner McWilliams has declared himself out of politics, though he indorses the movement of new Democratic

association and denounces in unmeasured erms the men who have been running the Democratic politics of Allecheny county. William Brennen is Chairman of the County Committee by a combination of coname "and not through any merit or popu larity of his. Pat Folcy, who is responsible for his being there, is the worst trimmer that ever meddled in county politics. They are both dead herrings how, and their action in refusing the party candidates in the recent election has sounded their death-knell. Both parties in this county are rotten, and the combinations they have been forming are discraceful and not paralleled in the country. Leaders of both parties have been deceiving the people continually, not only by swindling them out of the candidates honestly elected at primaries, but by cheating them out at the regular elections. I believe Mr. Sipe and Mr. O'Brien are on the right road to purify the Democracy, and they will secure the indorsement and support of the best people in the party."

ON MANY CHARGES.

Thomas Gannon Has Been Wanted by the Police for a Year-Several Charges of Robbery and One of Horse Stealing Against Him.

Thomas Gannon, arrested by Detectives Bendel and McTighe Saturday night for horse stealing, has been wanted by the police for a year. But while carrying on ils operations in a wholesale way he has heretofore successfully covered his tracks. Three informations for robbery are awaiting him at Alderman Gripp's office, and other charges are likely to be made to-day. The charges are likely to be made to-day. The first affair in which the police had cause to desire Gannen's presence was the robbery of the Diamond Market just a year ago. A large amount of produce was secured. Young Jones, a companion of Gannton, was arrested and is now serving a two-year sentence for his connection with the robbery. Gannon got away and was not heard of until three months later, when a wagon load of rope was stolen from a Southside store. The filed was traced to him, but he could not be found.

or be found. The third offense on which Gannon was vanted by the police was the robbery of the frownsville wharfboat a few weeks ago. Butter, eggs and other produce, in consider-able quantity, were carried away. Gannon

able quantity, were carried away. Gannon again got out of the way.

The latest offense was the stealing of a horse from Hugh Doyle, of the Diamond. Gannon took the animal to Charleroi and sold it to Sanford Carson for \$100. It was valued at \$200. Saturday night Gannon was found by the detective on First avenue and locked up in Central station. Several other cases are against him, and he will probably be rigorousir dealt with.

HUNTING FOR JOHN HUNTER.

The Assistant Fire Chief Said to Have Been

Dismissed, There is still much talk in Allegheny as to the wheresbouts of Assistant Superintendent John Hunter, of the Fire Bureau. It was stated vesterday that he had been placed in a hospital, and it was even said he was taken there in a patrol wagon. Superwas taken there in a patrol wagon. Superintendent of Police Muth denies this, but's
there are very few who take any stock in
the story that he is in the East.

Peter Schotkman, foreman of the Grant
Engine Company, who has taken Hunter's
place, asserts that Hunter has been dismissed. Chief Murphy, however, says he
only suspended Hunter for two weeks and
that he will have his position back when he
returns.

Gallinger, Jeweler, Still at the old stand, 1200 Penn avenue. Call and see him.

A LIVELY SESSION

Of Councils Expected To-Day-The Underground Wire Ordinance Likely to Cause Considerable Discussion-Objections to the Short Time Allowed-Other Business Up.

Councils will have a lively session to-day The long-discussed question of underground wires will come up for settlement. The ordinance providing for the removal of poles now standing, prohibiting the erection of others and authorizing the burial of all telephone, telegraph, electric light and other wires, was affirmatively recommended last week by the Public Safety Committee last week by the Public Safety Committee. There may not be any opposition to-day to the measure as a whole, but there will undoubtedly be considerable discussion over some of its provisions. The ordinance provides that all wires must be put underground by November 15, 1892. It is claimed the work cannot be done by that time. Streets will have to be torn up to put in conduits and the work, unless done a little at a time, will seriously obstruct traffic. This point will be urged by several Councilmen and au amendment may result, giving more time. City Attorney Moreland will send an opinion on the right of the city to enforce the removal of poles. noval of poles.

No discussion is anticipated on the ordi

No discussion is anticipated on the ordinance providing that street cars must come to a link before crossing intersecting lines. All traction lines are now obeying this rule, and the passage of the ordinance will be little more than formality.

Unless the programme is changed this morning the Poor Farm and bond questions will not be features of the meeting.

Ordinances for the Wilkinsburg and Hill Top street railways have passed committee and are scheduled for to-day. Also the ordinance granting the Penrsylvania Railroad the right to construct a bridge over Carson, between South First and Second streets, to connect with the Panhandle bridge.

If the special committee on the Monongahela river bridge follows the instructions of

a resolution passed at the last meeting, it will have a report ready to-day on a site between the Smithfield and Tenth street between the Smithfield and Tenth street bridges.

Common Council will consider the ordi-nance for a switch from the Whitehall rail-road to Armor & Co.'s warch suse on South Twenty-first street, on which it split last

DAVIS HAS RESIGNED.

The Pittsburg Traction Superintendent Will Be With a Well-Known Iron Firm

After January 1-Other Street Railway Changes-Success of the Night Cars. E. W. Davis, Superintendent of the Fifth avenue traction line, has tendered his resignation to go into effect on January 1. After that date he will assume the management of the Marshall Foundry and Construction Company's works at Twentyeighth street. Mr. Davis is a mechanical engineer of considerable ability and his

engineer of considerabla ability and his service to the Fifth Avenue Company has been invaluable ever since the introduction of the cable system.

It is understood that William Elkins, son of the President of the company, who has been cash receiver at the East End station, will take Mr. Davis' place. At about the same time the general management of the Fifth avenue and Duquesne roads is expected to pass into the hands of President Elkins, but this point, it is stated by the officials interested, will not be settled until the conference to take place in this city next Thursday between the Duquesne and Fifth avenue magnates. The special stockholders' meetings of both companies are to be held on Thursday morning, when, according to the advertisements, the question of making "traffic arrangements" are to be passed upon. The conferènce is to take place in the afternoon.

The all-night cars put the afternoon are a night ago by the Duquesne Company have been defined.

The all-night cars put car a fet nights ago by the Duquesne Company have been doing for more business than was expended of them. Nearly 200 passengers have been hauled every night thus far, but the officials think this will not continue. They think that as soon as the novelty wears off the patronage will settle down but hade more half that, at least for a wine, but an average of even 100 passenger; per night will pay all expenses and a little over. It is expected that after the 1st of April many now living elsewhere will move to the East End on account of the night car accommodation and will thereafter be regular patrons of them.

THINKS IT SMALL BUSINESS.

Manager Hyde Throws More Light on the

Electric Suit Against the Alvin. Manage: Hyde, in speaking of the suit of Alvin Theater, said yesterday that he had no doubt the affair would be fixed up to-day. The manager was provoked that the company should adopt such a course. Their representatives pestered Mr. Davis last summer to get the contract, and made all sorts of promises which they the company should adopt such a course. Their representatives pestered Mr. Davis last summer to get the contract, and made all sorts of promises which they are not fulfilling. They bragged a great deal when they got the order, and advertised it extensively. The plant was put in on several months trial, and if it was unsatisfactory it was not to be taken. E. L. Devore was the Pittsburg agent, but since then he has quit the company. He told Mr. Davis not to take the plant unless it worked all right:

Davis not to take the plant unless it worked all right.

Manager Hyde states that the contract has not been approved. Some of the wires are grounded and the plant is not in good working order. Recently the electricism of the theater was removed. He is a relative of one of the officials of the Western Electric Company, and it is asserted that the present trouble was instigated through spite. Mr. Davis regrets that he didn't buy his electric plant from one of the three lending companies. Though still a very sick man, Mr. Davis was much better yesterday.

FINE INDUSTRIAL DISPLAY.

Mr. Riley Thinks the State Will Make

Good Showing at the Fair. George N. Riley, one of the State World's Fair Commissioners, went to Chicago last evening on private business. He says the members are so busy with their own affairs that it was decided to open offices shortly in Pittsburg, Harrisburg and Philadelphia. Some one will be appointed in each city to look after Fair matters. The commission manufacturers, and Mr. Riiey thinks the Pennsylvania industrial display will be unexcelled. The local people are taking a great deal of interest in the exhibit.

A good deal of dissatisfaction was stirred up over the first intention to reproduce in Chicago the old Independence Hall for the State building. The Philadelphia people wanted it. A compromise was made, however, and the structure is to be modern with the colonial tower on the roof. Mr. Riiey says the people want something new, and every Peransylvanian is familiar with Independence Hall. manufacturers, and Mr. Riley thinks the

Four Boys and a Jag in a Cell. Bud Purt, William McClelland, Harry Hilson and Walter Burke were arrested about 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon on Federal o'clock yesterday afternoon on Federal street, near Robinson street, Allegheny, by Officer Loughrey and sent to the lookup, charged with disorderly conduct. They were well dressed and between the ages of 17 and 20 years. They were quarreling, and became so noisy that a citizen called the of-ficer and ordered their arrest. One of them claimed his watch had been stolen.

TALES OF THE TWO CITIES.

A SATCHEL full of surgical instruments was found on Federal street, near the Ft. Wayne depot, yesterday afternoon. They were afterward claimed by Dr. Ewing.

FRANCIS FIURINI, one of the Italian laborers who was burned at Lucy furnace on Thurs-day, died from the effects of his injuries at St. Francis Hospital yesterday morning, He was 27 years old and lived in Natrona alley. AT Trinity Methodist Episcopal Church Saturday evening a popcorn social was tendered to the Sunday School children by the pastor, Rev. Mr. Varner, assisted by Misses Fannes McKee, Alice Lohman, Ella Robinson and Jennie De Armitt.

Pasquali de Pazzis, an Italian, was struck by a freight train on the Pittsburg and Western Railroad at Renfrew yesterday afternoon and had his foot crushed. He was taken to the Allegheny General Hospita, where his foot was amputated. He is 25 years old and lives at Rentrew.

JAMES SADUSKY, a 9-year-old boy, met with JAMES SADUSKY, a 9-year-old boy, met with an accident at Thirtieth street and Penn awone last evening. He was playing on a pile of boards in front of a new building, when in some way a heavy beam became distodged and fell on him. An arm was broken and a leg was fractured in two places. The boy was taken to his home, in Denny alley. Denny alley.

INDIANS IN CHAINS

Recapture of Three Young Bucks Who Ran Away From Carlisle.

THEY LEAP FROM A MOVING TRAIN, But After Two Days of Liberty Were Again

in the Toils. THE GOOD RESULTS OF EDUCATION

Three young bucks handcuffed and chained together attracted the attention of passengers at the Union depot last evening. They were merry-faced and mischievous and didn't look like dangerous criminals The boys were runaways from the Carliste Indian School and had been captured in Topeka by W. P. Campbell, the disciplinarian of the institution. After two of the young fellows gave him the slip in Mis-sour: Mr. Campbell decided to take no further chances, but used the chains to secure

A bill was passed by the last Congress making Indian education compulsory. Captain Pratt has established a regular ystem of discipline for the boys at Carisle, and it is rigidly enforced, or he wouldn't have a pupil. The rod is not used, but the culprits are court-martialed, confined in jail for a term, or made to work without pay. The three runaways will probably have to work out the expense of recapturing them, and then they will be dismissed from the school.

Influence of One Bad Indian. They came from the Shawnee, Blackfoot and Gros Ventre tribes. About six weeks ago Reynolds, the Shawnee, who is a half-breed, appeared at the school, and said he breed, appeared at the school, and said he wanted an education. He claimed he had worked his way from the Indian Territory. Captain Pratt agreed to take him, and if his record was all right he could stay. He was afraid he had been traveling with a stranded circus, and was looking for temporary todging. Reynolds had not been there long before he skipped out with three other young bucks. The fourth one has not been recantured.

Mr. Campbell had an exciting experience with the boys in Missouri. Reynolds and the Blackfoot were handcuffed, but the nippers were old and they soon discovered they weren't locked. They nursed the apparatus along, and watched their chance to es cape. Near Jefferson the train stopped on a side track to allow another one to pass. When it was starting they pulled off the When it was starting they pulled off the handcuffs and jumped from the coach. It was dark, but they landed safely. Mr. Campbell stopped at the next station, and after scouring the country for two days they were retaken in a farmer's straw stack. Reynold's was in a merry humor, and joked Campbell about the escapade. He said he was a slick Indian, and once broke away from a marshal seven times before he got him into court as a witness. Mr. Campbell said it cost considerable to hunt up the boys and bring them back, but they had to do it for the good effect it will have on their companions. The young braves must first be taught to behave themselves.

The Results of Education.

The Results of Education. The teacher was asked if Indian educa-

tion paid. "Well," replied Mr. Campbell, "I have been at Carliste for 11 years, and if I thought my work counted for naught I would quit at once. We now have 800 redskins of both sexes in the school. We have educated a great many who have gone back educated a great many who have gone back to the tribss and are doing well. You never hear of the good Indians but if one should turn out tadly he is held up as an example of wested time and money spent in educating savages. At the Pine Ridge Agency there are 67 of our graduates. In the last trouble only six joined the warriors. The others counseled peace and had as much to do in breaking up the insurrection as the soldiers. Red Cloud is the man who prevented bloodshed and now the poor old man is deposed. The Indians have no use for a chief unless he is a fighter. As for bringing redskins to Carlisle to educate, we find it is cheaper per capita than trying to teach them on the

INSPECTING STONE BUILDINGS.

A Wealthy St. Louis Merchant Says the Tariff Is Beneficial.

Joseph Specht, a wealthy St. Louis clothing man, and E. P. V. Ritter registered at the Monongabela House yesterday. Mr. Specht owned "The Famous" clothing store which was recently destroyed by fire. He intends to rebuild at once, and at present is examining stone buildings in other cities for the latest points. He inspected the Hudson building in Detroit, and speaks very well of the latest points. He inspected the Hudson building in Detroit, and speaks very well of its arrangement. He visited the local clothing houses, and says he learned some things here. Mr. Specht has not been in Pittsburg for 10 years, and he was surprised at the great change in the city. He remarked that a town's prosperity depends on the condition of its industries and mercantile trade. If these are on a substantial basis, other things, whether elaborate or not, will take care of themselves. He cited Kansas City as an instance. This place had a wonderful boom, and magnificent business houses were erected. In a short time it was discovered that the employment in the town was insufficient to support the workmen, and 40,000 people left. When the famous dollar rate prevailed between Kansas City and St. Louis, in the old rate sutting days, 30,000 people quitted Kansas City in a week.

Speaking of the McKinley bill, he said its beneficial effects on the whole country are now apparent, and he thinks the only hope for the Democrats is to hedge, as Speaker Crisp and Springer advise. The bill has not advanced the prices of ciothing for poor people. Very few imperted articles are soli in the retail trade. Most of the ready made ciothing is manufactured out of home fabrics. If a man wants a suit of imported material, it makes little difference to him whether the cloth has been advanced 10 per cent or not. He will have it anyhow. Mr. Specht left for New York and Boston last night.

Driving a Stolen Horse, Andrew Barthgate, aged 12, and Barney Boyle, aged 13, were arrested by Detectives Shore and McLaughlin on Forbes street, Soho, yesterday. They were in Dr. H. W. Fulton's buggy, stolen Saturday. The horse had been left standing in front of the dochad been left standing in front of the doc-tor's office. It is charged that Barthgate got into the rig and drove off. It was put up in some stable over night and yesterday morning the boys started off for another ride. They were enjoying a fine spin when the officers recognized the animal and stopped the fun. The horse is a blooded one and valuable.

Modjeska's Dates Cancelled. Madame Modjeska will not open at the Duquesne Theater to-night. All day yesterday her husband was keeping the wires warm between here and Philadelphia with messages concerning the famous actress condition. In the morning she was slightly better, but in the afternoon the fever began better, but in the afternoon the fever began rising so rapidly that Manager F. G. Cotter was ordered to cancel her Pittsburg dates and send her trunks back to Philadelphia. It is still hoped, however, that she will be noile to appear by Thursday. Her company is now in Pittsburg.

Looking Up the Cameron Family. Kenneth B. Cameron, of Loch Rhinnie, Scotland, is at the St. James. His brother James and he are engaged in writing a book on the Cameron clan and its descendants He came to Pittsburg to look up members of the family, but he doesn't find many in the directory, and will go West to-day. He was interested in Simon Cameron and his son Don, and visited Harrisburg to look up their ancestry. He finds that the great

Pennsylvania politician comes from an ob-scure branch of the Cameron clau. Glimore's Band To-Morrow. This wonderful band will give two concerts in the Auditorium Tuesday, matinee and evening. Popular prices.

SUITS to order \$25 and up and pants \$6 at Pitcairn's, 434 Wood street.

BOYS RUN AWAY ON A RAFT.

They Assert That They Were Practically Kidnaped, and the Man Who Enticed Them Off Will Be Arrested-Hard Work and None of the Promised Pay.

Two boys of a roving turn of mind and as much experience as stowaways on an ocean voyage are now at the Bethel Home on Duuesne way, awaiting transportation to their homes in Oil City, and at the same time crying vengeance on the man who induced them to leave comfortable beds for life on a shanty-boat raft. They were not kidnaped, but they think the effect was the same. Their tale of woe has excited the sympathy of Manager Foster, of the Bethel Home, to such an extent that he will have the man who led the boys astray for his own profit

such an extent that he will have the ham who led the boys astray for his own profit arrested.

This man ig known by the name of Jake Johnston. His particular line of business is the manufacture of chairs from hickory shrubs confiscated from the river banks, and it was to sell these chairs he allured the boys to join him. They have given their names as Burt Conner and Iran Clark. One afternoon they strayed down to the river bank and Johnston offered them a trip to the Mississippi, \$2.50 a week and transportation home whenever they desired if they would get on his raft and help him sell chairs. They consented. They wanted to go home and pack their worldly goods, but Johnston said "now or never," and in a few minutes they had weighed anchor and pulled out. On the trip down, young Conner, who is about 10 years old, said that for a short time they were well treated, but when they got so far away from home that they couldn't go back, Johnston commenced cuffing them, around and made them work hard without giving them anything but cold buscuit to eat.

"Our work," he said, "was to go on the

giving them anything but cold buscuit to eat.

"Our work," he said, "was to go on the shore and get the hickory to make the chains, and at small towns go out and sell them. Johnston was a big, rough man, who told us stories about Indians along the Mississippi river, and how he had killed them just for fun. He scared us so that we did everything he wanted us to do and were afraid to run away. We came to Sharpsburg on Saturday, and while in the town selling chairs Johnston left us. We hunted down the river for his raft because we had no money, but we could not find him. A gentleman directed us to the Bethel Home and we have been here ever since."

Clark's father, he states, is an official in the National Transit Company. They hope that their parents will send money for them when letters which they have written reach Oil City.

PLANS OF A GERMAN ENGINEER.

A Scheme to Connect the Railroads North and South America. G. A. Kairweise, a German engineer, who has spent considerable time in Chile, was in Pittsburg yesterday. He says he was frozen out of the country through the manipula-tions of politicians. He says affairs in Chile are not half, as bad as represented in American newspapers. The Chileans now control the rich guano and nitrate beds. They formerly belonged to Bolivia, but the leading South American Republic acquired the narrow strip of land between the mountains and the coast, and have completely shut off Bolivia from the ocean. The Chileans welcome Americans with money or a desire to work, but they have no use for the designing politicians who have afflicted the country. control the rich guano and nitrate beds.

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Mr. Kairweise is working on a great scheme to unite the South American railroads. Tracks have been laid across the territory from Montevideo and Buenos Ayres to the base of the Andes Mountains. The Chileans have beint a line of railroad for some distance along the coast, and rails have been put down in Bolivia. Peru, Ecuador and the United States of Colombo leading to the Pacific. It wouldn't require much to complete the links uniting the systems and continue the road to a point near Panama, where a line of steamships could receive the freight and carry it by water to the Mexican railroads. The latter now connect with the Southern Pacific and other American railroads. In this way, with the exception of the short ocean voyage, the railroads of North and South America could be made continuous. Mr. Kairweise claims the route he has mapped out is the shortest and most feasible to South America. He thinks the plan is better than Blaine's to reach the Southern countries by water. It takes 21 days now to sail from New York to Rio Janeiro.

A portion of a Hebrew funeral landed in Central station yesterday. The services were over and two wagon loads of attendants were returning home. When they reached High street the influence of a couple reached High street the influence of a couple of jugs of whisky got the drivers into the idea of a race and down the narrow street the two vehicles dashed. Near Webster avenue they coilided with a buggy and a general smashup resulted. Officer Milholland caught S. H. Alpern, Isaac Swartz and Simon Swartz. The men were hurried off to Central station and locked up. A short time afterward J. Greenburg appeared and asked that the police hunt up the rest of the parties. He said he had buried a child a week ago, and at the funeral these parties had acted in a similar manner, which he thought very disgraceful. The three men arrested are all of advanced years. After they sobered up they were let out on forfeits.

Work to Be Commenced in the Spring Mr. Schlosser says the work of remode ing and enlarging the hotel will be menced in the spring. The plans have been partially improved, but there are so many heirs to be seen that it will take some time to decide what improvements will be made.

MINOR POLICE.

JAMES GARGONO, an Italian, of No. 723 Forbes street, was arrested last night by Officer Rohen and locked up in the Four-Officer Rohen and locked up in the Four-teenth ward station for assaulting Thomas Richards. Some boys had been teasing Gar-gono, and he ran out of his place with a shoemaker's knife in his hand. Mr. Rich-ards was passing the place at the time, and the Italian, thinking he had been putting the boys up to tease him, made a thrust at Richards with the knife and cut his hat but did no further damage. MARTIN PATTERSON, a six-foot colored man

of Homewood, was arrested yesterday by Officer Kiley for disorderly conduct. It is Officer Kiley for disorderly conduct. It is alleged that on Saturday night Patterson got drunk, and on going home flourished a huge revolver and threatened to shoot everybody in the neighborhood. He was locked up in the Nineteenth ward station. CHARLES COATES was arrested last night and locked up in the Twelfsh ward police station. He is charged with being the man who knocked Officer Bumbaugh down and beat him at midnight Saturday. Numerous friends of Coates called at the station, want-ing to put up a for:eit for his release, all were refused.

DETECTIVE RICHARD KELLY arrested Walter Brown, E. W. Smith and Edward McMurray yesterday at 123 Second avenue. A visitor at the house complained to the police that he had been robbed there, and he suspected the men named. They are oil men from Oakdale, and deny their guilt.

MINNIE MCAPEE, of prepossessing appearance, about 23 years old, and whose home is at 123 Strawberry alley, was arrested last evening by Officer Downey and sent to the Eleventh ward police station. She was in-toxicated and had fallen down a pair of steps leading from Elm street. YESTERDAY afternoon Frank Noling and

o'Mara street, Allegheny. Officer Kim was apprised of the game, and made a raid upon them. He caught Koling, and sent him to the Allegheny Central station. CHARLES WARD was arrested yesterday afternoon in Schenley Park by Officer King, charged with reckless driving. He was sent to the Fourteenth ward police station, where he left a forfeit of \$30 for an appearance this

THE cold nights are beginning to drive the vagrants to the police stations for shelter. Nine applied at the Twelfth ward station has night and five at the Seventeenth. All

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except Sunday.

EVERYBODY WAS OUT.

Street Cars and Sidewalks Crowded, and Carriages in the Parks.

THE FIFTH AVENUE LINE STOPS

To Put in a New Crossing at Smithfield, Causing a Duquesne Crush.

CHRISTMAS SHOW WINDOWS INSPECTED

Yesterday was a great day for the traction roads. The weather was rather warm for a midwinter Sunday, but it was chilly enough to wear heavy clothing with comfort, and in all other respects was perfect. The atmosphere was clearer than it has been for nonths, and one was reminded of the days when natural gas was supreme. The charms of the day induced throngs of people to take advantage of it to go out for an airing. Some went to church, some to promenade and many others to visit friends or rela-

The traction companies received the benefit. The cars were crowded all day long and late into the night.

The Fifth avenue line was an exception A change in the crossing at the intersection of Fifth avenue and Smithfield street necessitated by the introduction of the heavy vented the Fifth Avenue road from run-ning a car between Oakland and Market streets from Saturday midnight until 6 o'clock last evening. Under the contract between these companies the Fifth avenue company is required to keep the crossing in order. About a year ago a crossing was put in with castings supposed then to be heavy enough for any purpose. Big Cars Knock Out Crossings.

But the big cars adopted later by the Birmingham Company have proven too much for the crossings and for some time past the officials of both roads have been apprehensive of an accident at that point on account of the shaky condition of the crossing rails. Special castings, heavy enough to carry freight trains were ordered recently and delivered Saturday. Late Saturday night, a force of workmen began tearing up the street to put in the new rails. They were kept at work until early this morning before the job was

The new crossing consists of four heavy castings, including the yokes which pass under the conduit through which the cable travels, and on which the track weight is supported. Steel rails are laid on top. The crossing is expected to last for The crossing is expected to last for years, While this work was going on the Duquesne traction cars had everything their own way and "standing room only" would have been an appropriate sign on any of them from early in the morning until 6 o'clock in the evening, when the cable cars began to move. A few cable cars were kept running between Oakland and East Liberty during the day, but they hauled few passengers.

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The Second avenue and Citizens' roads did a big business vesterday, while the Bir-mingham and the Allegheny lines came in for an extra large Sunday traffic as well. The lines leading to the eastern part of the city, however, seem to get the largest Sunday travel, and it is explained by a railroad man in this way. With the introduction of rapid transit, hundreds of families have moved from Allegheny, the Southside and downtown portion of the city to more de-sirably located houses in the East End.

What Goes to Swell the Receipts, In addition to the traveling these people In addition to the traveling these people do there is a large amount from friends and relatives in other parts of the city, who go to visit them. Most of this "visiting" is done on Sunday. Then, many of those who have moved out are members of downtown churches and their traveling back and forth to church adds largely to street railway receipts on Sunday.

The crowds on the streets yesterday were

The crowds on the streets yesterday were not all brought out by the beautiful weather. Shopkeepers who had their windows arranged for Christmas buyers took advantage of the opportunity to display their stock. The blinds were not drawn, as is usual on Sundays, and before every window there were interested observers and prospective purchasers all day long. Many a person decided yesterday while surveying these window displays that difficult problem which always presents their fallow in this season: "What shall I buy for Christmas presents?" The shopkeepers will receive a reward for their enterprise later on.

The owners of vehicles were appreciative of the opportunity to give their nags an airing, and the driveways at Schenley Park reminded one of the summer days. The roads were in excellent condition, and many a high stepper was given a warming exerhigh stepper was given a warming exer

A Narrow Escape From Death. Charles Plowmaker made a narrow escape from death on the Smithfield street bridge Saturday night. He was crossing on Birmingham car No. 14, which was so crowded that he had to stand on the steps. When that he had to stand on the steps. When near the middle of the bridge he was pushed off, and was caught in the narrow space between the car and the side of the bridge. He was badly squeezed, and when released it was found that his arm was broken and he was internally injured. He was taken to the Homeopathic Hospital, where his injuries were dressed and he was then sent to his home at Jeannette. Plowmaker is a glass-blower and former resident of the Southside.

Only Two Speak-Easies, Two illegal liquor joints fell into the police net yesterday. The first was run by Mary McBride, on Mulberry alley, near Twenty-sixth street. Lieutenant Lewis raided the place, and arrested the proprietress and three visitors. They were taken to the Twelfth ward police station. About 11 o'clock last night Captain Mercer, with several officers raided the speak-easy kept by Mrs. Jane Sullivan on Second avenue, near Burlington street. The proprietress, with two women and three men. were ar-rested and locked up in the Fourteenth

Broke Sunday and a Carriage. S. H. Alpern and Isaac and Simon Swarts three Hebrews, were arrested on Wylie avenue yesterday. They were driving reck-lessly, it is said, and ran into a carriage with their own wagon and did considerable dam-age. A jug of whisky found in the wagon is probably the cause of their recklessness. They all put up forfeits for a hearing to-day.

THE FIRE RECORD.

AT Findlay, the Lake Erie and Western grain elevator. Loss, \$12,000; insured. Ar New Orleans, J. Foerster's New Orleans rice mill. Loss estimated \$40,000, fully insured.

A slight fire was started in the rear of 90 Seventh avenue yesterday by a dog jumping on a table and overturning a lamp. A FIRE broke out last night in the house William Sailor, on Shady avenue, Alle-Ar Cincinnati Saturday night, the Fountain building, owned by the Globe File Com-pany, the Phœnix and Standard Furniture Company, Klinker & Co. and K. Kruse, furniture dealers. The Globe File Company escaped unscathed. All the other occupants were damaged more or less. Building only partially injured. Total loss. \$25,000; fully insured.

THE Hill district had two small fires yes terday. Box 381 was turned in about 8:30 A M. for a fire in the new house owned by Daniel Dunbar, on Bismarck way. Eleventh ward. The fire was caused by a lump of hot coal rolling out of the grate and setting fire to the floor. Damage about \$150. The other alarm was from box 51 about 8 o'clock for a slight fire in the house of William Cannon, at No. 17 Carpenter's alley. No damage.

ings, new designs, at \$1 25 a pair; worth \$3. For couches. Jos. Horne & Co.'s Penn Avenue Stores. A Royal Hollday Gift. Have you heard the wonderful self-playing Wilcox & White organ yet? Only at H. P. Ecker & Co.'s, 75 Fifth avenue. Store

HELD UP BY THE LAW.

Magistrates-They Pay Fancy Prices for Their Seventh Day Jags-Mary Dolan Retired for Three Months,

There were 33 cases at the Central station hearing yesterday morning, all ordinary ases of minor importance. Mary Dolan got the only 90-day sentence, having been acting unbecomingly in Denny's alley. Several witnesses testified against her and she might have gotten off lightly had she not called them names for doing so. She became very loud and profane and Judge Gripp gave her a three months' sentence Alex Cochrane was sentenced to the workouse for being implicated in the larceny of keg of beer, but John Connors, arrested on the same charge, was able to prove his in-nocence. Patrick Rowan got 30 days for

nocence. Patrick Rowan got 33 days for acting disorderly on Grant street. Charles Spencer, for a like offense on Stephenson street; J. R. McBeth, for insulting people on Elm street, and Arthur Gildernew, for striking a man on Federal street, all got the same sentence. The two boys who had been arrested for passing hand bills on the streets on Saturday failed to appear and their deposits of \$10 were forfeited.

There were life cases before Mayor Wyman at the hearing at the Allegheny police station. James H. Slawson was fined \$745 for disorderly conduct at the Baltimore oyster house, Federal street. He raised a row because a lo-cent oyster soup he ordered contained but one oyster. Charles Jones, the colored man who quarreled with his sweetheart Saturday night in the Southeast Park, was fined \$10 and costs. Mary Grant was sent to the workhouse 30 days for hitting her husband on the head with a brick. She lives on Chestant street. Henry Brown was fined \$10 and costs for beating his wie at an early hour yesterday morning. She was vivns in bed at the time suffering from a early hour vesterday morning. She was lying in bed at the time suffering from a broken leg. Her home is on Chestnut street.

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Magistrate McKenna disposed of 17 cases at the Twelfth ward station. Hugh Kelly was picked up by an officer on Seventeenth street at 3 o'clock Sunday morning. He said he had no home. He was given 90 days in the workhouse.

William Galway, who was trying to sell a gold watch on Penn avenue Saturday night. gold watch on Penn avenue Saturday night, and who could not definitely account for the ownership of it, was given 30 days to

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Frank McGunnigle, who got in a brawl on Second avenue Saturday night, and who endeavored to whip the officer arresting him, was sentenced to 30 days in the workhouse.
P. J. McTighe was arrested at Fourth and Liberty streets Saturday night, and a charge of disorderly conduct placed opposite his name on the docket. He put up \$30 forfeit for a hearing Monday. As he went out of the station he spied the officer who arrested him. He immediately began to upbraid him and call him vile names. He was rearrested and put up another forfeit of \$10 for a hearing Monnay.

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At the Seventeenth ward station only three "drunks" were to be brought before Magistrate Lealie yesterday. They received three "drunks" were to be brought before Magistrate Leslie yesterday. They received the usual sentences.

Yesterday morning's hearing at the Twenty-eighth ward station was quite a long one and kept Magistrate Succep busy for about two hours. Edward Wilson was arrested at the instigation of his mother, who alleged that he does nothing but get drunk and abuse her. The ungrateful son was sent to the workhouse for 90 days. James Finnegan had an imaginary spite against sadie McFadden and called her all the vile names he could think of, and for which he was assessed \$5 and costs. Edward Burke was found footing about a poolroom at 3 o'clock yesterday morning, and, as he could give no good reason for his actions, was sent to the workhouse for 30 days. Henry Fally, William Walker, Lew Storey, Albert Hurris and Charles Tarr were captured while indulging in a game of poker, and were fined \$10 and costs each.

Magistrate Hyndman, at the Nineteenth ward police station, disposed of five cases of drunkenness at the Fourteenth ward station. Bennett Holland was fined \$5 and costs on a charge of abusing his wife; Michael Cain was fined a like amount for fighting, and James O'Donnell and Benjamin Rorstiens, charged with vagrancy, were sent to the workhouse for 30 days each.

PEOPLE WHO COME AND GO

of the Pennsylvania road, was at the Monon-gaheia House yesterday. The Judge form-erly lived in Greensburg, but left the bench to accept his present lucrative. Judge James A. Logan, General Solicitor to accept his present lucrative position with the railroad. He is well known in Pitts-burg, and resides in a fine home in the sub-urbs of Philadelphia.

A. J. Haws, the Johnstown brick manufacturer, stopped at the Seventh Avenue Hotel yesterday. The flood reporters will always remember him kindly for what he did for them.

Senator N. E. Whitaker, of Wheeling, registered at the Duquesne yesterday. He is a manufacturer of sheet iron, and is going into the tin plate business. Edward Pool, Secretary of the Braddock Wire Company, returned from New Orleans last evening. He had been there for five weeks settling up a claim.

W. S. Rainey, the Cleveland coke opera-tor, returned from New York last evening. He claimed there was nothing new in the C. C. Weybrecht, an Alliance politician, and A. M. Gibson, of London, are stopping at the Monongahela House.

Harry Williams, with his wife and daughter, left for New York last evening to spend the holidays. William Thaw got back from New York vesterday, where he had been visiting mobers of the family.

J. J. Hoblitzell, of Meyersdale, came in from the West on the Panhandle last even J. C. Bergstresser, editor of the Insuran World, went to New York last evening. Judge Harry White, of Indians, expect

Samuel De Armitt went to Chicago of the limited last night.

to leave for home early this morning

Look Out! The "Home Guard" is now displayed at all the stores of the Great Atlantic and Pa-cific Tea Co., and will be given out De-cember 14 to 24. This most beautiful panel is our Christmas souvenir to our patrons. If you haven't been dealing with us in the past, don't fail to make a purchase of one pound of tea, one pound of baking powder or two pounds of coffee in order to obtain one of these "Home Guard" panels, and also satisfy yourself that we have the best goods at the lowest rates, and the most excellent assortment of presents. Don't fail to call at the Great Atlantic and Pacific Tea Co.

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128 Fifth avenue, McKeesport During the Holidays,

As well as at every other time of the year, Marvin's cakes and crackers are so popular that it is difficult to supply the demand. Royal fruit biscuit can hardly be supplied fast enough to meet the demand, while soda crackers, Marvin's old reliable, famous XXX sodas, are selling like hot cakes. Everybody seems to want them at once They are so delightfully crisp and fresh that people who try them always want more. Ask your grocer for Marvin's cakes and crackers. Don't take any others. It won't pay you.

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"Chemical Diamonds," mounted in solid gold and set in jewelry of every description. K. SMIT, Sole Agent, Corner Liberty and Smithfield and 311 Smithfield street. Cicar Moisteners, Smokers' Stands, Etc., In oak, mahogany and walnut; plain trimmed with silver and bronze in beauti A LOT of Indian blankets, beautiful color-

> JOSEPH EICHBAUM & Co., 48 Fifth avenue MWF Positive Bargains. Everything goes in the way of fancy slippers. 1,000 pairs to be sold at 75c, at Simen's, 78 Ohio street, Allegheny, Pa.

DEAD AT DAYLIGHT.

Milton B. Smith Found Hanging From a Door Sunday Morning.

HE HAD A FIT OF DESPONDENCY,

Caused by Continued Illness and Consequent Idleness.

MONEY ALL USED IN DOCTORS' BILLS

Brooding over his inability to work and made melancholy by disease, Milton P. Smith committed suicide some time during Saturday night, and was found hanging from a door yesterday morning. Smith was 14 years of age and married. He and his wife lived with the latter's father, James Godfrey, at No. 34 Wylie avenue.

Smith was formerly a harness maker, and acquired a comfortable livelihood. But a few months ago he became incapacitated for work on account of erysipelas in one of his limbs, and since then the money has gradually diminishe⁴. Recently gangrene set in. Smith became despondent over his af-fliction and the realization that he would never be well again. A few days ago Mrs.

never be well again. A few days ago Mrs. Smith went away on a visit.

Saturday night Smith retired to his room alone. He had been melancholy for days past, and nothing was thought of his despondent appearance. Yesterday morning he did not appear for breakfast. After waiting several hours one of the family went to Smith's room and found the door locked. It was forced one and Smith was went to Smith's room and found the door locked. It was forced open, and Smith was found hanging by a rope to the door of a closet. He had stood on a chair, fastened the rope about his neck and over the door and then stepped off. A physician was summoned, but was of no avail, as Smith had been dead several hours. He must have strangled quickly, as he had not time to remove his crippled limb from the chair. The suigide husband left no word as to the reason of his actions. It is generally considered, however, that his illness so preyed on his mind that he did not desire to live and become a burden on his wife and relatives. Mrs. Smith has been notified and will be home at once. The coroner will and will be home at once. The coroner will hold an inquest to-day.

MUSICAL CHRISTMAS GIFTS

At H. Rleber & Bro.'s. Mandolins—The celebrated Washburn's. Guitars—The celebrated Washburn's. Music boxes—The elegant Mermod Freres. Banjos' and mandolins-Kleber's

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Cornets—Higham's, Besson and Courtoi's. Guitars—Arion, Keystone and Lakeside. New violins from \$1 to \$100. Fine old violins from \$50 to \$600.

Kleber Bro.'s are the exclusive agents for the above well-known and guaranteed makes, and these can be had only at their store, No. 506 Wood street. Store now open every evening.

Santa Claus' Visit Won't be complete unless he leaves some of Marvin's nick-nacks, animal cakes, Christ-mas toys and cocoa bon-bon macaroons for the little folks. Christmas toys have rings attached to them, and make beautiful Christmas tree decorations. Order them from your grocer. Don't let anybody make you believe that other crackers and cakes are as good as Marvin's. Make the test yourself and be

All sizes and kinds, from 25c to \$3.

An embroidered and tucked lawn aprox at 50c each. A hemstitched and embroidered lawn apron at 75c each.

A hematitched and embroidered, ruffle finished lawn apron at 75c.

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These in great variety and styles, and many others from \$1 upward.

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apartments for women. Portraits forChristmas Presents. This month, a handsome 8x10 frame with every doz. cabinet photos. Also genuine crayons at special low prices. LIES' STUDIO, 10 and 12 Sixth st.

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has been greatly improved since it was transferred to the Agricultural Department. His visit to this city, he stated, does not in-dicate that there is to be a tidal wave of re-form in the Government offices in this part of the State.

Another Government Inspector Here.

T. F. Townsend, a Weather Bureau inspec tor, came to Pittsburg yesterday to inspect the Pittsburg station. He says the bureau

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PENN AVENUE STORES.

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The items named below will be found, as are many others not mentioned, superior in style, as well as superior in quality of cloth to any that can be offered you elsewhere at as low prices.

BY THE YARD:

Bleached Damasks, a variety of good designs, all new, at 50c and 65c a

Damask at 75c a yard. Napkins to match, 20x20 inches, \$1.50 per dozen; 23x23 at \$2.25 per dozen. 68-Inch Irish and Scotch Bleached

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to match, 20x20 inches, at \$2 a dozen; 24x24 inches at \$3 adozen. 2-Inch Irish and Scotch Bleached Damask at \$1 a yard. Napkins to match, 20x20 inches, at \$2 a

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Finer grades to finest in all best

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trimmings, all colors, were \$20, NOW \$10. French Robes, the handsomest shown this season, braided and feather

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