McClure Admits Cases Were Settled, That Alderman Robe is discharging cases by allowing defendants to pay the costs was made evident by a statement made by Agent McClure a few days ago with regard to several cases brought before the Aldermn, which he said were settled by the Souire allowing the defendants to go free by paving costs. "It was their first offense," explained Mr. McClure, "and we let them off easy." Why "we" was used was not clear, the only inference being that the Alderman and agent were working together in the dealing out of justice.

Attorney Yost, representative of the Law and Order Society, also confirmed the manner in which defendants are discharged. when in conversation yesterday he explained the small amount of the fines turned over to the State by saving:

The fine of \$25 is not collected in one case out of ten. The defendants are usually and the fines are remitted. "Why," Mr. Yost, as if he were to explain a point worthy of commendation, "it is al-most impossible for the Alderman to collect

"It is not very important anyway. The State gets the money," interposed the re-"Yes," answered Mr. Yost. "I had the opinion and still believe that if the law was

tested the prosecutor would get one-half as in liquor cases. It is hardly worth testing the matter, however, because it would only be 812 50 in each case anyway."

Vost Knows Nothing About the Funds. "Does the society have much trouble in

"Well, I guess so," replied Mr. Yost. "I know they don't pay their attorney very promptly," he added, with a sad, deep, thoughtful smile that might have been taken to convey a dozen different meanings. Don't you think between \$4,000 and \$5,000 was a rather small amount to be torned into the State as the collections of Aldermon in Law and Order cases?"

That is not a question for me to consider. instruct whatever Alderman does our iness to turn over fines collected to Mr. That is all I have to do about it. If they fail to do that it is not my fault." Beside prosecutions under the blue law, the Law and Order Society in its early distory did a land office business in arresting illegal liquor dealers whom they had ried under a later act, and who were usually fined \$50. Half of this fine, as has already been stated, was turned over to the and Order Society as prosecutor and the other half went to the Poor district in which the prosecution took place. It was a noticeable fact that in these cases fines were usually collected, a discharge with payment of costs being an unprofitable rarity. It is hardly to be supposed that the number of illegal liquor sellers prosecuted came near being equal to the arrests under the law of 1794. From the amount of fines turned in to the city, however, it would seem the former cases greatly exceeded the atter. Pittsburg alone has received about 8,000, while Allegheny and the townships were also given their share

Enrnings Run Up Into Thousands. Twelve thousand dollars is considered a ow estimate for the whole county, and, as that represents but half the fines collected, it would seem that the so-ciety thas prosecuted three times as illegal liquor sellers as persons he have been guilty of selling soda water, cigars or similar things on the Lord's Day. o a person acquainted with the history of the society the reverse would appear more truth. It doesn't seem possible tont the Aldermen could have made misskes in returning fines to the State. Seither does it seem possible that the soty would have given more money to the

The society's attempt to prevent the salary grab took tangible shape vesterday by the filing of a petition by Attorney Yost Philadelphia salary act of 1883. In speaking of the case Mr. Yost said:

Ta-day was the last day an appeal could a taken, and I delayed the matter until 3 o'clock to give the Controller a chance to not. It was his duty to take an appeal, but he did not indicate any intention of doing so. The Law and Order League will push the ease to a final test, and I think we will

AFTER THE ALDERMEN.

Controller Grier Refuses to Pay Costs Demanded by Three Magistrates-A Claim That They Are Bleeding the County Mith Discharged Cases.

Controller Grier is up in arms against Aldermen who make a living by stirring up strift among their neighbors, getting suits entered and then discharging them and patting the costs on the county. The first Peace John Glunt, of Braddock township, and Justice of the Peace G. H. Clementson. of Braddock borough. The Controller has refused to pay the costs they have placed on the countr, and says if they insist he will centest the claim in court. In giving a reason for this step, he said:

"These Aldermen, as well as some others, have been doing nothing but soliciting and bearing suits with no other intention than to discharge them and demand the costs from the county. They never find the de-fendant guilty, because then they would have to look to him for the costs, and would probably never get them. If they sue me for their costs I will try and have them removed. Such officials are a menace to the community in which they live."

A reference to the Controller's report shows that in 1800 Alderman Foley returned 113 discharged cases, for which he received as costs \$357-29. In the same year Justice of the Peace Clementson returned 75 cases and received \$228 St. Mr. Glunt let the county down a trifle easier by only demanding \$251 45 for 67 cases. The number of cases these men tried and gave judgment to the plaintiff was very small, if there

One case given as an instance by the Controller was an information made before Squire Clementson charging a person with the larceny of 30 cents. The defendant was, of course, discharged and the 'Squire's costs Alderman Foley's term of office will ex-

pice next spring and he has announced his determination of not being a candidate for re-election. He has become famous for the number of cases he has had among the lituagarians and seldom fails to have a MARK TWAIN'S "American Claimant"

In THE DISPATCH to-morrow.

MES. WATSON SUES FOR A MILLION. An Attempt to Recover a Big Tract of

Land in Allegheny. Attorneys M. A. Woodward and John D. Watson yesterday filed, in Common Pleas No. 3, the ejectment suit of Mrs. Mary W.

D. Watson against Samuel Watson. The

claintiff is the widow of the late A. M. Watson, Esq.

The suit is brought to obtain possession of tract of land along the East street extento which, she claims, belongs to her instead of the defendant. The traci contains about 165 acres, and is known as the Watson place.

ity to discharge the case by allowing the defendant to pay the costs. T represent the Commonwealth," he

The Carnegie Library Will Be Made to Fit the Space Allotted to It.

OBJECTIONS TO PREVAIL.

No : Friction Is Contemplated With the Commission.

ANOTHER MILLION TO BE DONATED

And the New Structure Will Be Magnificently Grand.

THE PILE : WILL BE OF GRANITE

Library for Pittsburg will be changed to meet the objections raised by Chief Bigelow and the structure will under an arrangement between the Library Commission and the Chief be erected on the entrance to Schenley Park. The plans for the new library contemplated a building paralleling Forbes street 400 feet and fronting on Bellefield avenue 200 feet. Such a structure would extend back from Bellefield avenue on the main entrance to the park destroying the natural ravine to be spanned by a magnificent stone bridge and blocking the entrance designed by Mr. Bigelow. Such an arrangement Chief Bigelow refused to approve, and he promptly notified the Library Commisssion that unless the plans were changed to protect the main entrance to the park as already designed the library could not be crected on the park property.

James B. Scott and other members of the Library Commission held a conference with Chief Bigelow yesterday. The Chief suggested that the proposed new building be shifted around to front 200 feet on Forbes street and 400 feet on Bellefield avenue. The suggestion was discussed for a time, but was not accepted. Finally it was agreed by the commission to have the plans for the building changed to protect the park entrance. In the change the building will front on Bellefield avepue. Forbes street and the main entrance to the park, tending to beautify the entrance

rather than to destroy it. James B. Scott said yesterday that change in the plans to meet Chief Bigelow's objections had been determined on by the emmission, but he was unable to say in what way the change would be made. He said, nowever, that the library will be creeted at the park entrance and that the plans when changed will meet the hearty approval of Chief Bigelow.

"Yes, the proposed new building could be shifted around so as to parallel Bellefield avenue and meet my objections, but that interfered with.

The Plans Must Fit the Ground.

"The plan for the new library is a good one," the Chief went on, "but the dimenions of the proposed building are too large to fit the ground, and instead of making the ground fit the plans we will make the plans fit the ground. There will be no trouble or city than was due it. The mystery deepens in the matter is studied. No person spoken to vesterday could offer an explanation.

Who can."

The mystery deepens friction with the Library Commission. The whole matter was arranged to-day, and the library will be an ornament to the park." ->
The Library Commission have \$700,000 asking for permission for ten taxpayers to go into court and defend the county in the Carnegie and much interested in the library said last night: "In changing the plans of said last night: "In changing the plans of the new library no attempt will be made to lessen the cost of the building. I have no idea that a brick building will be erected. Mr. Carnegie will not be satisfied with such

> structed of granite. Rich in Ornamentation.

have this proposed monument to him con

"With that vast sum added to the \$700,000 tions will be allowed time to settle. The walls, as they are constructed, will be pro tected to keep them from cracking, and all the ornamentation will be rich and rare." John S. Lambie stated yesterday that his understanding of the city ordinance in relaion to the matter was that the commiss

low said last night. "The ordinance grants the commission the right to erect the building at the Park entrance subject to my approval. The entrance to the Park must not be destroyed by the Park Comm or any other organization.

MORALITY of the business world in THE DISPATCH to-morrow, from the pen of the Rev. George Hodges.

hung a photograph of David B. Hill, who is rapidly becoming the patron saint of the organization. A small fing was fastened to the picture and outside of that of Jackson it was the only likeness in hall that was decorated. A large picture of Cleveland was early in the evening turned toward the wall, but it was faced to the front before the

the spoils." His reference to David B. Hill brought out vigorons and prolonged applause as did also the name of Governor

During the evening refreshments were served and the occasion was a most enjoy-able one. There was plenty of vocal and instrumental music and the crowd was ntertained until an early hour this morn-

War Said to Be Declared Off.

It was reported yesterday that a truce has been patched up between Senator Quay and Senator Rutan, and that the war between the two old political war horses had been declared off. Quay and Rutan were for many years associated in business, and for 30 years they have been close political friends. They have been disgruntled to-

Gallinger, Jeweler.

Creek Delegate Says Education Is Working Wonders With the Reds-The Civilized Nations Not Brady to Be Admitted

A. P. McKellop, of Muscovy, I. T., a city last evening on his way to Washingin the Territory to inter-marry. Some of the best merchants out there are wedded to intelligent Indian girls and a number of redskin boys have married white women. In most cases the marriages have proved happy and have resulted in a brighter race of

The rising generation is being carefully trained, and in a few more years the ignorant and prejudiced old men will be

were admitted, the married Indians would be given 160 acres, single men 80 and minors 40 acres. The balance of the land would be sold by the Government at \$1.25 per acre.

A POPULAR DEMOCRAT.

Al Carlile sent Chairman Neal, of Ohio, telegram yesterday congratulating him on the complimentary vote which the Buckeye Democrats gave him for United States Senator. Jim Neal, as he is familiarly known, is one of the most popular and able Democrats in the State. If it had been the lot of the people to have a Democrat represent them in the Senate instead of John Sherman, Jim Neal's selection would have been very pleasing to the Republicans. Mr. Carlile thinks Hill won't have much of a show for delegates in Ohio. He

may get one here and there. Out in McKin-ley's old district the sentiment of the people is for Cleveland, but Congressman Warwick is trying to capture the delegates for the New York ex-Governor.

BROKE UP THE FIGHT.

Prize Ring on the River Bank Raided by Officers.

Last night Detectives Robinson, Kelly and Shore were up in the neighborhood of the Union depot, and in passing a saloon overheard a quartet of young men making arrangements for a prize fight for a stipulated amount. The quartet were followed down Eleventh street to the Allegheny river bank where some other preliminarie were arranged. The two principals, Charles Trainor, of Pittsburg, and William Clark, of Kittanning, stripped for the battle and were assisted by their seconds, Nick Fortune and Owen Manning.

No more time was lest, but the men went at each other in the seconds.

at each other in true prize ring style, when the detectives pounced down upon them and sent the entire party to the Central station in the patrol wagon

GOSSIP OF THE TWIN CITIES.

CORONER McDowell, in company with Boiler Inspector F. J. Manley, yesterday visited Rankin's station, the scene of Thursday night's boiler explosion. The Coroner inpanelea a jury and after making an examination of the place continued the inquest until next Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. a structure, and I have every reason to be-lieve that he will give another \$1,000,000 to

ciety will hold a temperance rally to-mor-row evening, at 7:30 o'clock, at Duquesne Hall. No. 216 Penn avenue, Prominent speakers will address the meeting and the exercises will be veried with recitations and songs. Admission is free and all are invited.

THE regular meeting of the Iron City Microscopical Society will be held at the Academy of Science and Art next Monday evening. C. C. Mellor will read a paper on "Diatoms." Next Tuesday the academy will hold a meeting, at which Walter B. Scaife will lecture on "University Extension."

charges. There is great demand for assist-ance in that particular line. Every piece of bedding on hand has been given out and donations are earnestly asked for. THE Fifteenth Ward School Board, of Allewhen y at a meeting last night, settled on a a reduction of one-half a mill from last year's tax and one mill less than 1890. The

ope to reduce the millage still fur REVIVAL services are being held in the until January 23, under the leadership of

Rev. G. L. Barker, formerly General Secretary of the Y. M. C. A. Camdem, N. J., assisted by Isaac Meredith. THE report of contageous diseases at the Bureau of Health vesterday showed five new cases of scarlatina and five new cases

of diphtheria. One half of the total number of new cases are in the Thirty-second ward, P. W. Wonleber, aged 22 years, died yes

Tue H. J. Heinz Company gave its annua banquet to its employes at the general offi

ces of the company on Main street, Alle-gbeny, last evening. Covers for about 100 persons were laid. A very enjoyable time CORONEE McDowell held a partial inques resterday on the death of Mrs. Lizzie Mc

Fade, who was killed on the Pittsburg, Mc-Keesport and Youghlogheny Railroad on Thursday. The inquest will be concluded to-day. A MEETING of the Secular Society will be held in Curry University Hall on Sunday

A norse, attached to a sleigh, which was tied to a post on Liberty avenue and dashed np Sixth avenue. At Wood street it collided with a post, breaking its neck and dying in-

A Masonic banquet was given at the Seventh Avenue Hotel last evening. About 2 guests were present. It was a private affair, and little information could be ob-Mks. Lizzie Fadny was killed by a train at

the track in a snow storm. She was on her way with a basket of food for a poor family. THE Temperance Mission will hold an anniversary meeting at 926 Fifth avenue on Sanday afternoon and evening next. Good speakers have been engaged to be present. The committee on Public Works met yesterday and affirmatively recommended the sidewalk ordinance published a few days

DAVID GRIFFITH was thrown out of a sleigh on Craig street last night, but escaped jury. The horse was slightly cut.

OIL reports in THE DISPATCH to-mo row. Full accounts of progress in every

FIGHTING OVER TAXES TO ASSIST THE BOYCOTT.

Allegheny Councilmen Struggling to Reduce the Millage.

LIGHT TOWERS ALLOWED TO STAND

Very Stormy All-Day Session of the Finance Committee.

Allegheny Finance Committee met yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock and continued in session until after 11 o'clock at night, when an adjournment was taken until Monday evening. The work before the body was a consideration of the estimates of the various departments, of the money necessary to run the city during the year-March

1, 1892, to February 28, 1893. The estimate of Chief Murphy, of the Department of Public Works, was the first taken up. The estimates for the Department of Public Safety in the various bureaus show: Fire, \$144,993 70; police, \$114,-911; health, \$10,750; electricity, \$11.540, and general office, \$4,600; a total of \$286,-794 70.

Never Singed the Fire Bureau, In considering the needs of the Fire Bureau and of the estimate offered, a disussion arose and terminated in an increase of the amount asked. This increase was upon that asked for the establishment of the new hose carriage houses. In place of giv-ing \$9,732 90 for each, as was asked, \$10,000 was given. In the Bureau of Police \$114,911 In the Bureau of Electricity, \$11,540 was

the sum requested. The salaries aggregated \$1,200; new patrol boxes, \$1,050; new fire boxes, \$2,500; supplies, \$4,575. All of these estimates were approved.

The following communication from

Mayor Wyman was read: I desire to call your attention to the necessity of appointing three or more police magistrates for our city, according to our city charter, and would be pleased to have you include in your annual appropriation at least \$3,000 as salary for three police magistrates. Trusting you will take favorable action on this matter, I am yours respectfully.

James G. Wyman, Mayor."

This communication was laid on the table and no action taken, although it provoked considerable discussion. Mr. Lewis claimed that additional station houses were necessary, as were also additional police magistrates, and that the law in that respect should be observed. Mr. Henderson said he thought such legislation ill-advised as far as Allegheny was concerned, and that it would pe preposterous to appoint additional police nagistrates, because all they could do would be to squeeze money out of vags and be generally useless. The city, he said, was adapted to better legislation. As a result of this debate the message was received and

The Light Towers Will Stand.

Immediately after the question of lighting was incidentally brought up and the doing away with the towers was considered. Mr. Gerwig believed the towers gave satisfaction and claimed if they were taken down from three to five times as many mast arms would be needed and this would be a useless expense.

Mr. Wertheimer thought that it was folly

to think of abolishing the present system of lighting. Dr. Gilliford asked whether the present lighting was up to the expected require-ments. Mr. Hunter replied that it was not,

but that it gave general satisfaction.

The estimates for the Department of Publie Works was then taken up. The appro-priation asked was large, and among the items covered were Bureau of Engineering and Surveys, \$15,120; water distribution and supplies, \$180,000; water assessment, \$1,900; public lighting, \$58,335; parks, \$25,000; roads, \$25,000; property, \$19,609 33; wharves and landings, \$3,585; library, \$10,-860 50; sewers and highways, \$114,000; new streets, \$50,000; old streets repaired,

\$40,000. were changes made in these esti mates. The request for \$25,807 for a 30-inch main from the basin to Howard street was refused. For water pipe extension \$37,000 was asked. It was reduced to \$35,000; \$2,500 was given for smoke consumers instead of the request for \$5,000, and the proposition of erecting a tank on Troy Hill to cost \$10,000 was knocked out, as was also that referring to the employing of two or more additional plug inspectors at \$1,560.

Where All the Water Was Squeezed Out. In the water department \$226,655 36 was asked. A deduction was made amounting to \$46,815 36, leaving a total of \$179,840. This was all that was considered of the estimates of the Department of Public Works, on account of the lateness of the hour and the committee adjourned until Monday evening. For lighting \$75,835 was asked, but only \$58,335 was granted, \$17,500 being cut off by the refusal to grant 50 additional mast arms. In the library de-partment \$22,000 is asked for salaries and

In considering the question of the appropriation for the extension of water pipe, in which \$37,000 was asked, a proposition was made that this be cut down to \$25,000. This oroposition stirred up considerable feeling.
Mr. Espy claimed with considera-ble warmth that such a policy was a poor one, that the Tenth ward, when the benefit was supposed to go, needed water extension and had every right to Several other speeches were made and the appropriation was cut only

An adjournment was then taken until Monday, when the Market, Library and Charities Departments will be considered.

LIES in business is the subject of the Rev George Hodges' second letter on Christian ity and business. It appears in THE DIS-PATCH to-morrow. Competition, he says badly managed, is the cause of the deplor able standard of morality in the busines

A Stable Burned in Hazelwood. A alarm of fire from box 96 was sent in shortly after 11 o'clock last night for a fire in the stable of John Kohen, situated on Hazelwood avenue, Twenty-third ward. There was no water at all in the vicinity and the structure was burned to the group ausing a loss of \$1,500. Eight head horses were safely removed from the build ing. There was no insurance on the prem ises, as it is said the agencies refused to take the risks about the neighborhood, be

McConnell's Hearing Held Over. The case of George T. McConnell, which was to have been heard last night before Alderman Kerr, was postponed until next Thursday, at the request of both sides. In the meantime the stockholders of the Model Building and Loan Association, of which McConnell was treasurer, will hold a meeting, the books will be gone over, and the actual shortage ascertained.

cause there is no water service there.

Col. Moody Not a Candidate. It has been announced that Sam Moody District Passenger Agent of the Pennsyl-

vania Company, is a candidate for the Legis lature in Beaver county. Colonel Moody emphatically denied the rumor yesterday. He says he is willing to hustle for passengers, but he must refuse to hustle for sengers, but he must refuse to hustle for votes. He takes an active part in the polities of his county. Exposition Officers Reelected. At a meeting of the Board of Directors

of the Exposition Society yesterday all the old officers were reelected. It was decided to hold the Exposition from September to October 22.

The Second Avenue Strikers Hold a Big Meeting to Help Their Cause Along-A Resolution Passed Asking Citizens to

Withhold Their Patronage. Gřeen's Hall, in Frankstown, was packed last night with citizens of that vicinity to listen to the discussion of the present trouble on the Second avenue car line. The meeting was called to order by placing M. J. Dougherty in the chair, and appointing a long list of representative citizens as vice presidents. Thomas Grundy was the first speaker. He said:
"The companies and corporations are trying to establish the idea that a working
man has not the right to organize. There
is no law on the statute books of Pennsyl-SOME ESTIMATES ARE BADLY SLASHED

vania which says they should not. It is illegal and purely un-American to deny them the right." In conclusion he intro-duced a resolution asking the patrons of the road to refrain from traveling on it.

Jerry Dougherty spoke on the claim the Second avenue company made of employ-ing and discharging whoever they wanted to. "They want to deny the men the right to organize," said he. "The present fight is for that purpose and if it is lost it would be a blow to all organized labor." He spoke of the many favors and privileges the cor-

poration swere recipients of from the municipal government, and thought in re-

turn they might respect the rights of their

John Flannigan closed the speech-making. He related his 62 years' experience as a member of trades unions, and showed their growth. "All street railways," said he, are backing the Second avenue company in their strike, as they are all desirous of knocking out organized labor. This strike can be won if there is united effort. Let the company know that if it wants to fight the Knights of Labor it has to fight the patrons of its own road. The beycott you have placed upon them is beginning to show its effect, but it needs watching. The company cannot make you ride on its picayune road, so place your patronage on some other, line."
It was decided to hold several other meetings in the district in the near future.

The Lumbermen to Meet. The Union Association of Lumbermen of Pennsylvania, West Virginia, Ohio and Indiana will meet at Canton, O., on January 19, in its ninth annual convention. At the meeting in St. Louis, on December 8, of all the associations in the United States for the purpose of forming a national organization, it was decided to submit the matter to the various district associations. It will be part of the business of the convention to decide whether its members want to form a national body. It would bring about a uni-formity in prices and grades of lumber all over the United States. The convention will also pass on the advisability of establishing a bureau of commercial intelligence. It would be much after the system of Bradstreet. Pittsburg will be largely represented in the convention.

To Close Up the Year's Business. The Builders' Exchange will hold its aniual meeting next Monday, when the business of the year will all be settled. Probably at this meeting the site for the new exchange building will be made known. The committee now has several sites in view, but for different reasons does not care to speak of them. The building wiil be similar to the Westinghouse edifice. A large number of members of the exchange, other than delegates, will attend the Cleveland Convention on the 18th.

The Company Wants to Sign the Scale. President Weihe, of the Amalgamated Association, left for Zanesville, O., last night in compliance to a telegram. The Amalgamated men have been locked out by the Ohio Iron Company's works there for the past six months. The employers are now growing tired of the strike, and have signified their willingness to sign a conditional scale. It is thought the trouble will be settled on Mr. Weihe's arrival.

President Costello Not a Candidate, President John Costello, of the Pittsburg district of the Union Mine Workers' Association, has withdrawn from the field as a candidate for the office of Vice President of the national organization. There is considerable talk as to who will represent this district in the People's Party Convention at St. Louis in February. The delegates will be elected at the National Convention of the Mine Workers' Association

Soliciting Aid for German Printers. Eugene Schoreck, delegate of the relief ommittee of the German Printers' Union, arrived in the city yesterday for the purpose of soliciting subscriptions and aid for the printers in Germany, who have been on a strike for shorter hours for the past ten weeks. Contributions may be sent to Paul Diesch at the Volksblatt office.

A Decision Not Arrived At. The Homestead trouble is still in the hands of the Executive Board of the Amalgamated Association. The result will not be known for several days.

No Hope for the White Miners The Snowden mines are still being oper ated by negroes, and the white miners have about abandoned all hope of ever being re-

Industrial Notes.

THE Barbers' Protective and Beneficial of Allegheny county, has entered the National Barbers' Protective Association as Lodge No. 1.

THE O'Leary Glass Company, of Pittsburg. was yesterday granted a charter. Its capital stock is \$10,000. The Westmoreland Electric Company was also chartered, with a stock of \$50,000.

A TRIO OF UNFORTUNATES.

Three Persons Injured in Various Ways Yesterday-None Are Serious. Two men were injured by falling while at work yesterday, and a boy was hurt in a coasting accident. None are of a serious nature. The list follows:

nature. The list follows:

Fueller—Harry Fueller, an employe in the
Ft. Wayne shops, while at work yesterday
on some overhead machinery lost his balance and fell to the ground. His head was
cut and side and back injured. He was removed to the Allegheny General Hospital.

Fixen—Albert Finch, the engineer of the
Hostetter building, while trying to tighten
a bolt on the boller, lost his balance and fell
to the floor, striking on his head, unking an to the floor, striking on his head, making an ugly cut. He was also burned by escaping steam. He was removed to his home at 5410

Carnegic avenue.

Extra Thomas Reilly, aged 14 years, had his leg crushed and was badly bruised about the body in a coasting accident on South Fourth street last evening. He was re-moved to his home at the head of South

She Dropped a Tip. Yesterday afternoon an intelligent look-

ing young woman entered Magistrate Gripp's office and inquired from the clerk about a long-standing case, wishing to know how much the costs would be, etc. The case was that of John "Donnelly." An information for disorderly conduct and one for assault and battery was made against him December 25. He has never been arrested. He is charged with disturbing a temperance meeting. The young woman seemed to be a sister of "Dounelly." She said that they would never get him, as his name was not "Donnelly," but "Finnery." She then mentioned something about him being on the Southside. An officer is now searching for him.

JANUARY SALES-Marked-down bargain in ladies' underwear, hosiery and gloves.

Jos. HORNE & Co.'s Penn Avenue Stores.

TAXES TO COME DOWN.

Allegheny County's Valuation Will Reach Over \$350,000,000.

A NEW CLASSIFICATION ADOPTED.

Occupation Assessments Are Increased Over \$20,000,000

THE MILLAGE WILL TAKE A TUMBLE

Boyle met yesterday afternoon as the Board of Revision and took action, the result of which will be an increase in the county's valuation, in the one matter alone, of over \$20,000,000. The classification of occupations for taxation was entirely altered, and the number of classes increased and the valuation placed on occupations raised. Heretofore there has been but three classes, rated respectively at \$100, \$300 and \$500. In the first, or \$100 class, were placed all laborers, persons engaged at manual labor, mechanics, etc., and all clerks earning \$1,000 a year or less. In the second, or \$300 class, were included clerks, small retail dealers and others with an income of over \$1,000 and less than \$2,000 a year. The third, or \$500 class, included merchants, manufacturers, bankers and professional men and those with an income of over \$2,000 per year.

At the meeting yesterday it was decided o increase the number of classes to five. In the first class will be placed farmers, coal miners, laborers, etc., including the poorer paid class of workingmen. They will be rated at \$150.

How the Occupations Are Classified. In the second class will be machinists,

carpenters, blacksmiths, puddlers, boilers, chimney blowers, etc., including the grade of mechanics of that nature. They will be rated at \$300. The third class will include heaters, window glass and bottle blowers and workmen receiving higher rates of wages than those in the first two classes, lergymen and all persons on a salary of less than \$1,000 per year. They will be rated at \$500 per year. The fourth class will include contractors, employes of labor, rollers and persons receiving over \$1,000 per year salary and less than \$2,000. They will be rated at \$800. The fifth class will take in all bankers, manufacturers, large merchants, managers, physicians, lawyers, public officers, etc., and persons receiving over \$2,000 per year salary. They will be rated at \$1,000.

The board, in making the classification, have endeavored to follow the directions indicated in an opinion on the subject handed down by Chief Justice Paxson in actual income of a person, but the income of the majority of the persons of one occupation, and placed all of that occupation in one class.

Great Booms in Valuation In the case of a lawyer for example, even f his actual earnings were less than \$1,000 per year, he would have to go into the fifth class with his brother lawyers and be rated at \$1,000, according to the Supreme Court decision. The former classification, which was first adopted at the time of the last triennial assessment, was a great improvement over the former method, and the present plan is considered a still greater improve-

county's valuation of over \$20,000,000. when the Commissioners meet next month to levy the millage there will be a decrease in the millage and that the increased reduc-tion will still make the revenue large enough to leave a surplus to wipe out some of the county's indebtedness.

RAN AGAINST THE STATUTES.

PAUL RHINEHART, a resident of Lower St. PAUL RHINEHART, a resident of Lower St. Clair township, was arrested yesterday on the charge of assault preferred by John Coppitz before Alderman Caldwell, of the Twenty-fourth ward. Coppitz alleges that he met Rhinehart in a drinking place in the township and was assaulted by him. He says he had to run for his life, and while making his escape was thrown at by Rhinehart and his triends. The air was full of bricks and stones. The hearing takes place to-day.

WILLIAM HENROTH, E. S. Perkins, G. K. Merriman and Clyde Harkins were arrested on Beaver avenue, Allegheny, last night about 10 o'clock while they were having a dispute over the ownership of a sleigh, special Officer Buckley locked them up, but Perkins afterwards left \$50 for his appearance this morning. GUSTAVE HARV Was arrested by Officer Mal-

person. He was inaging around Twenty-eighth street, and accosted several parties in a threatening tone. He had several dol-lars in money and a messenger boy's book on his person when searched at the Twelfth AUGUST KOMARA and Anton Novark were arrested yesterday by Special Officer Shomo of the Pittsburg and Western Railway Com-

pany, for the larceny of a lot of tools be-longing to the company. They are now in the Allegheny lockup, and will have a hear-ing this morning before Mayor Wyman. MICHAEL O'TOOLE and James McBirney employes at Park Bros. & Co., got into an

this evening. NICK DUNBAKER was arrested last night at his home at the foot of Nineteenth street, Southside. He is charged with non-support and surety of the peace. The information was made by his wife, Mary. The hearing takes place before Alderman Succep to-day. RAPHARL EGIL, an Italian, was brought to

MICHAEL JOYCE and Eddie Welsh were ar rested last night for stealing liquor from houses on the lower end of Second and Third

Joseph Plisko was held for court yesterday on a charge of assault and battery. A. COLEMAN was arrested on a charge of assault and battery last night. FIFTEEN tramps were given lodging in the

with talks this, Saturday, evening at 8 o'clock precisely, in Carnegie Hall, on "America as Seen Through French Glasses." A very pleasant evening is anticipated by his large circle of friends here, and the hall is expected to be crowded, as t is Max O'Rell's last appearance before his departure for Australia

Tickets may be had at Kleber's music store, Wood street, Hamilton's music store, Fifth avenue; Alex. Ross' music store, 143
Federal street, Allegheny; McHenry's drug
store, Irwin avenue, Allegheny; Finley's
drug store, Arch street, Allegheny; Kenmawr Hotel, Shady lane, East End; Kuhn's Rankin's drug store, Sixth street, and Su-perintendent Waddington, Carnegie Hall. Tickets will also be sold at the ticket office of the Hall, which will be open at 7 o'elock.

street gloves now \$1. JOS. HORNE & Co.'s Penn Avenue Stores.

STOLEN FROM A PRIEST.

A Pocket Book May Lead to the Clearing Up of a Bobbery Mystery.

Another link in the chain of evidence against George Scott and Bob Richardson, the East End burglars, was discovered yesterday. When Scott was arrested he had a pocket book, on the inside of which was printed the name, "Shanahan." The prisoner claimed the pocket book was his own. The detectives have been at work trying to find an owner for the purse, and vesterday Detective Steele, of Allegheny, iraced the book to its owner, one of the

priests connected with St. Peter's Pro-Cathedral, Allegheny.

On December 13 last, Superintendent Muth, of the Allegheny Police Depart-ment, received a report that the parsonage in the rear of St. Peter's Church had been robbed of \$110 and several, small articles of robbed of \$110 and several small articles of more or less value belonging to Father Shanahan. The latter identified the book as his property yesterday. Scott and Richardson will be taken to Allegheny this morning at 10 o'clock for a hearing.

Grover Sinking Into Oblivion. Jeff Chandler, a prominent Democratic lawyer of St. Louis, was a passenger on the Eastern express last evening bound for Washington. He doesn't think Blaine will be a candidate. Within the last few weeks he saw the Secretary, and he says his face is shrunken. There is no danger of him dying, but the Republican leader is economizing his vitality. Mr. Chandler thinks Cleveland has almost dropped out of the popular mind. In St. Louis former friends of Grover are now organizing Hill clubs. He concluded that Hill was either an able man, or a very lucky one.

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Turkeys and Chickens Scarce, WE HAVE TAKEN STOCK

ARE READY FOR YOU.

During the first week of 1892. we will offer the greatest

CARPETS

Ever heard of in this city. In taking stock we found a

about one-half usual prices. Parties who expect to buy one or more carpets the coming spring should take advantage of this opportunity.

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NOTHING TALKS LIKE FIGURES.

Dress Good; at Half Price. 54 inch India Camel Hair in newest colorings and choicest effects reduced from \$1.75

50-inch English Suitings in neat pin

stripes and checks, very soft and finest wool, reduced from \$1.37\(\frac{1}{2}\) to 75c.

French Combinations. All our finest pattern dresses now marked o force their sale. \$50 and \$40 Robes reduced to \$15 and \$20. \$25 Pattern Dresses reduced to \$12. \$18 Pattern Dresses reduced to \$10.

\$12 Pattern Dresses reduced to \$7

hoicest fabric and colorings, at one-third less than value.

Extra grades of BEDFORD CORDS, in

Reduced Values in Underwear. Men's Natural Wool Underwear reduced from \$1.85 to \$1.50. Ladies' Fancy Ribbed Vests, 33c, reduced Ladies' Natural Mix Vests reduced to 40c.

Ladies' Natural Wool Equestrian Tights, \$1,25, Special values in Men's Natural Wool, Camel's Hair and Scarlet, at \$1, to close. 55e and 60e, in natural mix and eeru.

January Sale of Ginghams.

Anderson's best Scotch Ginghams, worth 40c, offered at 20c. Extra fine grades Zephyrs, 20c grades offered this month at 1234c.

BIBER & EASTON, 505 AND 507 MARKET ST.

N. B.-Deepest cut in prices in Cloak

"BARTLETT") Warm Air Furnaces and Wroughtsteel Ranges, NO STOVES. CINDERELLA RANGES AND STOVES.
GAS RANGES AND BROILERS,
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ENGRAVED Wedding Invitations, Calling Cards, Etc. W. V. DERMITT & CO., 407 Grant street.

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GREAT JANUARY SALES.

The Aim: Reduction of Stocks. The Way: Reduction of Prices.

Somebody wants everything we offer in these sales, and we have something for everybody. More than that, we offer nothing that is not desirable, the best of its kind, usable, and qualified to go with our guaran-

Next comes the fact that everything during this month will be sold at a greatly reduced price. Even the new goods offered in nearly every department are sold now below cus-

Is Bargain Day for the Men.

UNDERWEAR:

Scarlet Wool Underwear (Shirts and Drawers) reduced from \$1 50 to \$1 per garment; from \$2 to \$1 50 per

Fine Imported (genuine Scotch Wool) Underwear (Shirts and Drawers) reduced from \$4 to \$3 per gar-

all at greatly reduced prices.

Extra values in Camel's Hair Un-

derwear (Shirts and Drawers) at \$1 50 per garment. Fancy Camel's Hair Underwear (Shirts and Drawers) reduced from

and Drawers) reduced from 65c to 50c per garment.

HALF HOSE: Merino and Cashmere, strictly all-wool, were 50c and 60c, now reduced to 35c a

At 25c a pair an extraordinary offer of Merino Ali-Wool or Heavy Cotton Sox, many kinds and styles, and grades usu

reduced to 50c a pair.

low prices. Full line of Fur Gloves for street or driving, in Alaska Seal, Nutria Beaver, Monkey, Hair Scal and Otter-at re-

worth \$1 75, at \$1 a pair.

All the best makes of fine Kid Dress Gloves, Fowne's, Dent's and Perrin's, from \$1.50 to \$2.50 a pair. Better values than can usually be bought at

And CARDIGAN JACKETS, to wear

over the vest, warm and serviceable, protection against cold—reduced from \$3.50 and \$4.50 to \$2.50 each; reduced from \$6 to \$4 50.

duced now to 75c.

collars and 1 pair of cuffs with a shirt), good styles, that were \$1 50, Boys' "Star" Percale Shirts, all sizes (2 collars and pair of enfls with a shirt), were \$1 25 and \$1 40, re-

American Percales, were \$1 and \$1 25, now reduced to 75c; French Percales, were \$1 40 and \$1 65, now Men's Heavy Scotch Flannel Night

Shirts, a limited quantity, to be closed out-were \$4 50 and \$5, reduced now to \$3.

were \$1 75, now \$1. SEAL CAPS:

made, in Turban shape, high and low crown, that were \$13 50 and \$15, to be

all closed out at \$10. A good lot, but they will likely all go to-day. NECKWEAR:

In XXX quality Alaska Seal, the best

Also, in Silk Mufflers, and Silk and Linen Handkerchiefs, many reduced-price offerings are made today, worth your while seeing if you're a man, or if you've a man to buy for.

JOS. HORNE & CO.,

Is If you live out of town write.

165 nerva, and is known as the Watson place. Its value is estimated at nearly \$1,000,000. Call and see him.

The plans for the proposed Carnegie

Carnegie Library Plans Will Be Changed.

will not be necessary," Chief Bigelow said. "Mr. Scott assured me to-day that the plans will be changed, and that the entrance to the park, as has been designed, will not be

with which to erect the building which will be larger than the Court House. A brick

already in hand the Library Commission will be able to give to Pittsburg one of the most substantial and most beautiful piles in the United States. It will be built under the supervision of skilled architects. To have the building substantial no haste will e made with its construction. The founda-

to full beneath his ax are Alderman Foley, trance they pleased.

"Mr. Lambie is mistaken," Chief Bige had the power to select any part of the en-

> CELEBRATING JACKSON'S DAY. The County Democracy Honors the Party' Idol With a Banquet. The County Democracy last night cele-brated Jackson's Day in their headquarters in the Mellon building. The place was crowded to overflowing. A portrait of Jackson, draped in flags and bunting, hung over the President's chair. Just opposite it on another wall in a heavy gilt frame was

meeting was called to order.

President Brennen made the speech of the evening. He talked eloquently of Jackson and his many virtues. With Jackson Mr. Brennen believed that "to the victor belongs

INDIANS IMPROVING.

as a State companied by his wife, passed through the ton. He is a Congressional delegate for the Creek nation. Mr. McKellop is a bright young man, a graduate of Wooster University, and a lawyer. He is married to a white woman, a former teacher in the Government schools. He says it is quite common for the whites and Indians in the Territory.

people.

"My business," said Mr. McKellop, "is to watch legislation to see that the rights of the Indians are preserved and the treaties obeyed. If the whites will only leave us alone for a while we will solve the Indian problem ourselves. The Creek nation is civilized. They have an income of \$160,000 per year, and \$100,000 of this sum is expended for education. For that matter we spend more yearly for educational purposes in proportion to population and wealth than any of the States in the Union.

"The people in Oklahoma are are anxious to have the Creek, Chickasaw, Choctaw, Cherokee and Seminole tribes go in with them, and establish a State. These tribes are civilized, but there are about 40 in the Territory that are not. We decided that it was best not to accept the offer. Our peo-ple have no idea of the value of land, and in a short time the whites would have everything and they would have nothing. They know how to sell cattle and horses all right. The day is not far away, however, when the five nations will be ready to be admitted as a State. Under the allotment law now, if we

hairman Neal, of Ohio, Congratulated for the Vote He Received.

THE Father Lambing Total Abstinence So-

THE Society for the Improvement of the oor has its hands full at present. An un usual amount of sickness exists among its

Onadale M. E. church, and will be kept up

terday atternoon at his home in Allegheny.
On New Year's, while londing a revolver,
the weapon discharged, the bullet piercing
his right hand. Lockjaw set in and death
was the result.

next at 3 o'clock. The meeting will be ad-dressed by H. Barker, whose subject is "Our Platform."

Braddock Thursday night while crossing

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County Commissioners Mercer, Weir and

"Chickens and turkeys have been at a premium all week," said Hans Donglass, the steward of the Duquesne, last evening. Everybody who had any to sell killed them before the holidays, and they were a drug on the market; you couldn't get people to carry them away for gifts. Now they are scarce, and turkey is selling for 20 and 22 cents per pound. Quail have gone up to \$2 50 per dozen and are going higher."

They have taken as a guide, not the bargains in

ment. Commissioner Mercer said the alter ation would make an increase in the The figures are not in yet, but it has been estimated that there will be a considerable increase in the county's valuation in other directions, and the total valuation may go over \$350,000,000. At the last assessment it was about \$285,000,000. Nothing has yet been determined upon, but it is likely that

lev at a late hour last night as a suspiciou

altercation yesterday, which resulted in cross suits being entered before Alderman McPike for assault and battery. Both men gave bail in the sum of \$500 for a hearing

jail yesterday from Sharpsburg for a hearing on the charge of felonious assault, preferred by a fellow workman, before Justice of the Peace John Baird. LIZZIE McMullen, aged 16 years, was com mitted to jail yesterday by Alderman Warner, to await a hearing to-day on a charge of incorrigibility preferred by her mother.

Allegheny lockup last night. Max O'Reil. Monsieur Paul Blouet (Max O'Rell) will give in English one of his characteristically

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Dr. Warner's Camel's Hair and Wool Underwear (Shirts and Drawers) reduced from \$2.75 to \$2 per gar-

Imported Sanitary Natural Undyed Wool Underwear (Shirts and Drawers), Shirts double front, or both double front and back; and Cartwright and Warner's Sanitary Wool, Natural Wool and White Merino—

ment; from \$3 to \$2 50 per garr

good many short lengths in all grades, and all such will go at 85c to 75c per garment. Natural Wool Underwear (Shirts

pair, or 3 pairs for \$1. Merino and Cashmere, best grades, fine soft wool, were 65c, 75c, 85c and \$1, now

ally selling as high as twice 25c a pair. GLOVES: Scotch 40c, 60c, 75c and \$1 a pair; Jersey Wool, 50c and 75c a pair; Fleece-Lined Kid, \$1, \$1 50 and \$2 a pair; all very

duced prices. A special Kid Craven Tan Dress Glove,

SMOKING JACKETS And DRESSING GOWNS, a very choice variety yet to select from, must now all go and go quickly, and at greatly reduced prices—tailor-made, best and most popular styles of English Cloths.

Men's "Star" Percale Shirts (2

Boys' "Star" Percale Waists, ali sizes, 3 to 13 years, with standing or sailor detached collars, detached cuffs

Men's Fancy Sateen Night Shirts,

A special lot, mostly 4-in-hands, all best English goods, fresh and new, will make a drive of to-day at 75c each—re-duced from \$1 50 and \$1 25.

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