GREW WEARY OF THE WORK

Six New Men Are to Be Appointed at Once to Complete It.

WILL DELAY CITY ASSESSMENTS

If It Is Necessary to Observe the Exact Letter of the Law.

BIG THIRD WARD TAXPAYERS APPEAL

The miserable weather vesterday influenced the attendance at the City Assessor's office, and the number of appeals filed was comparatively small. The county books for the Twelfth and Eighteenth wards were brought in and the only book not now in the assessor's hands is that of the Four-

The County Commissioners learned vesterday that new men will be required to go through and assess this ward. The original assessor and his two assistants started in on the work, but either from fright or incapacity, it is said, only made a few assessments before they threw up the contract and sent the books back to the Commission-It is the intention now to send six men to complete the work. but as the Fourteenth is the largest ward in the city it will take considerable time and the delay both to the city and county boards of revision or assess ment will be annoying. The city board will be the most inconvenienced, as under the law their report to Councils of the city's taxable valuation was due on the 15th of this month, but under another law they entinot report until they have compared their assessments with those of the county

Cannot Observe the Law,

While this law is only observed in the breach, practically speaking, it has hitherin been respected so far that no city assessments have been announced until the county assessors finished their work. The city assessment is already made, except on personal property, which is the only thing taken from the county assessors' books. It is probable that unless the Fourteenth ward books are finished by the time the board gets through with the work now on hand, they will go ahead with the assessment regardless of the law.

The appeals from the Third and Nineteenth wards yesterday indicate that values have been put up pretty steep, and that many owners will file objections to them. To-day is expected to be a big one for ap-

George E. Shaw, in the Third ward, is asseason 535,130 on 49x85 foot lot and \$15,600 mittee of on the brick law building at Diamond street to confer with and Scrip siley. His valuation is \$38,130 on lot and \$5,000 on building, which, he says, is very old and must be removed.

Mary Deulium is assessed \$80,000 on 25x130 let and so 250 on building on Wood street between Sixth and Liberty avenues. Her valuation on both is \$75,000, and she says \$60,000 or lot assessed at \$24,155 and building \$2,500 on Liberty street between Oak and Cherry alleys, her valuation on all is \$22,000, which, she says, it would be difficult to get for it. Mrs Jane Sawyer, assessed \$120,000 on 30x 100 foot lot and \$21,000 on three-story buildng occupied by Harry Davis' museum, acthe ground valuation, but says the olding is not worth more than \$5,00

The Allegheny Company Wants Light. or tives, 55,220 on lot 54x8, and \$75,000 on dag and machinery. They appeal for a attor of \$40,000 on both lots and \$40,000 adding and say the property has been the market for a year. The Pannie Barker trustees accept an as-

between Wood and Smithfield ivi & Co., assessed \$55,000 on 20x80 feet reet, between Fifth avenue and and \$6 000 on building, value

in C.W. Batchelor is assessed \$20 000 or spisin C. W. Batchelorisassessed \$20,000 on Laborestat Highland avenue and Mar-etta street. His valuation is \$125 per at foot or \$31,50 for the lot. Signar Gourlev is assessed \$6,200 on 60x165 int and \$5,000 on two-story frame dwell-at Stauton avenue and Beatty street, valuation is \$6,000 on lot and \$4,500 on

orliding. O-wald Woerner, assessed \$16,130 on 80x323 set on Highland avenue, values the ground M Laird, values at \$9,000 a lot 86x183

Jost on Highland avenue, which the asses-sors have put down at \$12,615.

The freu City Stone Company has 383x169 free for Sheridan and Collins avenues, above Stanton, which they say cost them \$2,670 within a year. They are assessed \$11,229, and appead for their parchase valuation. within a year. They are assessed \$11,229, and appead for their parchase valuation.

19: P. D. Perchment assessed \$7,800 on 60x150 teet, Station zerect; appeal, \$4,600. On 50x115 teet, Silver avenue, near Station street, assessed \$2,500 appeal, \$1,800. On 20x18 Howard street, \$1,257; appeal, \$1,000. On 20x18 Howard street, \$1,257; appeal, \$1,000. \$1,140: apreal, \$1,000. David Bleir is assessed \$4,000 on 50x145 feet

David Burr's assessed \$4,000 on 50x145 feet on Brood street. His valuation is \$2,500, and he demands rural classification. Mrs. Limity Dock, assessed \$16,500 on 100x200 feet. Highland avenue, appeals for a \$10,000

More East End Objections Filed. T. J. roott, 39x187 feet, Brood street, 83,900; sonest \$3,500 Mary McGhee, 60x187 feet, Rumi avenue, \$5,040; appeal. \$3,000. Mrs. A. W. Lewis, Circle feet, Collins avenue, \$3,000 appeal, \$2,500; also 32x212 feet, Collins near sppeni, 8,300; also 323212 feet, Collins near Suntion street, \$3.50; appeal, \$3,200. Henry F. Chuiotti, 30,123 feet, Collins avenue and Rodman street, \$3,00; appeal, \$2,20; also 10x 125 reet, Collins avenue, \$5,20; appeal, \$6,300. b. C. Upstill. Bax185 feet, Rural and Beatty atreets, \$4,200; appeal, \$6,300. b. C. Upstill. Bax185 feet, Rural and Beatty atreets, \$4,200; appeal \$6,500. b. C. Fotter, \$7,700 feet, alley in rear Pennanyunne, near Station street, \$1,300; appeal \$6,500. b. C. F. Frazer, 39x38 feet, Breed's Hill street, assessed \$1,000; raises valuation to \$1,300.

Join F. McCabe, Twentieth ward, assessed et #15 25 on 35x79-foot lot on Penn and Shady nventes, which includes \$25 for buildings, asks a cut to \$15,750.

E. Grootzinger is assessed at \$25,050 on letx 200 mt Morewood avenue and Bidwell street; nsks a cut to \$19,050. He demands to be heard a his claim for rural classification.
Mrs. Margaret Kable is assessed \$27,750 on to heres on Lincoln avenue, near the city ne. Twenty-first ward, and asks a reduction

to \$2.350, Charles Arbuthnot, three acres on Fifth evenue, between Putnar, and Denniston avenues, is assessed \$69.000, and on four and a hair acres in the rear, \$3,000. His valuation is \$22,000 on the former and \$45,000 on the tter tract. R. sesmith, 30x130 feet Millvale and Mari-

par streets, 83,100; appeal, \$2,300. E. H. Too-nell, appear see, Penn avenue, \$3,230; appeal, \$3,00. E. E. Mahon, 42xi71, Houp street, \$3,800 appeal, \$3,780. Twenty-first ward—William J. Brennen.

wenty-first ward—William J. Brennen, can 21x100-foot loss, Larimer avenue, \$4.338; sent, \$2.290. First 21x120 loss, Deary street, \$2. appeal, \$2.300. Three 24x86 lots, Parkmen, \$1.872; appeal, \$300. T. B. McCabe, \$73 feet. Thomas street, \$4.200; appeal, \$10. d. C. Lemmon, 60x135 feet, Bennett bet, \$2.340 appeal, \$1,500, and offers to sell less than-he paid for the property. Annie Williams, \$50x205, Lincoln avenue, \$1,100; gent \$500.

Penn Avenue Property Too High. Only a few appeals came in from the Twenty second ward. John B. Jackson was names and \$12,629 on five acres on Penn avenue and Tuscavora street, between Dallas and

he says be only paid \$40 000 for last Novem-

300 feet on Penn avenue, which, she claims, is more than its value, and asks a valuation

at \$100 per front foot.

E. C. Robinson is assessed \$3,682 on ?¼
acres on Four-Mile Run, which he has vainly
en leavored to sell at \$750 for the whole track.
Michael Cooney, three-fourths acre, Neville
street, assessed \$9,000; appeal, \$5,000. W. H.
Kirkwood, 120x120 feet, Homestead street,
\$1,300, anneal \$800.

Kirkwood 120x129 feet, Homestead street, \$1,200; appeal, \$800.

In the Seventeenth ward Anna M. Garrison is assessed \$5,323 on brick dwelling and 23x 130 foot lot on Forty-third street, which she has been trying to sell for \$4,600.

E. S. Hanna's 75x100 lot on Butler, near Forty-third street, is assessed at \$14,250 or \$135 33 per front foot. His appeal points out that the property of the Metropolitan bank, and adjoining, is more valuable than his, is assessed at \$129 83 and claims unfairness in the assessment.

Joseph Clark, 25x100 feet, Forty-second street, \$1,750; appeal, \$1,500. Maria Culbertson, 67x100 feet, Culvin street, \$3,322; appeal, \$2,632. Mrs. M. Corbett, 24x100 feet, Forty-fifth street, \$1,650; appeal, \$1,000. John Fisher, 102x100 feet, Forty-sixth street, \$6,685; appeal, \$5,000.

Eighth ward-R. J. McGeagh, lot 22x100,

Colwell street, \$1,80c, appeal, \$1,20c, also 22x 124 feet, \$1,80c, appeal, \$1,20c, Yetta Browarsky, 124 feet, \$1,80c, appeal, \$1,20c, Yetta Browarsky, 48x54 feet, Pasture and Townsend streets, \$2,00c appeal, \$1,80c. James Lightbody, 18x75 feet, Vine street, \$757; appeal, \$550. E. Bardsley, 19x100 feet, Webster street, \$3,130; appeal, \$1,90c. J. W. McFarland, 24x100 feet, Fulton street, \$2,20c, appeal, \$2,00c.

street, \$3,300; appeal, \$3,000.
Eleventh ward—Mary E. A. Rowley, 36x128 feet, Cliff street, \$1,320; appeal, \$4,600. Mrs. Margaret Kane, 23x148 feet, Lombard street, \$127; appeal, \$5,00; also 26x146 feet, \$1,072; appeal, \$500.
The first appeal from the Twelfth ward peai, \$880.

The first appeal from the Twelfth ward was that of A. W. Reeves, assessed \$9,570 on 48x100 feet with buildings. Penn avenue, corner Twenty-third street; appeal, \$5,000.

THE SUBURBAN ASSESSMENTS.

Big Increases Being Made in Valuations Outside the City.

The County Commissioners yesterday heard appeals from assessments made in West Bellevne, West Elizabeth, Verona and Reynoldton boroughs. Though the citizens of West Bellevue had held an indignation meeting to protest against the alleged high valuations, the Board of Revision had less trouble than they had anticipated. A large number of the property owners appeared, but when they saw their valuations were still on the under side of the actual value, and that they were only assessed in the same proportion as the rest of the county, the majority declined to appeal and

departed apparently satisfied.

A few ordinary appeals were filed. The ssessors had increased the total valuations 30 per cent over the last assessment, to which the Board of Revision added 60 per cent more. Several appeals, but none of special importance, were filed from West Elizabeth, Verona and Reynoldton bor-oughs. In West Elizabeth the assessors had made an increase of 8 per cent, to which the board added 20 per cent. In Verona the assessors raised 9 per cent, and the board added 40 per cent, and in Reynoldton the assessors raised 17 per cent and the board went 40 per cent better.

WILL OFFER A REWARD.

The Manchester Road Officials Determine to Bring Stone-Throwers to Justice-Some Little Trouble Last Night and Two Arrests Were Made.

The Manchester strike is still in the hands of the Sheriff. There hasn't been a breeze of troublons wind blowing since that high official issued an edict warning people to desist from raising a disturbance on the

A called meeting of citizens was held

at Hartman's Hall, Woods Run, last night. Master Workman Dempsey was there and made a short talk. A comthree was appointed to confer with the street railway officials. The latter have declared no audience will be given the strikers as a lodge, and the meeting last night was a repetition of many others held before with no good results. Some little stone-throwing and slingshot deviltries were committed last night on Isabella street. John Kelsey and Edward Fitzsimmons were arrested by Officer Cochran charged with the misdemeanor. They were locked up for a hearing.

A notice will be posted up to-day by the Manchester Company offering a reward of \$50 for the arrest and conviction of anyone the ground valuation, but says the ing is not worth more than \$5,000.

Allegheny Company Wants Light.

Allegheny County Light Company's sults followed. The notice to the effect c on Virgin alley is assessed: \$20,500 that no more men need apply for positions on the road shows the determination of the management.

> MURAT HALSTEAD'S letter for THE DISPATCH to-morrow gives his n about Rome.

NEW YORK MUSIC AGAIN.

The Exposition Society Will Not Employ Local Talent.

The first meeting of the Exposition Society directors to prepare for the season of 1892 was held yesterday. The principal matter considered was music. After some discussion it was decided that the employment of local musicians was impracticable, An effort will be made to secure two New York bands, dividing the season between

As far as improvements were concerned the board deemed it ill advised to do any extensive work in this line because of insufficiency of finances. It was decided, however, to increase the seating capacity about the music stand. A balcony will be projected from the second floor opposite where the musicians sit to accommodate 500

people.

Notable among the features that will be introduced this season will be a natural gas exhibit. The Manufacturers' Natural Gas Company, the Philadelphia Company, the People's Company and the Allegheny Heating Company have interested them-selves in this exhibit and propose to show something both novel and instructive. Sanitary and floral exhibits are also prom-

IT FILLS THE BILL.

Talk of Buying the Allen School House on the Southside for a Hospital,

Prospects are growing brighter for a new hospital building on the Southside. A committee has recently been appointed to solicit subscriptions to increase the building fund to \$30,000. It is understood that several conditional offers have been made that will render this effort comparatively hospital building on the Southside. A comthat will render this effort comparatively

A report was circulated yesterday that the Allen school building may be purchased for a hospital. It is admirably located in the vicinity of the proposed Southside park, and it is understood the school board would sell the building for a reasonable sum. The board has had under consideration a proposition to erect a new building, and if satisfactory terms can be made the

DREAMS that tell of coming events discussed by Dr. William A. Hammond in THE DISPATCH to-morrow.

Will Be Dedicated Next Thursday.

The Johnstown Correspondents' National Association has been invited to be present at the dedication of the Conemaugh Valley Memorial Hospital at Johnstown, on February 4, at 1 o'clock P. M. Acting under instructions of the President, F. X. Burns, the Secretary has issued notices for a special meeting of the members of the local branch at the office of the Associated Press, Duff's College building, Fifth avenue, at 3 o'clook Sunday afternoon. All members are requested to be present whether notified or not, as arrangements will be made for the transportation of those desiring to partici-

Dr. B. M. HANNA. Eye, ear, nose and throat diseases exclusively. Office, 720 Mary McD. Barr is assessed \$20,555 on 145x

POLITICIANS SCARED.

Leaders Holding Caucuses Over the Assessment Trouble.

APPEALS LIKELY TO BE GRANTED. Lines Being Drawn in Conneilmanic Fights

on This Issue. LAWYERS MEET TO INDORSE SHIRAS

The discontent occasioned by the recent triennial assessment from which appeals are now being heard seems to have spread into every ward in Pittsburg and is coming a factor even more important than politics in the contest for ward offices. All the political lines seem to have been broken down by the citizens who claim to have been outraged by the largely increased assessments and the political workers of both sides are just now engaged in a defense of their party's representatives on the Board of Assessors while the many citizens who claim to have been injured financially by the effort to raise sufficient money to run the city as it is at present run are casting about for satisfactory candidates for Council and other ward offices.

The threatening attitude of the people has more or less alarmed the political leaders. Senator Flinn, Chief Brown, C. L. Magee and others of that class have been holding conferences day and night during the past week with a view to staying in some way the effective crusade being made against the authorities and the party in

Appeals Likely to Be Granted.

It is expected that most of the appeals already made and most of those to be made will be favorably considered by the Board of Revision as a salve to the feelings of those who have been wounded. Those in charge of the management of the city's affairs, it is stated, have discovered their mistake in at-tempting to place valuations above the limit, and they will, if possible, correct their error by granting the appeals. In nearly every ward in the city, how-

ever, there are many taxpayers and voters who claim they will not be satisfied even with the correction of the error, or rather the effort to enlarge valuations at their expense, and they will carry the war on whether their appeals are granted or not.

The taxpayers irrespective of party talk

of organizing for the approaching Council-manic campaign. They are acting quietly, but it is said they are determined and are preparing for an effective fight. While they may be solle to accomplish but little, they have already thoroughly frightened the present managers, who are just now ing in deep earnest regarding the outlook and suggesting to themselves some plan to allay the feeling that threatens their power.

county assessment, too, has been decidedly unsatisfactory, and appeals from every part of the county are coming in. The taxpayers of the county, however, have little or no hope of relief from the Commissioners, who believe that the assessments were made equitably and fair, and only positive errors in the work of the assessors

Owners of Oil Property Kicking. Property owners in that part of the county where oil has been discovered within two years claim the assessments this year bear especially heavy upon them. They al-lege that they have been discriminated against and most of them have filed appeals asking for relief. The Phillips farm, near the McDonald oil field, is the example of the assessment given. This farm of 100 acres is assessed at \$900 an acre. While oil is being produced on the property the valua-tion is satisfactory, but as the assessment is intended to stand three years and the oil production is not guaranteed for any particular time, the owners allege that they are being imposed upon. Before oil was found on the Phillips farm, it could have been bought, it is said, for \$75 per acre and the land without the oil, it is claimed, is hardly

the oil in this property has made it worth more even than the assessment placed upon

FORAKER FOR BLAINE.

He Thinks Harrison Will Be Renominated if the Secretary Won't Run-The Ex-Governor Is Not Opposed to the Presi-

Ex-Governor J. B. Foraker, of Ohio, passed through the city last evening bound for New York to attend to some legal business. He is now devoting his time to his law practice, and when THE DISPATCH approached him he was engaged in drawing up a petition on a pad. The fire-eater was tired and not in-

clined to talk very freely. He said he was through with the Senatorial fight in Ohio, and he was paying no attention to the telk of bribery. "It wouldn't be good taste," he remarked, however, "for me to say any-thing on that subject. Senator Sherman has been re-elected, and I have returned to my work. My business has been neglected, and I am anxious to catch up with it. I am not sure whether I will go to the Minneapolis convention or not. I haven't thought about it. Nothing has been said about the State convention as yet in Ohio, Our peo-

ple think it is too early."
"Who will be the Republican candidate?" was asked. "Out in Ohio we are for Blaine, but I am

not sure that he will run. He can have the nomination if he wants it. If Blaine won't be a candidate, then I suppose Harrison is the next strongest man and will be renomi-

"The general opinion is that you are op-posed to the President," the reporter suggested. "Oh, I don't know about that. I may have said some sharp things about him, but that is past and gone. I feel sure that the Republican party will win next year. In

subject will have any effect on the country. Yes, I understand Judge Goff is a candidate

res, I understand Judge Golf is a candidate for Vice President. He is a good man—so is General Alger."

This was the only allusion he made to the Michigan man, and it is significant. Several weeks ago the General and he had a long conference at Cincinnati about the Presidence. It was agreed than it is said. Presidency. It was agreed then, it is said, that if Blaine wouldn't run that Foraker would work for Alger. The ex-Governor asked a number of questions about Pennsyl-vania polities, and was auxious to know whether an early convention would be held or not.

TO INDORSE SHIRAS

Allegheny County Lawyers Will Name a Successor to Judge Bradley.

A meeting of lawyers was held vesterday to arrange for the gathering of lawyers today, at which George Shiras, Jr., will be indorsed for the Judge Bradley's place on the United States Supreme bench. Judge Acheson's friends will not, it is said, attend to-day's meeting in the interest of Mr. Shiras. While Judge Acheson has indicated that he would not oppose Mr. Shiras his friends say he has not publicly declared himself, and until he does so they say they will stand

To-day's meeting, however, is expected to be well attended and will be harmonious in its action. The meeting will be held in the

Allegheny County Bar Association's room at 11 o'clock this morning. Some able speeches will no doubt be made, as all the ious lawyers in the county will take part in the meeting.

THE PITTSBURG DISPATCH, SATURDAY, JANUARY 30 1892.

Straightont Republicans to Meet. The Straightout Republican Committee of Allegheny County will meet this afternoon at the office of L. K. Porter, on Grant It is not expected that the meeting will be large, as the pending Federal ap-pointment, it is said, will largely influence the Straightout Republicans.

To Fix a Time for Primaries. The regular Republican County Committee will meet this afternoon to fix a time for holding the county primaries, at which delegates to the State Convention will be

FARMERS CAN BE DUDES.

High-Top Boots Will Again Become the Proper Thing-Rubber Goods Fast Taking the Place of Leather in the Country

-Prices Reduced.

"Locke on the Understanding" held a high place in colleges a few years ago, and no American author attempted to rival it, but in an interview with an English shoe manufacturer published in THE DISPATCH a few days ago, the Englishman stated that he had come to this country to study American methods that enabled shoe manufacturers to turn out work so much more cheaply than it is done in England. He concluded that American machinery is better and American workmen more skillful than those in Britain. But there are some people who are disposed to think that in the long run an American shoe is not cheaper than English one, as the latter great wearing qualities, and those who have corns or bunions find much com-fort in an old shoe. They also say that the expeditious process of tanning leather in this country does not conduce to lasting nor to the exclusion of water. A quarter of a century ago American farmers nearly all wore leather top boots;

now very few wear them, the majority wearing rubber instead. They say that

leather is no longer water proof, except at a price that they do not care to pay. They admit that rubber is uncomfortable, but still hold its discomfort preferable to that of having wet feet, and rubber boots can be cleansed with but little trouble, even limestone clay mud washing off them readily. At first unprincipled manufacturers brought rubber into disgrace by the trash with which the market was flooded at the close of the Civil War. In Pithole City, Venango county, Pa., an prospector often paid \$7 for a of gum boots in the morning and in the evening found his stocking soles on the ground. A pair of alleged rubber soles would not stand an hour's journey over frozen ground. Some manufacturers had taken advantage of the tariff, which was prohibitory at that time, to swindle the public, but eventually their greed o'er-leaped itself, and they found themselves with a large lot of unsalable goods on hand, Now a pair of rubber boots costing \$2 50 will wear an entire winter, and if soled with leather, two winters, and very few leather boots find a market, as leather has deteriorated in the same ratio as rubber manu-

facture has been improved. Few people of late years, except farmers, have worn high boots, but a fashion writer says the 400 have decided that after this year boots shall again be worn, as they have despaired finding any method of mak-ing pantaloons that will prevent their bagging at the knees. Accordingly next win-ter the rustic may be able to hide his rusticity in a measure, provided he dis-cards his present fashion of stuffing his trousers into his boot-legs.

HIS ACCOUNTS WERE DROWNED.

Councilman Rippey Claims Allegheny Owes

Him \$1,300 for Lead Not Received. Councilman Rippey, of Allegheny, refuses to satisfactorily explain the discrepancies in the scrap iron deal between himseif and the city. He attended the meeting children. He is well to do. of the sub-Auditing Committee yesterday, lost or wiped out by a high water a year o

It was facetiously remarked by an official in City Hall, that his accounts were not burned up, like some others, but they came to their fate by being drowned.

ELK HUNTING, by Theodore Roosevelt, n THE DISPATCH to-morrov

Another Allegheny Dam Needed A large and enthusiastic meeting was held last night at the office of David Smith, in Tarentum, to push the improvement of the Allegheny river. Speeches were made by Messrs. Kennedy, Esler, Smith and Armstrong showing the advantages of improving strong showing the advantages of improving the Allegheny river. A committee was ap-pointed to appear before the River and Harbor House Committee, that meets next Thursday and Friday in Washington, to ask for an appropriation for an additional dam on the Allegheny river. The committee selected was David Smith, Harry E. Armstrong, James M. Esler, Henry M. Brecken-ridge and James D. Wilson. The commit-

Claims He Was Hit With a Hatchet. Gaetona Vangelista appeared before

tee is hopeful of getting an appropriation.

Alderman Donovan yesterday and swore out a warrant against Pelligrion Dipolina for felonious assault and battery, and against his brother, Michealas Dipolina, for assault and battery. Vangelista boards with the two Dipolinas on Liberty street. He alleged that during a quarrel Thursday night he was knocked down by the two brothers and struck over the head with a hatchet in the hands of Pelligrion. The two Dipolinas were held for a hearing on Tuesday.

An Aged Pauper Dead. Mrs. Zella, who has been an object of laws regulating the eatch of fish on their charity for a long time, died yesterday at side of the lakes, and as a result fish are beher home, on Twenty-sixth street, coming very scarce. The Canadians won't Lawrenceville. Chief Elliott issued an Lawrenceville. Chief Editott issued an allow fishing during the spawning period, order for her burial. She was an aunt Under their laws fishing is stopped Novemof Frank Small. Mrs. Zella was very fond of dogs and cats. Several years ago Agent O'Brien undertook to arrest her

on a charge of cruelty to children. The aggressive old woman drove him out of her Rev. John S. Plummer Receives a Call. Rev. J. S. Plummer, pastor of the Presbyterian Church at Hazelwood, has received of the Amalgamated Association of Iron an unanimous call to the pastorate of the and Steel Workers, of the Southside, left First Presbyterian Church of Cadiz, O. It for the East last night to attend the regular is believed he will accept, as the charge carries with it a salary of \$1,500 a year and a residence in a handsome parsonage.

More Cars and Less Crowding. The Birmingham traction road has let contract to the Thomson-Houston Company for the machinery for ten new cars. It is proposed to fit up cars from the short line road with the new machinery for use on the

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O'MARA IS SELECTED

To Succeed the Late Police Superintendent, Gamble Weir.

And the Inspectorship Will Go to Robinson

or Coulson.

LIEUTENANT GLENN TO BE PROMOTED

It was officially announced last night that

Roger O'Mara had been promoted to Super-

intendent of Police of Pittsburg, to succeed

the late Gamble Weir. The civil service

promotions, it was also given out, extend

all along the line. Inspector of Police Mc-Kelvey has been appointed Assistant Su-

perintendent of Police, to fill the

vacancy caused by O'Mara's promotion, and

either Sol Coulson or Robert Robinson,

special officers, is to succeed Inspector Me-

Kelvey. Lieutenant of Police Glenn will,

cal managers were unable to agree among

How the Appointment Was Made.

The fight for the Superintendency was not

without feeling on the part of all concerned.

Ex-Mayor McCallin was urged by many re-

sponsible men for the appointment. There

which could not be satisfactorily healed,

nowever, and under the circumstances

his appointment was impossible. Senator

Flinn indorsed Captain Brown for the pos

n consequence he named Roger O'Mara.

McKelvey Gets O'Mara's Old Place.

Brown had not decided whether he will

He has also a substantial political follow

Roger O'Mara, the new Superintendent of

Police has been in the service for 30 years.

He was first a patrolman and afterward a special officer. He has for years been

THOMAS PAINE HONORED

His Birthday Celebrated Last Night by the

Pittsburg Secular Society.

and patriot, Thomas Paine, met last even-

ing in Curry University Hall in honor of

the one hundred and fifty-fifth anniversary

of Paine's birth. The affair was as usual

under the management of the Pittsburg

Secular Society and was interesting and

pleasant, as all previous celebrations in his

honor by the society have been. The Pres-

ident and Secretary of the society, Joseph

Pierce and P. S. Van Mierop and Mrs. M.

Barker, W. F. Shade, Harry Hoover,

Thomas Grundy and J. F. Staley, Commit-

of the programme the assembly enjoyed it-self according to taste in social converse and

dancing for which the previous mental re-

Fish Getting Scarce in the Lakes.

Meeting of the Federation Council.

W. A. Carney, the First Vice President

meeting of the executive council of the American Federation of Labor, of which he

is a member. Before leaving he said the present difficulty of the job printers would be among the first things considered.

Do You Want a Piano or Organ?

well-known instruments as the Decker Bros., Knabe & Fisher pianos? There is hardly a block in the city but has one of these

Their combined number in actual use be-ing nearly 200,000, what other instruments

These pianos as sold by Mr. Hamilton, 91 and 93 Fifth avenue, are within the reach of everyone; the lowest prices and accommo-

have such a record?

Why look farther when you have such

past had given zest.

tion, but his name was not satisfactory

self.

eral minor accidents happened on the rail-

roads yesterday. Several other accidents were reported, but none of a serious nature. M'KELVEY WILL BE ASSISTANT, The list tollows:

BLACK FRIDAY'S LIST.

Injured Yesterday.

The list follows:

Murray—Bridget Murray, a domstic employed by George Hog, a Braddock contractor, was killed yesterday in a peculiar manner. The girl drew her salary yesterday morning and started to visit relatives at Hawkins station. She carried with her an umbrella with a crooked handle. In alighting from the train at Hawkins station the handle of the umbrella caught on the engine. The train started at the time and the sudden shock threw Miss Murray under the wheels and she was ground to death. The body was removed to an undertaking room in Braddock. The Coroner will hold an inquest to-day.

Fulmer—W. D. Fnimer, storekeeper for the Pittsburg and Western road, fell from an engine near School street yesterday morning and was injured so badly that he died at the Allegheny General Hospital.

Dillow—Thomas Dillon cneight hold of a live electric wire at Wylie avenue and Roberts street last evening. His hand and arm were considerably burned. His father. live electric wire at Wylie avenue and Roberts street last evening. His hand and arm were considerably burned. His father, in attempting to release the boy, was badly shocked. Dillon lives on Roberts street. snocked. Difton nives on Roberts street.
Chothers—John Crothers, of Sawyer station, on the Panhandle Railroad, was struck
by a shifting engine at that place yesterday,
and sustained a fractured skull and severe
internal injuries. He was removed to the
West Penn Hospital.

it is mid, succeed the detective who is made The promotion of O'Mara to the vacancy IRVIN-Miss Mary Irvin, a young East End IRVIN—Miss Mary Irvin, a young East End lady, felt on the slippery pavement on Frankstown avenue last evening and was seriously injured. She was picked up by officer Schaffer and taken to Dr. Gallagher's office, where she was found to be suffering from an ugly scalp wound, which had to be stitched up. Her right shoulder was also dislocated. After her injuries were dressed she was removed to her home on Collins avenue. caused by the death of Superintendent Weir was made after deliberate consideration on the part of Chief Brown, and Chief Brown himself is responsible for the promotion. For the place Senator Flinn had recommended a friend, while C. L. Magee had recommended another. The two politi-

she was removed to her home on Collins avenue.

WHITMAN—Gilbert Whitman, a porter at the Hotel Anderson, while cleaning windows yesterday made a misstep and fell to the pavement. His right ankle was fractured.

JONES—Andrew Jones, a brakeman on the Pennsylvania Raliroad, had his right band crushed yesterday while coupling cars near Radebaugh station. He was removed to the West Penn Hospital.

EULRICH—Charles A. Eulrich, while putting up a pulley at the Pittsburg Locomotive Works, fell from a ladder yesterday afternoon. He was badly bruised and had to be taken to his home at 45 Perry street. themselves, and the Chief compromised the contest by making the appointment him-

are differences between Brown and McCallin MURAT HALSTEAD describes his visit to Rome in THE DISPATCH to-morrow.

Wallace Arrested in Meversdale. Ex-Chief Brokaw was also liberally in-dorsed by politicians and business men, but the Chief of the Department argued that the best interests of the department could be A telegram was received by the police department from Meversdale vesterday stating that W. S. Wallace had been arserved by naming for the position one ac-quainted with every detail of the work, and rested there. He is wanted here on several charges of forgery, false pretense and embezzlement. He worked for Naily, the Grant street printer, and collected a number of bills without Mr. Nally's knowledge. a pair. The contest for O'Mara's present place He raised money on checks on the firm to the amount of \$150, which Nick Snyder, was between Inspectors McKelvey and Whitehouse. Both are competent and pop-ular and both have substantial political proprietor of the Keystone Hotel, paid. It is also claimed that he represented himself backing. The promotion of the one is not looked upon as the defeat of the other. as a cellector for a real estate dealer, and got considerable money. It was stated last night that as yet Chief

His Name Is Homer K. Echols,

name Robinson or Coulson to succeed Mc-Kelvey. Coulson is the older of-ficer. He has been in the service many years, but it is argued by his friends Officer Grady, of the Union station, says that Homer K. Echols is the name of the man who fell down the stairway in the that he is more efficient in his present position than he could be in any other depot a few days ago and was badly hurt. He is now at the West Penn Hospital in an place. Robinson is one of the most useful officers in the city. His acquaintance is meonscious condition. Mr. Grady said he had a soldier's discharge from the United almost unbounded and he has rendered effi-States Army. He served between 1872 and '77. Echols is evidently a molder, for cient service to the department. He is affable and agreeable, and in detective work he carried a kit of tools used in that trade ne stands first among the front office force.

> SOLDIERS of Europe who would figure i an outbreak of war sketched in pen and pencil by Valerian Grayebedoff, in THE

Del Sarte Last Reception This Afternoon ecognized as a skillful detective and it is claimed he has more accurate knowledge of This afternoon at 3 o'clock precisely Madame Geraldy Del Sarte will give her the thieves and professional crooks of the country than any man in the United States. last causerie and hold her last reception at the residence of Mrs. Colonel Schoonmaker, He is at present connected with Pinker-tons, and has charge of the Pinkerton work Ellsworth and Morewood avenues, East in Pennsylvania. He has been Assistant Superintendent of Police since

Tickets can be had as before from Klebers' music store, 506 Wood street, city; from Miss S. H. Killykelly, 308 South the adoption of the new city charter and has always devoted himself to the management of the police and detectives. He is about 50 years old. He is married and has eight Highland avenue, East End; from Prof. Henri Rollin Parker, 511 Penn avenue, city, and at Mrs. Colonel Schoonmaker's

A POEM by Prof. Boyeson, entitled "The Guerden of a Song." in THE DISPATCH to-morrow. Handsomely illustrated.

Correction. In the enumeration of the many sales of Vocalion church organs made by us quite recently, we find a mention made of a sale to Union Baptist Church. This is a typo-graphical error, and it should read the "Uniontown Baptist Church." The demand for these wonderful church organs is im-Admirers of the great author, free-thinker mense, as we have three or four orders or hand which we have been unable to fill However, two of these fine organs were shipped us yesterday, and may shortly be examined at H. Kleber & Bro.'s, 506 Wood

What We Have Got.

We don't profess to have the largest bakery in the world, although we have the biggest and best equipped in the State, but we do claim to turn out the freshest, purest, best erackers and cakes to be found in th

tee on Arrangements, had arranged a pro-gramme of music, recitations, memorial Don't buy crackers made at a distance shipped here and stored in musty ware-houses; they're not wholesome. Marvin's are baked fresh every morning and sent at once to customers. We have no big ware-John R. Churlesworth, of New York, delivered an oration on the life, character and services of the man they met to honor. Music was furnished by the United States Orchestra. There -no use for them. It's all we can do to hake crackers and cakes fast enough to were recitations by Charles Barker, Miss Barker and Carnahan; memorial ode by Marvin's crackers and cakes are what you

want. You can get them from your grocer.

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Geo. Seihel; a duet by Savage and Haine, and a comic song, "Seeing Life," by J. Griffin. The eminent services rendered by Thomas Paine to the American troops dur-Shirts Made to Order. ing the revolution of 1776-83 endear his memory to many who do not subscribe to his Men's white and percale shirts made to order in best and most artistic manner. W. views of religion.
At the conclusion of the literary portion guarantee a fit. Prices are lower now than

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The next term begins Monday, February
L. Address Rev. R. J. Coster, A. M., Recber 1. In Winnipeg Lake the fishermen quit October 15. This gives the fish a

chance to breed. Mr. Moore says that the finny tribe is becoming scarce in the St. Clair river, and that summer tourists com-plain of making no catches. ALL lovers of delicacies use Augostura Bitters to secure a good digestion. TTSSU IN ADVANCE AGAIN!

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PLAGLER'S INVESTMENTS.

He Will Spend More Millions in Making Two Violent Deaths and an Even Half Dozen St. Augustine Attractive, Charles B. Faulkner, a prominent busi-A man and a woman were killed and sevness man of St. Augustine, Fla., was in Pittsburg last night. He is largely interested in real estate in that ancient town. Speaking of its resources, he said:

"St. Augustine is destined to be the greatest winter resort on this side of the water. This will be through the efforts of Mr. Flagler, the millionaire, who has already invested \$8,000,000 in fine hotels, parks and wide: other attractions. He has a penchant for buying up the town, and already owns most of the place, and contemplates investing \$7,000,000 more in satisfying his fancies. He said once: 'I'll make a way station out of Jacksonville,' and it truly looks like he Perigrino Is in Trouble.

F. Z. S. Perigrino, the colored employment agent, was arrested last night by Detective Coulson on a warrant issued by Magistrate Hyndman, charging him with criminal abuse of Miss Patty Tuck, whom he recently brought here from Virginia. The defendant was arrested on his arrival in the city from Virginia, where he had een after colored help. He was held for a

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ARY SALES.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. 1 1/1

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We must not have a yard of the last Season Goods on the shelves on February 1. That's the ultimatum, and the prices are ultimatum prices -prices that are sure to sell the goods to-day and to-morrow.

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