Citizens Meet All Over the City to Protest Against Present Methods.

NEW TICKETS ARE NAMED.

Twentieth · Ward People Kicking Against the Officials.

A COMMITTEE WILL INVESTIGATE.

Another Demand Made for Free Bridges on the Southside.

THE MILLAGE MUST BE KIPI DOWN

Citizens' meetings were held in different parts of the city last night to put up re form tickets. Out in the Twentieth ward, which is the largest in the city, a meeting of citizens gathered together last The object of the meeting was to nominate a ticket ngainst what they called the "ring" gang. The names presented for the latter were as follows: For Select Council, William N. Ramsey, W. H. Denniston; Common Council. J. P. Thompson, J. G. Stewart; Alderman, J. B. Hyndman; School Directors, David Blair, Dr. T. D. Davis, Cyrus S. Grave Assessor, William Sprague,

The citizens' representatives were jumping up and expressing themselves in several o flerent languages. They claim that they did not wish a repetition of old affairs, and hone that a cleaning out of offices will be

Largett Scores the Ward Representatives. Thomas Liggett, the wealthy real estate owner, was the champion for the anti-ring party, and he advocated the following citizens' ticket: Select Council, G. W. Baum; Common Council, J. G. Stewart; Alderman,

M. B. Krebs. Mr. Liggett also made many strong remarks condemning the city government and said that people who had hitherto represected his ward in many transactions were not above suspicion. He emphatically stated that the street improvements out in the East End were the "rottenest" he ever

David Maxwell made several pertinent remarks, and his talk brought up a lengthy

In consequence of this talk a committee was appointed by which the property-helders would get a square deal, but the gentlemen have not been apprised of the An Investigating Committee Appointed.

The following committee was appointed: John Woodward, Chairman, Colonel J. M. Schoonmaker, J. R. McGinley, Judge J. H. Reed. They were suggested as a port to the citizens.

government of the Twentieth ward, and he wished to be on record in being a citizen who strengly all bented such a move. David Maywell also made a strong talk brought to their senses by electing representative people to offices, who would look out for the general interests of people,

Lepublicans Declare Agains: Fusion. About 200 Republicans of the Twentyis ward met last evening in the school us ward offices. County Commissioner habert E. Mercer was chosen Chairman Hon. Emmett E. Cotton, James ther and Thomas O'Shell. During the absence of the committee speeches were ade denouncing the fusion of the so-called pendents with the Democrats.

be following nominations were made: ect Council, Herman Enhricaste; Com-n Council, Thomas Wallace; Assessor, H. Hammett; Aldermen, John P. Spinand Joseph Banks; School Dire Illips and Fred Zell, Jr. The Com-Resolutions then reported the resolutions which were adopted

olved. That we express our gratifica and State, and declare our future upholding the principles of the

ntinged and to that the same ntinged and to that and we de-ur and impartial assessment and an economical the same, and are opposed to the extravarant appropriations estimated for the improvements of the public parks the ensuing year, believing the sanual enditure therefore should not exceed

Want a Change in Taxation.

Resolved, That as to the special needs of guthorize the Controller to close the account of the borough of East Birmingham, and that hereafter all special taxes levied in the Twenty-firth and Twenty-sixth wards shall be carried to the bonded indebtedness staking fund account of said district, and A special clause was also adopted ion of James Campbell, that the men of the ward be requested to

Another resolution was also introduced Mr. Campbell that the representatives levy of more than 13 mills, but they ruled

Saturday, February 6, was set for the imaries, the polls to be open from 4 until

7 P. M. The meeting then adjourned.

THIETEEN MILLS THE LIMIT. Twenty-Eighth Ward Republicans Nominate and Reselve.

A suggestion meeting was held last evening in the Twenty-eighth ward school house by the Republican voters of that ward, and the candidates for the various ward offices were named. James Blamey presided, with & ef. Thomas as Secretary. The suggestions resulted as follows: Common Council, James E. Flinn; School Directors, W. F. Robrkuste, W. E. Hamilton and W. N. Crawford; Ward Assessor, K. Feiger, Addresses were made Magistrate Succop, Councilman iran and Councilman McCurry, agistrate Succop's address was The stocke strongly heartily applauded. He spoke strongly against unjust taxation and high millage and stated that the latter should be no higher that 13 mills. He did not believe

other public places were necessary. About GEYER WILL DECIDE 325 voters were present and great interest was taken. The Committee on Resolutions presented the following, which were read and adopted.

Pasolved, That the citizens of the Twenty-Psolved, That the citizens of the Twentyeighth ward, here assembled, do declare
that the valuations of city property as laid
down by the immortal true of alleged city
Assessors, Messry Case, Larkin and Hoerr,
is unjust and beyond all reason; and
Whitheas, Oar only hope of justice in the
matter is to have a corresponding reduction
in the millage; therefore,
Rosolved, We instruct our members of
Council in the Twenty-eighth ward to vote
for as low a millage as can be adopted,
under no circumstances to exceed 13 mills,
and in regard to the park appropriation not
to exceed \$100,000.

The Thirty-Third Ward Candidates.

The Democrats of the Thirty-third ward held a suggestion meeting last night, and named the following ticket: Select Council, John Laughern; Common Council, Cons. Gallagher; School Directors, Patrick Mc-Donald, Patrick Fenlon, Tom Kelly, Patrick Kane, John Kenler; Ward Assessors, Bernard Short and Mike Rogers, There is said to be considerable feeling in the ward among the Democrats, there being two well organized faction clubs to support op-

\$1,000 REWARD OFFERED.

The Manchester Railway Officials Mean to

Possibly one of the most sensational features of the strike on the Manchester line developed vesterday. It was that of a cents off for each day the books are kept out proposition to Chief Murphy from the after January 15. The commissioners think officials of the company, offering a reward | the assessors in the Fourteenth ward torned of \$1,000 for the arrest and conviction of any | their books in to avoid this penalty, but are person proven guilty of throwing stones at | willing to go ahead with the assessment if cars of the company. There were several allowed the regular rate of \$2 per day. cases of stone throwing last evening. One occurred at Beaver avenue and Washington Several car windows were broken. | the county officials have adopted a plan of At Fulton street and Pennsylvania ave- action. nue stones were also thrown, one of which crashed through a window and struck a lady in the face, cutting but not severely wound

This practice is pronounced by the citiens and by the leading strikers as cowardly in the extreme and infamously brutal. The practice easily might result in the killing of a baby or serious injury to a child. The prominent men of the strikers disclaim any onnection or approbation of such pro-

The offer of a reward for the arrest of such persons who, regardless of the result of stone throwing, is apt to diminish the future

Chief Murphy said last night that ladv passengers and other persons innocent of any provocation had been injured by this dastardly, reckless action, and that if the strikers continued such brutal measures they would lose the sympathy of the citizens of Allegheny.

Reported Suicident Sharpsburg. Coroner McDowell was notified shortly before 12 o'clock last night of the suicide of Mrs. Herman Prosts, of Sharpsburg. The woman, it was stated, took a dose of some kind of poison about 7:30 last evening, at her home, corner of Powers street and Clay alley, Sharpsburg. Dr. Graham was called in but was unable to save her and she died about 11 o'clock. Mrs. Prosts was about 35 restigated to-day.

Cui His Son in the Abdomen. George Schaller and his son Henry chalter, of No. 55 Spring Garden avenue, In a motion of William Parkinson it was All-gheny, got into a quarrel last night decided that each candidate would pledge over some caudy, during which Henry was himself to support the candidates which cut in the abdomen with a knife. Chief would be selected on February 6 next, and sured their chances for election on Feb. Riley and Moreland to the house. The many 16.

There was much discussion on city improvements, and Mr. Liggest roused what he called the "Ring Improvement Association" in very round terms. He thought I have a reformation should be made in the Charles Belesby, Amos Scritchfield, John ansa ring business, and thought that the lizers of the Twentieth ward should be and other officers of the Revenue Department, were brought to this city vesterday afternoon and committed to jail by Commissioner McCandless on the charge of at-

Suing the Library Association. The Mercantile Library Hall Company filed a suit yesterday against the Pittsburg Library Association for rent for the rooms occupied by the defendents on Penn ave nue, amounting to \$2,750 with interest from December 31, 1890.

SNAP SHOTS AT LOCAL AFFATRS

THE daily report of the Board of Health for esterday showed five new cases of scarlaina and six new cases of diphtheria in the In the case of W. F. Fulmer, killed by an

engine at Craig street, Allegheny, the Coro-In the case of John Ketor, killed on the Pittsburg, Virginia and Charleston Railroad, the Coroner's Jury yesterday returned a ver-dict of needlenial death.

A special meeting of the Women's Christian Temperance Alliance will be held in the Sandusky Street Baptist Church, Alle-gheoy, at 250 r. s., Tuesday, February 2. REV. D. T. CARNARAN called to correct a slip of the tongue that made him say his Allegheny, will hold a meeting in the First

CORONER McDowell yesterday held in quests on Annie Jacobs, killed by a lamp explosion, and Bridget Marray killed at Hawkins station. Both were decided acci-dental

A NEW oil well was struck yesterday on the C. K. Potter mrm, running 75 barrels an hour. One of the owners refused \$10,000 for half of u. A well adjoining is doing the

THE Journeymen Painters' Protective Association yesterday gave notice that ex-Walking Delegate W. H. Jewell, is no longer either a walking delegate or a member of Provinces Lodge 336, of the L. O. O. F.,

wilf, with its degree staff, visit Angerona Lodge 233 on Wednesday evening to confer initiatory and first degrees. Members of other lodges are invited. THE Democrats of the Eleventh ward will hold their suggestion meeting to-morrow night at the schoolhouse. A committee of three from each district has been appointed to prepare a ticket and report at the meet-

cii No. 48, Danghters of Liberty, are going to present a handsome silk oanner to Liberty Bell Council No. 627, Jr. O. U. A. M., on Fri-day evening, at Leidertafie Hall, Bloom-field.

THE Pittsburg Secular Society will hold its regular meeting at 3 o'clock this afternoon in Curry University Hall, Sixth street. The meeting will be addressed by John B. Charlesworth, of New York, on "The Philosophy of Secularism."

THREE small children were brought to the city yesterday from Delaney, Cambria county, and placed in the St. Paul's Orphan Asylum, Troy Hill. They are the children of James Hilger, and were taken charge of by the Hamane Society.

Ir will be about two weeks before any work can be done on the appropriation ordi-nance." No calculations can be made till the assessors give an estimate of the valuations and the Supreme Court is heard from concerning the new street and curative acts. THE regular meeting of the Washington Association of the Jr. O. U. A. M. was held

inst night. It was decided to hold a reunion next Saturday evening at Saller's Hall, cor-ner Smithfield and Diamond streets. All members of the order are invited to attend. DR. B. M. HANNA. Eye, ear, nose and throat diseases exclusively. Office, 720

What to Do About Those Tired Four-

LOUD APPEALS FILED YESTERDAY.

teenth Ward Assessors.

A Sarcastic Little Screed From Charles Ponnelly's Pen.

PECULIAR CONDITION OF A BIG ESTATE

The County Commissioners have not fully decided what to do in regard to taking the taxable valuation of the Fourteenth ward. They held a conference yesterday and decided to refer the matter to County Solicitor Gever for an opinion, which he is exected to deliver to-morrow. It is possible egal steps will be taken to bring the negligent assessors to time. From a statement made vesterday by Commissioner Boyle, it has been customary for the assessors of the Fourteenth ward to consume more time on the assessment than in any other ward. Three years ago the report was not made until 30 days after the prescribed time, January 15, and for the first time the penalty was applied. Ward Assessors receive \$2 per day. The penalty takes 50 What steps the city Board of Assessors will take in the matter will not be decided until

Some Interesting Objections.

classification.

Even H. S. A. Stewart Complains.

valuation is only \$6,000. Among the other

Bas an Elephant on Her fisads,

Methilda G. MacConnell, as beneficiary

under the will of the late Evaline Gross, is

assessed at \$463,740 on property in the Twentieth ward, all but \$2,500 of which is on

figured at \$191,039. The balance is in loss on various streets in that locality ranging from \$700 to \$23,450. In her appeal she states

Bernard Grimes, Seventseath ward, is assessed \$6,000 on 00x33 feet at Butler and Center streets, his value being \$4,500.

James B. Scott, assessed at \$4,620 on 130x 50\(\frac{1}{2}\) on Bedford avenue, Thirteenth ward, amends for a \$3,900 valuation. Ella W. Frick is assessed at \$4,000 on 100x125 feet on low street but her valuation is \$4,500. She

lown street, but her valuation is \$1,100. She iskan out from \$1,300 to \$1,750 on the building

asks a cut from \$1,350 to \$1,750 on the building.

Twenty-first ward—R. W. Bayley, 430x135
feet on Bennett, near Murtland streets,
\$14,624 assessed: appeal, \$10,750. O. S. Richardson, 54x213 feet, Whomas street, \$4,806 appeal,
\$4,050. Hannah Schmitz, 125x100 Julius
street, \$5,750 appeal, \$5,000 J. S. Tacker, 123
x125 feet. Lincoln avenue and Meadow
street, \$0,468 appeal, \$7,112. John Bissell, 50
x118, Frankstown avenue, near Putnam
street, \$5,000 appeal, \$3,500.

William Adams, Twenty-third ward, is assessed \$9,750 on 61x200 feet on Second avenue, near Adams street; his valuation is
\$\$,050.

NEW TERMS OF THE CHIEFS.

There Will Be Few Changes Outside of

the Department of Public Safety.

begin their new terms to-morrow. In the

Departments of Public Works and Charities

no changes of employes are anticipated.

notices to all his men that their terms had

expired. This created some consternation

among them, but the chief explained after-

ward that it was only a formality and all of

them would be reappointed.

In the Department of Public Safety some

changes are necessary. The principal ones

were mentioned vesterday in THE DIS-

PATCH. Some others were semi-officially

announced yesterday. Ex-Councilman John Spratt will get a place in the Bureau

Lewis was to be reduced to the ranks, but this is hardly credited. Lieutenant Lewis has the record of being one of the most faithful officers in the bureau. He

gained his reputation during the fight of Inspector McAleese against illegal liquor

sellers, when he successfully carried out the heavy end of the work. It is also stated that Charles Gallant will be

made Lieutenant. Lieutenants Waggoner,

Holmes and Glenn are said to be booked for

stations 1, 2 and 3 respectively.

Chiefs Bigelow and Elliot took their

oaths of office yesterday before Mayor Gourley, as well as the superintendents of

Appointments in Abeyance,

was premature, as no appointments would be made until the new term begins. This being in view he would not signify his pur-

poses until the time arrived. Meanwhile is

is generally thought that when the list ap-

pears it will not vary majerially from that intimated yesterday in these columns-

particularly in the case of Assistant Super-intendent O'Mara's promotion.

OF THE DISPATCH AT

107 FEDERAL ST.

Chief Brown, of the Safety Department,

Chiefs Brown, Bigelow and Elliot will

Considering the large number of notices of assessment that have been sent out in the past few days there was a small total of appeals filed at the City Assessor's office ves terday, but the statements made by the ap-pellants in general were the most interest ing of any day since the filing of appeals

Charles Donnelly writes a sarcastic letter in his appeal on the 20x60 feet owned by in his appeal on the 20000 feet owned by himself and G. T. Rafferty on Smithfield street, adjoining Hotel Duquesne. The assessors fixed a value of \$50,000 on the ground and \$8,000 on the building. Mr. Donnelly savs: "This property is leased for \$2,800 a year. After paying taxes and repairs the income from the property on your valuations would from the property on your valuations would not be more than 3½ per cent. This is not right. If we cannot get at least 5 per cent for money we had better sell out. While the property has never been offered, if you are putting these valuations on for the purpose of becoming the owners, I will submit an offer of the valuation you have put on and see if we can't let you invest your money. The building cost \$7,500 ieu years ago. The house and lot cost us \$27,500 and was considered a high price. If all the property in the city was put at or near its value as \$38,000 for this, you would have more money then you could use. This property should not be increased in value, years of age. None of the particulars of as it has had its turn for the last three the case were given. The affair will be inyears. Give some other person a turn for the next three." This appeal was not sworn to, as the others are, and the filing clerks in the office say they do not know how it

Confronted With the City's Figures. Isaac Craig's assessment on 42x60 feet, Nos. 26 and 428 Smithfield street, at the corner of Diamond alley, is assessed \$117,500 on ground cut in the abdomen with a knife. Chief
Murphy was notified and sent Officers
Riley and Moreland to the house. The
wounded man was taken to the Allegheny
General Hospital and the other was arrested. The cut is likely to prove fatal.

Moonshiners Committed to Jatt.
Charles Belesby, Ames Scritchfield, John
Doe alias Joseph Matheud, James Tinkey
and Jacob Tirkey, five of the party of
moonshiners arrested in the mountains by
Acting Internal Revenue Collector Mitchell
and other officers of the Revenue Department were leaveled. The cut is likely vesterated.

Diamond alley, Is assessed \$117,500 on ground
and \$4,500 on buildings. His appeal calls for
a total valuation of \$104 379. He eaves: "I
have been offered \$2,500 ner front foot, but it
was withdrawn because the proposed purtives the city will take 25 feet off
to widen Diamond alley, When the Board
of Viewers made their nward they assessed
of Viewe

take that for it now.

John R. Gregg's assessed valuations and anneals are as follows: Lot 1514x80 feet, Wood and Diamond streets, \$52,080, accepted. Lot 20x80 feet, Market street, between Fifth and Liberty avenues, \$70,000; apneal, \$37,000. Lot 20x40, Smithfield street and Strawberry alley, \$44,000; appeal, \$20,000. Lot 30x40, Wood street, between Fifth avenue and Virgin alley, \$54,000, appeal, \$30,000. Lot 30x20, Virgin alley, above Smithfield street, \$60,00 gin alley, above Smithdeld street, \$36,000; appeal, \$18,000. Lot \$5,500. Wood, between Fifth avenue and Dirmond street, \$82,500; appeal, \$50,600. Lot 30x73, Sixth avenue, between Wood and Liberty streets, \$36.0 0; apneal, \$14.000. Lot 44x54, Liberty street, bet-seen Oak and Cherry alleys, \$5,310, appeal,
\$30,310. Lot 20x60 feet, Smithfield street, bet-ween Sixth avenue and Virgin alley, \$49,000
appeal, \$30,000. Lot 20x60. Smithfield street,
between Fifth avenue and Virgin alley, \$49,000
appeal, \$30,000. Lot 20x60. Smithfield street,
between Diamond alley and Fifth avenue,
\$54,132; appeal, \$36,007. Lot 21x80, Market
street, between Fifth avenue and Liberty
street, \$79.00k appeal, \$30,000. Lot 18x60 feet,
Wood street, between Sixth avenue and
Virgin alley, \$50,135; appeal, \$35,000.
Undertaker H. Samson, assessed \$35,100 on
\$7x100 feet, on Sixth avenue above Cherry alley. His appeal is for \$25,000, and he says he
has been offered corner lots on Sixth avenue
at \$1,000 per foot within the past week.
W. G. Lindsay's 20x80 feet on Smithfield
street between Sixth avenue and Virgin
alley is valued at \$40,002. His valuation is
\$36,000, which he says, "is no more train it
would bring at forced sale, the basis on
which all valuations for taxable purposes
abould be made.
The Post property on Wood street is assessed at \$77,000 on the 25x80 feet lot, and
\$15,000 on building. Owners' valuation is
\$75,000 but they will stand \$80,000. een Wood and Liberty streets, \$36.0 0;

\$15,000 on building. Owners' valuation is \$75,000 but they will stand \$80,000. THE Republicans of the First ward, Other Third Ward Appeals Filed Yesterday. Other Third ward appeals are as follows: I. X. Taylor, 29x00 feet, Wood street and Virgin alley, \$55,000 on lot and 4,000 on building: appeal, \$40,00%. Rev. D. Gregg (9x8) leet, ing: appeal, \$40,001. Rev. D. Gregg 19x80 lect. Wood street, between Fifth avenue and Virgin alley, \$49,300: appeal, \$88,000. Janjison & Alexander, 44x00 foct, Seventh avenue, between Grant street and Cherry alley, \$29,000: no appeal. J. J. Vetters heirs, 57x70 foct, Cherry alley, above Liberty street, \$2,742: appeal, \$13,000. G. Matherry, 18x00 feet, Wood street, between Virgin alley and Sixth avenue, \$49,305; appeal \$83,750. Canries Devlin, 19x86 feet, Liberty street, between Oak and Cherry alleys, \$24,700: appeal, \$17,000. L. P. Kleber, 19x80 feet, Wood street, near Virgin alley, \$51,300 appeal, \$35,150. M. E. McKee 18x90 feet, Wood street, between Virgin alley and Sixth avenue, \$49,909; appeal, \$25,750. James B. Scott, as trustee for the David E. Park estate, Second ward, accepts an assessment of \$11,000 on 30x60 feet, Third avenue, below Smithfield street, but asks a cut from \$34,500 to \$24,000 on 23x90 feet between Smith-

field street and Cherry alley, and from \$31,500 to \$21,000 on 20x20 (set, at the corner of Third to \$21,000 on 2000 leet, at the corner of Third avenue and Chorry alley.

The first appeal that came from the Twelfth ward was marked 'O, K.," being that of Mr. O'Connor, assessed at \$2,040 on 12x100 feet on Penn avenue, below Twenty-first street. first street.
W. R. Allertson offers a premium of \$100 to

anyone who will find him a purchaser at the assessor's futures. He is assessed at \$6,000 on 48:120 feet on Twentieth street; appeal \$4,000; \$8,100 on 48:120 feet on Penn avenue; appeal \$8,000. With buildings his total assessment is \$18,560 and his appeal is for \$16,100 valuation.

Thomas Spellman is assessed \$4,080 on \$100 feet on Penn avenue below Twenty-ourtu street, and \$4,600 on buildings, but he asys he will self for \$7,900 on account of the base in Monroe's belier works in the rear. Hugh Chambers, 24x130 feet, Penn avenue hear Twenty-eighth street is assessed \$4,300. Hugh Chambers, 24x100 feet, Penn nivenue near Twenty-cighth street, is assessed \$4,320, appeal, \$4,000. W. T. Shannon, 24x100 feet, Similiman near Twenty-fighth street, \$3,300, appeal, \$2,400. James Lewis, 24x154 Smallman near Twenty-fifth street, \$4,500, appeal, \$3,600. Mrs. M. Gorman, 20x20, Smallman near Twenty-fifth street, \$4,520, appeal, \$1,200. John Kame, \$2x,500 feet, Penn avenue and Twenty-minth street, \$1,720, appeal, \$5,500. Mebecca Selbert, 70x72 feet, Twenty-fifth and Smallman streets, \$7,600, appeal, \$4,500.

Among the Twenty-second ward appeals is that of the Pennsylvania Fennie College, ten acres of land being valued at \$60,000 and the buildings at \$85,500. G. A. Berry, the agent, fixes the land value at \$4,000 an acre, and appeals for agricultural classification. and appeals for agricultural classification.
The buildings he values at \$55,000.

John R. McGinley is assessed at \$112,812 on 7% acres on Forbes, above Neville street, but he avers the property is so hilly and broken with ravines that it should not be

valued above \$56,250.

that hour for insertion the next morning at Wants Agricultural Classification, Samuel H. Kallar is asserted across

neres on Park avenue at the city line. He considers that too high a figure, and asks for agricultural classification. He says this property was taken loto the city too soon, that as far as city water supply, fire and Gathering of State Politicians in Pittsburg Yesterday.

that as far as city water supply, fire and police protection are concerned it might as well be located in Cambria county for all the return he gots for his taxes.

Daniel J. Fleuning's complaint is about the same. He is assessed \$20.600 on each acres on Forward avenue, which he offers to sell for \$8.000, and which he believes would not bring over \$6,500 at forced sale.

Mary E. Stewart is assessed \$21.409 on six lots, 60x175 each, on Murray Hill avenue, and \$60,000 on buildings. She appeals for a valuation on land of \$21.00, paid for it last July, and asks a cut to \$22,000 on the buildings, as they will only have cost that much by March I, although they will cost more when finished.

The following are among the Twenty-DALZELL SCORES A GREAT POINT By Having Late Dates Fixed for Legisla tive Conventions.

GEORGE SHIRAS INDORSED BY THE BAR

The Republican campaign in Allegheny

March I, although they will cost more when finished.

The following are among the Twenty-second ward appeals: A. D. Shaw, 39 acres. Forless street, between Shady lane and Nine-Mile Ram, assessed \$46 800; appeal, \$23,400; also il acres in rear of the misove \$13,200; appeal, \$6,600. W. K. Woodwell, 7½ acres, near Penn arenue, \$5,706; appeal, \$35,000. Fulton estate, 39½ acres, Fifth avenue and Shady lane, \$50,250; appeal, \$72500. R. F. Bialas, 100x100 feet, Edgerton avenue, \$5,000; appeal, \$7,000. John McCane, 60x157 feet, Ramp street, \$2,100; appeal, \$1,000. George S. Falmer, six lois on Reynolds and Homewood avenues, \$5,834; appeal, \$1,800. Mary E. Parkinson, 29½ acres, Shady lane, between Forbes street and Four-Mile run, adjoining Schanley Park, \$7,350; appeal, \$1,800. Mary E. Parkinson, 29½ acres, Shady lane, between Forbes street and Four-Mile run, adjoining Schanley Park, \$7,350; appeal, \$1,800. L. De Wolf, nine lots 25x100 cach, rear Roup street, \$1,000, appeal, \$2,000. Let 250x40, Murdock street, \$1,961; appeal, \$1,452. county was formally opened by the meeting of the Republican County Committee at City Hall yesterday afternoon. The attendance was unusually large, and the fight which was begun yesterday afternoon will not end until after the Presidental election. There were politicians of all grades and sizes. While Senator Quar was not present his political advisers, helpers and heelers were out in torce, and the gathering as-In the Nineteenth ward Caroline B. Negley In the Nineteenth ward Caroline B. Negley is assessed \$48,000 on eight acres on Stanton avenue, which she values at \$16,000 and which she testifies does not touch Stanton avenue, but is nemmed in by other agricultural property and has no outlet except the Haights Bun and Morningside roads, which the city has ruined with sewers. She demands agricultural classification. W. B. Negley appeals for a cut from \$12,210 to \$8,000 on 70 x 220 feet at Highland avenue and Bond street, and asks for rural classification. conspicuous figure present. In appearance be is the perfect picture of a well-fed, substantial farmer. His iron gray whiskers I most completely hide his fat, round, pleasant face. His soft black hat falls back, exposing a well-shaped, intellectual looking head, and he seemed delighted at meeting so many of his former associates in the State Legislature Mr. Taggart is a candidate for H. S. A. Stewart is assessed on a total of Congressman-at-large, and he is already at 144 lots and a 6-acre tract of land. On the latter, located on Rebecca street and Clearwork on his eampaign. A Great Gathering of Politicians. view avenue, he is assessed at \$32,000, but his

J. M. Carson, of Butler county, Reading valuation is only \$6,000. Among the other valuations are \$105. 40x152 each, on Stanton avenue, assessed \$25,600; appeal, \$19,200; 22 iots, 40x152 each, Baywood street, \$52,200; appeal, \$2,240; 165x157 feet. Negley avenue, \$12,375; appeal, \$9,900; 320x182 feet, Baywood street, \$12,800; appeal, \$9,500; 10 lots, 51x150 each, Negley avenue, \$2,250; appeal, \$52,500; 150x165 feet, Stanton, near Negley avenue, \$11,8.0. appeal, \$2,50; 4 lots, 60x160 each, Stanton, near Negley, \$2,1200; appeal, \$12,900; 255x165 at Stanton avenue and St. Clair street, \$23,755; appeal, \$18,800; 115x180. Stanton and Mellon street, \$12,931; appeal, \$9,200. On a piece 170x150 feet, on Nerley avenue, he raises the valuation from \$12,750 to \$13,600.

Other Nineteenth ward appeals were W. clerk of the State Senate, was also there. He come to Pittsburg, he said, just to see his political friends, and he saw many of them. Charley H. Fletcher, a member of the Legislature from Philadelphia, also happened in while the committee was in session. He is a friend of Senator Quay's, and when at home is an ardent politician, but his visit to Pittsburg, he said, was purely a social visit and was without political significance. Senators Steele, Upper piece 170x180 feet, an Neriev avenue, he raises the valuation from \$12,750 to \$13,600.

Other Nineteenth ward appeals were W. H. Morton, 45x122 feet, Rippey strees, \$3,600; appeal, \$2,750. George Alexander, 6 acres, Heberton street, \$21,600; appeal, \$12,600. Henry Lersh, '9x100' feet, Frankstown avenue, \$2,600; appeal, \$1,800. Mrs. M. P. Dilworth, 220x282, Collins avenue, near Stanton, \$19,674; appeal, \$1,500. Mrs. S. J. Minor, 26x 144 feet, Penn, between Sheridan and Collins avenues, \$26,000; appeal, \$5,300. S. J. Hooper, '5x124' feet, Breart, near St. Chair street, 53,225; appeal, \$1,800. E. P. Enberra, 69x190 feet, Bend street, \$3,425, appeal, \$1,800. E. P. Enberra, 69x190 feet, Bend street, \$3,424; appeal, \$1,700. G. R. Morrow, 45x203. Bond street, \$1,890. appeal, \$1,800. F. B. McGonnell, ISx89 feet, No. 623 Penn avenue, \$15,000; appeal, \$1,800. George Du Barry, 40x200 feet, Frank stown avenue, \$12,500 feet, Frank stown avenue, \$12,500 building, \$550; appeal, \$1,500. John Leech, 17x122, Frank-town avenue, \$12,500 building, \$550; appeal on all, \$14,600. F. M. Roberts, 67x125 feet, Highland avenue, \$10,500; appeal, \$10,000. F. White, 24x187 feet, 17 Broad street, \$2,160; appeal, \$1,00.

Has an Elephant on Her Hands, man, Neeb and Flinn scattered themselves about through the committee. Steele and Upperman are candidates for re-election without substantial opposition, and they were out yesterday just to see that the best interests of the Republican party were served. Representatives Lafferty, Weaver, Cottor, Lemon, Robinson, Crogan and other of Allegheny county's lawmakers were present. Jim Richards, who has grown weary of making laws and is any long to be above. of making laws and is anxious to be chosen Sheriff, talked with constituents from every part of the county, while Vint Stevens, who is content as Gauger of Oil, but whose friends insist he shall be the Rebut whose friends insist he snail be the ke-publican candidate for Sheriff, shook hands with all comers and wished them a fair measure of success. Henry Ochse, of Etna, a candidate for Director of the Poor, was being introduced around. Coroner McDowell Was Out Hustling.

Coroner McDowell, who is a candidate to succeed himself, was probably the most cheerful looking man in the assembly, and at no turn did he overlook an opportu-nity to secure for himself a pledge assessed at \$463,740 on property in the Twentieth ward, all but \$5,500 of which is on land. One tract of 700,000 feet, on Wincland. tract of 21% acres on Friendship avenue is with his supporters about his prolonged figured at \$191,029. The balance is in loss on contest for ex-Collector Warmeastie's

from 8500 to 833,450. In her appeal she states that the property is under such peculiar restrictions that it cannot be sold at either private or public ale and an estimate of its value cannot be made. On another property the same lady laassessed \$17,300 on 75, acres at Winebiddle avenue and Hernam street, her valuation is \$15,300.

M. J. English, Twentieth ward, is assessed \$3,000 on 30x100 feet, Belle onte street, appeal, \$1,500. E. T. Cassidy, 80x120 feet, Liberty street, \$5,000 appeal, \$4,500, James Kurtz, Jr., 50x150 feet, Center avevue, \$4,500; appeal, \$2,500.

Sixteenth ward—Philip Mey, 20x100 feet, Ponn avenue between Mails and Winebiddle avenues, \$1,800 appeal, \$1,500. Mary Paradine, 42x130 rect, Marx, Pear Thirty-ning street, \$2,940; appeal, \$2,500. W. C. Hell, 49x100 feet, Mary street, \$2,940; appeal, \$1,500. W. C. Hell, \$40x100 feet, Mary street, \$2,940; appeal, \$1,500.

Bernard Grimes, Seventeenth ward, is assessed that the following view of the committee was called to order by Chairman Gripp. A resolution was adopted thanking the officers of the committee for their rediction was adopted thanking the officers of the committee for their rediction was adopted thanking the officers of the committee for their rediction was adopted thanking the officers of the committee was called to order by Chairman Gripp. A resolution was adopted thanking the officers of the committee for their rediction was adopted thanking the officers of the committee for their rediction was adopted thanking the officers of the committee was called to order by Chairman Gripp. A resolution was adopted thanking the officers of the committee was called to order by Chairman Gripp. A resolution was adopted thanking the officers of the committee of the committee was called to order by Chairman Gripp. A resolution was adopted thanking the officers of the committee of the committee was called to order the committee of the committee was called to order the committee of the committee was called to order the committee of the committee of the The committee was called to order by and places as the Chairman of the com-

mittee shall bereafter designate. The resolution calls for the election of two delegates and two alternates, each from the Twenty-second and Twenty-third and Allegheny's part of the Twenty-fourth Congressional districts to the Republican Na-tional Convention. Also that a committee of three be appointed to confer with similar committee from Washington, Favette and Greene counties to fix a time for holding the latter convention, and that the basis of repreentation shall be the same as allowed in 1800. The resolutions also call for legislative district conventions to elect delegates to the Republican State Convention.

Dalzell Scores a Victory. John B. Kennedy offered a resolution which was adopted providing that in ac-cordance with rule 6, the Chairman be authorized and directed to issue a call for the holding of Republican primaries on the 28th of May, 1892, between the hours of 4 and 7 oclock P. M., to elect delegates to the following conventions, which shall be con-vened upon the Tuesday following, at such times and places as the Chairman shall hereafter designate, viz.: County Conven-Chief Bigelow, of the former, sent out tion No. 1, to nominate a candidate for President Judge, of Court of Common Pleas No. 1; candidate for Coroner and Director of the Poor, also to nominate candidates for Congress in the Twenty-second and Twentythird Districts; for Senators in the Forty-third and Forty-fifth districts, and candi-dates for the Legislature in the First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, Seventh and Eighth districts; also to elect in each district one person as representa-tive and member of the Executive Commit-

of Building and Plumbing Inspection, to fill the place of Captain C. L. Brennen, who is too ill to fill his position.

It was stated that Lieutenant David The committee then adjourned. The fixing of the Congressional and Leg-islative primaries at the late date is construed as a victory for Mr. Dalzell, who, under the circumstances it is said, is now assured a solid delegation from Allegheny county. The presence of the visiting politicians, it was generally believed, was to secure early primaries in the interest of Senstor Quay.

EVERYONE FOR GEORGE SHIRAS. The Bar Association Indorses Him for

Justice Bradley's Place. The meeting of the members of the Allegheny County Bar yesterday morning to ecommend to the President the appointment of George Shira's, Jr., as a successor of the late Judge Bradley on the United States Supreme bench was -largely attended, and Major A. M. Brown presided. stated yesterday that the report of the ap- John D. McKennan, W. S. Chalfant, S. pointment to the superintendency and of W. Cunning other changes in the Police Department Secretaries. W. Cunningham and R. B. Petty acted as

D. D. Bruce made a short address, after which he presented a series of resolutions, which were unanimously adopted. The resolutions recite the many sterling and brilliant qualities of Mr. Shiras, his rare legal ability, his culture and scholarship, and guaranteeing that he would, if named, be a fair, able and industrious judge whose learning and ability will make him well worthy of a place in that eminent tri-

Entertained Philadelphia Politicians. Hon. Charles H. Fletcher and a party of 12 Philadelphia politicians and business men arrived in Pittsburg yesterday in a special car. They spent most of the day in looking about the city, and last night they Is open every day except Sunday until 9 P. were entertained at the Young Men's Re-publican Tariff Club. The visitors were depublican Tariff Club. The visitors were de-lighted with their treatment. They will leave for Philadelphia to-night. They came to Pittsburg, they say, for pleasure, They while they had considerable pleasure here they all talked considerable politics.

FOR THE WORLD'S FAIR.

The Chamber of Commerce Committee Meets and Anthorizes the Appointment of Sub-Committees to Urge Manufacturers to Assist in Making Pittsburg's Exhibit a Success.

The committee of the Chamber of Commerce on the Columbian Fair exhibits met yesterday afternoon in the old Thaw residence, Fifth street. The meeting was not very largely attended, owing to the sickness of several members. The object of the session was to hear the report of the subcommittee. It was as follows: "Your sub-Committee on Programme

would respectfully submit the following report: Inasmuch as the State Commission have requested the committee of the Chauber of Commerce to use its best endeavors same color, and a pretty face, but with a to get our manufacturers to make early application for space in the Columbian Exposition, we recommend that the Chairman be anthorized to appoint sub-committees, representing various industries, to perers were out in force, and the gathering assumed for the time the appearance of a State convention. Farmer Taggart, of Montgomery county, who stood as the granger candidate for United States Senator against Senator Cameron a year ago, was probably the most conspicuous figure present. In appearance he is the perfect picture of a well-fed, sub-State Commission in solving the raised problems as they arise. We think it would be well to arge upon the State Commission the necessity of obtaining from Chicago definite plans of the proposed location of our State exhibits, as such plans will materially assist the sub-committee in obtaining applications for space." This report was considered for some time, and in pursuance thereof Mr. Scalle offered

the following resolution: house for the reception of Mrs. Middleton, Resolved. That the Chairman be emand where she was to meet her husband,

nesolved. That the Chairman be empowered to appoint such sub-committees as he may deem best from the present committee or outside of it to represent the industries as recommended by the sub-committee; these sub-commistees to contain such number of members as the Chairman may deem lest. An additional resolution was added to this by Mr. Foster. It read: Resolved, That the Secretary (Mr. Fol-lansbee) communicate with the different industrial and commercial organizations and request them each to name one of their members as a member of this committee.

Each of these resolutions were adopted. Mr. William Quinn, representing the Com-mittee on Manufactures and Machinery of the World's Fair managers of Pennsylvania, was present and stated that these industries were becoming considerably interested. He said that he had some plans of the proposed exhibition and would place them at the disposal of the Chamber of Commerce. The meeting then adjourned to meet at the call

A GLASS WORKS BURNED.

Hamilton's Bottle Factory Camaged to the Fatent of \$5,000.

The flint glass bottle house of W. H. Hamilton & Co., at Twenty-first and Railroad streets, was damaged by fire to the extent of \$5,000 last night between 10 and 11 o'clock. The fire started in the end of the building next to Twenty-first street, and was caused by a leak in the gas supply pipe leading to the furnace. The watchman, John Kearns, discovered the blaze and sent in an alarm from box 348, and although two engine companies are located on Penn ave-nue within easy reach, the entire building was enveloped in flames before they ar-

rived. The firemen did excellent work, which alone accounts for the fact that the entire building and surrounding property was not destroyed. The frame structure, 64x64 feet in dimensions, is so hadly damaged that it will have to be torn down. The furnace, which contains ten pots, is not damaged. The loss on the building will be about \$3,000. The total loss will not exceed \$5,000, and it is fully insured. About 80 men and boys were employed. The firm will rebuild at once.

Barned Out, but Still Good.

Information was received in the city last night by the Wheeling Natural Gas Company, owners of the old Cook well at Mc-Donald's, that the well had commenced business again yesterday, going off at the rate of 25 barrels an hour. The well is the one that astonished people last summer by doing 10,000 barrels a day. It caught fire last August and after burning for some time was finally extinguished with great labor and expense. Recently work was commenced cleaning it out and pumping it, and yesterday it started flowing again.

Fire Apparatus at Oakdale,

Since the recent fire at Oakdale the citizens have decided to secure some protection against future occurrences of a similar nature. It has been decided to tap a water pipe of the Southern Pipe Line Company pearby. It will give a pressure of 200 pounds to the square inch. The water comes from Chartiers creek.

McDaniels Is Badly Wanted. John McDaniels, who is supposed to be a resident of this city, is a badly wanted man. If Mr. McDaniels happens to read this item and calls on J. C. Connors at the office of the Superintendent of Police, he will of something of interest to both himself and his family.

Secretary Blaine's Son-in-Law, Walter I. Damrosch. "After having examined your Vocalion Church Organ I must express to you my great surprise at this remarkable instru-

"The voicing of this organ is noteworthy; each stop has its characteristic quality, the flute is really flute-like and the clarinet preserves the peculiar wooden character of the original. Most remarkable is the close approach of sound to the pipe organ, not many of the latter being the equal in quality of tone to the Vocalion Church Organs,

Last, but not least, the light, quick action

and never varying accuracy of intenstion deserve special mention. Yours truly, "WALTER L DAMROSCH." Mr. Damrosch is one of the highest mus cal authorities in America, and his testi-mony must be accepted as final and conclusive. The Messes. H. Kleber & Bro., 506 Wood street, are the exclusive Western agents, and they sold not less than four of these splendid church organs during the past week, namely: One organ to Uniontown Baptist Church; another to the Scottdale Methodist Church; a third one to Duquesne Baptist Church, presented by Mr. Andrew Carnegie; and the last one to Elizabeth Presbyterian Church.

Houses for Rent Advertised in great variety in the special to let lists in Monday's Dispatch. The Press Club Banquet

Thursday night was well supplied with Ma-ginn scrackers. Try them. See your grocer. E. MAGINN, 913-915 Liberty street; 80 Federal street, Allegheny.

Read the special to let advts. in to-morrow's

Closing sale of winter suits, trouserings and overcoats. Suits to order \$25, pants \$6, at Pitcairn's, 434 Wood street.

AFTER a sleepless night, use Angostura Bitters to tone up system. All druggists. Special To Let Lists To-morrow in the Dispatch. Home seekers

FACED BY HIS WIFE.

She Stops a Love Affair Between Her · Husband and a Brunette.

MRS. MIDDLETON WANTS A DIVORCE

A dramatic scene occurred at the board-

ing house, No. 951 Penn avenue, last even-

ing, though the premature publication of

the programme partially spoiled the effect.

A little woman with dark hair, eyes of the

the mail train at Union depot about 8

She was met at the station gate by sev-

eral job printers, who had promised to be

it appears, is not as high-minded as Geof-

frey Middleton, Gentleman, in the play, and

according to reports was engaged to marry a

brunette who lived in his boarding house.

The brunette in question was warned that

Middleton was married, but she was inclined

Didn't Want to Spoil the Programme.

A little party had been arranged at the

Somebody leaked, however, and he became

aware of the plans. He is one of the job

printers who was imported last December

from Philadelphia, and worked for Joseph Eichbaum. During the afternoon he told his fellow printers who had interested them-selves in the case that he would not spoil

the programme and would be present.

Mrs. Middleton in a cool, collected man

Mrs. Middleton in a cool, collected man-ner told the assembled guests who she was, and asked to see the brunette. The latter declined to make a public show of herself, and the lady gave her an audi-ence in an adjoining room. Mrs. Middleton produced her marriage certificate

and furnished other proofs. The brunette was very much crestfallen, but had nothing

to say. In a short time Middleton came into the room, and took a stand before the mantel. He is a tall man, wore a Prince Albert coat and a plug hat adorned his head. Mrs. Middleton entered and sat down

mean. Mrs. Middleton entered and sat down without saying a word. With a flourish Middleton announced to the guests that the lady was his wife. When she asked him why he had deceived her, he made no

reply. Then the boarding house mistress turned on Middleton add ordered him from

the place. He went, but returned several

times and asked for his wife. She declined

o see him, and he was refused admittance.

Mrs. Middleton said afterward that this

is the fourth time her husband has played the same trick on her, and she was deter-

mined now to apply for a divorce. The last

man, and I am through with him."

Superintendent Marthens, of Joseph Eich-

Meeting of A. O. U. W. Officers.

order's rooms on Third avenue vesterday

They meet here every three months to go over the Secretary's books and see that the

Grand Master Gorton, of Smethport; Grand Foreman John W. Bickel, of Norristown,

and Grand Overseer A. A. Anderson, of

Read the special to let advts. in to-morrow's

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go direct to the Order Department,

where they will be put up, packed

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will be able to work rapidly and ac-

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customers and we are confident that

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will give some idea of our trade.

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She Will Ask for a Divorce.

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Extra fine Red Blankets, \$5 and \$6. Finest 12-4 extra heavy weight, \$7 and \$8.

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\$1 75 Goods offered now \$1 25, \$2 00 Goods offered now \$1 50. \$2 50 Goods offered now \$1 75, \$3 00 Goods offered now \$2 00.

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A special bargain in ZEPHYR GINGHAMS, 240 pieces, desirable styles and colorings, at 15c a yard. WHITE GOODS.

UPHOLSTERY DEPARTMENT.

time she brought the second woman to her home, and then Middleton frankly con-fessed all as he did last evening. The lady gave him a red-hot raking, but he didn't Te emphasize the merits of our Curtain display, we say there are no wince. She said she had given up a good position in the Keystone Watch Works more exquisite patterns to be had in at Philadelphia at the request of her husband. "I am tired of being deceived," she continued, "and will apply for a divorce. Middleton is not much of a the market, and our prices are notably low.

> NOTTINGHAM and SWISS LACE CURTAINS, all grades. See

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FEBRUARY, 1892.

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