Assessed as Valuable Building Lots,
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A Westinghouse Tract Valued at \$156,000
Offered for Sale at \$20,000.

THE PANHANDLE'S VIGOROUS PROTEST

Yesterday's record of appeals filed was one of the largest the city assessors has experienced. The Third, Twelfth, Eightenth, Nineteenth and Twenty-second wards, which are open for appeals, turned in a great number, particularly the Third and Twenty-second. A few came straggling in from other wards, but as the time for filing appeals in all but the wards mentioned has closed, the assessors will not likely give them any attention.

Among these was one from the Panhandle Railroad Company in relation to their depot lot in the Fifth ward, which is 701x127 feet, and 603 feet in the rear on Grant street. It is valued at \$635,634, but the company's agent thinks it should not be fixed higher the property on Fifth avenue above Naville Street, on While I don't think it worth a dollar more to-day I will make no appeal, but do in street, and 603 feet in the rear on Grant street. It is valued at \$635,634, but the company's agent thinks it should not be fixed higher

He asks for agricularity and the plant of the wards menting and the wards well as the valuation of \$5,000 an ere, and rural classification. On 10 1123-316 on Nogley avenue, 52,000 and rural rural classification. The property within the past is mother, and the property within the past is mother, and the property within the past is months, he continues, "and it is fair to assume that in view of the recent increased in value." His appeals are: \$25,160, Penn avenue, \$4,000 appeal, \$10,000. His appeals are: \$25,160,000 appeal, \$10,000 appeal, \$10,000

A Kick on the Appeal Blanks. D. D. Bruce's appeal complains that the only appeal blanks furnished by the assessors appellants must swear that they own no other property of any description in said ward, whether they do own other in said ward, whether they do own other property or not. Consequently he could and did not fill in or use that portion of the blank provided. He protests against the valuation of \$30,750 on 5.125 acres at Wightman street and Wilkins avenue as excessive and unjust. The valuation under the last assessment was only \$5,125. He says the ground is rough broken and only used for grazing and must be assessed as agricultural. offered. The claim is also made that the

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George Singer, Jr., is assessed \$30,000 on 4½
acres at F1 th and Penn avenues. He appeals for a \$52,000 valuation, expressing indignation at the assessors' figures. He says that J. B. Jackson recently sold five acres of land similar and near to his for \$8,000 an acre, and why his should be valued so ar in excess is beyond his comprehension. He asks a valuation of \$22,000 on the acre front and \$30,000 on the 3½ acres in the rear.

Mrs. Margaret B. Brown is assessed at \$55,800 on 61-5 acres at Forbes and Wightman streets; appeal, \$37,200. Jos. Longhrey, 90x 255 feet, Homewood avenue. \$6,750; appeal, \$2,018. Jos. Longhrey, Sr., 4½ acres, Forbes street, \$43,125; uppeal, \$12,538. Same, 2½ acres, Forbes, opposite Joncaire street, \$28,575; appeal, \$10,010. Same, 14½ acres, Joncaire street, \$44,037; appeal, \$13,82. Same, 5 acres, Forbes and Frolich streets, \$50,000; appeal, \$17,500. Same, 17½ acres, Forbes street, \$13,-125; appeal, \$43,281. Same, 44½ perches, Frolich and Joncaire streets, \$2,779; appeal, \$77. May C. Longhrey, 1½ acres, Forbes, near Frolich street, \$12,781; appeal, \$5,300.

A Hig Difference on a Large Tract.

A Big Difference on a Large Tract. Jane McKelvey. 52 acres, on Buttimore and Ohio Railroad, \$62,317; appeal, \$25,000. G. G. O'Brien and W. J. W. Wright, 434 acres, Forbes street, \$46,875; appeal, \$23,418. Jane Callaghan, six lots, 25x145 feet each, Park Same, four lots, 25x145 feet each, Park avenue, \$4,000; appeal, \$2.200. J. R. Lloyd, 69x120 same, four lots, 25x145 feet each, Park avenue, \$1000; appeal, \$2.200. J. R. Lloyd, 69x120 feet, Lang avenne, \$2,122; appeal, \$2,100. Julia H. Davis, 149x157 feet, Forbes street, \$12,237; appeal, \$7,500. David Richmond, four acres, Stady, near Fifth avenue, \$12,000; appeal, \$7,500. David Richmond, four acres, Stady, near Fifth avenue, \$12,000; appeal, \$10,000. Abraham Kellar, 75x200 feet, Pennavenue and Richland street; appeal, \$5,500. Lizzie D. Schoyer, three acres, Dallas avenue, \$21-000; appeal, \$10,000. Dr. Frauk Le Moyne, 140 perches, Wightman and Irvine streets, \$5.25; appeal, \$3,000. Same, Fl4 acres, Homewood avenue and Wightman str.et, \$10,500; appeal, \$1,230,000. Same, 182, 200. Same, one acre, Joneaire street, \$4,500; appeal, \$2,000. Mrs. H. C. Bughmaun, 116x410 feet, Fifth near Wilkins avenue, \$17,400; no appeal, \$3,000. Mrs. H. C. Bughmaun, 116x410 feet, Fifth near Wilkins avenue, \$17,400; no appeal, \$3,000. Mrs. H. C. Bughmaun, 116x410 feet, Fifth near Wilkins avenue, \$17,400; no appeal, \$3,000. Same, three acres, Fifth avenue, and Holmes street, \$40,000; appeal, \$1,000. Same 17½ acres in rear, \$9,987; appeal, \$1,900. George W. Dilworth, 132x400 feet, Fifth avenue, near Wilkins, \$18,610; appeal, \$1,200. M. P. Howley, 217x144 feet, Fobes street and Murtland, \$16,286; appeal, \$1,200. M. P. Howley, 217x144 feet, Fobes street and Murtland, \$16,286; appeal, \$1,200. M. P. Howley, 217x144 feet, Fobes street and Murtland, \$16,286; appeal, \$10,200 appeal, \$1,200. M. P. Howley, 217x144 feet, Fobes street and Murtland, \$16,286; appeal, \$10,000 appeal, \$10,000 appeal, \$10,000 appeal, \$2,000. Same three acres and still finer ones made by very best tailors and workmanship, some silk lined custom made, all in proportionate price; \$4,97 buys a splendid beaver over-

Mrs. Alex Chembers, three acres Fifth avenue, below Wilkins, \$75,000 and on nine acres in rear of Forbes street \$225,625; appeal says only owns 10 acres and values two ieres fronting Fifth avenue, at \$49,000, two acres fronting Forbes street \$20,000 and remaining six acres at \$45,000, making a difference of \$200,000 in valuation. Mary B. Dilworth, 199x389 feet. Fifth avenue near Wilkins, \$19,503; appeal, \$13,930. H. E. Wainwright, 1½ acres, Fenn avenue, \$25,000; appeal, \$15,250. Same, 2½ acres in rear above \$20,250; appael, \$17,500. Christopher Magee, Jr., 11½ acres, Forbes and Neville streets, \$113,000; appeal, \$50,000 on land, and buildings assessed at \$20,000. Same, 3½ acres, between Joncaire and Frolich streets, \$23,406; appeals for a big cut and for rural classification. Mrs. E. J. Mashey, 2 acres, Penn avenue, near Fifth, \$40,000; appeal, \$15,000. Eliza T. Edwards, 1½ acres, Forbes and Boundary streets, \$23,125; \$24,acres, Forbes street, \$117,250; 133 perches, Forbes, near Neville, \$16,625; appeal \$84,000 on all the land. maining six acres at \$15,000, making a

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feet, Liberty and Twenty-ninth streets, \$21,600; appeal, \$41,800. Same, 25½x100, Liberty
street, \$3,570; appeal, \$2,650. D. Jones estate,
72x130 feet, Penn avenue and Twenty-ninth
street, \$13,590; appeal, \$10,090. Fred Boos, 64x
120 feet, Smallman street, near Twentyninth, \$8,320; appeal, \$5,440. Robert Watson,
24x100, Penn avenue, near Twenty-ninth
street, \$4,416; appeal, \$3,600. A. R. McLarren,
24x80 feet, Smallman street, near Twentyfourth, \$1,240; appeal, \$2,100. J. & K. Lynch,
42x100 feet, Penn avenue, near Twenty-sixth
street, \$7,140; appeal, \$5,140. Jacob Heek, 33x
120 feet, Smallman street, near Thirtieth,
\$4,160; appeal, \$2,400.

\$4,160; appeal, \$2 400. Only a Goose Pasture. N. P. Sawyer, of the Eighteenth ward, in his appeal protests against the assessors plotting his 'allside into building lots for assessment purposes. The ground is assessed at about \$18 000, but he values it at

nera variety pure rye whiskies. In prepar-ing the Holmes' Best for shipments of this kind every case is carefully packed by an ingenious packer patented by Mr. Holmes some years since and used exclusively by this house. Since using this packer, in the past five years, not a single bottle has been broken. Another precaution in long distance shipments used by this firm only, is securely fastening each corner of the box by steel clamps and affix-ing iron handles to each end of the case, thereby making the same easy to handle and thus greatly helping to assure sate de-livery of same at destination. Holmes' Best is too valuable a whisky to take any

chances on for breakage, therefore all these precautions are taken and the value of these precautionary measures are shown daily in the large shipments of "Holmes' Best" all over the country, from Maine to California.

> GREAT wash skirt sale to-day.
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> JOS. HORNE & Co.'s Lack of Exercise Is one of the prime causes of headache i the winter. Persons accustomed to the pure fresh air during the pleasant months are subject to this terrible annoyance at this time of the year. A boon is affered in Krause's Headache Capsules, which is guar-anteed to cure any kind of a headache no matter what the cause. Headache caused by over-indulgence in food or drink late at night, can be prevented by taking one cap-sule before retiring and one in the morning.

> > JOS. HORNE & Co., 607-621 Penn avenue.

50c, 60c, 75c 85c, 90c, \$1 Each, JOS, HORNE & Co.,

THE WILD MAN LOCKED UP. A DOCTOR IN PRISON A Workhouse Sentence Which, It Is Hoped

Will Prove Beneficial. While Alleged Suspicious Methods Steve Farenbach, the hermit of Six-Mile Ferry, near Homestead, of whon an account was published exclusively in yesterday's was published exclusively in yesterday's DISPATCH, was given a hearing before Alderman Kuhn, of Homestead, and was sent to the workhouse for a period of 30 days on the charge of vagrancy. The story that he told the 'Squire was identical with that already published in yesterday's DISPATCH.

He expressed a desire for work, and the 'Squire deemed it the wisest plan to send him to the workhouse, in the hope that the employment and discipline of that institution would divert his thoughts and prove beneficial to his mind, and be the means of restoring his shattered senses. HE ADVERTISED FOR A PARTNER. But Was So Anxions to Obtain Money as to TRAVELING UNDER MANY ALIASES

> REQUIRES no boiling, no cooking. Mela lin's Food has only to be dissolved in ho-water and milk to make it ready for use. It is the concentration of nourishing proper-ties and the best food for infants and

> ROSINA VOKES and her clever associates return to the Duquesne Theater next Mon day after an absence of more than a year She comes for a week's visit, bringing her her excellent company and a repertoire of those bright one-act plays, with which she has become identified. For the first three nights the bill will be "In Honor. Bound," "My Milliner's Bill" and "A Pantomime Rehearsal," which will be repeated Saturday night. The balance of the week will be devoted to a new triple bill, consisting of "The Rose," "Barbara" and "My Lord in Livery." The sale of seats opens to-morrow (Thursday) morning.

For Lung Troubles-Always Reliable. UPPER BLACK EDDY, BUCKS Co., PA., November 24, 1891.

GENTLEMEN—I was a boatman for a good many years on the Delaware and Lehigh Canal, and being continually exposed to all kinds of bad weather, frequently contracted severe colds which would lay me up for severe colds which would lay me up for weeks. The most severe cold I eyer got settled on my lungs. I had very severe pains all through my chest and under my shoulder blades. My throat was sore, and it seemed that the air passages were all closing up. I could not sleep at night owing to the distressing cough. My misery was so great I did not know what to do with myself. All medicines failed to bring me any relief. A friend who had been similarly stillighted and cured by Dr. D. Jayne's Ex. afflicted and cured by Dr. D. Jayne's Ex-pectorant, advised me to try it, and before pectorant, advised me to try it, and before I had finished taking the second bottle I was a well man. I think Dr. D. Jayne's Expectorant is the best medicine in the world for coughs and lung diseases, and I do conscientiously recommend it to all that are afflicted as I was.

A. F. HARWICK.

To obtain the genuine, buy of your neighbor-druggist, whom you know.

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NOT DAMAGED.

Thursday, February 4, You Can Choose Any Overcoat or Ulster in Our Store at \$13. Any of the above garments are worth \$25, \$30 and up to \$40, and tailors charge \$50 to make them. All the fine overcoats, ulsters and cape coats left from our late fire are offered in this sale at \$13. Up to the present time the cheap goods have been moving. We find that what's left is all high-priced garments, such as few clothing stores carry. They are so elegantly made and of such fine materials—Carr's meltons, English Berkeley kerseys, German chinchillas, the finest cheviots, imported thibets and French Montagnacs, many silk and satin-lined or cassi-mere cloth-lined, at \$13. Think of such fine goods selling at such a ridiculous low price.
You have permission to go through our
entire establishment and pick on any overcoat or ulster. We do not lay aside a single garment, and none of the above goods, remember, were damaged by fire, smoke or water; all the slightly damaged goods can be found in our basement bargain department. This \$13 sale takes place Thursday,

P. C. C. C., Pittsburg Combination Cloth-ing Company, corner Grant and Diamond

GREAT wash skirt sale to-day. JOS. HORNE & Co.'s Penn Avenue Stores. Visiting Dresses.

A few very desirable imported dresses yet in stock at half price. PARCELS & JONES, 29 Fifth avenue.

Ladies' Wash Skirts. Attend our great sale of ladies' wash 50e, 60e, 75e, 85e, 90e, \$1 Jos. HORNE & Co.'s

Hugus & Hacke.

NEW GOODS WORTH' SEEING. WASH GOODS.

At no other time this season will there be such a choice of all that's most desirable in Ginghams, Lawns, Sateens, Challis, Percales, Cambrics, Cheviots, Flannelettes, Crepons, Brandenburg and Fiji Cloths. A collection now of unsurpassed assortments and values.

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

Several hundred pieces of NEW STYLES will be shown for the first his week; all qualities from 10c a yard to the very finest.

UPHOLSTERY DEPARTMENT.

Te emphasize the merits of our Curtain display, we say there are no more exquisite patterns to be had in the market, and our prices are nota-

bly low. PORTIERES, the newest styles and colorings, Border and Heavy Fringe at each end, from \$4.25 per

pair upward. NOTTINGHAM and SWISS LACE CURTAINS, all grades. See Fifth avenue window display for

styles and prices. BLANKETS and EIDER DOWN COMFORTS marked down in price

to close.

Cor. Fifth Ave. and Market St.

STERLING SILVER

IN OUR GRANDFATHERS' DAYS

> Now silver is made to stand daily use and sold at astonishingly low prices Silver never was so cheap—Styles never so elegant—Our stock of Spoons and Forks is complete, and we wan

The Deshon Hotel Sold. The bar of the Deshon Hotel, opposite the Union depot, was closed yesterday pending a transfer of the license. The house has been sold to Charles Cramer, a real estate man of Kansas City. He was formerly an oil man and lived at St. Petersburg, Clarion oil man and lived at St. Petersburg, Clarion county. Mr. Cramer is anxious to return to this section to live. He is negotiating for the sale of the Albion Hotel next door, and if successful he intends to remodel both buildings and turn them into a first-class house with a rate ranging from \$1 to \$2.50 per day. Mr. Cramer will take possession of the Deshon Hotel as soon as the license is transferred.

The Leading Pittsburg, Ps. Dry Goods House. Wednesday, Feb. & 1892.

JOS. HORNE & CO.'S

PENN AVENUE STORES.

GREAT SALE of WASH SKIRTS

In the center of store. We will place on sale about

TO-DAY.

100 DOZENS WASH UNDERSKIRTS.

In Seersucker, Gingham, Toile du Nord and Wash Poplin, extra well made, in all the latest and most approved styles, at

> REMARKABLY LOW PRICES

75c,

85c,

AND \$1 EACH.

Being fully

25 PER CENT UNDER

REGULAR PRICES. These skirts will be shown in

the center of the store. There is not a lady in the city but will find in this lot just the very Wash Skirt she has been looking for,

JOS. HORNE & CO., 607-621 PENN AVE.

JUST OPENED OVER 100 CASES OF NEW GOODS.

Novelty Dress Goods. Plain Colored Dress Goods, Wash Dress Goods.

Novelty Silks, Embroideries and Laces.

CAPES REDUCED. MARTEN,

SEAL,

MINK.

XXX BEAVER

DOWN TO

...\$30...

These were \$50 and \$60.

\$5 African Muffs at \$1.50.

435-MARKET ST.-437

To Stop the Appropriations. Resolved, That we memorialize the Congress of the United States that the proposed ened by Two Mysteriappropriation of said Exposition be granted only on condition that the sale of intoxious Gas Explosions. ating liquors be excluded.

Resolved, That the Secretary be directed

to transmit an attested copy of this action to our representatives in the two Houses of Congress, and to the secretary of the World's Columbian Exposition. There was also a resolution protesting against the opening of the World's Fair on Sunday. Both of these resolutions were

adopted.

Rev. Mr. Chaifant reported that the board of the church extension had decided to grant \$500 to the church at McKees' Rocks for building purposes, and \$500 to the church at Homewood for preacher's salary. Rev. Mr. Clark entered a very extract protest against granting \$500 to the Homewood church for meanher's salary. The speaker church for preacher's salary. The speaker said that the minister at the Homewood church knew when he went there that the salary was \$1,000 per year, as it was simply a mission church, and that it was not fair to the ministers at other mission churches to

Frant additional salary.

Rev. Mr. Chalfant said the case was not Mey. Mr. Challant said the case was not unprecedented, many like ones having occurred. The Presbytery then voted and adopted the committee's report granting the money, after which they adjourned to meet on March I in the parlor of the First Church at 12 o'clock sharp.

TWO ANNUAL MEETINGS,

A Good Showing for the Year Made by the

Waynesburg and Washington Road. The annual meeting of the Ohio River ecting Road was held yesterday in the the Pennsylvania Company. Thomas D. Messler was elected President, S. B. Liggett Secretary and T. H. B. McKnight treasurer. The directors are James McCrea, John E. Davidson, William Mullins, John W. Benner, J. J. Brooks and A. McElvey. No other business was transacted. The annual election of officers and board of directors of the Waynesburg and Washington Railroad Company was held yesterday morning at 11 o'clock in the Pennsylvania Company building, resulting as follows: George B. Roberts, President: Thomas D. Messler, Vice President. Directors—Thomas D. Messler, James McCrea, J. T. Brooks, John E. Davidson, William Mullins, J. J. Brooks, J. D. DuBarry, I. F. Temple, scob Smart, Abner Thorp, W. T. Lantz, and mathan Allison. The last named gentlems succeeds W. S. Bryson, of Washington, he gross earnings for the year were \$40, W. Renner, J. J. Brooks and A. McElvey.

of 20; deducting year's interest on bonds of 46,923, leaves a profit for the year of \$8,038 20. There was an increase of over 5 per cent in the tourage of the road. DEATH OF A BOLD RACCOON.

gross earnings for the year were \$60

t May Have Escaped From the Menagerie at Schenley Park. A raccoon racked into the barnvard of a nan named Tully on the divide between Moon and Montour runs on Saturday and came up to two men who were standing in the yard. The animal made mouths at them and they were unable to determine whether the Incial manifestations were those of friendship or menace. Mr. Tully, who is not up in American zoology, could not assign the beast its place in the animal vocabulary,

but his companion solved the puzzle. As they were not certain of the designs of the visitor they concluded to kill it. Since then reflection has convinced some of the people that the coon was a tame one of the people that the 'coon was a tame one and had escaped from McKnight's memageric in Schenley Park. As there is no record of its having crossed on any of the bridges, it is supposed to have crossed on the fee on the Monongahela when the first pool froze one night hist week. This supposition is strongthened by the fact that no one in Robinson township reports the loss of a per and this 'coon showed no symptoms of rables.

gentleman from Chicora registered at the Seventh Avenue Hotel last evening. He say's the failure of the Butler County Bank at that place has had a depressing effect on the oil market, and a number of poor people are suffering. The loss is about \$30,000. The bank is owned by A. J. Hoyt. The failure occurred about five months ago, but his ereditors gave him an extension. He was to pay 25 cents on the dollar in four payments. Mr. Hoyt met the first one all right, but he was mable to meet the second payment, An asament was then made to Francis Murphy, d appraisers were then appointed. The der went over the books yesterday, and

hey think the assets will be sufficient to my 50 cents on the dollar. Mr. Hoyt has a brother in Cleveland who is a banker Jobbers Coming in for the Convention. The glass and crockery tobbers will meet in convention at the Monongahela House Secretary H. P. McGregor, of ng, arrived in the city yesterday morning. President Jenner will be here today. A number of jobbers from all parts of he country are registered at the hotel. A the country are registered at the hotel. A cancus was held yesterday afternoon but not much was developed. The jobbers, for some reason, are very reticent about their funsiness. The glass agents have been trying to pump them with very little success. One of their objects is to establish a rate on yellowware and arree to maintain it. There has been some talk of making a schedule of prices on glass, and even foreing the manufacturers to their terms. This is denied, however, but a very difficult job it would be.

The Riot Case Postponed. The hearing in the case of Frederick Asche and George App, the two men charged with riot by the Pittsburg, Allegheny and Manchester Traction Company, was to have place yesterday afternoon before Magistrate Gripp. When the case was called the plaintiffs falled to appear, as did also, App, one of the defendants. Some talk was indulted in as to the dismissal of the case, but this could not be done without forfeit-ing App's ball of \$500. In order to save App's bondsman the case was postponed until this afternoon, when it is thought it will be disesed. The friends of the men claim that all not be satisfactory and suits for dam-

ages may result,

Was Well-to-Do in Poland. A well-dressed man inquired at the Southside station last evening for Dofle Yongaski. Pole, who had been sent to the workuse for 30 days on a charge of vagrancy. He said he was slightly demented, and had been a well-to-do man in Poland, but his fambeen a well-to-do man in Poland, but his fam-sity persuaded him to come to America. He rented a shanty boat between Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth streets. It is alleged that his wife got tired of him and took his money. Then she informed him that unless he got work in three days she would tie him in a bag and throw him in the river. The Pole was afraid to go home. The case will be referred to Chief Elliot, and Yongaski's sanity will be looked into.

Attendance in the Allegheny Schools. The Board of School Controllers of Alletheny did not get a quorum for its meeting gaeny du not get a quorum for its meeting last night. The monthly report of Superintendent Mortow had been prenared, and was ready to be presented. It shows that during January 300 teachers were employed. The number of pupils enrolled were: Males, 6,416-females, 6,545; total, 12,259. The average attendance was: Males, 5,441; females, 5,445; total, 10,856. The teachers will get their total. tendance was: Males, 5,441; females, 5,445; total, 10,886. The teachers will get their pay to-day. Over \$20,000 will be paid out.

A Butcher Attempts Spicide Albert Broskey, employed by Mose Abrams, a butcher, attempted to stab himself in the heart Monday night, but was caught by Officer Sam Miller before he atally injured himself. Broskey has been n this country only them. in this country only three weeks and be came discouraged, not finding things as rosy at they had been pictured. He was removed to the West Penn Hospital.

Wrecks on the Fort Wayne. The Leetsdale accommodation ran into a rock near Avalon Monday evening. The engine was thrown off the track, but nobody was hurt. The stone had rolled down from a bluff and weighed a hair ton. A wheel broke on train No. 77 yesterday morning pear Crestline, weeking six cars. The road was tied up for over five hours.

Meeting of the Humane Society. A meeting of the Western Pennsylvania Humane Society was held yesterday after-roon. A review of the work done since the ection was made and a general talk ed. President Eaton read a list of the subscriptions. Mrs. Jane Hay was elected a life member and P. H. and J. Walter Hay

privilege of plying their traffic on the grounds thereof; and,
Whereas, We regard such action as a gross violation of the religious public sentiment of the country; therefore be it
Resolved, That we carnestly protest against such action.

Alleghenians Much Fright-

NO ONE BADLY INJURED.

One Little Girl Was the Only Victim That Could Be Found.

GLASS BROKEN IN MANY HOUSES.

Terrible Experience of a Horse That Loses All Its Hair.

CAN'T FIND WHICH KIND OF GAS IT WAS

Allegheny was shaken up yesterday afteroon by two peculiar explosions of gas. The first occurred on Federal street, near Isabella street, at 3 o'clock. It was as if a whole battery of boilers had let loose, and every building within a square was damaged. The cover of the sewer manhole was blown high above the buildings, and almost the same instant glass was shattered from the bridge to Robinson street. There was a great flash of flame as though the whole

The explosion was greatest in front of J. E. Ellison & Co.'s second-hand furniture store. Their horse and wagon were standing on the street. The horse was blown part way across the street and every vestige of hair singed from his body. Even the mane and tail went up in smoke, and the horse had the shortest and cleanest shave on record. The frightened animal ran off up street, and the falling glass and the singed horse made a combination which, linked with an explosion, made an attraction that drew enormous 14; expenses, \$45,317 94; net earnings, \$14,-

No One Was Seriously Injured. A providence as mysterious as the cause of the explosion had kept all people away from the immediate vicinity of the explosion, so that no one was injured, but within ten minutes there was a throng of at least 2,000 people anxiously hunting for victims of the explosion, but aside from one girl, no

one would own up to having been injured. Her wounds were only slight. The principal damage was at Ellison's furniture store. The front was blown in. The front was also blown out of C. A. Hennig's store next door and the windows shattered in C. H. Renter's tobacco establishment at No. 26. The Girard House was damaged considerably. The double doors in the main entrance and the windows in the entire front of the building were blown

On the other side of the street the windows in Boyd Bros. trunk factory and those in the Pittsburg Art Company's store were broken. Windows were broken in a number of other establishments and the globes were knocked from the chandeliers at the World's Museum entrance. The explosion almost caused a panic there, but the people

were soon quieted by Manager Keennau. Another Explosion in the Rear. While the crowds were examining the damage on Federal street they were again shocked by another explosion in an alley that runs back of Federal street, between Robinson and Lacock streets. It was similar to the one on Federal street, but was not spring. nearly so heavy. Little damage was done

The loss from both explosions will not exceed \$250. It has not been definitely settled whether it was sewer or natural gas that exploded, and no one has any explanation of how it became ignited. One theory advanced was that a spark from a passing electric car had caused the accident, but as there is no badly singed or damaged car to be found that would plead guilty, the theory had to be dismissed, and the burden of blame still rests with the horse that lost its hair. As for that animal, Ar. Ellison claims the only display of fire the horse ever made was that after he was burned. As for the gas, the Allegheny Heating Company's mains parallel the sewer, but the authorities have still been unable to discover any leak in the lines. It has not been definitely settled whether

any leak in the lines.

At 9:29 last night another explosion was heard at City Hall, but it could not be learned where it was. There was a general feeling of alarm, however, all over the city, and people were almost afraid to strike matches on the streets last night for fear of being blown up.

A COMMITTEE TO INVESTIGATE. The Action Taken by a Large Southside

Suggestion Meeting. The citizens of the Twenty-sixth ward outhside, held a suggestion meeting last night in Turners' Hall, Jane street, to place ticket in the field for the various ward offices, irrespective of political lines. About offices, irrespective of political lines. About 300 were present. Dr. H. L. Reinicke pre-sided, with George A. Kambach as secretary. The president stated the object of the meeting was simply for the purpose of taking steps to elect men to office who will admin-ister the city affairs in the interest of the people. The name of the present incumbent, Daniel Brown, was presented for indorsement for Select Council, but owing to a little dissatisfaction it was agreed that a committee of three be appointed to inquire into the official record made by him during the time he has represented the ward in Select Council. It was decided that no nomination for Select Council be made until the committee made its report at the next meeting. The committee appointed was: Harry Sleggert, John G. Sticker and John A. Freund.

The suggesting of names for candidates for Common Council and School Directors then took place, after which a ballot was taken. It resulted as follows: Common Council, Fred C. Leng and Herman Steinecke; School Directors, Robert Blaze and John Hoffman. The meeting then adjourned to meet on Monday next. people. The name of the present incum-

A PECULIAR OUTRAGE.

Some Miscreants Wantonly Destroy About \$50 Worth of Meat. Some time during Monday night some per-son or persons entered the butcher shop of F. Phillips, at 248 Bedford avenue, and destroyed about \$50 worth of meat by cutting and hacking the sides of beef and other meats, after which it was thrown on the floor and tramped upon, making it totally unfit for use or sale.

The act was evidently done with malicious intent, and Mr. Phillips is willing to pay a reward for any information that will lead to the arrest and conviction of the depredators. The money drawer was also broken open, but nothing was secured from it. The matter has been reported to the police department and will be thoroughly investigated.

The CENT-A-WORD rate has been in made February I, gives the following re-

Adlets for 5 months ending January 30,731 Similar period the year previous Increase due to cent-a-word....... 10.568

No more convincing testimony could be adduced to show the ever-growing popuarity of THE DISPATCH adlets.
in sleeping cars can now be secured at office of the company, 110 Fifth avenue. Later dates February 11 and 25,

WILL CALL A PASTOR.

The Destroyer Said to Have Figured in the Bellevne Church Fight-Members Want Rev. S. H. Graham Returned-Want the Session to Act.

West Bellevue's church troubles were aired before Allegheny Presbytery of the U. P. Churca. The difficulties of Rev. S. H. Graham were brought up and thrown out, the session of the church patched up with an additional member and then given a quiet hint to employ a pastor. The assemblage was an orderly one, and the leading men acted in a highly respectable manner. There were indications of internal

fires, but they all used mild words and the people imagined the rest.

The only place where the fires became apparent was in a letter from the Bellevue U. P. Church asking for the return of Rev. S. H. raham to that pastorate at a salary of si,390 a year. The letter was signed by 65 of the 20 members, and in it they referred to one, the "destroyer," whom they accused of complicity to the removal. The defendant, however, did not appear at the meeting.

The moderator ruled that as Mr. Graham's resignation and been regularly accepted. Presbytery could not reverse its action and a new call would have to be regularly made by the session. Dr. Robinson then moved to return the letter with the statement that the subject matter was not within the province of Presbytery to grant. Dr. A. H. Calvert thought this sounded a trifle too abrupt and amended that Presbytery appoint a man to moderate a call provided the session made one.

There was a question as to the regularity of this proceeding. Dr. Robinson said it was not and Dr. Calvert reminded him that he, Robinson, had moderated a call a short time ago without permission of Presbytery. The doctor defended himself on the ground that it was a new church. At this Dr. Calvert and regular regularity and regulari \$1,300 a year. The letter was signed by 65 of

The doctor defended himself on the ground that it was a new church. At this Dr. Calvert smiled and replied:

"If that is the case, I moderated the call which made you pastor of your present-church and I was not authorized by Presbytery. But then that is so long ago that it is hardly worth while to raise the question new." now."

Dr. Calvert, however, lost his amendment, and Dr. Robinson's motion prevailed. Then the trouble was taken up in general, and Dr. McMillin reminded them that the Bellevue Church really had no session. Follow-

vue Church really had no session. Following this came the question of whether the remnant of the Board of Elders would call a pastor, but a reference to the rules showed it would have to, and Rev. Mr. McClanahan was named to fill the place until some one was chosen. Dr. McNochen was appointed to moderate a call for a new pastor, and then Presbytery adjourned.

THE GROUNDHOG'S PROPHECY. Many Persons Who Take Stock in the Pe-

culiar Weather Forecast. Yesterday was Groundhog Day as well as Candlemas Day, and since Prof. Totten, of the United States Service and Yale College, lias' courage enough to tell people that unusual conjugation of planets synchronize with momentous events in human history, many people in this neck of the woods have had their faith in animal instinct greatly revived. Charles Robb, of Montdur, states that he has observed for nore than a generation that the 2d of Februsry ruled the weather until the middle of . It is true that some people will not agree with him, but the sun may not have distributed its favors equally. Mr. Robb distributed its favors equally.

distributed its favors equally. Mr. Robb believes with many others that science cannot bind the sweet influences of Piclades, or loose the bonds of Orion, nor bring forth Mazzaroth in his season, or guide Arcturus with his suns, so they are disposed to believe that the unpretending wood-chuck may exhibit wisdom unconsciously as a spirit medium and that science cannot stay the battles of heaven, or even bring rain when backed by the power of the United States Trensury in the explosion of rack-arock powder, and even failure this year to fulfill the predictions of the groundhog is not like to shake their faith.

The Pennsylvania Dutch regard Candlemas Day as the division period of the winter solstice and say that half of the winter feeding of animals is accomplished on that day. As J. D. Watson remarks there may be good reason on the part of Pittsburg people to wish the superstition may prove true this year, as it will have a large effect on business. Last summer the strike of the building trades had much to do with slowing up trade operations in this locality. Then money was scarce and needed to move the crops. The surplus is now largely in Europe and the return should be felt within the next six weeks, and Mr. Watson says there is already a premountion of large movement in real estate should there be an early

s already a premonition of large movement in real estate should there be an early Early yesterday morning James Wright, colored, was hit on the head with a brick by Frank Pink on Bedford street. The two, with Pearl Foster and Samuel Jackson, were with Pearl Foster and Samuel Jackson, were returning along Bedford avenue from a colored ball at the Penn incline when a quarrel started, with the result stated. Pink, Jackson and the woman were arrested and committed to jail to await the result of Wright's injuries. The latter is at his home, No. 20 Logan street, in a critical condition. His skull is fractured.

MINOR LOCAL MENTION. THE new passenger station at the junction of the Pittsburg and Lake Erie and Montour railways is the finest way station on the fine of either road, and for that matter, finer than any at either end. The molding of the station walls is gilded and the seats are upholstered in the highest style by

railway decoration art and are cozy and not ranged stiff-backed and uncomfortable along the sides of the building. The freight station has not yet been rebuilt. THE Committee on Public Safety, of Allegheny, met last night and approved the usual monthly pay roll. There was some

discussion over the proposed removal of a stable belonging to a Mr. Marshall, on Perrysville avenue. The matter will be settled later. CORONER McDowell yesterday started the nquest on the body of the Italian found in the ruins of the burned building, No. 535 Liberty street. The evidence failed to clear up the mystery surrounding the case, and up the mystery surrounding the case, and it was continued for further investigation. JOHN PLUMMER was brought down from Monongehela City on the mail train last evening and taken to the West Penn Hospital. He was suffering from a crushed arm and hand, having had them caught in a brick pressing machine.

ALBERT HORN, 19 years old, died at the workhouse yesterday from exhaustion. He was sent there from Fayette county in September, 1890. for assault and battery, The Coroner will hold an inquest to day. Some instructions were given to the mem bers of the Executive Committee on Waterways that goes to Washington to-night to meet with the River and Harbor House Committee on Thursday and Friday.

Pittsburg postoffice went through the civil service examination in the City Hall yesterday and ten applicants in the Allegheny City Hall for places across the river. AT a meeting of the Coal Exchange vesterday the resignation of R. C. Crowthers as Secretary of the Exchange was accepted. Mr. Crowthers goes to Cincinnati to embark in the coal business.

FORTY-ONE applicants for positions in the

For the month of January the baggage men at the Union depot handled 55,384 pieces on all the roads centering there. Of the number 27,805 were forwarded and 28,179 re-ceived. THE report of the Bureau of Health for vesterday showed three new cases of scarlatina and six new cases of diphtheria. The cases are scattered about the city. THE Committee on Public Works met yesterday and considered a large number of ordinances for street sewers and location and grades of streets.

BUCK CORNELIUS denies that he was arrested for disorderly conduct in the East End Monday night. It was somebedy eise. Great Sale India Silks. Have you attended our great India silk sale? If not, don't miss it to-day JOS. HORNE & CO.'s Penn Avenue Stores.

WINTER TOURS TO WASHINGTON, D. C.,

Via Pennsylvania Railroad. Thursday, February 4. Rate 89 from Pitts Thursday, rebrairy 2. Hate of from points burg. Corresponding low rates from points East. Tickets good ten days, with stop-off in Baltimore in either direction within limit. Special train of Pullman parlor cars and coaches leaves Union station at 9 A. M. Tickets available on all trains that day ex-cept "Pennsylvania Limited." Tickets now sale; also seats in parlor cars and berths

THE GOOSE PASTURES

agent thinks it should not be fixed higher than \$250,000, arguing that it is not as desirable as the Government property on Penn avenue, recently sold, and having but little nore area than that for which \$250,000 was

property is inaccessible except by Grant street, and its value to the company does not measure its taxable value.

James R. McKee, whose buildings in the First ward, at Liberty and Decatur streets, were burned down on January 12 is as-sessed \$11,950 on buildings and \$28,700 on lot 45x91 feet. He asks to have the latter reduced to \$11,000 and that the buildings be

not assessed at all. The Fifth Avenue Protest Entered. Mellor & Hoene, the Central Bank, Wat-tles & Sheafer, Morganstern & Bierman and the owners of the Commercial-Gazette building, who were among those represented at the meeting of Fifth avenue property holders Monday evening, filed their appeals yesterday, and, in accordance with the resolution then adopted, ask for a cut of

Mellor & Hoene have 30x240 feet, above Wood street, assessed at \$150,000. Their ap-peal is for \$120,000, and accept \$23,000 on the building. The Central Bank has 25x140 feet below Wood street assessed at \$105,000, and building assessed at \$15,000. Their appeal is \$84,000 on lot and \$15,000 on building.
Wattles & Sheafer were assessed at \$82,000 on their 20\(^4\)xi20 foot lot on Fifth avenue, below Wood street. Their appeal is for \$85,600.

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on their 20½x120 foot lot on Fifth avenue, below Wood street. Their appeal is for \$55.600.

G. W. Reed and the N. P. Reed estate were assessed \$120.000 on 30x120 feet, \$15,000 on building and \$25,000 on machinery, being the Commercial Gazette property. Their appeal is for a \$95,000 valuation of the lot, and \$25,000 on machinery. on machinery.

Morganstern & Bierman, 101x30 feet, Fifth

Morganstern & Bierman, 101x30 feet, Fifth avenue and Market street, assessed \$205,232; appeal \$164,000.

Annie M. Bissell considers the assessments of the board unreasonable, and says she would take \$10,000 less than their figures for her property. She is assessed at \$57,500 on 27x60 feet on Wood street, between Fifth avenue and Diamond street, with \$18,000 on the building, and \$35,000 on 40x100 feet on Diamond, above Wood street, with \$8,000 on building.

W. W. Patrick is assessed \$28,950 on 15x35 feet, and \$3,500 on his bank building, No. 52 Fifth avenue. He values his lot at \$25,000, and says: "I bought the lot 32 years ago for \$10,000, and the building cost \$2,500. The lot may have appreciated, but certainly the house has not."

Campbell & Dick are assessed \$30,000 on 30 xi20 feet, Virgin alley, above Wood street, and \$6,800 on 20x60 feet in rear thereof. Their valuation is \$25,000 for both lots.

Thinks the Valuations Absurd.

Thinks the Valuations Absurd. Ellen C. Speer declares the assessors' valu tions are simply absurd. She owns the property at the southeast corner of Smith-field and Liberty streets, divided up into lots. One, 19x90 feet, assessed at \$42,750; her appeal, \$1,000. Triangular lot, 87x60 feet,\$41. appeal, \$25,000. She also asks a cut of \$2,500 on buildings assessed at \$11,500. J. W. Herron appeals on behalf of Mary J.

F. Morrison on 20x80 foot lot on Wood street, between Fitth avenue and Virgin al-

ley. He places the value at \$46,000, and says it is a fair price. Higher rates have been paid in extraordinary cases where buyers had special reason for desiring a location in the locality, but such cases are no criterion of values. had special reason for desiring a location in the locality, but such cases are no criterion of values.

M. L. Hagan is assessed \$30,000 each on two lots on Sixth avenue, above Smithfield, one measuring 29x125 feet, and the other 20x110. Black & Baird, making the appeal, say: "We have these lots for sale and will take \$22,000 each for them." The same firm offers to sell for \$29,000 a lot, 23/4x30 feet, at Sixth avenue and Cherry alley, assessed at \$37,805, together with the house thereon. assessed at \$3,000, the property of Dr. W. H. Daly. They also offer the property of J. M. Batten, 26x30 feet, Sixth avenue below Grant street, assessed at \$44,500, for \$25,450, and the dwelling, assessed at \$41,500, and sixthmate they might take less. Regarding the assessment of \$77,700 on 30/4x120 feet on Diamond square, owned by W. F. Lloyd, they say: "The assessment is simply absurd. It is not worth over \$51,000, if that."

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Mrs. Eda McKee is assessed at \$109 480 on 35x80 feet at Diamond and Wood streets, and appealing for a cut to \$96,200 she sets forth that the property can't be sold owing to the uncertainty of widening Diamond street, which, if done, would take 30 feet of the 36 in the two lots.

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M. C. Miller is assessed \$162 500 on 60x47½ feet at Market street and Diamond square. He asks for a cut to \$129,000 and complains that his taxable valuation was increased to the amount of \$92,500 from the last assess-A Seemingly Endless Array.

George K. Stevenson is assessed at \$120,000 on 40x240 feet, Sixth avenue; appeal, \$100,000. Robert H. King, 20x100 feet, Smithfield street Robert H. King. 20x100 feet, Smithfield street, near Virgin alley, 346,000; appeal, \$24,000. Henry Shaler, 20x00 feet, Smithfield, near Seventh avenue, \$40,000; appeal, \$30,000. Mary J. S. Shoemaker, 25x130 feet. Wood street, between Sixth and Liberty, \$89,000; appeal, \$60,000. William Carr, 24x00 feet, No. 436 Wood street, with 15x27 foot lot in rear, \$77,230; appeal, \$69,073, including building assessed at \$4,500. Artican Methodist Church, 96x110 feet, Virgin alley, in rear Hotel Duquesne, \$52,400; appeal, \$45,000; on the 12 2-story brick dwellings thereon appeal from valuation of \$6,000 to \$6,000. Mathodist Book Concern, 40½x90 feet, Virgin alley and Smithfield street, \$85,500; appeal, \$81,000. James Heidman, 17½x80 feet, No. 432 Wood street, \$49,000; appeal, \$40,000. David Sands, 24x110, Virzin and Cherry alleys, \$16,380; appeal, \$14,000. John Smith, 20x55, Montour way, \$4,000; appeal, \$3,000. Sassin E. Robinson, 10½x120 feet, Diamond square near Market alley, \$46,800; appeal, \$25,000. Machael May, 20x120, Sixth avenue, \$30,000; appeal, \$20,000. Mary Hemminghouse, 18x40 feet, Struwberry alley, \$2,124; appeal, \$1,800. A. Holstein, 151½x60 feet, Wood street near Fifth avenue, \$39,000; appeal, \$20,000. William Badger, 20x60 feet, Smithfield near Seventh avenue, \$40,000; appeal, \$20,000. William Badger, 20x60 feet, Smithfield near Seventh avenue, \$40,000; appeal, \$20,000. William Badger, 20x60 feet, Smithfield near Seventh avenue, \$40,000; appeal, \$20,000. William Badger, 20x60 feet, Smithfield near Seventh avenue, \$40,000; appeal, \$10,000, And Miragla, 23x 110, Potter alley, \$16,800; appeal, \$40,000. City Savings Bank, 22x60, Sixth avenue and Smithfield street, \$6,000; appeal, \$1,000. A. G. Walter's heirs, 40x130, Sixth avenue and Cherry alley, \$16,500; appeal, \$45,000; same, 50x40, Cherry alley, \$1,500; appeal, \$45,000; same, 50x40, Cherry alley, \$1,500; appeal, \$45,000, James Phelan, 46x30 feet, Fifth avenue, \$55,200; appeal, \$50,000. J. A. G. Walter's heirs, 40x130, Sixth avenue and Cherry alley, \$6,000; ap near Virgin alley, \$46,000; appeal, \$24,000. Henry Shaler, 20x60 feet, Smithfield, near

Wants a Big Reduction In the Nineteenth ward Mrs. A. E. Wainwright is assessed at \$72,134 on 2% acres, at Highland avenue and Hoeveller street, on which she places a value of \$50,375.

M. F. Shannon, on 12½ acres on Highland avenue, is assessed at \$61,856, his valuation being only \$40,000. On seven acres on the same street above Broadway he is assessed at \$105,000 against his valuation of \$35,000.

APPEALS FROM THE COUNTRY. The Protests From Five Townships Con sidered by the Commissioners. The County Commissioners yesterday heard appeals from the assessments im-posed in Kilbuck, Lower St. Clair, Wilkins,

ship, though the Commissioners, as the Board of Revision, had made an increase of 70 per cent, there were not more than half a dozen appeals. In Kilbuck township the assessors had raised 14½ per cent and the board added 60 per cent. In Lower St. Clair the assessors moved up 19-10 per cent and the board added 20 per cent. In Wilkins township the assessors moved up 20-3-10 per cent and the board added 20 per cent. In Wilkins township the assessors moved up 20-3-10 per cent and the board added 20 per cent more. The assessors of Bethel township only raised one-fourth of 1 per cent, but the board marked it O. K., as the fluures were up to the actual valuations. In Ross township the assessors had moved up 3-2-5 per cent and the board added 30 per cent more. Notwithstanding the increases by the Board of Revision the number of appeals was small, and none were of special importance.

To-day appeals will be heard from the three wards of Braddock borough.

The Commissioners yesterday received from County Solicitor Geyer an opinion as to the case of the Fourteenth ward assessment, in which the ward assessors had laid down, and no assessment has yet been completed. He said that no prosecutions could be made, the Commissioners liaving accepted the books, but new assessors could be appointed to go over the work. This has not yet been done, but will be in a day or two.

DISTANCED! All others by Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup, the old and tried friend. Price 25c.

4 at Central station with the charge of being a suspicious character pending against him. The prisoner arrived in the city a few days ago and immediately advertised for a partner with a cash capital of \$50 or \$75, who was to travel with a medical lecturer and could earn from \$40 to \$50 per week.

Are Investigated.

Create a Doubt.

Dr. Thomas F. Allison, of Providence, R. I., alias Dr. Charles P. Marshall, alias

Dr. Stevens, of St. Louis, occupies celi No.

Among those to answer the advertisement was James K. Beckley, of 293 Second was James K. Beckley, of 293 Second avenue, who answered by note, giving his address. The doctor, who is a tall, striking looking man, of 60 years, called at Mr. Beckley's house, and after a short conversation invited Mr. Beckley to meet him last evening at the St. James Hotel.

At the appointed time Mr. Beckley called at the hotel where he was met by the doctor, and after taking a drink was invited down to the Seventh Avenue Hotel. On their arrival the doctor proceeded to business, and wanted to know how much money Beckley had. The latter replied that about \$50 was the sum total of his cash, and the doctor wanted him to turn it over. Mr. Beckley in the meantime had become suspicious of the doctor's actions, and not only refused to turn the money over, but mentioned the matter to Detective Demmel.

When the detective called at the Seventh Avenue Hotel he found the doctor complacently occupying a chair in the reading room, but on searching the register failed to find that he was a guest of the house. The doctor was then placed under arrest. He affected to be very much surprised that his actions should in the least be doubted. When searched at Central station various hand bills were found on his person, some of them for lectures by Dr. Charles P. Marshall, of St. Louis, for gentlemen only, subject, "The Marriage Relation," and others for lectures by a female physician to women only. Among other things found on him were half a dozen answers to his Pittsburg advertisement, and the police authorities think that some of the writers may have been duped out of their money.

The prisoner claims to be a regular physician, and that he has letters of recommendation from prominent citizens in the East and West. avenue, who answered by note, giving his

A Murder

price; \$4 97 buys a splendid beaver over-

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black wide wale worsted overcoat, nice for
dress; \$8 98 for a nobby light
melton dress overcoat, plaid wool liued,
worth twice the money. A handsome line
of extra fine overcoats all included in this
sale. Now for the boys—Knee pants suits
(A to 14 years) 98 per mit and nice veletar

Ladies' Wash Skirts.

skirts to day-50c, 60c, 75c, 85c, 90c, \$1 each. Jos. HORNE & Co.'s

Fifty cases of "Holmes' Best" and 25 bar-

of 1886 Holmes' Millsboro pure rye

Attend our great sale of ladies' wash

Penn Avenue Stores.

Would not have created more stir and excitement than the great manufacturers' clothing sale, 301 Market street, corner Third avenue, did when they opened their doors to the public vesterday. In spite of the rain the entire sidewalk was a blockade of men, women and children all waiting their turn to gain admittance. The cause of all this excitement is \$\$27,000 worth of Eastern manufactured clothing being sold at retail, 40c on the dollar. A chance of a lifetime that's not to be missed. Read a few prices, then call and be convinced that each and every article specified below will be produced at this great sale. Here they

avenue, near Edgerton, \$4 500; appeal, \$1,800.

Folies street and Murtland, \$16,286; appeal, \$10,600.

(4 to 14 years), 98c per suit, and nice plaited suits at \$1 39, \$1 68, \$1 98, \$2 49 and up to the very finest made, as high as \$6 per suit; sailor suits, for the little ones, trimmed at that, for 98c per suit, and extra fine line of Jersey suits, with 1,000 pairs knee pants, 16c per pair (while they last). There is in stock the very finest of clay worsteds, Harris, Glote and Sawyer cassimere suits and many finer grades not mentioned, all sold in proportion. It costs you nothing to call and judge for yourself. As an opening attraction for this week to those purchasers not residents of Pittsburg, within 25 miles, their railroad fare will be paid. Salesroom remains open till 6 p. M .. Saturdays till 11 P. M. No auction, but private sale. Look for large sign; reads Great Manufacturers' Clothing Sale, No. 301 Market street, corner Third avenue, formerly occupied by "Thompson's" New York grocery. All goods cheerfully exchanged

whisky during the month of January to London, England, by the Wm. H. Holmes Co. is an excellent illustration of the fame sessed at about \$18 000, but he values it at \$2,000, and asks to have it classified as "racent goose pasture," as that is what it has been used for.

The Morningside Land and Investment Company values at \$12 000 a tract they have divided into lots on the hillside on Witherspoon, Chislett, Haights and Antictam streets, upon which the assessors have fixed a value of about \$20,000.

Charles P. Scalie offers to sell for \$5,200 a plan of lots adjoining the above assessed at \$14,539. M. O'Donnell is assessed \$20,000 on 10 acres on Morningside road, which he values at \$10,000. S. C. Moll has 65, acres adjoining the above assessed at \$2,3450; his value, \$11,000. and popularity acquired by our Mononga hela Valley pure rye whiskies. In prepar

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All druggists. 50c, 60c, 75c, 85c, 90c, \$1 Each, The prices at our great wash-skirt sale to-

The prices at our great wash-skirt sale to-607-621 Penn avenue.

SUITS made to order from \$25 np, at Schauer's, 407 Wood street. MWF

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ANOTHER STEP FORWARD. force for five months now. Actual count,