MILLS' CONFESSION.

The Butler County Murderer Tells Sheriff Brown How He Killed Dugan.

A HEAVY HAMMER USED.

The Crime Was Horrible, Premeditated and Deliberate.

A STRANGE POWER PROMPTED HIM

And He Took a Sleep After Crushing the Skull of His Associate.

STORY OF THE CRIMINAL'S ESCAPE

James F. Mills, who on Saturday last was convicted of murder in the second degree for the killing of Peter Dugan, near Peters. ville, on December 23, was yesterday brought to the Western Penitentiary by Sheriff Brown. On his way to prison yesterday morning Mills confessed to Sheri Brown the deliberate killing of Dugan, and in his confession he recited in a caim, cool way all the horrible details in the bloody crime. Mills was convicted of secnd degree murder on circumstantial evidence, but his confession fixes the crime upon him beyond question.

Mrs. Mills, the mother of the murderer, is a sister of ex-Judge Fullerton, of New York. Through the New York jurist excraordinary efforts were made to save the 'nal, and it is alleged that the selection "Sibl. for

, but s diswent as engaged as of that restless life and came to his Butler He went to work about the was employed as a pumper en in the Hundred-foot field near Petersville in Butler county.

Opening Scene of the Tragedy. At work as a pumper on an adjoining well was Peter Dugan, his victim. On December 22 last Mills and Dugan together went to Renfrew, where they got drunk together. While drinking the two quarreled, but they settled their trouble without resorting to blows and some time

early on the morning of December 22 they returned together to Petersville and separ ated, each going to his respective boiler Dugan went to bed in his bunk. He slept between two boys who were in charge of his

work during his absence and who were his helpers. Mills did not go to bed. He threw himself on his bunk but soon arose, took from his tools a two-pound hammer and started for Dugan's boiler house. On his way there he passed another boiler house and told a pumper named Blair that he was going to kill Dugan. He passed on toward Dugan's place. The next morning Dugan was found dead in his bunk. His head had been horribly crushed. His bunk was completely saturated with blood and his brains were scattered over his greasy pillow. One of the boys sleeping with Dugan was awakened by the murderous blows, and when he got up he saw the figure of a man disappearing in the early morning darkness. Friends Go to Mills' Rescue,

Mills was arrested the next day for the ne. A number of his wealthy friends and relatives at once came to his rescue and a strong effort was made to have him released on bail. Judge Hazen refused to admit him to bail, however. After being in iail a short time he escaped from the prison and was at liberty for two weeks. His escape had not been well planned and he was unable to get money to secure his safety. He was captured on a freight train in Forest county.

The trial of Mills attracted widespread

attention. Able counsel had been secured on both sides, and the legal battle lasted for nearly a week. A verdict was returned last Saturday. The jury had been out just five hours, and their finding was condemned from the bench by Judge Hazen. Mills was The Judge, when imposing the sentence, said the yerdiet should have been first degree, but under the circumstances he would give him the full extent of punishment for the grade of his crime. "If you had been found guilty of murder, I would not have interfered to shield you from the full punishment," Judge Hazen said and then he added, "I will sentence you to 12 years in the peni-tentiary for the killing of Dugan. I will also give you two years to the peniteutiary for breaking jail."

Impelled by Some Mysterious Power In his confession to Sheriff Brown, Mills recited the story as given above. He said he had no notion of killing Dugan until after he had thrown himself upon his bunk. Then the quarrel of the night before returned to him, and he said he was driven by some power he could not explain to de killing. After crushing Dugan's head with the hammer he says he returned to his bunk and slept soundly until after day-

On his way to prison yesterday Mills spent most of his time congratulating him-self on his escape from the gallows. He said if he could have gotten money after his escape from jail he the far West. Before leaving the Sheriff to enter upon his imprisonment he had figured out just what commutation he would re ceive, and laughingly said he would mee the Sheriff at the expiration of his term.

Mills said to the Sheriff that he received no assistance from the outside when he escaped. He left the jail, he said, sometime after midnight, and walked out of the town. The weather was bitter cold, and for the firs day he was afraid of being recognized, and did not stop to get anything to cat.

Nearly Perished With Cold and Hunger. Before he felt himself safe he said he wa almost perished with cold and hunger. slept in barns and begged his food. "I was a week out before I felt in any way secure," he said, "Then I looked around in the upper got fairly rested and was able to start out. I got all I wanted to eat while I was waiting, and when arrested I was endeavoring to get "Rut." he concluded, "I oil country, where I was not known, until I out of the State. "But," he concluded, "I had gotten cold and hungry again, and the officers who took me were not unwelcome visitors. I killed Pete Dugan and I have suffered considerably for it already, and I guess I will have satisfied the law. I get out of the pen I will go West again."

Duquesne Conservatory's Recital.

The third of the Duquesne Conservatory of Music's recitals took place last night at the conservatory, and was highly successful. A long programme was rendered, and among others the following numbers: Trio for pianoforte, violin and 'cello, Messrs. Retter, Papenbrock and Cooper; song, "The Mystery Well," by Miss Brooks; four pianolorte selections, by Mr. Carl Retter; a trio sung by Misses McDonald, Brooks and McKinley, and Mendels sohn's trio, op. 49, for violin, plano and 'cello, by Messrs. Retter, Papenbrock and The audience was large and appre-

GOOD WHILE IT LASTED.

Passing Bogus Checks, but Is Caught-He Does Up a Jeweler and Several Other People, Thomas J. Bicksley is in the county jail for passing bogus checks. He is a citizen of Mt. Washington, and is generally known as a person who makes his living easily. The trouble this time was that it was com-

ing too easily. Bicksley commenced his free use of checks about a week ago. The first victim was the Mt. Washington Incline Company. He there bought a book of tickets and tendered a check for \$5 in payment. The paper was accepted. It was drawn on the Duquesne Bank, signed by himself and made payable to R. G. Brown or order. The check was taken to the bank, but the bank officials

would not honor it.
Yesterday Emanuel DeRoy, the Smith field street jeweler, went before Alderman McKenna and entered suit against Bicksley, charging him with false pretense. A day or two ago Bicksley went into DeRoy's and or two ago Bicksley went into DeRoy's and purchased a \$75 diamond. He gave one of the same kind of checks, and it was accepted. The bank refused to honor it.

Yesterday afternoon Bicksley was arrested by Constable Bicksley, and in default of \$500 bail was sent to jail to await a hearing on April 6. Bicksley was searched, but the diamond could not be found. The jail officials tried to get him to make a statement but he refused.

nent, but he refused. As soon as it was known Bicksley had been arrested, several other complaints were lodged against him by other of his

letims.
William McMillan, proprietor of the Bull's Head Hotel, went before Alderman McMasters and made similar charges against him. His story is that Bicksley came to his hotel and asked him to cash a check for \$10, which he did. The check is just the same as the one given DeRoy.

John Kerr and E. R. Porter are also after him. They have both cashed bogus checks

for \$10. The police think that R. G. Brown is not a fictitious name, but that Bicksley has an assistant of that name. They are now look-

VON RINGLOEFER RELEASED.

ing for him.

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The Wealthy Bohemian Gets the Benefit of a Legal Technicality and Is Given Ris Liberty-He Will Go Into Business

Frank S. Von Ringloefer, the wealthy man, the story of whose arrest and imprisonment in the workhouse on two charges, of breaking into his wife's house and larceny, was recently printed in THE DIS-PATCH, was yesterday released from a writ of habeas prison He had been sentenced two years on each of the charges against him. He was afterward sentenced to three vears for attempting to escape from the in-stitution. His attorneys, Wise & Minor, argued that the sentences ran concurrently and that the total of his sentences was five years instead of seven years as the prison authorities contended. Judge Stowe sustained the lawyers, and the prisoner was re-leased yesterday at the expiration of five years' imprisonment, with the regular com-

Ringloefer's father was a prominent railcontractor in Bohemia. He died recently leaving a fortune of 5,000,000 florins. Most of this will be inherited by Ringloefer, as he is the eldest son. Ringloefer came to this country 18 years ago. He succeeded John B. Schlosser as steward of the Duquesne Club, and had about \$14,000. He got married, but soon quarreled with his fe, and the two separated. He went to his wife's home one evening, he claimed, to recover some of his property. His arrest, conviction and imprisonment followed, and his release is looked upon as a neat bit of legal strategy. He will go into business in

CLEVELAND GROWING STRONGER.

The South and Southwest Willing to Sup port Him for President.

Congressman Peele, of Arkansas, was a passenger for Washington on the fast line last evening. He said the feeling among the Democrats in the West and Southwest was rapidly growing in favor of Cleveland, and that ever since his letter on the silver ones. tion they were willing to be guided by his views, although it was not so at first. He thinks that Hill is not in it, but has hurt himself materially by his junketing trip through the South, and Cleveland had increased 100 per cent in the estimation of the people by remaining quietly at home. He also thinks that the Democratic ticket will win this fall with Cleveland at the head, but there should be a Western man in second

The Witnesses Contradicted Each Other John Oleeti, a Pole, was given a hearing resterday morning in the United States Marshal's office, before United States Commissioner S. C. McCandless. Olecti was arrested at Duquesne last week and is charged dozen witnesses, all Poles, were there and contradicted each other till finally the Commissioner adjourned the hearing. Benjamin Jafo was the bail for the defendant, but refused to renew a bond for \$500. Oleeti sent for another man, whom he expects to go on his bail.

Jealousy Between Rival Cooks.

Antonio Marmaladio entered suit before Alderman Donovan vesterday against Victor Bara for assault and battery. The plaintiff is employed as a cook by the Duquesne Club, while the defendant holds the same position at Newell's restaurant on Fifth There has been a great deal of rivalry between the two as to their relative merits as cooks. The plaintiff says he went into Newell's restaurant yesterday where Bara assaulted him. Bara was held for a hearing Saturday.

Democratic State Delegates. W. J. Brennen, Chairman of the Democratic County Committee, yesterday forwarded to State Chairman Wright, by registered letter, a certificate showing the State delegates who had been elected at the Democratic primaries in Allegheny county. In the Senate Legislative district, where the contest was threatened, Mr. Brennen certifies that the threp delegates running in the interest of J. M. Guffey were duly and

regularly elected. Testing the Center Avenue Electric Road Two cars were run over the new Center venue electric road vesterday afternoon. A number of trips were made over the entire line from the corner of Herron avenue and Wylie avenue to the city. Downtown they ran over the Duquesne tracks from the corner of Grant street and Sixth avenue, and return by Wood street, Fourth avenue Grant street to Webster avenue and Wylie avenue. The line will be open in a few

The Cars Run Too Fast.

Coroner McDowell yesterday afternoon held an inquest on the body of Thomas Zacharias, the baseball umpire, who was killed at Homestead on Wednesday night, and a verdict of accidental death was dered. The jury in the case recommended that the borough authorities take notice that trains are being run at a greater speed than allowed by the borough ordinance.

Big Increase in Business at the Postoffic: The quarterly report of the money order business at the Pittsburg Postoffice, for the quarter ending last night, shows an in-crease over the corresponding quarter of last year, of \$21,960 61. The business of the quarter amounted to \$630,012.

Boarders and lodgers wanted and re to let. Advertised in Sunday's Dispatch The best houses are represented in the

LABOR WILL EDIT IT

Thomas J. Bicksley Reaps a Rich Harves Printers Threaten to Impair the Value of the City Directory.

WORKINGMEN TO HOLD OUT NAMES

Carnegie's New Direct Steel Process Very Fatisfactory.

ARMOR PLATE FOR BATTLE SHIPS

Probably the most unique boycott ever known is one now contemplated by International Typographical Union No. 7 against the city directory and the job printing firm of Stevenson & Foster. It is one of the complications growing out of the recent job printers' strike. Stevenson & Foster have a contract from J. F. Diffenbacher, the publisher, for printing the directory for five years. When the contract was made this was a union office and a special supply of type was procured for this work. No other establishment in the city has an outfit sufficient to do the work, owing to the immense number of capitals, commas and periods that are needed. Since the strike Stevenson & Foster's has been a non-union office. Mr. John McGaw, one of the leaders in the printers' union, said yesterday: "We don't propose to allow a complete directory of the city to be gotten out by non-union printers. On Sunday the matter will be decided. We will present the scale to Stevenson & Foster again, and if they do not sign it we will pass the word out through the Central Trades Council to all labor organizations to boycott the directory."

To Withhold Names From Canvassers. "We can reach at least 100,000 men in labor organizations in the two cities, and through sympathy we will touch a great many more. Our plan is to have the door closed on every canvasser for the directory, and if it does come out at all it will be with at least 100,000 names left out. This will, of course, lessen the value for the purpose for which it is intended. This will neces sarily decrease the value as an advertising medium, and Diffenbacher will not be able to conduct business on that basis.

"Another plan that has been suggested is to give the canvassers fictitious names, and thus make the book completely worthless, for a person will not be able to tell which of the names are fictitious and which are not, so the value of the book as a directory will be at an end for one year at least. We think, however, that Stevenson & Foster will come to time, but if they don't one of these plans will be pursued, and not only will the book be worthless, but the can vassers will soon grow weary of their jobs." Mr. Stevenson, of Stevenson & Foster, was seen yesterday and said: "They are going to give me another scale, are they?"
"Yes, sir."

Not Anxious About the Contract. "Well, they might just as well save themselves the trouble, for it won't be signed. We are done with them, and as for the directory we don't care a snap whether we publish it or not. If we don't, no other firm in this city can, for they could not provide the facilities in time. What do these men mean by trying to take the work out of the city? Mr. Diffenbacher had an offer last year from an outside firm to publish the directory for \$50 less than we offered to do it. He kept it here, however, because he could get at the proofs more rendily. There is not enough in the con-tract for us to make a fight on it, and cer-

tainly not enough to make us sign the scale.

"Beside this I don't see how this boycott is going to affect the directory. It costs Mr. Diffenbacher 2 cents a name, and if 100,000 are held out it will just save him that amount of money. The names of laboring men are not what make the directory valuable anyway. If these names are necessary they can be gotten from last year's directory and from the tax lists." An attempt was made to see J. F. Diffen-bacher, but he had gone to his home at

Carnegie, Phipps & Co., Deny the Reported

Reports were circulated in Bethlehem, Pa., and in this city, yesterday, that Carnegie, Phipps & Co. are negotiating for the purchase of the immense plant of the Bethlehem Iron Company. A prominent official of Carnegie, Phipps & Co., when seen vesterday with reference to the rumor said: "There is no truth in the story. We never had the least intention of buying the plant at Bethlehem, and the tale is without

Carnegie, Phipps & Co. have been experinenting with a more direct process of mak ing steel at their steel works in Homestend an account of which appeared in THE DIS-PATCH two weeks ago. So far the experi-ments have proved entirely satisfactory, and the 16 open-hearth furnaces at Homestead can be made to do the work of 24 ordinar furnaces. In a short time the old method of heating the metal in open-hearth furnaces will be discontinued there and the new process of using the cupolas for that work will be exclusively used.

BUILDING UP THE SOUTH.

Pittsburg and McKeesport Capital to Develop North Carolina.

Rocky Mount, near Wilmington, N. C., is to be developed by Pittsburgers and Mc-Keesporters, who have purchased over 400 acres of ground at that place, and was found to be one the richest tobacco growing places in the Southern states. A town will be laid out and lots will be sold. The company is composed of J. Howard Logan, of Pittsburg W. E. Harrison and H. Stewart, of Mc-Keesport; Levi Risher and James Wilson, of Dravosburg, and John Blair, of Blairs

Armor Plates for the Monterey. The first piece of the new nickel-steel armor plate, for the new battleship Monterey, has been shipped to San Francisco, from the Homestead Steel Works. The manufacture of nickel steel plate is a new departure in this State and so far has been recognized as far superior in strength, and more elastic than steel made by the Gilbert-Thomas basic process. The plates dis-patched on Wednesday weighed 4,000 each and were 13 inches thick.

To Help Rebuild the Factory. Burgess Aten, of Braddock, vesterday issued a call for a meeting of citizens tonight, the purpose of which is to raise money to help the Braddock Glass Com-pany to rebuild its plant, which was destroved by fire last week.

DROPPED DEAD AT HIS WORK. Nicholas Snyder Seized With Apoplexy a

McCully's Glasshouse. Nicholas Snyder, aged 63 years, foreman at McCully's glasshouse on Twenty-ninth street, dropped dead in the yard of that place yesterday afternoon. Snyder had just been in the company's office attending to the winding up of the month's business. He passed out of the door and started across the passed out of the door and started across the yard to the factory, when he was seen to stagger and fall. When picked up he was dead. It is supposed he was taken off by an apoplectic fit, to which he was subject. He resided on Liberty street, near Fifteenth street and leaves a wife and family.

Died at His Breakfast. Nicholas Snyder, manager for William McCully & Co., glass makers on Wood street, was seated at his breakfast table yes-terday morning when he suddenly fell back and expired. Death is attributed to heart

BLAMED IT ON THE BEER. Frank Jenkin Gives a Young Woman

Drink and She Has Him Arrested for Attempting to Poison and Rob Her. Frank Jenkin, an employe of the Balti-

more and Ohio Railroad, was arrested yesterday afternoon by Officer Cratz and locked up in the Hazelwood station on a charge of attempted "robbery by poison." The circumstances leading up to the arrest, as gleaned by Detectives Fitzgerald and Starck, who investigated the case, are about as follows:

Shortly after 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon Jenkin visited the boarding house of T. A. Schope, 14 Herbert's alley, Hazelwood, carrying with him two bottles of beer. Miss Nellie Blackwell, a sister-inof Mr. Schope, is his housekeeper, and Jenkin was acquainted with her. Miss Blackwell claims that Jenkin asked her to drink some of the beer with him, and she at

first refused, but finally consented.

Before handing her the bottle, Miss Blackwell claims she noticed Jenkin put a white powder into it, but paid no attention white powder into it, but paid no attention to the matter. After drinking the beer the girl claims she became deathly sick when Jenkin assaulted her and attempted to rob her of \$175, which she had concealed about her person. Miss Blackwell's screams caused the prisoner to make a hasty departure and summoned the neighbors to her assistance. Dr. Hamilton was called and cared for Miss Blackwell and afterwards stated he did not Blackwell, and afterwards stated he did not think that she had partaken of any poisonous substance.

The officers who investigated the case took but little stock in the poisoning

IN AND OUT OF LONDON.

Mr. Adams and a Stereopticon as Guides Through England's Capital.

Mr. Charles H. Adams lectured on London at the Pittsburg Club Theater last night to a large audience, chiefly composed of ladies. "In and Out of London." the title Mr. Adams gives to his illustrated discourse, describes it very well. It is a series of disconnected rambles among the lions of the English metropolis. The views, from photographs, with which the lecture is illustrated are wonderfully good. Not only were the pictures of historic buildings, such as the Tower of London and West-minster Abbey clear and often ar-tistic, but the glimpses afforded of English life, as seen in the crowds on Epsom race course on Derby day or in the Whitechapel slums or among the or in the Whiteenapel slums or among the rack of Carriage or Rotton Row, were splendidly graphic. Especially were the photographs of the crowds watching the the Derby run distinct. The lecture itself was not lacking in interesting observation and anecdote, but some of the history lacked accuracy, and the good taste of dwelling upon Jack the Ripper's crimes is questionable But the pictures alone would give one a good idea of London, and next Thursday's lecture on "Homes of Queen Victoria" lecture on "Homes of Queen Victoria" should be fully as entertaining as last

A WOMAN'S PECULIAR MANIA.

he Wants to Hastily Move, Her Husbar Objects and She Has Him Arrested. Ed Murray, living at South Fourth and Bingham streets, appeared at the Twentyeighth ward police station last night and announced he wanted to give himself up. He explained that his wife had sworn out a warrant for his arrest on a charge of disorderly conduct. He said yesterday morning his wife was seized with a bad attack of moving mania. She sold all the furniture to a neighbor and was prenaring to move her personal effects to another house. He ob-jected and caused the furniture to be returned. Thereupon, he claimed his wife made the information. He was released on depositing \$20 for his appearance this morn

Hospital Rooms Furnished by Ladies. The West Penn Hospital manager's annual report has been issued. The death rate at Dixmont is high, and the crowded condition a disadvantage. At the West Penn Hospital 17 rooms have been furnished two cities, among them Mrs. A. W. Rook. Mrs. Edwin H. Stowe, Mrs. O'Hara Denny, Mrs. J. L. Sweitzer, Mrs. J. M. Gusky Mrs. Jane Magee, Mrs. William Clark, Mrs William McCreery Mrs Thomas Carnegie Mrs. Thomas Mellon and Mrs. Samuel Ammon. Mr. and Mrs. Samuel McKee furnished a large dormitory at the west end of the hospital.

Faithful Even After Death. Faithful dogs guarding the cornse of their mistress was the scene that met the eyes of Allegheny police officers vesterday. The neighbors of Mrs. Schuliel, of Sawmill alley, being much disturbed by the howling of dogs early yesterday morning, informed the police. They found that the howls came from within the room of Mrs. Schulie. The dogs would not allow the officers to enter and they had to be shot. The dead body of Mrs. Schulie was found. The faithful dogs had met their death while guarding her lifeless body. She was 77 years old and it is supposed she died of old age.

Banquet of Westminster Alumni.

The annual banquet of the Alumni of the Westminster College of New Wilmington was held last night at the Seventh Avenue Hotel. About 80 members were present. Rev. Dr. J. K. McClurkin acted as toastmaster. Rev. R. M. Russell responded to "The Alumni Dinner." Rev. S. R. Gordon responded to "The Future of the Alma Mater," Rev. A. E. Linn to "The Alumna" and Rev. Dr. R. G. Ferguson, President of the college, responded to the toast of "The College." After the toasts several songs were rendered and impromptu speeches were made by members of the Alumni.

Three Ordinances Slened. Mayor Gourley yesterday signed three ordinances. One is intended to protect the residence portion of the East End from the smoke nuisance. The other two called for a partial vacation of Sixth street and Mint lley, on the Southside. The Mayor thinks this ordinance will be a great benefit to the Pittsburg, Virginia and Charleston Railroad Company, as it wants to make some extensive improvements at these points.

His Good Services Remembered. Superintendent William McAdams, o the Diamond Market House, has resigned to take the superintendency of the Magee building. Yesterday afternoon the stall renters presented him with a handsome gold watch. Mayor Gourley made the presentawatch. Mayor Gouriey made the presenta-tion speech, and Delinquent Tax Collector Ford received the present. Chiefs Brown and Bigelow and others were in attendance. It is not known who will succeed Mr. Me-

An Increase in Benefits Paid Out. The Pennsylvania Railroad voluntary relief bulletin for February shows a heavy increase over several preceding months There was paid out over the entire Pennsylvania system in death benefits, \$26,950; ac cident claims, \$10,084 05; sickness benefits, \$23,150 80. Total, \$60,184 85.

The County Democracy Moves. The County Democracy last night removed its headquarters to the old University building on Diamond street, opposite the Court House. The whole first floor of the building will be used by the Democrats. The apartments, it is said, will be handsomely arranged.

If you are looking for a good room, read the advts, of rooms to let in the Sunday

ANXIOUSLY WAITING.

BOUND TO HIS HORSE.

a Muddy Country Road and

BEATEN WITH A BLACKSNAKE WHIP

Humane Agent O'Brien Secures a Warrant

for the Father's Arrest.

THE CHILD IN A CRITICAL CONDITION

For brutality and lack of fatherly love,

there is a man in Turtletown, one of Alle-

gheny county's little villages, who has no

equal. This is the opinion of General

Agent O'Brien, of the Humane Society, who

"Benjamin Ayers lives in Turtletown. He

has but one child, Hazel, a pretty, bright 16-year-old girl, who would shine as a star

in any household. Drink, though, had driven

away the father's love and pride, and his

Gave the Poor Girl a Home.

noble woman, and he was aiming to place

her in her proper position in society. Her

duties at his home were light, and for the

first time in her life she was beginning to see the brighter side of this world, when her father put in his appearance.

"Last Sunday Hazel was at home by her-

just outside of the town, and it was to this

spot he took his daughter. He took a hitch-ing strap from the horse's bridle and tied it

around Hazel's arm. The strap was wrapped so tightly that the circulation was almost

stopped. Ayers then mounted his pile of bones, and the journey homeward com-

Dragged Through Mud and Slime,

"Everybody knows the condition of a country road at this time of the year, and the thoroughfure leading to Ayer's home was just as bad as it could be, the mud being about six inches deep. Through this slime

pretty Hazel was dragged. Her father rode on his horse, holding the strap in his hand.

He forced the animal forward to its most rapid gait, and Hazel was compelled to keep up. When they got home the man pulled her into the house, choked her and then beat her with a blacksnake whip until she

"The poor girl was not too strong at any time, and as she was ill before she received the abuse from her father, her condition is now critical. Ever since Sunday she has been lying in bed, hovering between life and death.

"Yesterday I made an information against

Avers before Alderman Wilson, of Imper-ial. He may be hard to arrest, but an at-

tempt will be made to do so to-night. The hearing will be held Saturday, if he is secured."

A HEPTASOPH TEMPLE

clety Building in the State.

with a capital of \$150,000, divided into 30,-

000 shares of \$5 each. The building

mmittee is composed of M. G. Cohen

Chairman, L. K. Logue, J. H. Mc-Roberts, Dr. G. A. Mueller and Martin Schroeder. They have under consideration

three centrally located sites, one of which

The structure will be an ornament to the

city and will not be surpassed by any secret society building between New York and Chicago. It is to contain six stories. The

first floor will be arranged for business pur-

general Heptasoph headquarters, with a library, where visiting brethren can con-

gregate and feel at home. There will be

four large and handsomely finished lodge rooms, two of which will be used by the 23

Heptasoph conclaves in this city. The

The building will have a stone front. The

inside is to be fitted up with all conveni-ences, including an improved electric ele-vator. Three of the floors will be devoted

Crushed to Death by Falling Iron.

bon Iron Works, met with a fatal accident

vesterday forenoon. He was employed in

niling up heavy iron hers in the mill ward

removed to the St. Francis Hospital, where

he died in about an hour. He was single and lived on Thirty-fourth street,

Consul Stewart's Remains Coming Home.

The body of Hon. John H. Stewart,

United States Consul to Antwerp, Belgium,

who died at the Hotel Buida, Paris, March

14 arrived in New York vesterday on the

The Place for Wall Paper.

Inside of the next two months, W. H. Bar-ker, of No. 503 Market street, wishes to dis-pose of his entire stock of fine wall paper. He has marked everything down, as he is going out of the business. If wise, you will buy

New Kid Gloves!

Is the latest moment at which small advertisements will be received at the

ALLEGHENY BRANCH OFFICE

SUNDAY DISPATCH.

On week days the office will remain

SATURDAYS

8:50 P. M.

Joseph Melshick, employed at the Car-

to office purposes.

poses. The second will he set aside

was exhausted.

"He saw in Hazel the characteristics of a

tells this story:

away to satisfy his thirst.

among the unfortunate.

So Often Have the License Applicant Been Disappointed They Are Becoming A Pretty Girl Dragged for Miles Over Fearful-Delay May Be a Forerunner of

> Never since the Brooks law went into effect has there been so much anxiety over the termination of the License Court as there is at present. Three-fourths of the applicants woke up yesterday morning intending to read of their success or failure in the morning papers, but they were dis-appointed.

Yesterday afternoon the newsies seemed to be onto the game and they cried more lustily than ever "All about the License Court." Many victims bit, hoping a long list of successful ones would greet their

list of successful ones would greet their eyes, but they were again disappointed.

When court convened yesterday afternoon there were more people crowded within the four walls of the court room than there ever was before. A report had been circulated around town that the list would be handed down. All afternoon they waited and listened, but the dry routine of the court was not broken. When court adjourned last night it was intimated that the list might be handed down to-day that the list might be handed down to-day ia open court.

daughter is forced to do domestic work. in open court.

Last night the one topic of discussion in every saloon in the town was, "Would the list be made public to-day?" So often have the applicants been disappointed that they have no taith in reports. The delay is causing an anxiety even among the attorneys. These hard, matter-of-fact men are beginning to feel fearful lest the delay is a fore-typic of had owners. It is should be the The father, not even satisfied at having forced his heir out into the world, collects the poor thing's wages and trifles them "Some time ago Hazel went to live with John Matchett, of Clinton, a town 2½ miles from Turtletown. Mr. Matchett is runner of bad omens. If it should be that to-day would not see the making public of the list, many applicants will begin to feel a little leary of their prospects for 1892. one of those kind-hearted Christian gentlemen who are ever trying to work good

A Gay Farm Hand.

John Swick, the manager of Ross Grove, reported to the Allegheny police authori-ties yesterday afternoon he had been robbed by Joseph Easterday. Swick has a farm near Ross Grove, and Easterday has been employed by him for some time. "Last Sunday Hazel was at home by herself. She was not feeling well, and had not
gone to church. Soon after the other members of the family had left home, Ayers put
in his appearance, and demanded her wages,
but she refused to give them, having been
so instructed by Mr. Matchett. He then
demanded that Hazel should come home
with him. He got her out of the
house, and drove her through the
streets to the edge of the town.
The father had a miserable old horse hitched
just outside of the town, and it was to this The report of Mr. Swick is to the effect that Easterday on Monday last took a load of vegetables to a Mr. Werner, of Pittsburg, and collected from him \$50. Easterday re-turned to his employer and denied having collected that amount. On Tuesday he robbed a fellow farm hand of considerable money, securing in all \$150

A Private License Court.

A man, who claims to have a pull on the license court, is trying to work some of the applicants. For the modest sum of \$50 he guarantees a license. Yesterday he called on George Kretzler, proprietor of the Washington House on Butler street. He explained his scheme and exhibited a promissory note which he wanted Mr. Kretzler to sign. He was unable to do business and left. He also called on John Tolley and Theodore Shaffer without get-iting anything out of them. The man's name could not be learned.

If you are looking for a good room, read the advts, of rooms to let in the Sunday

New Officers of No. 7. The following officers have been elected by Typographical Union No. 7: George B. Acklin, President; Alex. McK. McWilliams, Vice President; A. L. Soloman, Thomas Brennan and T. T. Lemmon, Trustees; Ben-Brennan and T. T. Lemmon, Trustees; Ben-jamin F. Fink, Recording Secretary; T. T. Lemmon, Corresponding Secretary; L. Hoskinson, Financial Secretary; Hugh Adams, Treasurer: W. H. Durr, Sergeant at Arms; Adam J. Pfeiffer, Doorkeeper; Judges of Election, Richard Shortess, Thomas C. Sheehan and Hugh D. McGaw.

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Our stock of Novelty Dress Flouncings is replete with choice and new designs in Chantilly, Hand-Run Spanish and Marquise Laces. Embroidered Mousseline De Soie,

Black Grounds with colored figures, in handsome novelty designs.

An attractive line of Black Embroidered Crepe Du Chine in large and small designs.

when suddenly the whole pile toppled over on him. The injured man was quickly extri-cated by his fellow workmen. He was Cor. Fifth Ave. and Market St.

SPECIAL SALE SIMEN'S

steamer Pennsylvania, and was shipped to relatives in this city. The funeral will take place from Calvary Church, East End. Has kept him busy, and no wonder. Such a host of bargains attracts the shrewd buyer to the point. Do you know that there is more Camellia flour sold in this market than any other brand? And do you know, too, that it is the highest periced flour, being several cents higher per sack? You probably wonder why this is. There is but one answer. The Marshall-Kennedy Milling Co. are putting forthall their efforts to make the best flour, not the cheapest. That they are succeeding is shown by the enormous consumption of their flours, for the people are discovering that the best is the cheapest, even if it does cost a few cents more. Try it and see if results do not warrant our assertion.

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AT \$2.00: Men's Finest Dongola Shoes reduced from \$3 and Genuine Calf Shoes reduced from \$2.50 to \$2. It is money in your pocket to get

acquainted with these goods and G. D. SIMEN. We have all the new shades of spring gloves, in buttons, hooks or mosquetaires. Our long suedes at 88c, our five-hook at 89c and \$1.90 are the best for the money ever offered. Headquarters for P. & P. Chaumont gloves. Doing business in Allegheny, Pa., at

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