A Maddened Hairdresser Murders a Fair Girl and Then Kills Himself.

DEATH AFTER A REFUSAL

To Accept the Hand of the Man Who Had Long Pursued Her.

Emil Weixt Shoots Pretty Hattle Buttress and Then Turns His Revolver Upon Himself-Four Shots End Two Lives-He Leaves a Letter to Blast the Memory of the Woman He Had Asked to Become His Wife-Hatred That Lived Beyond the Grave-A Tragedy That Creates Intense Excitement in Lower Allegheny.

A most tragic tale embracing a terrible batred that was meant to live after death, is connected with a tragedy in Allegheny yesterday, when Emil Weixt, a German hairdresser, 45 years of age, killed Hattie Buttress and then himself in the young lady's hairdressing parlors at No. 219 Beaver avenue, on account of unrequited

At 1:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon Miss Hartie Buttress was attending to a customer at the boarding house of Mrs. Mary Hamill, No. 219 Beaver avenue, where she has conducted the hairdressing business for some few months. She was standing with her back to the door chatting with Miss Lens Buntzinger, when suddenly the latter noticed Miss Buttress becoming very pale. Her hand trembled so she could scarcely hold the implements she was using. Miss Huntzinger looked in the mirror and saw the reflection of a man entering the room. A moment later he stepped beside the chair, and in a voice that was tremulous with passion, said: "I've got you now."

Weixt Had Chosen His Time. "What do you want?" asked Miss Buttress, nerving herself as much as possible. "Can you not see I am busy? Wait until I am through."

"No: this will suit me," replied Weixt in the same tone. "I might just as well end this matter right here."

"Oh! What do you mean?" cried Miss Buttress suddenly breaking down and dropping her implements to the floor. She half turned around and as Miss Huntzinger ran to the noor excitedly calling for help, the man selzed Miss Buttress by the right wrist and jerked her forcibly toward him as



Emil Weixt, the Murderer and Suicide

he whipped a large revolver from his hin pocket. The doomed girl screamed frantically as she valuely endeavored to wrest herself away. The next instant Weixt turned the muzzle of the deadly weapon toward his victim and pulled the trigger. At the same time he released his hold of the girl's wrist and as she reeled backwards he fired again, the bullet tearing its fatal way to the heart of the girl scarce two inches from the place the first ball pierced.

Turned His Revolver Upon Himself. Weixt east one quick, hurried glance shout the close little room; a look of desperation came over him, and then he turned the muzzle of the weapon towards his own breast. His nerve deserted him for an instant and the bullet entered just at the armpit. Before the blood began to gush from the wound he leveled the revolver directly at his heart and the fourth are going away on summer trips and leavbullet left the steel chamber, and as the man staggered back, burling the weapon into a distant corner, the life blood spurted out and his body fell to the floor.

A breathless crowd, with eyes wide open in horror, flocked into the room as the bright-hued carpet was being dyed with the crimson stain of blood, Undertaker Lowrie immediately summoned the police, and upon the arrival of the patrol with a number of officers from Allegheny City Hall, it took them some time to disperse the crowd. Coroner McDowell was notified and soon after Deputy Coroner Grant Miller arrived upon the scene and took possession of the bodies, which he subsequently turned over to Undertaker Lowrie. Later on the parents of the murdered girl took her body, but it was impossible for the undertaker to remove it to the house on account of the crowd that surrounded the

Causes Leading to the Tragedy.

The story that led up to the tragedy has two sides. The murderer's and the victim's. The latter is the only plansible are as the virtue and purity of the poor unfortunate is testified to by everyone with whom she has worked, as well as those in the neighborhood. The murderer, not satisfied with killing the girl, left a letter to the newspapers of the city, in which he vilified the character of his victim in lan-guage bratal in its realism.

A little over a year ago, Weixt arrived in Pittsburg and secured employment in the hairdressing parlor of Dr. Goldberg, on the corner of Fitth avenue and Wood street. Miss Buttress lad entered the place but a short time before to learn the street. time before to learn the art of hairdressing, working in the same department with Weixt frequently came in contact with him. Upon the first time he saw her he was greatly attracted on account of her pure, sweet face. He immediately began making overtures to her, which she repulsed. This had the effect of angering him, and he

dressing parlors of Mrs. Fosters' on Federal street, Allegheny, but within a very short time Weixt followed her and recommenced plying his suit. Previous to recommenced plying his suit. Previous to this time he began boarding with the parents of the young girl at 120 Market street, Allegheny. The girl was unable to withstand the force of the man, and she withstand the force of the man, and she informed her employer that she was obliged

Weixt heard of this the same after-noon, and going to Miss Buttress he again asked her if she would marry him. She again resmed, and Weixt in a moment of rage sam meaningly: "I'll get you yet, and when I do you'll rue the day."

With this transport that he disappeared

With this strange threat he disappeared and from then until yesterday Miss Buttress did not see nor hear of him. The result of yesterday's interview has

The sister of the dead girl, Mrs. H. S. Hazlett, said last night that Hattie was a



pure, sweet girl and had never been away from home in the last several years. "She never spent a night away from home," continued Mrs. Hazlett, "and being of a timid nature never stayed out at night under any circumstances. The report that she had lived with this man is wholly and unequivocally false. Such a thought never entered her head. She was a good girl, and everybody had every confidence in her."

The Murderer a Married Man. Undertaker Lowrie said he had been informed the murderer and self-murderer was a man of property and had a wife and several children in Baltimore, Md., where he had been during the last 12 months. The body, unless claimed by relatives or friends, will be turned over to the county for burial after the inquest, which will be held to-

Emil Weixt or, as he called himself, Emil West, was a man of 45 years of age. He was massively built, and had a magnificent figure. His face was characteristic of the basest passions. His lips were full and red, and his flat forehead and flat head, together with the brutflat head, together with the brut-ish jaw and cheekbones gave his face an aspect of brutality that was doubly conspicuous after death. In manner he is said to have been of quick nervous tem-perament and was excited into a terrible assion of rage upon the slightest pretext. Little is known of his past and unless his body is claimed, it will probably go into the grave with the tale unrevealed.

The young lady was about 20 years of age

and attractive, both in face and figure. She was admired and respected by everyone who knew her.

The letter left by Weixt is unfit for publication. In it he boldly avers that his re-lations with Miss Buttress were more than

The remains of Miss Buttress will be

#### WILL SUE ALLEGHENY CITY.

N. H. French Gets the Worst of It in Fight With Detective Johnson. G. J. Corell, an Allegheny liveryman, and N. H. French, a Dakota horseman, called at THE DISPATCH office last night and said they had been assaulted by Detective Johnon in the house of Mollie Fisher, 43 Cede avenue. Both men appeared perfectly sober, and told a story of how Mr. French got his head decorations, which consisted of a number of bandages. He said there were 17 stitches in one of the cuts. He stated that he had gone to the house in search of one of his tective Johnson assaulted both himself and Mr. Corell, and fired two shots at him. Mr. French said he knocked the revolver out of the detective's hand, and then Johnson struck him a number of times with his black-jack. Mr French said he went to City Hall where his wounds were dressed, and that Johnson tried to settle the matter. French declares he will enter suit against the city for \$10,000 damages, and

Assistant Superintendent of Police Glenn, of Allegheny, said the men were drunk when they came to City Hall. He denied that there was any shooting. Detective Johnson said he had been sent to the house to work up a robbery case, and stated that French and Corell tried to throw him out of the house, and he had to use his black-jack.

says he will shoot the detective down in the

#### A WARNING TO TOURISTS.

They Should Notify the Police When They Leave Their Homes Unguarded.

A request is made by the Police Bureau that families in all sections of the city who ing their homes unoccupied will, before going, notify Superintendent O'Mara or the inspector of their district, so that the patrolmen can be instructed to watch the place from intrusion by thieves.
"Too many people go away and make no

provision for protecting their property," said Mr. O'Mara last night, "and if their houses are entered and goods stolen while they are away we know nothing about it until they return. The thief has in the mean time covered his tracks and recovery is almost impossible. It we are notified we instruct our men to examine such houses several times each day. Then if an entry is made we know it within a few hours and have a chance to catch the thieves."

#### SULLIVAN STILL DELIRIOUS.

Inspector Kelly Fays He Was Struck by a Pemickey Freight Train. Police Inspector Kelly, of the Southside, yesterday made a thorough investigation of the case of James Sullivan, who is lying at the Southside Hospital from wounds mysteriously received. Inspector Kelly stated last night that Sullivan was struck by a P., McK. and Y. train at Six Mile ferry. The injured man was brought to the city, and the company's physician tailed to give him any attention as he was not an employe of the railroad. The Southside Hospital authorities stated that Sullivan's condition

#### remained unchanged. He is still delirious and can give no account of either himself or the accident. WAR ON SPEAK-EASIES.

nspector McLaughlin Vows He Will Lock Up All the Proprietors in Ilis District. Inspector McLaughlin, of the Second police district, has declared war against the 'speak-easy" proprietors in his district. Yesterday he made 25 informations before Magistrate Hyndman, and he said last night: "I will not stop until I have every one of them in the lockup."

This and the effect of angering him, and he told her upon several occasions that he yet possess her.

Tried to Escape Weixt's Attentions.

Miss Buttress informed her mother of the existing state of affairs and at her advice left the employment of Dr. Goldberg to escape Weixt's odious at-

### AT THE SAME WAGES.

Skilled Workmen at Carnegie's Homestead Steel Works'

SIGN A THREE-YEAR CONTRACT. Amalgamated Association Officials Say 1t

Will Have

NO EFFECT UPON THE IRON SCALE

Great excitement prevailed among the residents of Homestead last evening over the announcement that the Carnegie Steel Company at that place had, through their general superintendent, Mr. Potter, entered into an amicable and thoroughly satisfactory arrangement with the following tradesmen employed in their mills: Engineers, boilermakers, carpenters, patternmakers,

painters, tinners, coppersmiths, millwrights, foundrymen, riggers and the machinists, blacksmiths and pipefitters, together with their respective helpers. These virtually include all the skilled labor in the mills outside of the members of the Amalgamated Association. The terms of the agreement are that the

men will continue at the same wages they now receive for a period of three years, beginning with June 20, 1892, and extending until June 20, 1895. The workmen involved, nearly 700 hands, stated they had no grievance against the company, and were fully satisfied with the treatment they have been accorded by the Among the first to hear the news were

several members of the wage committee of the Amalgamated Association, one of whom said: "It can' hardly be denied that it would have been much better for all concerned, in case of a strike, for all the men employed in the mill to be out and advo-

Won't Affect the Amalgamated Men. "However, this action on the part of the radesmen mentioned will in no way weaken the Amalgamated Association during the present time or in the future. All of these men belong to separate organizations, and are paid by the day and not by the amount of work they perform. Another thing to be considered is that even if 700 men have signed a new contract, which I cannot believe possible, they cannot have any great amount of work to do in case the iron and steel men go out on a strike or a lock-out

Glancing over the schedule of the Amalgamated Association for the present week shows that to-day the delegates and various officials of the organization will have more than the usual amount of important busi-ness to transact. It is expected that the long and exhaustive report of the Steel Scale Committee will have been so far completed that it can be presented to the mem-bers of the convention during this mornbers of the convention during this morning's session of the regular meeting at Forbes Street Turner Hall. This report, which deals largely with the Homestead scale, is of the greatest possible interest to all of the delegates, and the majority of them are looking forward to the result of the committee's work with many outward signs of impatience. on of this report will probably con

ume the entire morning. Plenty of Work Ahead for Delegates. The afternoon meeting will be devoted to matters of a similar nature, providing the report embodying the Homstead scale has been acted upon. There are yet nine more committees from as many mills who have not up to last evening handed in their reports, and all of these will be given a hearing, so that the delegates will have plenty of business for the next two or three days.

This evening President Weihe, together with Vice President M. M. Garland, Mc-Pherson Brown, Griffith Davis, John Johns, Beorge D. Evans, James McClosky, T. G. Ainscourt, Raymond Bowers, Leopold Auberly, Harry Herbert, Thomas Hogan, T. H. Jones and William J. Evans representing one of the conference committees of the Amalgamated Association, will meet a committee of the sheet and tin block gone to the house in search of one of his manufacturers in the rooms of the Associa-men who had disappeared. He declares De-tion of Iron and Steel Sheet Manufacturers. The members of the last named committee are W. T. Graham, N. E. Whittaker, W. C. Cronemeyer, B. F. Jennings, J. G. Battelle, B. N. Caldwell, George McMurtrie, V. Preston, William Banfield, Warner Ames and John Jarrett. These two bodies met and conferred on Friday evening last. The session was the longest of any held during this convention and no agreement was reached. The principal point of discussion was the wages paid to the shearman, which was hotly debated by both sides. It is expected that a settlement will be reached this respected. be reached this evening.

Will be Banqueted at Homestead, In response to the invitation of the Home stead people to the delegates of the Seven-teenth Annual Convention of the Amalgateenth Annual Convention of the Amalga-mated Association of Iron and Steel Workers to visit Homestead on Thursday evening next, President Weihe has ac-cepted in behalf of the visitors. The enter-tainment will be of the highest class, fol-lowed by a banquet. Although no positive arrangements have been made by the offi-cials, it is expected that the conditions of last year will prevail, which were as follows: The convention during the regular meeting hours of that day will, instead of taking a recess at noon, hold a continuous session of six and one-half hours, then, after taking a couple of hours recess, meet at the railroad station and proceed in a body to Homestead. Yesterday morning, after hearing the report to the Description. of Vice President Sheehan, the convention adjourned, so that the Steel Scale Committee would have ample time to complete their labors. During the afternoon President Weibe received a letter from the officials in charge of the Western Penitentiary, inviting the delegates to visit the institution at any time during their stay in the city. This was read to the delegates. many of whom agreed to set aside an afternoon to visit the prison.

It was understood that the manufacturers' Conference Committee was to hold a meeting yesterday to decide upon a definite policy. The members did not come together, however, several of the committeemen being absent from

Coal Operators Fighting Oil Men. A bill in equity was filed yesterday by John W. Chalfant, C. B. Herron and Robert Marshall against John O'Donnell, Richard St. Claire, James Brit and Michael Schaill. The plaintiffs own the coal under land in South Fayette township, and ask for an injunction to restrain the defendants from boring oil and gas wells through it.

The project to celebrate Labor Day by a fitting observance has not been lost track of

by the Central Trades Assembly. No action has been taken thus far, but it is stated on good authority that there will be a labor parade followed by an immense mass meeting at Schenley Park. Again Put Into Operation At Braddock, furnace I of the Carnegie plant, was put into operation yesterday. This

furnace was blown out over a week ago and although chilled, the metal was successfully blasted without any injury to the furnace

All-Wool Fancy French Crepons-50 Cents. No doubt but this is the summer dress goods sale of the year. Come and see.

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

ROACHES, bedbugs, etc., grow fat on insect powders, pastes, etc., but they never get away from Bugine. 25 cents.

#### FOUND DEAD IN BED.

found dead in his room at the St. James

Prominent Lumberman Dies of Hear Disease at the St. James Hotel-Death Comes to Him Suddenly on Sunday. ments in the Pinhook Field. Hiram Carman, of Portland Mills, was

Hotel yesterday morning. He is a wellknown lumberman and was afflicted with heart disease. Mr. Carman was evidently overcome suddenly, for he was found in a half reclining position on the bed. He had his clothes on and was sitting on the bed when

his clothes on and was sitting on the bed when death came. The head had dropped over on a pillow, and in this posture he was discovered by the chambermaid. He probably died on Sunday, but as he was an exceedingly quiet man he liked to remain in his room on the Sabbath and he was not disturbed. He had bled profusely from the nose and mouth. The blood had soaked through two thick mattresses and formed a pool on the floor under the bed.

Mr. Lanahan, the former proprietor, said he knew Carman quite well, and he was frequently a guest of the house. He registered first on June 9 and then left, but he came back on the 14th. Carman was seen by the housekeeper late Saturday evening, and he appeared to be in good health. Clerk Frank Newell said he was one of the quietest men in manner that he had ever

quietest men in manner that he had ever met, and for this reason he was not missed Edward Freis called at the hotel last evening, and said he knew Mr. Carman very well. Until six weeks ago, he was Superintendent of the Clarion River Rail-road, a lumber road owned by the Portiand

Lumber Company. He has three sons, two
of whom are engineers on the line.
Mr. Carman was well fixed, and
the station where the Clarion road joined the Buffalo, Rochester and Pittsburg young the Butalo, Rochester and Pittsourg was named after him. Mr. Freis said his oldest son had told him that his father had heart disease, and he thought he had died from this cause. He had \$300 in

### DEATH OF DR. A. M. POLLOCK.

He Died From the Effects of an Acciden About Two Years Ago,

Dr. A. M. Pollock, the oldest and one of the best known physicians of Pittsburg, died yesterday at his home, 91 Wylie avenue. His death was caused by spinal troubles, and was the result of an accident which occurred about two years ago. He was in his 73d year.

Dr. Pollock has been practicing medicine in Pittsburg for 40 years. He-was born in Clinton township. He was sent to Cincin-nati where he was educated and received his diploma from a medical college there.

As soon as he graduated he came to Pittsburg and opened an office on Wylie avenue,
and he never moved away from there. During the great cholera epidemic in Pittsburg he was one of the few that stayed

and alleviated the pains of the sufferers. He went where others feared to go and finally escaped the disease.

He has only one brother living, A. W.
Pollock, of Wilkinsburg. Captain Jones
Blackmore, of Cincinnati, is his brother-in-

law. He is believed to be worth considerable property. He leaves a wife and three daughters. He had only one son, who died ome years ago.

Dr. Pollock always enjoyed good health up to two years ago when he was thrown from his buggy and had his back injured. He kept up his practice until about six months ago when he was forced to go to bed. Since then he had been gradually

#### sinking. SHIPWRECKED AT SEWICKLEY.

tern Fate Overtakes a Party Bound for

Wheeling, W. Va. A party of ten gay, well known men from this city started out last Sunday morning bright and early, for a trip to Wheeling on the naphtha launch, "Mirth." There was a good supply of eatables and drinkables aboard and a grand day's ride was anticipated. But the sometimes rude hand of fate spanked the party hard before they had proceeded far. An unseen sand-bar in the river opposite Sewickley came her short. Ten young men worked like beavers all day long and late into the night to get the boat off but when midnight came the boat was still on the bar, the provender had all been consumed and Wheeling was still 53 miles away. Then a badly dis-gusted party of ten took- the railroad and counted the ties from Sewickley to Alle-gheny, arriving at 20'clock yesterday morn-

ng.

The story got out yesterday and ten young men along Water street were unmercifully guyed by their friends who declined to give out any names for publication.

#### GO TO WORK AT ONCE.

The Contract Closed for the Erection of the Phipps Conservatory.

The Phipps Conservatory Commission met in Chief Bigelow's office yesterday afternoon, approved the working plans, closed the contract and made the other necessary arrangements for the construction of what is expected to be the finest floral conservatory on earth. Only a few imma-terial changes were made in the plans, and a letter from Mr. Phipps was read urging an immediate beginning of the work.

The contract price of Lord & Burnham, the architects and contractors, is \$101,334 45, and Mr. Phipps has agreed to pay the \$1,334 45 in excess of his original offer. The work is to be completed within a year and work is to be completed within a year, and eight payments of \$10,000 each will be made as the work progresses. The final payment of \$21,334 45 will be made 30 days after the contract is completed and approved, the commission having the right to make, any changes in the specifications it deems

#### KILLED BY A FLY-WHEEL

Singular Accident to a Boy Employed at Singer & Nimick's Mill,

Henry Custer, aged 16 years, an employe at Singer & Nimick's mill in the West End, was fatally injured by his head coming in contact with the big rapidly revolving ing in contact with the big rapidly revolving fly-wheel of the engine last night. Stories differ as to how he was injured, but it is supposed that, having a few moments of leisure, he walked over to the wheel and was cooling off in the breeze it created when he lost his balance and fell against it. The velocity of the wheel was so great that it created his strall in and these the har the walked his strall in and these the har eral of the committeemen being absent from the city. it crushed his skull in and threw the boy like a rag for a distance of ten feet. He was picked up unconscious and taken to his home in the patrol wagon. A surgeon attended him, but could do little for him, expressing the opinion that he could not re-

#### MOLLY TRIED TO DROWN HERSELF. he Fought the Officer Who Pulled Her

Out of the River. Molly Hartman, a resident of Hardcrabble, attempted to commit suicide last night by a slow and deliberate stroll into the Monongahela river at the foot of Ferry street. She was about half drunk at the street. She was about half drunk at the time, but apparently knew what she was doing, as she called out "Goodby" to a lot of loungers on the wharf. They notified Officer Meighan who happened to be nearby on Water street, and he ran down as she had got up to her waiss. She fought a little before she would consent to come out of the

His Three Boys Are Missing. William Lewis, of No. 618 Forbes street. reported to Sergeant Hendrick, of the Fourteenth ward station, last night that he had lost his three boys, Evan, aged 10; Willie, aged 9, and Henry, aged 5. He said the boys were last seen by a neighbor riding on Forbes street in one of the Schenley Park wagons. Mr. Lewis thought the boys had lost their way in the park, and with one of the park police he started to search for them.

#### AWAITING THE DRILL. STATE HEADQUARTERS.

All Eyes Are Watching Develop-

LAYING MAINS TO THE HESS WELL.

Carnegies Have Scooped Up Over 1,000 Acres of Territory.

CHIEF ELLIOT CALLS IT A RICH FIND

Gas operators are all feeling good over the prospects of the new Pinhook field, but leclare it is not yet developed sufficiently o prove its worth and extent. All are waiting on the result of the wells now going down. The three wells on Plum Creek at Milltown are attracting the greatest attention. They are the Equitable and People's wells and will show whether they are only on the edge of the field or whether t extends toward Pittsburg.

Notwithstanding these surmises the territory is rapidly being taken up. The Carnegie people plead guilty to owning at least ,000 acres in the Pinhook field, but refuse o state just how much more. Westinghouse s also accused of owning land in the paying district. President Rea, of the People's Gas Company, puts his holdings at 700 acres. Chief Elliot, who is considered one of the most successful gas operators in the country, yesterday bought a blook of the Pinhook territory at a tancy figure. He believes there is plenty of gas there.

Laying Big Mains to the Pinhook Field. The Philadelphia Company declares its three wells there are the biggest the company have, and on this Pinhook field it pases all its hopes for the future. This company will commence at once the construction of a 20-inch main four miles long to tap these new wells. Their main is to be connected with the old Chartiers 24-inch main, so that the full force of these new wells can be turned in. In three months the Hess well has not lost any of its pres-sure. The five and five-eighths-inch main was not big enough to carry off all the gas, but with a 20-inch main the company will soon be able to tell whether the wells can be depended upon as stayers. This company has put up seven rigs and has four

wells under way.

President Pew, of the People's Gas Company, and General Manager George H. Browne, of the Philadelphia Company, browne, of the Prinadelphia Company, held a consultation yesterday at the Peo-ple's office, but they did not tell what the consultation was about. Mr. Browne said he still expected big returns from the Pinhook field.

The People's Expect Good Returns, President Pew said: "We have excel-ent territory in the Pinhook field. The biggest well we have is there, and we have another nearing completion on the Miller another nearing completion on the Miller farm. We expect a big well. We believe the territory is going to be good, but a year from now we could give more satisfactory statements. We do not know what the field will do. Our company has about 700 acres up there, and expect to get enough gas from it to make an abundant supply for all domestic uses and for the smaller manufacturers this winter, and possibly longer. I believe it is very good territory, and the prospects at present are bright. There is no way of teiling what the field will do until the drill has made a more thorough

An attempt was made to see H. C. Frick on the Carnegie gas interests in the Pin-hook field, but he was out of town. Daniel M. Clemson, superintendent of the mining department of the Carnegie association, who has charge of their gas interests, was seen, however, and he believes there are indications of a good field there. He admitted the Carnegies held a thousand acres in the field, but would not state how much more. Said he: "I would not risk my reputation in making a positive statement about the new field now. I do not know whether it is all that has been claimed for it and I would not risk my there were procured, and busy hands soon left the 60 beautiful abbreviated suits in bad condition to clothe 60 young ladies. It took only two minutes to make enough rags to manufacture several yards of carnet, and throw them into the alley. Scissors were procured, and busy hands soon left the 60 beautiful abbreviated some condition to clothe 60 young ladies. It took only two minutes to make enough rags to manufacture several yards it, and I would not risk saying there was no large body of gas there.

An Expert's Views on the Field. "We simply do not know yet, but will be able to tell more about it when the Equita-ble and People's wells come in at Milltown. If they are good, the field is a great one, though I doubt if we will ever find a sand as prolific as the Murraysville. At present it is the best territory in sight. There are two dry holes, though, in the Pittsburg dis-

Some person who does not sign his name has sent a letter to THE DISPATCH stating that the Pittsburg Glass Company drilled several fruitless wells south of Tarentum which is across the river from the new field and barely on the edge of the anti-clinal. He also says the Lee well, one mile east of Milltown was a failure.

Chief Elliot was asked about this and said: "The Lee well is in the Pinhook field, and is a good well even though the city of Pittsburg could not see it. I bought some territory up there this morning. There is plenty of gas in that field and I believe more will be found. I believe the Pinhook field is a big one. Last week I wanted to go up there and get some terri-tory, but could not do it. The result was I had to pay a big price to-day."

#### MONEY FOR THE SUFFERERS.

New Basis for Its Distribution at Oil City and Titusville. Treasurer William R. Thompson, of the

Oil City and Titusville relief fund received the following contributions yesterday: Apollo Literary Society, \$25; P. M. Stam-non, \$25; cash, 5; W. L. S. \$1; National Lead non, \$25; cash, 5; W. L. S. \$1; National Lead and Oil Company, \$200; Geo. Irwin, \$3; S.O., \$1; cash, \$1; W. R. E., \$5; collected by Leader, \$10; Good Will Lodge No. 204, \$10; B. Thaw, \$50; John R. & A. Murdoch, \$25; the following were collected by the Times: Rev. H. C. Blaney, \$1; cash, \$250; cash, \$1; J. P. Lyon, \$10; Wm. F. Aull, \$20; D. W. Williams, \$2; W. B. E., \$1; E. B. B., \$1; employes at Homestead Steel Worlfs, \$77 25; John A. Porter, \$20; James F. Derry, \$5; First Christian Church, Banksville, Pa., \$14 50; Primrose, \$5; M. P. Church, \$10; Atlantic, Pa., \$10; Mrs. Menjieur, \$1; Jas. Wills, \$1. This makes a total of \$21,969 46, received altogether.

At a meeting of the Conference Commit-

At a meeting of the Conference Commit-tee of the Relief Association at Oil City, it was determined that of all the moneys rewas determined that of all the moneys re-ceived or to be received, 40 per cent should be used in Oil City, and 60 per cent in Titusville. The distribution of this money upon the above basis was begun yesterday, and will be continued upon each following Monday upon the reports of the treasurers of the various local committees. The pre-vious distribution was determined upon a basis of 65 per cent to Titusville, and 35 per cent to Oil City.

#### AFTER VALUABLE PROPERTY. Suit to Obtain Possession of John Newell's

Fifth Avenue Real Rstate.

Attorney Joseph Hays yesterday entered suit in ejectment against John Newell to obtain possession of property on Fifth avenue. The plaintiffs in the case are Philip nue. The plaintiffs in the case are Philip Le Goullon and wife, John D. McCord and wife, Charles P. Whiston and wife and George W. Tobb and wife, in right of said wives, and Robert R. Anderson. The property described is lot No. 414 in Colonel Woods' plan, Third ward, and extends from Fifth avenue to Virgin alley. The plaintiffs claim that the title is vested in them, and not in John Newell, the defendant.

Knocked Down by an Electric Car. Willie Golomb, aged 4 years, was struck car No. 34 on the Duquesne Traction road last evening while crossing Forbes street, near Magee. The little fellow was knocked down, but the motorman managed to check his car before the wheels struck him. The left side of his face was badly bruised and cut. He was picked up by Inspector McKelvey and carried to the Mercy Hospital where his injuries were dressed.

nator Quay Looking After Them in Philadelphia-He Objects to Their Removal and Wante Them Where They

mouth street, was entered by thieves on Have Been for Many Years. PHILADELPHIA, June 20 .- [Special.]enator Quay was expected in the city today, but postponed his visit until to-morrow. Ex-Collector Dave Martin called at the Re publican City Committee room about noon, but promptly disappeared after looking over a telegram that said Mr. Quay would not be here. Collector Cooper took a run down to Washington and met an appointment at the Treasury Department. His visit had nothing to do with the Senator. Chairman Reeder kept to his Easton home also, but will be in town to-morrow.

The time for the Republican city legislative nomination is due, and this part of the campaign is to receive Mr. Quay's personal attention. He is interested in the list of candidates. He furthermore intends to be certain that the delegation shall be one undivided in its support of Quay, and this is the object of his visit. Incidentally the

organization and location of State head-quarters will be discussed with General Reeder, and the legislative feature of the campaign will be effectively decided upon. Some weeks ago it was stated that Repubcampaign will be effectively decided upon.
Some weeks ago it was stated that Republican headquarters would not be at the Continental Hotel, as in former years, but a building elsewhere had been engaged for the workers, and this departure from custom was intended to make things more exclusive. It appears, from what the city leaders say, that this programme is not at all satisfactory to Senator Ouav, who tavors leaders say, that this programme is not at all satisfactory to Senator Quay, who tavors general and not exclusive headquarters. The Senator has been hearing from party leaders all over the State who do not take kindly to any other place than the Continental. It is understood that General George B. Orlady, I. A. Davenport, J. J. Carter, Charles H. Mullin, H. C. McCormick and others from the country districts have and others from the country districts have been quite outspoken against the change and deem it unadvisable to engage in such deem it unadvisable to engage in such a departure. They argue that the legislative contests can be looked after at 730 Walnut street by F. W. Leach, if necessary, but the State campaign must proceed in the usual way if harmony is to prevail. It is stated the city ward leaders have made selections for the Legislature in all the districts, and that Senator Quay will meet the conditiates to morrow. After the meet the candidates to-morrow. After the conference it will be known who are to run on the ticket. After his approval the convention will know just what to do and how

#### CHORUS GIRLS GET ANGRY.

They Cut Up Their Wardrobs Becaus They Were Fined for Wearing Cleveland Badges-Agnes Huntington's Company Left Without Its Vocalists.

CHICAGO, June 20. - [Special] - The seaon of Agnes Huntington's Opera Company closed at McVicker's theater Saturday night. There was trouble on every hand. When the company of English chorus girls were ready to take a train for New York they found their baggage piled upon the platform instead of on its way to the East. This was due to the disappearance of Manager Schroeder, who had promised to meet the ladies and deliver the tickets to them in

The trouble started when the girls pinned Cleveland badges upon their breasts while they danced on the stage. Schroeder, for the offense, fined each one \$2.50. After the show the pay envelopes were passed around and every one of the girls found \$2.50 less than correct amount inclosed. Then the mob of girls rushed over to the Palmer House and made complaint to Miss Huntington. The latter professed ignorance in the matter and refused to interfere in the differences between the young English ladies and Manager Schroeder.

That settled it as far as the star was con-cerned. A short conference was held. It was decided to cut up the costumes in small chunks and throw them into the tered their salvation. The baggage episode came later, serving only to add tury to the passion already created, and the English supporting company of Agnes Huntington was disbanded. Some are still in Chicago and a few had enough to get to New York, even though they were minus the fine.

#### AFTER FIFTREN YEARS.

Sister Finds Her Long-Lost Brother Un-

der Strange Circumstances. One of the principal parts in an interestng domestic drama, which was enacted at Covington, near Cincinnati, last week, has or its leading actress a Mrs. Lester, residng at Redmond Mills, a small suburb of this city. Harry Osborne, one of the injured at the bridge wreck at Covington, formerly resided in London, England, but about 15 years ago he mysteriously disappeared and nothing more was heard of him

by his relatives.

It happened, however, when he was injured he had a photograph of himself in his possession and written upon an envelope in one of his pockets was his address in Pittshurg. The police authorities sent the phoone of his pockets was his address in Pittsburg. The police authorities sent the photograph here for identification and the facts of the case was afterward published. Mrs. Lester saw the account in the papers and upon calling at the City Hall, was shown the photograph, which she immediately recognized as her brother. She at once declared her intention of going on to Covington, and arrived there last evening to learn that her brother had been seriously hurt and was then an inmate of Dr. Rickett's private hospital in Cincinnati. Mrs. Lester will at once communicate with her parents in London, notifying them of the fact that her brother and their them of the fact that her brother and their

#### A SUGGESTIVE INVITATION To All Parties Interested to Visit and View

the Neeld Farm.

In connection with the proposed visit of the Charities Committee, Councils and city officials to the Neeld farm to-morrow, communication was sent out to all the invited parties yesterday which created con siderable talk about town. As the Charities Committee is not supposed to have made a report as to which farm should be selected, and as no official action whatever has been taken in the matter, the communication is considered to be in bad taste, at least, though it only verifies the statement of fact exclusively published in THE DIS-PATCH over a week ago. The following is a copy of the letter:

Pritsure, June 20.

DEAR SIR—The Committee on Charties invites you to visit the George Neeld farm on the Washington branch of the P. C. & St. L. R. R. on Wednesday, June 22. Train leaves Fourth Avenue station at 255 A. M. Lefreshments will be provided. As this property will in all probability be chosen for the Poor Farm, you are urged to go with the committee for the purpose of inspecting the same.

Glo. Booth, Clerk.

Terrible Havec of a l'owder Explosion. LOUISVILLE, June 20. - In the disaster by powder explosion by lightning striking store near Somerset, three are tatally hurt, Thomas Powell, Mr. Young and W. H. Ryan, proprietor of the store in which the explosion occurred. Twenty-four others are seriously wounded. Three houses were

Righwaymen's Hant of \$5,500. LOUISVILLE, KY., June 20.-Near New Albany to-day, George William Geltmaker, of Louisville, was assaulted and robbed of \$5,500. He had been in the country to purchase a farm and was returning home when attacked by four men, all of whom

#### TRACED BY OLD COINS.

Two Men Arrested on Suspicion of Robbing Mr. Lupton's Home.

Saturday night, who, after ransacking the premises, departed, taking with them only a few old coins that were found in a bureau drawer. Mr. Lupton and his family had spent Saturday at Hulton, and on returning home on Sunday discovered the robbery and at once reported it to the police. An investigation showed that an entrance to the house had have effected by the showled by the sh been effected by chiseling a rear door.

Last night Special Officer Patrick Kelly,
of the Southside district, arrested George Parker and Charles Carrolton on suspici The arrest of the defendants came about a peculiar way. Detective Kelly, while on Mt. Washington, overheard a butcher make a remark about some old coins that he had taken in at his store. The detective asked to see them, and he was shown a gold 25-cent and a gold 50-cent piece. As these corresponded exactly with the coins taken from Mr. Lupton's house the detective made further inquiries, and found that the butcher had received them from George Parker. A still further investigation led to the arrest of Carrolton, and both men were accordingly captured and locked up in the Thirty-sixth ward station.

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