

A DECISION WANTED

To Determine if the Mayor's Approval of Contracts Is Necessary.

MORROW WILL BRING SUIT.

No More Warrants to Be Paid Until the Case Is Decided.

THIS WILL DELAY IMPROVEMENTS.

Some New Street Railway Privileges Are to Be Granted.

THREE INCLINES FOR THE SOUTHSIDE

Unless decisive action is taken early in the present week Controller McKee will next Wednesday carry into execution the threat made by him last week...

At the meeting of the Finance Committee a week ago yesterday the Controller stated his position very succinctly and served notice on the committee that he would compel somebody to go into court by refusing to pay the money due them unless the committee arranged for a settlement...

Hard to Get a Decision.

To get such a decision will require considerable time. The Supreme Court moves slowly, as a rule. If the controller sticks to his resolution to refuse to draw warrants...

Will Give Three Days' Grace.

I will allow two or three days for Council, the Finance Committee, or whoever they may settle the matter to make a decision...

ORIGIN OF SEVERAL LETTERS.

Some Facts About the Alphabet Not Very Generally Known. The chances are that you do not know your letters. Why has A its present shape?

CONGRESSMAN CRAIG ILL.

He Has Been Laid Up for Two Weeks With an Attack of Jaundice. E. F. Acheson, the Republican candidate for Congress in the Twenty-fourth district, was in the city yesterday.

Mellie Woods Under Arrest.

Mollie Woods, of 61 Robinson street, Allegheny, was arrested by Alderman Braun's constable, on the complaint of James M. Jacobs, that she was keeping a disorderly house.

A Satchel Stolen.

John Walter, a commercial traveler, had a satchel stolen from him at the Southside Hotel yesterday afternoon. The thief is supposed to have been a man with whom he had become quite familiar earlier in the day.

Bailed Out by His Friends.

William E. Hoer, who several weeks ago was arrested at a picnic, charged with stealing \$1,400 worth of jewelry from his employer, G. W. Riggs, of the Southside, was yesterday released from jail under \$1,500 bail.

New Inclines for the Southside.

There were three ordinances asking the right of way for inclines from South Twenty-first street to Mt. Oliver, and all on the same survey lines. They were the H. S. McKee Incline Company and the Mt. Oliver Incline Railway Company.

The Morgantown and Highland Park Street Railway Company's Ordinance

was also referred to a sub-committee to look into the necessity of a road over the given territory. In court yesterday all exceptions were dismissed and reports of the Board of Viewers under the new street act were confirmed...

ORANGEMEN WILL CELEBRATE.

A Big Parade in Pittsburgh Followed by a Picnic at Hulton.

The Orangemen of Western Pennsylvania will hold their annual celebration next Tuesday by parading through the principal streets of Pittsburgh and Allegheny and holding a picnic at Hulton. Chief Marshal William J. Kyle has made the following appointments: Adjutant General, John Gardner; Chief of Staff, Hugh Wilson, aids, Hugh Jackson, George Carlisle, John Mitchell, R. J. Thompson, Samuel Edgar, Robert Dodd, Samuel Herron, R. E. Gave, Robert McClarin, William Powell, George Sloan, James Sands, John Woods, John Cousins, Henry Booth, E. J. Patton, Robert Gamble, John McCalla and Timothy French.

The parade will form on New Grant street at 8:30 A. M., and proceed over the following route: Grant street to Liberty, to Penn avenue, to Seventh street, to State, to Ohio, to Fifth, to Sixth, to Market, to Fifth avenue, to Smithfield, to Seventeenth and countermarch to Union depot, where a train will leave for Hulton. Trains will leave for the grove at 8:20, 10:15, 11:00 and 11:30 A. M., 12:05, 1:20, 2:30, 3:45, 5:00 and 5:30 P. M.

SUPERNOAS ON THE SOUTHSIDE.

Excitement Caused by a Report That Dependent Workers Were Wanted.

Rumor had it on the Southside last evening that subpoenas were being issued by Alderman Sacco, and that many persons would be required to serve as deputies at Homestead. Late in the evening, when the report had gained circulation, it was the general subject of conversation. Little knots of men were collected on the corners earnestly discussing the matter and expressing themselves decidedly emphatic language.

Alderman Sacco was seen, and on the subject being mentioned said: "If men are being subpoenaed on the Southside I know nothing of it. But I think I can tell you that report gained circulation. This is the last day notices can be served on delinquent taxpayers and all the constables on this side have been busy making them out. This has been noticed and gave color to such a rumor. To judge from the general opinion, I would think the Southside the wrong place to come for deputies, as the people here are nearly all in sympathy with the strikers."

BEAVE LITTLE LIEZER.

A Child in Allegheny Makes Burglars Drop Their Plunder.

Last Sunday evening about 9 o'clock two men, wearing masks, effected an entrance into the home of Samuel Marshall, on Willis street, Nunnery Hill. They secured from a bureau drawer a watch, several pieces of jewelry and a little money. In the house at the time was a 12-year-old daughter, Elizabeth, and her young brother, Samuel. The children were asleep, the father and mother and one of the children being at church. Elizabeth heard the noise of the men at the kitchen door and fled to her room where she found her father's revolver. When she came down the two men were in the dining room. She bravely ordered them to drop the plunder and question as to the Mayor's right of approval of contracts. But the suit has not been brought and I have heard nothing about it since. I would have closed down my contract warrants last week but for that understanding.

DRUMMERS HAVE AN OUTING.

The Pittsburgh Commercial Travelers' Association Enjoy a Day at Hulton. The Commercial Travelers' Association of Pittsburgh yesterday held their regular annual picnic and reunion at Hulton, a beautiful picnic ground in the Allegheny Valley. Nearly 2,000 ladies and gentlemen made up the party, and upon their return in the evening all united in declaring they had spent the day in a most enjoyable way.

Among the number of invited guests were large delegations from Canton and Alliance, O., and McKeesport, Johnstown and Altoona. Music was furnished by the Mozart Orchestra.

AFTER FIVE YEARS

Nick Young Receives His Card With a Request for Information.

CONGRESS ASKED TO RESTORE

The Passapatany Church, Destroyed by Federal Troops in 1863.

INTERESTING TALE OF THE LATE WAR

A reminder of war times with a very interesting story in connection comes from a little hamlet in Virginia, where the Methodist congregation at that place is in need of a new building, and an appeal will come to Congress for assistance. All sorts of claims are made on the national lawmakers, but this is probably the first time they have been asked to build a house of worship. Five years ago Nick Young, the old St. Nicholas Hotel, had a yearning to visit some of the battle fields in the South in which his regiment participated. He was a member of the One Hundred and Seventh Pennsylvania Volunteers. In the course of his rambles he found himself in Common, King George county, Va. He became very friendly with the landlord of the little hotel in the town, and when he came away he left his card with the name of his regiment on it.

Smallpox Hospital in a Church.

In 1863 a smallpox scourge broke out among the troops, and the church was then turned into a pest house. At the close of the war the commanding officer ordered the building to be burned, and the victorious army marched back to the North, leaving the Methodist church in ruins. It was burned and without a place of worship. The burned building was strong and substantial, and the eyerose of the country folks. In its stead a small structure was reared, and until the poor people have used it as their church. This temporary building is now on its last legs, having weathered the storms for 30 years, and the army authorities have condemned it. Once more the Methodist flock is without a church, and the aged men who remember the White Oak property sign for the good old days before the war are all but forgotten. The people are too poor to pay for a new building, and at last it was suggested that the church be burned by Federal troops and a new one be built by Congress. An appeal will be made to the House, but the next point is to gain information. Nobody remembers the name of the officer in command of the hospital or the regiment that camped in the neighborhood. In this emergency the landlord of the hotel asked Nick Young's card from his collection, and he re-directed to the other day to receive a letter from E. F. Whitehouse, of Common.

Congress Is to Be Convinced.

The writer enclosed Mr. Young's card, and explained that the congregation was in need of a church which they intend to ask Congress to build and they were in search of information. He wanted the names of the officers and regiments. Mr. Whitehouse stated that he was not a Southerner. He emigrated from Maine 16 years ago, and has been living in Common since. He said he thought it would only be fair for the Government to rebuild the church, and, as a Northern man willing to do a neighborly act and help his fellows in the South, he would present a petition to Congress.

Mr. Young decided to answer the letter through THE DISPATCH. The One Hundred and Seventh Regiment, Pennsylvania Volunteers, used the church a smallpox hospital in March, 1863. The surgeon was Dr. Daniel, son of Morrisville, Pa. General E. F. McCoy, of Lewistown, was Colonel of the regiment at the time and Major F. B. Thomas, now of Wannamaker's store, Philadelphia, was the adjutant. Major Seiler, of Harrisburg, was the surgeon. These names are living, and Mr. Young says he has no doubt they will give the Passapatany Methodists all the information they need to convince Congress that the church was burned by Federal troops. Mr. Young will add his testimony if necessary. Nick is glad that his card has proven of so much service to the Virginians.

Kearns Has an Opponent.

Politics is waxing warmer in the Fourth Legislative district of Pittsburgh, that being the only Democratic district in Allegheny county. The candidates for the Democratic nomination are John Kearns, the incumbent, and John J. Sullivan, of the Ninth ward. Each man is "in the hands of his friends," who are already making efforts to secure for their respective candidates the nomination at the primary election.

Threats to Kill a Whole Family.

Mrs. Anna Sullivan, Mrs. Kate Connolly and Thomas Conroy, of Mignomette street, Twentieth ward, were brought before Alderman Donovan last night in surety of the peace, on an information made by Ellen Howley, of 6247 Mignomette street, who testified and proved by two witnesses that the defendants threatened to kill her and her two little girls. The defendants are held to appear at the Quarter Sessions of Court.

His Books in Good Shape.

The Allegheny auditors, having finished their labors on the books of Controller Brown, will tomorrow start on the accounts of City Treasurer Macferon. A number of errors have been found in the Controller's books, but they are insignificant and only of a clerical nature.

Greek Church Dedication Services.

The new Greek Catholic Church on Seventh street, Southside, will be dedicated today. Rev. G. Violeky, of the Southside congregation, will perform the dedication services and Father Oleakiewicz with an excellent choir will assist.

He Was Not a Pinkerton Man.

A Pinkerton representative viewed the body yesterday of the dead man found in the river on Friday and now lying at Ward's undertaking rooms. He positively declared that the man had not been one of their number.

Picnic of the Thurman Club.

Ross Grove is the pleasure ground selected by the Allan G. Thurman Club, of this city, for their second annual picnic which takes place on Thursday, July 14. The Mozart Orchestra has been engaged.

The Millions Needed for Pensions.

WASHINGTON, July 9.—The total amount of the pension appropriation bill as agreed upon in conference is \$146,737,350, or \$11,913,288 greater than the amount voted by the House.

That Wonderful Sight

Presented by the new stock of Stetson, Gansford and Open pianos came prominently described, but must be seen in order to realize that the best piano establishments in Pittsburgh and Western Pennsylvania is that of H. Kiebler & Bro., 608 Wood street, Pittsburgh, Pa. The variety of fancy woods from all quarters of the globe, and the exquisite shades of unusual tones which can be produced on one that outside of the ordinary, and spheres the music produced by the piano at Kiebler's rooms is the best that this sublunary world of ours can produce. Call at Kiebler's and feast your eyes and ears. Quite a number of the above make of pianos have already been purchased.

A Five-Dollar Suit for \$250

This week at O'Reilly's, 407 Market street. An appeal by the...

INSTRUMENTS BURNED.

Electric Wires Set Fire to the Attic of the Federal Street Depot—Difficult Work for the Firemen—Loss \$5,000.

CENSURED A DEPUTY.

He Turns Over a Little Boy, Whose Possession Is in Dispute,

WITHOUT AN ORDER FROM COURT.

Mrs. Mary Gilroy Demands Her Share of a Valuable Estate.

NEWS FROM THE TEMPLE OF JUSTICE

A hearing was to have been had yesterday morning before Judge Ewing in the probate court regarding the property of the late Mrs. Mary Gilroy. The hearing was postponed on account of the illness of the judge.

The attic is divided into half a dozen rooms, which are low and small. Some of them are used for the storing of old documents, another is an operating room, and in another a great deal of valuable telegraphic apparatus was stored. It was in this room that the fire originated. Two operators who were in the room were warned by the smoke, and they discovered the wall and part of the roof on fire. They hurried down stairs and sounded the alarm, and the fire soon responded.

When the firemen reached the scene heavy smoke was pouring out of all the attic windows and from under the eaves of the roof. Several men of the company ascended the crooked and narrow stairs with a Babcock extinguisher, but the attic was so full of smoke that they were unable to get near the fire, which was in the room farthest from the stairs. They made their way to the Federal street windows for air, but even there they were almost suffocated before a ladder was run up to them.

Truck A lifted a large extension ladder. It was very slow work, and when it was up it was used to reach the fire. One man got up, and the firemen were finally compelled to get to the roof and cut a large hole right over the fire. Through this two lines of hose were run and the attic was flooded. After the fire was reached it was soon extinguished.

The chief loss in telegraphic instruments and other valuable apparatus was spoiled, including tables, switch boards, etc. The total loss will reach nearly \$5,000. The loss was estimated by the clerks three of whose books out of the windows. The loss is fully insured.

The Manchester cars were stopped for about an hour, and the railroad trains were blocked for almost as long as the hose was laid across the tracks. A man in the depot was robbed of his pocketbook, containing about \$50.

Mourning Millinery.

Ladies requiring mourning hats, bonnets and veils will find a specialty of such goods at the millinery of Mrs. J. H. Whitehouse, 107 Wood street. She has everything that is new and correct in style in fashionable mourning millinery. Work made to order. Prices reasonable. Notice, which for appearance, quality and low price is unequalled. Special summer reductions are in progress this week.

A Tremendous Men's Clothing Sale for Tomorrow (Monday) in Our Well-Lighted Basement.

Read what we offer you. Clothing dealers are not excluded from this sale. Everybody who has a dollar to spare will find it well worth the trouble. Here are the bargains: 300 men's genuine black cheviot suits, \$45.00. 20 men's black bird's-eye worsted suits, \$35.00. 100 men's small, neat check cheviot suits, sack style, \$45.00. This we believe the most profitable ever made for the public for good quality clothing. Bear in mind, the prices we offer are not to be had elsewhere. Mail orders for these goods must be accompanied by cash or money order to receive prompt attention. Corner Grant and Diamond streets.

Runs for Eleven Years' Record.

William T. Merriman yesterday entered suit against T. C. Osborne, executor of Mary McC Stephensson, to recover \$800 for supporting Mrs. Stephensson from 1871 to her death March 21, 1890. She had provided the plaintiff if he would care for her in her declining years he would be compensated out of her estate at her death. She, however, failed to make provision for paying him, and she has been brought. He wants \$5 per month for the time he kept her.

Buried Beneath an Embankment.

Attorney J. K. Wallace yesterday entered suit in behalf of Albertina Freund against John N. Munn, for \$10,000 damages for injuries. She states that on April 5 as she was passing Nusser's place on South Twelfth street, an embankment erected by the debris, one band and one foot was crushed, and she was badly out and bruised.

Prefer the Creek to a Railroad.

A bill in equity was filed yesterday by C. F. Thompson, F. M. Finley and Mrs. A. L. Swift, owners of and St. Peter's township, against the Pittsburgh, Virginia and Charleston Railroad Company. They ask that the company be restrained from diverting the course of Piney Fork creek, which they are altering with the intention of extending their tracks through the plaintiff's land.

Monday's Trial List.

Criminal Court—Commonwealth vs Sarah Kerr, Margaret Kendall, McFidelity, Thomas McNally, William Sexton, John Hogan, John Lavendovitz, Thomas Cook, A. J. Switzer, John Stewart, Rudolph Pats, James Scott, John O'Brien, Ludwig Verhankle, James H. Meisick, Michael Yonkers, Jacob Van Ullen, Archie Demont, W. Lacey, James Congrove, Edward Cross, D. E. Kelly, James Holt, Matthew Rapp, P. B. Duffy, Frank Star (2), Charles Turner, Simon Davis, Charles Lammann, Lawrence Laughlin, Thomas Watson.

The Ham of the Courts.

An execution was issued yesterday by A. D. Delmer against E. L. Facker for \$5,989.86. G. A. Jackson, trustee, yesterday issued an execution against Stahl & McKelvey for \$5,000.

John Sheerhorn and Thomas Harris,

for assault and battery, were each fined 5 cents and costs yesterday. CHARTERS were granted yesterday for the Cresly College and the English Evangelical Lutheran Church of Braddock. JUDGE MARSH yesterday fined John Fitzpatrick \$500 and sent him three months and 20 days to the workhouse for illegal liquor.

E. L. Kerhling yesterday entered suit against Max Schneider and W. A. Watson

for \$18,000 damages for injury to his house in the Tenth ward, Allegheny, caused by blowing down by the demolition of the adjoining lot. THOMAS H. MORELAND, who was fined \$5 and costs by Magistrate Hyndman on 12 charges of leaving vehicles standing on Penn avenue in violation of a city ordinance, has appealed the case to court. ELLIEN WENZEL, by her next friend Calv Juker, yesterday sued for a divorce from James L. Waise. She states that they were married April 10, 1893, but she had to leave him on account of ill-treatment. W. J. McDONALD has been appointed commissioner in the divorce case of Jennie Wandless vs J. H. Wandless; A. L. Pearson the case of Robert D. Seiner vs Nancy Schaffer; J. J. McAfee in the case of Charles Lutz vs Sarah Lutz.

THE LADIES OBJECT.

Their Objection Well Taken. The ladies have resolved not to mend their husbands' last year's overcoats. We say they are perfectly right. Had you bought your coat of a certain store, yesterday issued an order to repair free of charge, you could no longer mend the months of July and August. It is there, after all, the shape and have it ready to put on when the proper time comes. Jackson now invite all those having bought an overcoat of theirs last fall or winter and holding one of their old cases to bring and have it put in shape. No charge. 954 and 956 Liberty street, Star corner.

Excursion to Atlantic City

On Thursday next, July 14, via R. & O. R. R. Rate \$10 the round trip and tickets good 12 days from day of sale and good to stop off at Washington City returning. Trains with Pullman parlor and sleeping cars will leave R. & O. depot, Pittsburgh, at 8 A. M. and 5:30 P. M.

CHOICE PROPERTY.

DOWN ON FESTIVALS.

A Christian Endeavor Delegate Strikes an Unpopular Chord—The Convention Will Probably Commit Itself on the World's Fair Sunday Opening Question.

New York, July 9.—When the third day's session of the Christian Endeavor Convention began at 6:30 o'clock this morning, more than 5,000 delegates were present. The meeting lasted nearly an hour, and after it was over the delegates marched out singing psalms and hymns. They went to their hotels and boarding houses to eat breakfast and get ready for the regular session, which began at 9 o'clock.

It was a few minutes after 9 o'clock when President Clark opened the session. The report of the Committee on Nominations for Vice Presidents was read by Rev. Dr. Henry W. Sherwood, of New York, and adopted. The Vice Presidents are the only officers of the Committee who have power to nominate, as the others are elected by the trustees of the United States.

E. S. Murphy, of Philadelphia, spoke on "Proportionate Giving to God." Mr. Murphy's ideas were not all received with unanimous favor, as he struck a blow at that institution dear to the heart of every Sunday school teacher. He advocated equal valuation. He said every person should give at least a tenth of his property to the Lord. Rev. Dr. L. S. Bean, of Gorham, Me., then delivered an address on "Systematic Giving to God." An "open meeting" was conducted by Robert E. Spear, of New York City, for 45 minutes. Different delegates were invited to address their societies were doing for missions.

WANTS HER FULL SHARE.

Mary Gilroy Alleges That She Has Been Unfairly Treated. A petition was filed in the Orphan's Court yesterday by the Safe Deposit Company, as attorney in fact for Mary Gilroy, of Allegheny. She, it is stated, is one of the heirs of the late Elizabeth Schaefer. The account of the administratrix, Clara Schaefer, was filed June 17. It showed Mary Gilroy's share to be \$1,276.74.

On March 30, 1922, it is alleged, Mary Gilroy was induced by false and fraudulent representations made by and on behalf of Clara Schaefer, to sign a paper agreeing to accept \$500 as her share of the estate and acknowledge receipt of \$100 on account. She was told by the administratrix that \$500 was her full share and that the signing of the paper was necessary to get the money out of the Orphan's Court. She was unable to read or write and signed it. She now wants the administratrix compelled to pay her the full amount, \$1,276.74. A citation was issued and July 16 fixed for a hearing.

ALDERMAN ROKE REVERSED.

He Judged a Case That Belonged to the Criminal Court. A hearing was had before Judge Ewing yesterday in the habeas corpus proceedings brought by John Kroeger to secure his release from jail. Kroeger had been arrested on a charge of assault and battery, preferred against him before Alderman Roke. At the hearing the Alderman decided the case and committed Kroeger to jail for ten days.

As it was a court case and the Alderman had no authority to impose a penalty the commitment was illegal and Kroeger was discharged by the court.

Sues for Eleven Years' Record.

William T. Merriman yesterday entered suit against T. C. Osborne, executor of Mary McC Stephensson, to recover \$800 for supporting Mrs. Stephensson from 1871 to her death March 21, 1890. She had provided the plaintiff if he would care for her in her declining years he would be compensated out of her estate at her death. She, however, failed to make provision for paying him, and she has been brought. He wants \$5 per month for the time he kept her.

Buried Beneath an Embankment.

Attorney J. K. Wallace yesterday entered suit in behalf of Albertina Freund against John N. Munn, for \$10,000 damages for injuries. She states that on April 5 as she was passing Nusser's place on South Twelfth street, an embankment erected by the debris, one band and one foot was crushed, and she was badly out and bruised.

Prefer the Creek to a Railroad.

A bill in equity was filed yesterday by C. F. Thompson, F. M. Finley and Mrs. A. L. Swift, owners of and St. Peter's township, against the Pittsburgh, Virginia and Charleston Railroad Company. They ask that the company be restrained from diverting the course of Piney Fork creek, which they are altering with the intention of extending their tracks through the plaintiff's land.

Monday's Trial List.

Criminal Court—Commonwealth vs Sarah Kerr, Margaret Kendall, McFidelity, Thomas McNally, William Sexton, John Hogan, John Lavendovitz, Thomas Cook, A. J. Switzer, John Stewart, Rudolph Pats, James Scott, John O'Brien, Ludwig Verhankle, James H. Meisick, Michael Yonkers, Jacob Van Ullen, Archie Demont, W. Lacey, James Congrove, Edward Cross, D. E. Kelly, James Holt, Matthew Rapp, P. B. Duffy, Frank Star (2), Charles Turner, Simon Davis, Charles Lammann, Lawrence Laughlin, Thomas Watson.

The Ham of the Courts.

An execution was issued yesterday by A. D. Delmer against E. L. Facker for \$5,989.86. G. A. Jackson, trustee, yesterday issued an execution against Stahl & McKelvey for \$5,000.

John Sheerhorn and Thomas Harris,

for assault and battery, were each fined 5 cents and costs yesterday. CHARTERS were granted yesterday for the Cresly College and the English Evangelical Lutheran Church of Braddock. JUDGE MARSH yesterday fined John Fitzpatrick \$500 and sent him three months and 20 days to the workhouse for illegal liquor.

E. L. Kerhling yesterday entered suit against Max Schneider and W. A. Watson

for \$18,000 damages for injury to his house in the Tenth ward, Allegheny, caused by blowing down by the demolition of the adjoining lot. THOMAS H. MORELAND, who was fined \$5 and costs by Magistrate Hyndman on 12 charges of leaving vehicles standing on Penn avenue in violation of a city ordinance, has appealed the case to court. ELLIEN WENZEL, by her next friend Calv Juker, yesterday sued for a divorce from James L. Waise. She states that they were married April 10, 1893, but she had to leave him on account of ill-treatment. W. J. McDONALD has been appointed commissioner in the divorce case of Jennie Wandless vs J. H. Wandless; A. L. Pearson the case of Robert D. Seiner vs Nancy Schaffer; J. J. McAfee in the case of Charles Lutz vs Sarah Lutz.

THE LADIES OBJECT.

Their Objection Well Taken. The ladies have resolved not to mend their husbands' last year's overcoats. We say they are perfectly right. Had you bought your coat of a certain store, yesterday issued an order to repair free of charge, you could no longer mend the months of July and August. It is there, after all, the shape and have it ready to put on when the proper time comes. Jackson now invite all those having bought an overcoat of theirs last fall or winter and holding one of their old cases to bring and have it put in shape. No charge. 954 and 956 Liberty street, Star corner.

Excursion to Atlantic City

On Thursday next, July 14, via R. & O. R. R. Rate \$10 the round trip and tickets good 12 days from day of sale and good to stop off at Washington City returning. Trains with Pullman parlor and sleeping cars will leave R. & O. depot, Pittsburgh, at 8 A. M. and 5:30 P. M.

CHOICE PROPERTY.

Advertisement for Kensington Improvement Co. featuring a large illustration of a house and text: 'A SPECIAL REDUCTION. Will be made in the prices of lots at Kensington. For the next 60 days to induce as much building as possible to accommodate the army of workmen that will be required at the various factories.'

Advertisement for 'NEEDS 1,000 NEW HOUSES.' Text: 'The increasing population demands them. This reduction opens the way to secure a home for little money. Building material of all kinds can be obtained at lower prices at KENSINGTON than in Pittsburgh. The most complete brickworks in the country is located and being operated at KENSINGTON. Houses can be sold as fast as they can be completed. Remember that this special reduction is made only to early buyers. It will be glad news to thousands. This is the greatest opportunity ever offered to get'.

Advertisement for Jackson's Clothing, Tailors, Hatters & Furnishers. Features an illustration of a man in a suit and text: 'This is nothing new to you. The cry has been land, land ever since, but he never discovered anything like our honest home-made Cheviot Suits. A good many strange things have happened since he first caught sight of this Continent, and a good many strange things are occurring every day. One of the strangest is that we are offering these Hand-made Home-Made \$15.00 Suits in light colors 10 per cent off, which makes the price \$13.50, a very low price indeed. Our \$12.00 Light Suits 10 per cent off, \$10.80; our \$10.00 Suits, 10 per cent off, or \$9.00 net cash. That's what ready money will do for you at Jackson's. In a growing and prosperous city at moderate cost. Visit KENSINGTON and return. Salesmen all ways on the ground. For further particulars apply at office of KENSINGTON IMPROVEMENT CO., 954 and 956 Liberty Street, First Floor, - Pittsburgh, Pa.'