WANT A NEW TRUSTEE For a Braddock Church That Is Now a Mass of Tottering Ruins. A PATHETIC SCENE IN COURT. of a successor. Judge Magee Heeds & Widow's Tearful Flea fer Clemency. TROUBLE IN A LAUNDEY COMPANY Creditors of the All Souls Church at Braddock will ask Common Pleas Court No. 2 to appoint a new trustee, in the absence of the trustee and pastor, Rev. Ingram N. W. Irvine, fer the sale and disposition of the church property. Back of this is a tale of more or less in-

terest Attorney E. J. Smail, representing some of the creditors of the church, gave the following version of the case to a DIS-PATCH man yesterday;

"During the year 1889," began Mr. Smail, "Her. Irvine began circulating among the Episcopalians of Braddock with the view of obtaining funds for building a church or chapel. He succeeded in raising a considerable amount and proceeded to erect a chapel in one of the prettiest parts of the village. It has since transpired that he had not sufficient money to pay all of his bills by any manner of means. I suppose he had not obtained enough money but at any rate he was forced to raise \$10,000 and did so by mortgaging the church and ground for that amount and giving his personal bond that the money would be expended in liquidating the debts of builders and those who finished the bailding as well as the drafts of the furniture people. The money was furnished by the Dollar Savings Bank of Pittsburg and the transaction was made through Court of Common Pleas No. 2.

"After that various rumors began to circulate. The minister had most bitter enemies and very warm friends. The latter said the borrowed money had all been expended in paying off the debts, and that it did not go far enough to free the church. His enemies averred that he had expended the money in some way he did not care to make known. However that may be I cannot say. 1 only know there was a debt of some \$6,000 left, and it is that debt to liquidate which we are endeavoring to get a new trustee that the property may be realized. "The year following the erection of the church it in some inexplicable manner caught fire and burned to the ground. The

pastor collected the insurance of \$12,000 and took up the mortgage for \$10,000. There was no fire in the church at the time and none nearby, and the fire was attributed to a stroke of lightning.

"No attempt was made to rebuild the chapel and it eventually became a grass-grown ruin, which it still is. About Christmas, 1890, the pastor of the ruined All Souls Church announced to his friends that he would leave Braddock for Chesapeake City, Md. He did so along about Christmas of 1891, and has been in charge of a pastorate in that city ever since

"Will the church property in Braddock bring enough to liquidate the debts?" "I do not know, but I sincerely hope so," replied the attorney. "In case it does not, will you bring legal

action against the absent trusteee?" "Yes, I presume we will. Although I

am not aware that he has any property to speak of, and I am airaid that we would not be able to make much out of him."

IN THE CRIMINAL COURT.

Taking Up Law and Order Appeals-A Widow Makes a Tearful Pies and Receives Clemency-Turtle Creek Resi-

dents File Objections. Judge Magee took up the argument list in Criminal Court yesterday and disposed concern, ignoring the plaintiffs, and are mismanaging and wasting the assets. They have contracted with Ernest Rohrkaste, a relative of some of the defendants, to erect a \$20,000 structure for the company for which it has not the money to pay. In conclusion it is stated that the com-pany is insolvent and a dissolution is asked for and an accounting and the appointment

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Father Mollinger's Estate.

J. J. McTighe, N. Seibert and Henry Terheyden, the appraisers of the personal estate of the late Father Mollinger, yesterday filed the inventory of his personal effects. They consisted of cash, mortgages, stocks, library, ornaments. etc., to the total value of \$72,117 08.

The Hum of the Courts,

Is Common Pleas No. 1 all rules have been made returnable on Saturday, August 20. FRED C. MILLER yesterday entered suit against Charles Tanmey for damages for slander for making remarks reflecting on Miller's wife.

ATTORNEY W. S. NESSIT yesterday fied a suit brought by Samuel H. Allen against Jacob Wochley, for damages for malicious

THE officials of the United States District Court left for Erle yesterday to attend the July term of the court which will be held there this week.

SIX MILES OF ILLUMINATION.

Great Preparations for St. Louis' Autumnal Festivities

ST. LOUIS, Mo., July 18 .- St. Louis will have over six miles of magnificently illuminated streets during the autumnal festivities. There will be not less than 50 arches, some of which are to be startling in their gorgeousness. There will be over 75,000 electric lamps and gas jets in each night's display. The electric light company of St. Louis

has not enough power to stand the strain in addition to regular demands on them and is putting in engines and dynamos espe-cially for the occasion. It is even possible that the city will be obliged to build a plant in order to get enough power. The illuminating apparatus is already partly in position and will be rapidly pushed to completion.

LATE NEWS IN BRIEF.

-W. E. Turner, detaulting cashier of the City Savings Bank at Nashville, Tenn., has been arrested in Mexico.

-The officers of the American school ship, St. Mary's, now at Cherbourg, will be enter-tained at a banquet by American citizens. -Vessels from foreign ports are now quar-antined at Port Townsend, Washington, and will continue to be held up until smallpox

abates in Victoria.

-The Scotch societies of Chicago deny that Robert Burns Hutchinson, the descendant of the Scotch poet, has been wantonly neglected by them as reported.

-A terrific thunder storm prevailed near Camden, Ark., Sunday night. The electrical display was grand, and the damage to prop-erty was considerable.

-George F. Bouton, charged with the murder of Aaron Fuche some weeks ago at Dallas, Tex., has been found guilty and sen-tenced to life imprisonment.

-It has been decided to celebrate at San Diego the three hundred and fiftieth auni-versary of the discovery of San Diego Bay, which occurs September 28 next.

-The trial began yesterday at Liege of the Anarchists who were arrested in May last for causing the dynamic explosion in that city. There has been no disorder.

-A melancholy incident occurred at the Dublin regatta Saturday. A boat contain-ing a number of spectators capsized, and four of the occupants were drowned.

-A dispatch from Melilla, in Morrocco, says that in a recent battle between parti-sans of the Arab Chief, Mohatair, and the Mezquita Kabyles, 300 of the combatants were billed

-George P. Williams, the messenger who was in charge of the Pacific Express Com-pany car that was robbed at Adair, L.T., Thursday night by the Dalton gang has been suspended pending examination by the com-pany.

-Enormous incandescent rocks and im mense clouds of steam continue to be thrown out of the craters of Mount Etna. Part of the village of Venetary has been destroyed by lava, and a large amount of damage has been done to woods. Citizens are being formed to relieve the sufferers. -The authorities have arrested six In-dians at Chileat, Alaska, charged with mur-der, and together with 20 witnesses, they were taken to Juneau for trial. The verdict of the Coroner's jury was that the Indians were responsible for the death of a white man during a fight with cannery men July 5. no3-53-TTEROS

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of quite a number of cases. The appeals in two of the Law and Order Society cases took up a good deal of time. One of these was the case of James M. Thorp, fined by Alderman Rohe on June 14, and the other was that of R. Brinham, who also appealed from the decision of the same magistrate. There was the usual tiresome rehash of the old blue laws by Mr. Yost, and in both cases the appeals were dismissed and the decisions of the alderman sustained.

There was a pathetic scene when the case of Eliza McAleer, who pleaded guilty to of Eliza McAleer, who pleaded guilty to illegal liquor selling, was called. Mrs. McAleer and her husband, Harry McAleer, had been indicted on three charges. On June 8 the husband died, leaving the widow and four children, ranging in age from 3 to 7 years. Attorneys McQuaid and McGarey appeared for the woman and asked that sentence be suspended, but Judge Magee promptly shook his head and said he must impose a sentence, but, under the circumimpose a sentence, but, under the circum-stances, would give her the benefit of the minimum sentence. The woman broke down and plead for mercy. She said her husband had forced her to sell liquor against her will; that she had not sold any since his denth and that if she were sent to the death, and that if she were sent to the workhouse she had no friends with whom to leave her little children. This touched the heart of the Court, and upon Mrs. McAleer making affidavit to her statement, sentence was suspended on payment of costs.

The appeals of Dollie Miller and Nick Smith, now doing time in the workhouse, were dismissed. That of John McNally was sustained and he was discharged.

A HUSBAND'S TESTIMONY

Held to Be Improper When It Reflects Upon His Wife,

The opinion handed down by the Supreme Court in the case of D. N. Cornelius against J. T. Houfroy for damages for the alienation of a wife's affection was received at the office of the Supreme Court prothonotary yesterday. The case was tried in the lower court before Judge Howe and a verdict of \$2,000 for the plaintiff given. It was afterward reduced by the court to \$500, but Houfroy appealed. During the trial, which was a sensational one, a scene was created by Cornelius assaulting Houfroy in the

The Supreme Court reverses the lower court and orders a new trial in the case. The ground for this was the admission of the husband's testimony, which tended to incriminate his wife. She, it is asserted, was not a defendant, but his testimony tended to incriminate her, and he was an incompetent witness. The principle of the rule which excludes husband and wife from testilving against each other requires its application to all cases in which the interests of the other party are involved. They are only allowed to so testify in cases of personal injuries inflicted by the one upon the other and in certain cases in divorce.

WANT TO WIND UP.

Stockholders in a Laundry Company Ask for a Receiver.

A bill in equity was filed yesterday by Samuel P. Provost, J. McC. Hays and T. J. McClurg against the Empire Laundry Company, E. A. Rohrkaste, President; L. H. and Fred Rohrkaste, Managers, and N. Satter and G. J. Bleichner Executors of A. Fiach, a shareholder. The capital stock of the laundry company, it is stated, is \$6,000 divided into 24 shares of \$250 per share. The plaintiffs each own two shares. Pro-fost is Treasurer and Hays a manager. The detendants, it is charged, have assumed the entire control and management of the

man during a ngut with cannery men July a. —James McCloskey, a carriage painter at Wilmington, Del., became enraged because of the coolness toward him of his sweet-heart, Mabei Claringbould, and drawing a revolver, he sent a ball crashing through her neck, and then lodged four pistol bullets in his own head. He is dying, and his sweet-heart is alive but in a critical condition.

