## WENT WITH A RUSH.

Jack Robinson Re-Elected to the Chairmanship of the State League.

HARRISON IS INDORSED.

Resolutions Commending the Administration Adopted.

MUSHROOM CLUBS FROZEN OUT.

Pireworks and Mass Meetings Wind Up the Convention.

DELEGATES AND OFFICERS SELECTED

SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH I WILLIAMSPORT, Sept. 28.—Delegates to the annual convention of the State League of Republican Clubs came thick and fast late last night and early this morning, and Williamsport is now crowded. There are none of the party's big men on hand that were really expected, though many were promised who had no intention of visiting the lumber metropolis. A late special on the Reading last night brought from Philadelphia Mayor Stuart and his private secretary, State Chairman Reeder, General D. H. Hastings, Colonel Charles N. Mann, Colonel John F. Glenn, Magistrate Clements and a few others.

They were met at the station and escorted to the Park Hotel where a reception was held, lasting over an hour. Then the big crowd split up into small parties and the big hotel was a noisy place until daylight. The convention was slow in assembling today and it was not until after 11 o'clock that President Congressman Robinson rapped for order. The handsome new Opera House was well filled, the boxes containing quite a number of ladies. The stage was decorated with big portraits of Harrison and Reid and with numerous rich banners carried by the several clubs.

The Most Enthusiastic Demonstration The entrance of Mayor Stuart was the signal for a round of hearty applause, which was the most enthusiastic demonstration made, except that which followed a mention of the name of Senator Quay. Congressman Robinson proved to be anything but a firm chairman, and allowed some delegates to tangle him up in providing for the various committees to propose business for the convention. After a great deal of confusion the lists were completed and a recess taken for dinner.

After the convention, on motion of ex-Sheriff Leeds, of Philadelphia, had rescinded the Scranton resolution providing for the indiscriminate admission of mushroom clubs, the rules of the United States Congress, as interpreted by ex-Speaker Thomas B. Reed, were adopted, and a resolution expressing sympathy with President Harrison in the illness of his wife was also agreed to.

At the afternoon session the attendance was again large, and the convention lost no time in getting to work. The report of the Committee on Resolutions was presented by the Chairman, George E. Vicker, and adopted without debate or dissenting vote. Indorsed the Administration.

The resolutions follow: WHIREAS. We, the delegates of the Republican League of the State of Pennsylvania, in the flith annual convention of said organization assembled, realizing the importance of the occasion which brings us together in this, the year of the canvass for the Presidency of the United States, deem it fitting to place on record as the sense of this body the

Resolved, That we hearthy indorse the administration of President Harrison as having been pure, patriotic and statesmanlike, the wisdom of whose policy and acts of the past four years are a guarantee to the people of the country that their interests whether at home or in foreign lands will be safe for years more under his continued ad-ministration of the duties of the Presiministration of the duties of the Fresi-dency.

Resolved, That we heartily indorse the

work of the Fifty-first Congress and es-pecially its action in the passage of the Mc-kinley tariff measure, the benefits of which to American labor and capital are being every day more clearly and forcibly de-monstrated as current industrial statistics whether from Democratic or Republican rees abundantly attest. Active Work Recommended.

Resolved. That we endorse the action of the Republican State Convention in nominating that experienced and able jurist, Hon. John Dean, of Blair county, for Judge of the Supreme Court of the State, and in naming for Congressmen at large that tried and proved Republican, General William and proved Republican, General William Lilly, of Carbon county, and the able and representative champion of his party's principies, Major William McDowell, of Mercer. Eesolved, That the Republican League, through its de egates, recommend that upon the return home of its representatives here assembled, they set to work actively to familiarize their voters of their respective localities with the overation of the new ballocalities with the operation of the new bal-lot law in order that no votes shall be lost in the coming election through failure on the part of voters to fully understand the requirements of the said law.

differents of the said law.

Resolved, That we, the representatives of
the Republican League, pledge ourselves
to work untiringly in this canvass as we
have ever worked in the past toward siding in bringing about the election of the have ever ing in about the election of the candidates who represent the principles of the party whom we now endorse and to the end that Republicanism may be maintained, and thus may be continued the prosperity and happiness of the people of this land.

There being no contests, the Credentials Committee had nothing to do, and the committee appointed to select the place for holding the convention next year decided upon Reading, though the delegates from the Western part of the State made a modest fight for Erie, but Reading was agreed upon, and then President Robinson called Magistrate William B. Ahern, of Philadelphia, to the chair, and the latter announced that the election of officers was

in order.
W. I. Shafer, of Delaware county, was the first to obtain recognition, and in a rat-ting speech nominated Jack Robinson, of Media, to succeed himself, and spoke of him as the "beau ideal" of the young Re-publicans of Pennsylvania, a bold and dashing leader, a daring politician and a thor-

ough organizer.
His nomination was seconded by Emmerson Collins, of Lycoming. Then Colonel John F. Glenn moved that nominations close and that John B. Robinson be elected by acclamation. His motion prevailed, and Robinson went through with a hurrals. He was executed to the stage by ex-Congress-man H. Clay McCormick, and modestly returned thanks for the great honor conferred

Mr Robinson said he donbted the efficacy of the Baker ballot law for which he voted as a member of the State Senate, but the intricacies of which he did not comprehend. The law practically declares that every man must have a guardian when he goes to rote, and if he does not vote himself some one else can do it for him.

Other Officers Selected. Colonel Wendell P. Bowman, in his isual pretty style, nominated for Vice President Frank J. R. Jones, the colored lelegate from Philadelphia; and Jones, Jeorge S. Lenhart, of Williamsport; Will-am D. Wallace, of Venaugo, and John C.

Then the committee appointed to select delegates at large to the National Conven-tion reported the following list which was tion reported the following list which was accepted: William H. McCleary, Dr. A. J. Barchfield and Fred K. Gearing, of Pittsburg; John N. Neeb, of Allegheny; E. S. Stuart, John Taylor, William R. Leeds and Charles L. Brown, of Philadelphia; T. L. Eyre, Chester county; W. J. Whitehouse, Schuylkill; Harry J. Shoemaker, Bucks; Everett Warren, Lackawanna; Emmerson Collins, Lycoming; W. Linn Ritchey, Franklin; R. A. Newbergin, Erie; Thomas C. Wiley, Lancaster.

Then the usual resolution of thanks was adopted and the convention adjourned.

Mass Meeting and Fireworks.

Mass Meeting and Fireworks. To-night's mass meeting was preceded by an extensive torchlight parade which was participated in by all the local and visiting clubs, numbering several thousand. Several brass bands were in line and the diseral brass bands were in line and the dis-play was really a fine one, red fire and fire-works being plentiful. The Opera House was crowded to its utmost capacity and an overflow meeting was held in the Court-House. The speakers at both places were General D. H. Hastings, Congressman Stone, Major Alexander McDowell, James F. Burke and several others, all of whom

Mere warmly received.

According to Congressman Robinson, 195 clubs out of the 233 in good standing responded to the roll call, but the tally kept showed that the responses did not exceed 165. Quite a number of delegates have already left for home. Mayor Stuart and his party will leave at midnight and by to-morrow noon Williamsport will have resumed her customary repose.

#### MORLEY WILL HAVE AN INQUIRY

To Investigate the Whole Question of Evictions Under the Land Act. DUBLIN, Sept. 28 .- Mr. Morley, Chief Secretary for Ireland, has sent a letter to Justin McCarthy, in which he says, coucerning the evicted tenants in Ireland: "The Government decided to appoint a small commission to examine the question promptly and impartially. They intend that the inquiry shall cover estates within the scope of section 13 of the land act, where disputes still exist; but all cases where evicted tenants have quitted the country will be excluded. The commission will report on the number, circumstances, cost and results of evictions and on all matters bearing on the question in any way, in-cluding an offer made for settlement.

"We institute the inquiry in good faith, in the hope that both landlords and tenants will assist, and in the belief that it is an indispensable preliminary to effectual measures for healing a very deep social mis-

#### LONDON'S COMING CATHOLIC MAYOR

Offers a Novel Compromise to Quiet the Scruples of the Protestants. LONDON, Sept. 28.-The proposed selecion of Stewart Knill, Alderman for the Bridgewithian ward, who is next in rotation as Lord Mayor of London, has aroused considerable discussion and opposition, in view of the fact that Mr. Knill is a Roman Catholic and that the Lord Mayor is required to attend certain religious services of the Anglican church and to have an

Anglican chaplain. In response to inquiries by Lord Mayor Evans, Mr. Knill has written a letter, in which he says that in the event of his selection as Lord Mayor he would have an Anglican chaplain to perform public duties, while his private chaplain would be a Cath-olic. Mr. Knill adds that he would not atend Anglican services personally, but that he would appoint a substitute to represent him at such services. Mr. Knill won much confidence by his frank answers to the questions asked by the Lord Mayor.

#### JACK THE RIPPER LOOSE AGAIN.

Two Murders in Germany Look Very Much Like His Handiwork.

BERLIN, Sept. 28 .- The body of a woman of the town has been found in a sand pit, near the Spandauer Beck Brewery at Char-The woman and then mutilated in the same manner as the victims of "Jack the Ripper." This is the second crime of the kind committed in Berlin recently.

In the other case, some months ago, the body of a tallen woman was found tied in a bag in the back yard of the Williamstrasse. This case has never been cleared up, nor has any trace of the murderer in yesterday's case been found. The expertness shown in the work of mutilation has aroused the old apprehension that "Jack the Ripper" has deserted the Whitechapel district of London and resumed his fiendish work here.

### REDMOND'S HOME RULE DEMANDS.

The Irish Parliament Must Control the Judiciary, Police and Land.

LONDON, Sept. 28.-In an article published to-day Mr. Redmond, leader of the Parnellite faction, approves the home rule programme of Isaac Butt. Mr. Redmond declares that the Parnellites are willing to accept a statutory Parliament, with an executive responsible to it, leaving un-Parliament on purely imperial questions, on which alone Irish members shall have the right to sit and vote at Westminster. The Irish Legislature, he says, must con trol the judiciary, police and land. These points he pronounces vital, and declares they cannot be compromised. He believes it would be better for Ireland to wait another generation rather than accept a scheme not granting these demands.

#### JESULIS OUT OF THE POPE'S REACH.

For the First Time They Meet Outside of Rome to Elect Their General,

MADRID, Sept. 28 .- The monastery at Az Peitoa, the town near which Ignatius Loyola, tounder of the Society of Jesus, was born, is the scene to-day of a great meeting of members of the order. vincials of the society from all parts of the world have assembled to elect a successor to the late Father Anderledy, the General of

It is expected that several days will be occupied in selecting a new head for the order. This is the first time since the founding of the society when the election of a General, who holds for life, is outside of This was done to escape the influence of the Vatican.

#### CHURCHILL'S AFRICAN SCHEME.

He Heads a Syndicate to Colonize the Trans vaal and Mashonaland.

LONDON, Sept. 28. - A syndicate was registered at Somerset House yesterday to exploit the Transvasi and Mashonaland. Lord Randolph Churchill, who takes 11,000 shares, and Colonel North and C. S. Goldwho take 1,000 shares each, are the first directors.

The syndicate reserves the right to explore other parts of Africa, to found settle-ments and to generally develop the colony.

German Arms Found in Dahomey. PORTO NOVO, Sept. 28.-A large number of muskets and a quantity of ammunition of German make were found on the battle-field at Dogbar, the scene of the recent encounter between the French column and the forces of the King of Dahomey. The cartridges that fell into the hands of the French after the defeat of the natives bear the imprint "Cassel, 1873."

#### The German Socalist in France.

MARSEILLES, Sept. 28. - Herr Leibknecht, in an interview, has said that the German Socialists are strongly opposed to the German military law; that Germany is dying of militarism, and that the Socialist am D. Value of Lineaster, were elected Vice of militarism, and that the Socialist on the voters to send him back and rebuke in the next election.

Stewart in the sent and as a matter of justice he called on the voters to send him back and rebuke the Democrats. He wound up by advising

#### county, were elected Secretaries, and THEM'KINLEY MEETING

Continued From First Page. [Laughter.] The Democrats base their hopes on the misfortunes and calamities of the people. The Democrats can't stand prosperity. The Senate committee showed not long ago how the price of necessaries had dropped and labor had advanced. The Labor Commissioners of Indiana, Massachusetts and New York confirmed the report. The Democrats may arrest Mr. Peck. port. The Democrats may arrest Mr. Peck, but they can't arrest the prosperity of the people. Think of them indicting a man for saying the people in the State are prosper-ous and their wages have gone up. Why

that is not a crime.
"Now I want to say that every Republican vote should be cast for the Republican candidate for Congress in this district. You can't vote your sentiments at Washington. can't vote your sentiments at Washington, so stand by the man, Mr. Acheson, who would represent you. [Applause.] And I couldn't stop without saying a word for my old friend Mr. Lawrence, with whom I served in Congress so long. He should have your united support. [Voices: "He shall."] And don't forget to vote for Harrison and Reid. Mr. Harrison is the man who said to a foreign sation that who said to a foreign nation that this country had never taken orders from an enemy before and did not propose to com-mence now. The English papers are declaring for the election of Grover Cleveland. They don't want our tariff. That fariff was made for you, and every interest of the country was invited to come in and help make it. Washington county was heard in behalf of wool. We had no thought all the time except for the good of our country-men. The law is vindicating itself every

"When the Democrats beat us two years ago, the tariff law was only three weeks old— too young to speak for itself. It is 20 months old now, and able to do its own talking. We established a new industry, tin plate. [Howis of gige.] They call them political mills. Well, I am for the politics that bullds these mills every time. I cannot believe that the people of this country will consent to the overthrow of the economic policy under which they have enjoyed such unexampled prosperity. I cannot believe that people of this country will reverse a policy which has been in operation now for more than 30 years of our history and which presents at its close results which could not have been attained by any other system and which certainly have not been accomplished in any other

country of the world. "I cannot believe that the people of this country can be induced to return to free trade and wild-cat money, free trade which will disturb all values, revolutionize the business of the country and reduce the wages of labor, a State bank circulation which will bring disaster to the laborers and producers of the country. When a man gives a full day's work to his employer he is entitled to be paid in a dollar worth 100 cents, whether he works under free trade or under protection. Free trade will bring down the wages of our producers to the level of that of their former rivals, and State bank circulation will rob them still further of their earnings by compelling them to take, in payment for their labor, a debased and worthless currency. The adoption of either or both of these platform declarations of the Democratic party is fraught with the gravest consequences and which every good citizen should unite to

#### PLEA FOR ANDY STEWART.

Dalzell Says the Colonel Was Robbed of His Seat, and He Calls 'on the Voters to Return Him to Congress-An Address That Caught the Crowd.

After McKinley got through, the field of national polities had been pretty thoroughly traversed, but this did not deter Congressman Dalzell from producing some new ideas on the tariff. The little Pittsburger was well received, and spoke for fully an hour. He followed the line of argument presented in his speech at the West End last Saturday evening and already published in THE DISPATCH. In his effort Mr. Dalzell among other things said:

"In the list of great men in this country peers. The Republican platform speaks for honest money, protection to American capital and labor, and for an honest ballot and free count. It looks to building up the navy and insists always on the glory of our people. The Democratic platform is merciless with the brutal frankness with which it ignores labor and the vested rights of the country. Not content with aiming a blow at our economic system, it tries to knock out our national banks and substitute in stead State banks with their notes of little or no value. The Republican platform stands for all that is American, for honest money and the economic system that has made us the greatest manufacturing nation in the world.

"Democrats contended that the McKinley bill would build a Chinese wall around the country. Our exports last year were over \$2,000,000,000. For the first time in our history our free imports

No Chinese Wall Built Yet.

amounted to \$55,000,000. That is, under the McKinley bill our free imports amounted to \$11,000,000 more than dutiable goods. Before we got foreign goods and they got our money. [Laughter.] More home manufactories, greater opportunities to work at better wages, money kept at home. These are some of the fruits of the McKinley bill.

McKinley bill.

"But the half has not yet been told.
What is reciprocity? It is free trade in
non-competing products. South of us are
countries that produce many things we do not. There is no duty on tea, coffee or rubber. These articles came into our ports tree while our goods went into their land charged with a tariff. Here reciprocity stepped in and removed the foreign duty. Reciprocity is the introduction of the golden rule among nations. It has opened up a commerce that is worth to us \$500,000,-

000 yearly. "Under the treaties our foreign com-merce with Southern countries has increased \$10,000,000 annually. Formerly our imports from Brazil amounted to \$60,-000,000 yearly and they bought from us \$10,000,000 worth. That is, they took our money and spent it in other countries. Now reciprocity aims to even up this trade and have the balance in our stavor. The tariff on tin plate is building 42 plants in the country and has invested \$5,000,000 in that industry. We have already turned out 20,-000,000 pounds. It is easily made and we can produce it.

#### An American Can Make Anything.

"An American can make anything that any workman on the earth can turn out. We paid England \$36,000,000 for tin plate last year. Why shouldn't that money be kept here to enrich our own people? I can say "that Steel & Co., woolen manufacturers, of Liverpool, have removed their plant to Bristol, Pa., as a result of the McKinley

Mr. Dalzell said the tariff was a tax, but

the people did not pay it. He referred to the constitutionality of levying duties, and stated that Andrew Jackson sat down on Calhoun, who first raised the question. He added that the Democratic platform means revolution, and the people do not want the tree trade of Calhoun and the Southern Confederacy. He spoke of the last Republican Congress which refunded Republican Congress which refunded the direct tax, paid the French spoliation claims and dotted the country with public buildings. They were accused of gross extravagance. The Democratic House with a big majority comes along without having passed an appropriation for a public building, and it spends \$42,000,000 more than the Congress controlled by Speaker Reed. Mr. Dalzell made a strong appeal for Colonel Andy Stewart. He said he had been robbed of his seat, and as a matter of justice he called

## the Republicans of the district to support Acheson for the long term in Congress.

ANDY TICKLES THE CROWD.

Mr. Robertson Talked to the People as an Old-Time Glassblower. A. C. Robertson made a characteristic

peech. After McKinley and Dalzell got through the crowd wanted something free and easy and they got it. Andy told several good stories that made the people laugh and put everybody in a good humor He grew eloquent at times and received lots of applause for his efforts. He began by saying that the people had heard the tariff discussed by two of the ablest men in the country, and now he would handle the subject from a practical point of view, as "a man who had been a glassblower for 21 years." This remark made Dalzell smile, and put his audience into a roar. He re-terred to Dalzell as the man who killed W. L. Scott politically.
"I am a Republican," continued Andy in

his dramatic way and with a faint tinge of Scotch brogue, "because I am opposed to the Democracy." He spoke of Blaine, and then the cheers were terrific. He said the free trade of the Democrats was a conspiracy against America hatched in England. Andy touched up wildcat banking and remarked that this plank of the Democratic platform, if put in force, would ruin the national currency. He is proud of the Re-publican party for the great men it has pro-duced and the rapid development of the country under the protective system.

#### NO FREE TRADE FOR HIM.

President Eberhart Tells How He Sav Women Work in Belgium.

President Eberhart, of the Window Glass Workers, was not down on the programme, but he was called on for a speech, and made a good one. He was introduced by Andy Robertson. Mr. Eberhart was taken by surprise, but he impressed the crowd with his carnestness. He talked well for at least 20 minutes. He said he was always glad to do anything that would benefit the men in the organization he represented. Voting the Democratic ticket is no laugh-ing matter, and he warned his hearers to steer clear of Grover Cleveland and Adlai Stevenson.

"I never realized," continued Mr. Eberhart, "how much a protective tariff does for American workmen until the glass workers sent agents abroad to gather statistics. I visited Belgium, and was surprised to see women wheeling coal and doing other heavy work in the glass houses. They arrived in the morning from their homes, carrying babes in their arms. The little ones were wrapped up with old clothes, and left in a corner, while the mother toiled for a living. I never want to see women slave like their Belgian sisters in this country. I never want to see American workmen compete with the gentler sex, and I have come to the con-clusion that the tariff is the only thing that will protect our people from being dragged down to the European level."

Mr. Eberhart talked along in this vein, discussing the protective system from a practical standpoint. His remarks were listened to attentively, and made a deep impression on his hearers. He said the price of window glass under the tariff had been greatly reduced, while the wages of the men were maintained. He had also seen enough of pauper labor in Europe to satisfy himself that free trade would be bad for the United States.

#### Cannibals on the stage.

The latest novelty in the dramatic line is a play in which cannibals are to be a feature, when produced at Vienna. Its author is Mr. Westmark, who has lived in Africa, and his play is called "Among the Anthro-pophagi." Stanley and De Brazza are among the characters, The action com-mences in Brussels with the departure of explorers bound for Kongo. There are scenes at Leopoldville and other stations, but the crowning event is a battle with can-

Investigating the Water Supply. Mayor Kennedy, of Allegheny, accompanied by Chief of Public Works Ehlers of Charles W. Swengel, charged and City Engineer Swan, will this afternoon make a trip up the Allegheny river as far as Herr's Island, with a view of locating a site for the new influent pipe. The Mayor will also gather data for a circular which he will shortly issue to the citizens of Alle-gheny relative to the new water works and the necessity for building them.

Its Director Is Guenther Now. Prof. W. Guenther is now director of the Great Western Band. For some reason Prof. Weis has been deposed. The other new officers are President, F. Roegnick; Vice President, G. Kschier; Secretary, G. Leppig; and Treasurer, C. Heim.

To Hold Its Annual Meeting Soon. The first annual meeting of the Young Women's Society is to be held soon. A number of very interesting matters are to come before the body. The convention will probably be held in the Wood Street Presbyterian Church.

Chicago's Chief of Police Was Here. Superintendent of Police McClaughrey, of Chicago, was in the city yesterday. He attached little importance to the pending bribery suits brought against McDonald. The Superintendent went to Chicago last night.

McCarthyltes Getting the Plums. DUBLIN, Sept. 28 .- The Irish Lord Chancellor has appointed six new magistrates for the city of Cork, all of whom are Mc-Carthyites.

Italy's Law Factory Shut Down. ROME, Sept. 28.-The Italian Parliament was closed by a royal decree to-day.

#### EXPOSITION VISITORS DELIGHTED. It Will Pay You to Call at H. Kleber &

Bro.'s, No. 506 Wood Street. Being the oldest and most reliable music house in Western Pennsylvania, Kleber Brothers have the pick of the best pianos, organs, cornets, violins, gultars, etc., made, You will find there the celebrated Steinway, Conover, Opera, Mathushek and Kreil You will find there the celebrated Steinway, Conover, Opera, Mathushek and Kreil pianos; the Lyon & Healy organs, the Earhuff mouse and dust proof organs, and Lein's 7-octaye organs. These 7-octaye organs, in appearance, are the exact copy of the upright piano, and are the only substitute for a piano made. The wonderful vocalion church organs are also sold at Klebers'. An \$800 Vocalion church organ is warranted superior to any \$2,500 pipe organ, A full line of campaign goods, Viz., drums, n'es, cymbals and brass band horns, all at lowest prices. Kleblers' is the only sa'e place to deal at. Send for catalogue. H. Kleber & Bro.'s., 506 Wood street.

#### THIS IS THE LAST WEEK

Of the Special Bargains in Ingrain Carpets and Lace Curtains at Groetzinger's. These prices were made to introduce our house to strangers visiting the city during the Exposition.

The goods are all fresh and new; not a remnant in the list.

We can't replace them for anything near the figures at which they are offered.

Ingrain carpets at 25 cents.

Ingrain carpets at 25 cents.
A better grade of ingrains at 31 cents: Lace curtains at 60 cents to \$4 a pair. EDWARD GROETEINGER, 627 and 629 Penn avenue.

# Ms. Lucius Henderson, who plays the musician in "Friends" in so excellent a manner, is a pupil of Joseff, and his reputation as a planist extends throughout the principal cities East and West. He will be heard in "Friends" next week at the Alvin.

### TWO MINISTERS GO.

Both Had Charges Against Them, and Were Allowed to Quit by

THE METHODIST CONFERENCE.

Political Discussion Fnds in the Death of Three Erie Men.

NEWS FROM SEVERAL NEARBY TOWNS

SEPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATOR ! BLAIRSVILLE, Sept. 28 .- About 300 members are in attendance at the Blairsville meeting of the Pittsburg M. E. Conference, which opened here to-day. The Conference, incliding the Pittsburg, Allegheny, Mc-Keesport, Washington and Blairsville districe, is attended by Presiding Elders Miles, Petty, Woodring, Jones and Miller, with Bishop Newman presiding. The bislop and secretaries of the Conference are being entertained by Mr. John Devers.

The permanent committees and the presiding elders made the usual reports. Addresses were made by Dr. Morrow, of the Pennsylvania Bible Society, and Dr. Baldwir, of the American University, at Washingion, D. C. Dr. Morrow protested that the Bible Society paid into the district churches a great deal more money than the churches paid the society, and he referred to the fact that the society put \$1,900 into Joinstown alone after the flood that de-

strived the city.

Dr. Baldwin spoke earnestly for the University at Washington, urging that its maintenance was the means to the end of higher education. He also made a plea for the establishment of a "Lincoln Hall" in the University, pointing to the fact that the great war President had no fitting memorial in this country, and suggesting that the Methodist Episcopal Church might that the Methodist Episcopal Church might thus honor his memory most becomingly. The addresses and reports consumed much of the time of the first meeting. Other proceedings of the conference dur-ing the day related to disciplinary matters. Two ministers were retired. Rev. Mr.

Riter, of Brownsville, whose alleged irregu-larities resulted in charges of immorality and conduct unbecoming a minister, was permitted to quit the ministry and this conference. In the other case, that against Rev. Mr. Potter, of Freedom, the charges are not made known outside official circles. He also withdraws from the ministry and the conference. Bishop Newman talked to the Conference

before the close of the meeting, saying in reference to the matter of family prayers, that it was a custom to have such devotions in the family of General Grant before and after he became President of the United States. The Conference will continue in session during the rest of the week, and it is stated that the appointments will probably not be made until some time next

#### ONLY DRUNK WITH POLITICS.

Three Men So Engrossed in a Discussio That a Train Kills Them.

ERIE, Sept. 28.—[Special.]—Two men were killed and a third fatally injured at North East last night under singular eircumstances. Orin Sweet, Charles Ketcham and Charles Smith stopped to talk together at a late hour on the depot platform. A Lake Shore and Michigan Southern train going one way drowned the noise of the approach of another in a different direction. Orin Sweet was struck by the pilot beam of an engine and his dead body was hurled against Ketcham, killing him and sending him against Smith with such violence that his death is imminent. The men were sober, but were deeply engressed in a political dispute.

#### FOR POISONING HIS WIFE,

A Young Man Is on Trial for His Life at Middleburg, Pa.

MIDDLEBURG, PA., Sept. 28.—The trial poisoning his wife, began here to-day. The Grand Jury found a true bill against him at 10:15 this morning. The prisoner was then promptly brought into court and the arraignment and plea were made.

The prisoner, who is a young man, showed the effects of the terrible strain upon him since the death of his wife, July 23, whom he is accused of poisoning. He entered the plea of "not guilty" in a firm voice. entire afternoon until court adjourned was taken up in securing a jury.

The Colored Fair at Harrisburg.

HARRISBURG, Sept. 28 .- If present indications count for anything the first State Fair for the colored people of Pennsylvania, to be held in the Auditorium, this city, from October 17 to October 27, inclusive, will be a success. On opening day it is expected to have Governor Pattison deliver the address of welcome on behalf of the State, and Mayor Fritchey for the city. Lieutenant Governor Watres and other speakers may also deliver addresses.

ninent Victims of the Grade Crossing. RAVENNA, O., Sept. 28 -[Special.] -Fred Woerster and Louis Huhn, of Kent, O., were killed there by the vestibuled express on the Eric Railroad this afternoon. They were driving across the track. Another man in the wagon saved himself by jump-ing. Woerster was a Democrat of some ninence, and was proprietor of the Kent Bottling Works.

Braddock's New Carnegie Club. BRADDOCK, Sept. 28 .- [Specia.]-The managers of the new Carnegie Club announce its opening for next week. The baths, the pool and billiard tables and the gymnasium have been fitted up. The mem-hership of the club is limited to the employes of the Edgar Thomson Steel Works.

Diphtheria Raging in Braddock. BRADDOCK, Sept. 28 .- [Special.]-Diphtheria is almost epidemic in this city, particularly among children, five new cases being reported to the health authorities today. Physicians persist in violating the law requiring them to report all cases of contagious disease, and suits are threatened.

A McKeesport Fatality. MCKEESPORT, Sept. 28 .- [Special.]-James Gannon, a prominent young man of

this city, was probably fatally injured in

Gannon's planing mill to-day. A big belt broke and struck him on the head, knocking an eye out and fracturing his skull. A McKeesport Infanticide. MCKEESPORT, Sept. 28 -[Special.]-The body of an infant, wrapped in paper, was found in the Monongabela river to day. It

had been in the water several days. The

Coroner will investigate.

Mercy for Elmer Bruner. HARRISBURG, Sept. 28 -[ pecial ]-The death sentence of Elmer Bruner, of Cambria county, was to-day commuted to im-prisonment for life on the recommendation of the Board of Pardons.

Father Penn Will Distribute Carp. HARRISBURG, Sept. 28.—The State Fish Commission will distribute carp during October and November to all applicants in

Foot Burners to Be Tried. LANCASTER, Sept. 28. - Justice Collins The best bread is Marvin's. It is pure and wholesome, as good as the best housewife can make it. If your grocer doesn't keep it tell him to get it for you. You'll never bake again if you try one loaf of Marvin's bread. The day committed Joe and A. Lewis to jail for trial on the charge of having tortured with fire "Larry" Reynolds, the old hermit of Cold Mine township, to compel to-day committed Joe and A. Lewis to

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him to reveal the hiding place of his sup-posed wealth. The old man positively identified Joe Lewis.

#### UNITED ERETHREN APPOINTMENTS. The List of Pastors of the Churches in Three

Pennsylvania Districts. JOHNSTOWN, Sept 28 .- [Special.]-The appointments of the Allegheny Conference

made at Greensburg, are as follows: Altoona district—T. P. Orner, P. E.; Altoona First Chuvch, J. L. Resler; Second Church, I. B. Truxel; Mission, E. C. Rickentrode; Bellefonte, W. H. Blackburn; East Salem, W. Dillon; East Freedom, E. A. Fulton; Huntington and Juniata, J.A. Maxwell; Houstontown, O. T. Stewart; Liverpool, B. 3. Shaw; Milbeim, to be supplied; New Paris, George Moden; Orbisonia, B. J. Hummell; Paillipsburg, N. O. Patterson; Port Matilda, W. Cramer; Patterson, J. Landis; Storms-town, J. T. Talhelm; South Williamsport, H.

W. Cramer; Patterson, J. Landis; Stormstown, J. T. Taihelm; South Williamsport, H. T. Dentinger; Three Springs, R. S. Woodward; Tuscarora. G. A. Sparks; Tyrone, E. J. Henshell, Wallace Run, C. C. Miller.
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Tri-State Brevities.

New Castle-The smallnox enidemic is onfined within four houses. GREENSBURG-James Landen, of Kensington, was jailed here Tuesday night, charged with seriously cutting Richard Simms, of that place, with a razor.

STEUBENVILLE-It has developed that the appointment of Rev. John Wilson as presiding elder of the Cambridge district was done by the Bishop to show his disapproval of the actions of a minority faction in Mr. Wilson's church, Mills Park, a suburb of Cleveland.

SERGEANT ROBERT GRAY, of the Central olice station, entered suit before Alderman Toole yesterday charging S. T. Isett with assault and battery. Isett owns a grocery store at the corner of Roberts streets and Webster avenue, and Gray alleges that while his 6-year-old son was playing in front of the store Isett went out and slapped and kicked him.

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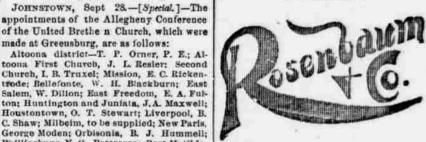
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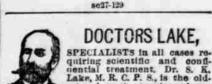
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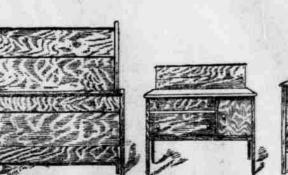
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