SPANGLED ORNAMENTS NOT WANTED

Allegheny Select Council met last night

and knocked out the Silaby engine ordi-

nance passed at the last meeting of Com-

mon Council. After disposing of some

routine matters the resolution awarding

the contract for a Silsby engine to the

American Steam Fire Engine Company at

Seneca Falls, N. Y., for \$4,500, was taken

Arthur Kennedy at once presented a

communication from Mayor Kennedy on

the subject, which he read. It was as fol-

GENTLEMEN-On October 25 Common Coun-

cil reconsidered Silsby engine resolution No. 23, Common Conneil file, with the under-

standing that the Silsby Engine Company would furnish the Mayor with data of the

Mr. Kennedy moved that the resolution

be referred back to Common Council for re-advertisement for bids for an engine with-

out gold or silver ornaments.

President Lindsay said: "Hadn't you

Mr. Lowe-That would not be wise. The

Safety Committee won't buy any but a

Silsby engine.

Dr. Gillitord moved that action be in-

Tenth ward; Clifton avenue, Cross alley, Superior street and Yale street.

The ordinance changing the grade of Vine street, Twelfth ward, was passed, and then, on motion of Mr. Einstein, reconsidered

The ordinance changing the grade of West

Magnolia street was laid over on motion of Dr. Gilliford, because the name of the street has been changed.

People's Party Meetings.

night in Riley's Hall, Butler street, Eight-

eenth ward. Henry Gram presided. Ad-

dresses were made by R. J. Godfrey, George

Vilsack and T. J. McGonnell. They spoke

on the issues and principles set out in the People's party platform. Mr. Vilsack's address was in German. To-night a Peo-ple's party rally will be held in Turner Hall, South Thirteenth street.

Prosecutor and Puglist.

W. F. Doyle was given a hearing before

Alderman McMasters vesterday on a charge

of aggravated assault and battery preferred

by Emma Thompson. They live at Mc-

Donald and some time ago he prosecuted her

for running a speak-easy. She became angered over the matter and was taking him to task, when he hit her in the face, with a pair of brass knucklers. He was

Mangled Beyond Recognition

Late Tuesday night Evan James, 20 years

old, stepped in front of a freight train at

Demmler station, and was instantly killed.

The remains were so mangled that at first

they were not identified. An inquest will be held to-day. James was employed at the Demmier Steel Works.

Comfort and Economy.

Boys' Hard-Wear Cotton Hose, all

Misses' Ribbed Hose, cashmere

Children's Cashmere Hose, 25c.

Ladies' Extra Ribbed or Plain All-

Ladies' Fast Black Fleeced, 25c.

Cashmere Gloves, Plain or Gaunt-

One case Ladies' Cream Vests,

One case Egyptian Cotton Ribbed

Ladies' Underwear in very desir-

Children's Plain and Ribbed, 25c

Merino and Wool Wrappers for In-

Underwear for Men, first-class

values in the lines carried from 500

BIBER & EASTON.

505 AND 507 MARKET SE

able grades of goods. Natural White

and Camel's Hair, 50c to \$2.50.

let Tops, in dress colors.

50c value at 40c.

fants and Children.

Vests at 45c.

A People's party meeting was held last

and laid over.

held for court.

izes, 25 cents.

feet, 25 cents.

Wool Hose, 25c.

better kill this ordinance at once?"

Honorable Select Council:

The Leading Pittsburg, Pa.,

Dry Goods House. Thursday, Nov. 3, 1892. BY ALLEGHENY SELECT COUNCIL.

JOS. HORNE & CO.'S

NEW ADVERSISEMENTS

PENN AVE. STORES.

Special Glove

Sale.

would furnish the Mayor with data of the increased cost of the engine offered Allegheny and that to Boston. On October 24 I wrote to the Silsby Company, and herewith append their reply. The Silsby Company failed to give me the information asked for, and I would therefore respectfully request that this resolution be indefinitely postponed so that new bids may be advertised for.

Respectfully submitted,

W. M. KENNEDY, Mayor. EXTRAORDINARY REDUCTION IN PRICES.

We have on hand just about \$5,000 of Ladies' Kid Gloves in various lengths and most desirable street and evening shades that we must sell THIS WEEK in order to make room for our importations now coming in definitely postponed.

This motion was then put and carried without a dissenting voice.

The following ordinances were passed finally: For the appointment of two additional health inspectors and a hospital steward; to purchase a lot and for proposals for a garbage increase awarding the conto meet the demands of the holiday

We will offer them on the center table and at the counter at

Prices

That will make your visit to this sale unusually profitable. Here are some items from this extraordinary sale:

7-Hook Genuine Foster Suede Gloves. all sizes, in tans, browns and slates, formerly \$1.50 a pair, REDUCED TO \$1 A PAIR.

4-Button Black Suede Gloves, in all sizes, our regular \$1.25 quality that you have bought for years, RE-DUCED TO \$1 A PAIR.

Our regular 4-Button Black Jouvin Kid Glove, for which you have always paid \$1.75, REDUCED FOR THIS SALE TO \$1.50 A PAIR.

A large lot of 12-button length Mousquetaire Suede Gloves, all sizes, in choice evening shades, regular \$2 and \$2.50 quality, all REDUCED TO ONE PRICE-\$1.75.

A lot of 16-button length Mousque taire Suede Gloves, all sizes, in choice evening shades, our regular \$3 quality, REDUCED TO \$2 A

Also a lot of Ladies' 2-Button Kid Gloves, our famous Abbott quality, all sizes, in black, slates and tans, formerly \$1.25, REDUCED TO

50c a PAIR. In addition to the above will be

found at the counter about six (6) other lots at greatly reduced prices, besides a lot of odds and ends. marked down to about one-third former prices.

If you want to pick up a few pairs of best quality Glace and Suede Gloves that are positively great bargains, DON'T NEGLECT TO AT-TEND THIS GREAT SALE AT

JOS. HORNE & CO.,

609-621 PENN AVE.

NEW DEPARTMENT.

RUGS.

and choicest line of Oriental Rugs west of New York City. The prices range from \$10 to \$100. Parties desiring these goods will do well to call while the stock is full.

5,000 Fur Rugs, in all combinations made, from \$2 up to the finest manufactured. These Rugs are all

GROETZINGER, 627 AND 629 PENN AVE.

DEATH HAUNTED HIM

Because He Had Killed Indians Long Ago Henry Eggers Cuts His Throat.

HE WAS AFRAID OF ARREST

Though the Deed Had Been Committed for These 20 Years.

A SON'S HORRIBLE DISCOVERY.

He Finds His Father Clutching a Bloody Bazor in His Hand

WHILE LIFE WAS SLOWLY DEPARTING

Henry Eggers cut his throat yesterday afternoon with a razor, and is lying at the Homeopathic Hospital, with bare chances for recovery. The cause of his suicidal attempt dates back to early days on the fron-

Eggers is an employe of the Union Ice Company and boards with his 16-year-old son at 65 Second avenue. Tuesday he was taken slightly ill and yesterday was confined to his bed. His son Willie was nursing him, and the old gentleman was getting along nicely. Shortly before 5 o'clock Eggers apparently dropped asleep and Willie took a paper and sat down to read at the window. Quiet had reigned for several minutes, when the nurse heard a peculiar gurgle from the sick bed. He looked toward his fatherf the sight was horrible. The bed-clothes were red with blood, which was flowing rapidly from a long cut in Eggers' throat. The sick man's face was an ashen white, while clutched in his hand was a razor dripping with his life blood. Willie hastily summoned help and a physician was called. Life still remained in Eggers' body and it was considered advisable to send him to the hospital.

in the world. He choked down great sobs when asked the story of his parent's deed. "Mother has been dead for a long time," did there. He never told me that, but he cause. Father and several other white mer gotinto a fight with the reds about something. The whites were victorious and two of the Indians were slain by him. Now this matried about it a great 'deal. He never told

me the story direct, but by snatches I have were many ways in which Pittsburg was learned what I am telling you. The Man Was Perfectly Sane. of the Indian matter since Monday. have made a wore narrow escape from in stant death. The razor was drawn rapidly down from the left ear, cutting the full length of the blade. The smaller arteries were all severed, and the large one was only

Mills Causes an Awful Stench and Many Complaints-Those Annoyed May Take

People out in the vicinity of the Thirtythird street sewer have been complaining for some time past over a nauseous odor which fills their houses, making them almost uninhabitable. Lately a story was circulated to account for the smell that the Carnegie Company is using the sewers around the Twenty-ninth and Thirty-third street works for gas conduits. The story was that the firm manufactured its own gas for the melting department and conveyed it to the furnaces through the sewer, the odor

Penn avenue, was the cause of the trouble the sewers to the dwellings. Residents away out on Winebiddle avenue, fully two miles from the source of the odor, have been complaining of it for months. Even on the

allow it to reach the sewers, but if they fail to do so and the annoyance continues, the people affected might have it stopped as a

W. Townsend, purchased \$20 worth of tickets for the Press Club benefit performance on the 18th inst. Mr. Sullivan sends word that he regards the press of Pittsburg, in common with all the people of this city as his personal friends, and he is glad of this opportunity of testifying that friendship by becoming part of the audience at the performance to be given under the Press Club auspices. He says that if he can manage it in any way he will be at Pittsburg on the night of the benefit, and occupy a seat with a party of invited guests.

Wilkinsburg Republicans Will Parade. The East End, Homewood, Brushton and Wilkinsburg Republicans will have a parade this evening. J. J. Walker has been appointed Chief Marshal; Dr. J. L. Shroedes, Chief of Staff, and Charles D. Weigold, Adjutant General. The parade will form at the corner of Homewood avenue and Grazier street and march over the East End streets to the Wilkinsburg Opera House, where a mass meeting will be held, to be addressed by Miles Humphries, William D. Evans and William M. Benham.

DR. JOHN COOPER, JR. Ear, nose, throat and chest diseases. Office Westingouse building, Pittsburg, Pa. Hours 10 A. M. to 4 P. M. Indiana will go Democratic.

RIDING IN THE AIR.

Allegheny People Are Promised Elevated Railroads.

the ordinary. A short time ago a well-

known and worthy bachelor decided to wed. He has always opposed the marriage license law, so 'tis said, and when it was passed denounced it as unreasonable and outrageous. At that time, however, his most intimate friends never PROPOSED COST OF THE IMPROVEMENT

thought he would ever need marriage license. However, Cupid finally captured his heart, but did not conquer his prejudice. So he decided to wed without the formality laid down on the statutes of

the formality laid down on the statutes of the State. Hence the talk in the Beaver Valley and beyond its borders.

As the story runs the bride and groom visited a popular Presbyterian minister, and the benedict requested that the religious portion of the ceremony be carried out without the civic preliminary. It is alleged that the minister strenuously opposed this action, but finally consented after the groom had pressed upon him \$100, the amount of the fine prescribed for violation of the marriage license law.

riage license law.

The ministers of the Valley and some in this section are especially active in discussing the marriage, and not a few are demanding action on the part of the church. The law does not fix a penalty upon the parties to a marriage without a license. Section 14 of the act of 1885 says: license. Section 14 of the act of 1885 says:

If any minister, justice, or any other officer or person shall solemnize the marriage ceremony, or shall be attesting witnesses to the same, within this Commonwealth, without said persons having first obtained the proper license as hereinbefore mentioned and set forth, he or they so officiating or attesting shall forfeit and pay the sum of \$100 to and for the use of the county in which said marriage was schemized.

HAD WRITTEN HIS WILL

Horatio Harris, the Braddock Suicide, Bequeathed His Property a Week Ago. At the inquest in the case of Horatio Harris, the Homestead striker, at Braddock, yesterday the jury returned a verdict of suicide while despondent. The testimony taken was substantially the same as the story printed exclusively in THE DISPATCH yesterday. A memorandum book in which Harris kept his record of work was sub-mitted in evidence to show that he had been contemplating death for some time. In it was found the following will, dated October 26, 1892:

I hereby bequeath all my property, real and personal, to my wife, Nancy A. Harris His name was signed below. The house him, his widow says, clear of all incumb-rances. He had \$85 in his pocket when he killed himself, no debts and nothing to worry him except the idleness resulting from the strike. For several years he had suffered from dyspepsia. The funeral will take place to-morrow, under the direction of the Homestead Amalgamated Lodge. night, and the attending physician thought she had a chance for recovery.

NEW YORK IS SAFE.

Whitney Is Now Very Shaky About Cleveland's Success.

William Witherow, of the Duquesne, returned from New York yesterday, where he spent several days sizing up the political situation. He came back feeling very confident that Harrison will be elected. "A great change has taken place in New York in the last few days," he said. "The substantial business men are coming

out strongly for the Republican ticket. The country is prosperous, and they are content to leave well enough alone. The issues be-tween the parties and the candidates are not discussed. The people generally feel that the administration has been safe and

satisfactory, and they are afraid a change might prove disastrous. "What disturbs the Democrats is their poor showing in the registration. Tammany is shy 37,000 votes of the figures expected by the leaders in the strongholds, while the Republican gains in the Republican districts are large. I get it straight that Whitney has about given up New York. I teel sure Harrison will have a big majority.

THE LEASE IS FOR FIVE YEARS.

Central Station Property Was Sold in January to the Present Owner.

A story was circulated vesterday that the Central station property on Oak alley had been sold last Monday to I. Jackson for \$85,000, and that the city, after expending \$20,000 for remodeling the building, would have to vacate at the termination of a twoyear lease, nearly half of which has ex-

The fact is the sale was made on January 22. Chief Brown says he has a five-year lease on the property and the option of buying it at its expiration. He would have bought at the time Jackson did, having the chance, but did not have the money, and there was such a howl to keep down ex penses at the time the last appropriation ordinance was passed the item was left out. The original lease was for five years and three months, but the three months expired before the alterations were made.

HIS FIFTH TRIAL

Frank Gerade's Case Again to Be Heard in

Court. Attorneys Moore and Dicken yesterday appeared before Judge Ewing in behalf of Frank Gerade, the murderer to whom another trial has been granted. With the permission of the Court they withdrew the ples of not guilty and entered a ples of guilty to murder. This now leaves the grade of the crime with the Court. The testimony in the case will be heard by a Judge and the degree of murder then fixed

Three juries have declared Gerade sane, and two have found him guilty of murder in the first degree. The last time a new trial was granted by Judge Ewing, who said with his view of the case he could not sentence him to death. His crime was the killing of a step-child, whose brains he dashed out against a cradle.

RUNNING SWINDLERS DOWN.

The Police Expect to Land All the Gold Dust Sharps in a Day or Two.

The police are at work on the case wherein Max Goldburg, of Forbes street, was swindled out of \$1,800 in cash by buying a lot of brass filings on the representation that it was gold. They expect to have the principal in the swindle arrested within a day or two. Yesterday Julius Schlutzky, a Hebrew rag peddler, was arrested on charge of conspiracy on the supposition that he helped Schwarzman, arrested several days ago, in the transaction. No time has been set for a hearing, other arrests being first necessary.

Rivermen at War. Captain John Dippel, of the tugboat John Dippel, made information yesterday afternoon before Police Magistrate McKelvey, of Allegheny, against Captain Lee Cavitt, of the tugboat Mink No. 2, charging him with aggravated assault and battery. Captain Cavitt was arrested and taken before Judge McKelvey who held him in \$500 bail for a hearing this morning.

John Sandles, a Westmoreland Democrat. was in the city yesterday. He claims a Greensburg syndicate, of which he is one, has \$50,000 Cleveland money to bet on the general result. Mr. Sandles personally wants to place \$500 that New York and A LAKE HORROR DUPLICATED. The Steamer Glicher, Twin Sister of the Ill-Fated Western Reserve, Probably Lost

With All on Board-She Carried a Crew of 18 Men. CLEVELAND, Nov. 2.- The big steel steamer W. H. Gilcher, owned in this city,

pany, and was an exact duplicate of the steamer Western Reserve, which was lost, with all on board, on Lake Superior, the latter part of August.

Escanaba and load fron ore for Ashtabula. From there she was to go to Toledo and load soft coal for Lake Superior. She carried a crew of 18 men. Several steamers from the upper lakes report in Chicago having sighted wreckage which probably had formed the missing steamer.

Although the gale of last Friday and Saturday was the worst on the lakes for many urday was the worst on the lakes for many years, it is hard to believe that a monster

the highest standing in marine circles.

Up to noon to-day no trip sheet nor anything else could be discovered which would tend to show the names of the members of

Vesselmen have frequently expressed the opinion that the Gilcher was not as strongly built as she ought to have been. The vessel was valued at about \$200,000, insured for \$180,000.

COULDN'T CATCH GARZA.

Will Be Shot for His Failure. CITY OF MEXICO, Nov. 2.—The an passed on Colonel Hernandez by the genmonths ago has created a stir in Governas General Manuel Gonzales, the ex-Presi-

outbreak on the Texas border Colonel Hernandez was in command of the guards at Guerrero, in the State of Tamaulipas. When the revolutionists made their second raid into Mexico Colonel Hernaudez was ordered by General Garcia to effect their capture.

The Colonel, with a handful of soldiers, started in pursuit of the revolutionists. He came up with them, and in the skirmish which ensued he was driven off and the Garza men made their escape. After spending several days scouring for the revolu-tionists Colonel Hernandez returned to Guerrero. He was immediately placed under arrest by order of General Garcia for failing to capture Garza.

WANAMAKER IS SPEAKING.

Out and Vote.

nd by 9 o'clock whe

tration and he could not see where a reason forcible presentation of the same. The speaker left here at 1:30 for Muncie, where he will speak to-morrow.

AGE OF ORANGE TREES.

An exchange remarks that there has been

cared-for orange tree.
Several American horticulturists who have been traveling along the Mediterranean Sea have recently found trees over 120 years old that are still producing fruit of excellent quality. On the island of Elbs, where Napoleon was banished, there is an orange grove of over 700 St. Michael orange orange grove of over 100 St. Michael orange trees that were planted by an Italian in 1781, and it produced last year over 1,800 boxes of fruit, but it produced four times that quantity 25 years ago. There are several small orange orchards in Southern Italy that are over 80 years old and are still productive of large quantities of fruit. On the island of Malta, James Pellman,

the famous American horticulturist, found one orange tree that there can be no doubt is 143 years old, and that yielded several boxes of fruit last year. It is even alleged that in the Azores there are orange and lemon trees over 209 years old that still bear fruit: but there is no good authority for the allegation.

A young woman about to go on the stage in Kentucky is evidently in the hands of an astute manager. He has confided to the reporters that on the night of her first appearance she will be married on the stage. play is to be "Ernani," and there is a mar-riage scene in the fourth act. This is to be made a genuine marriage, and the groom is the manager himself, who also plays the title role in the play.

A Treat for Zoologists. A European correspondent writes that Russian expedition is now in Northeast Siberia for the purpose of bringing back a mammoth which has been discovered there frozen in a perfect condition. The writer adds that he has strong hopes the naturalist

WALL PAPER.

to \$2.50.

New designs and colorings received daily. Choice patterns at 20c, 25c and 35c. Cheaper papers from 5c, 8c, 10c, 15c, Variashed papers for kitchens and bath Tile Hearths from 25c up. See them.

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WEDDING INVITATIONS. CALLING CARDS, FINE STATIONERY,

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Mayor Kennedy Says the Information Was Too Meager.

is reported ashore near Manitou. The Gilcher is one of the largest steamers on the lakes, and the largest ever built in Cleveland. She was rated among the big carriers and has several big cargo records. She was built by the Cleveland Shipbuilding Com-

She passed the straits Friday afternoon during the big storm on the lake, bound for Milwaukee. Nothing has been reported from her since she left Mackinaw. The Gilcher left Buffalo last Tuesday, and after unloading coal at Milwaukee was to go to Escanaba and load iron ore for Ashtabula.

steamer like the Gilcher, loaded as she was, would be lost in it. The Gilcher was commanded by Captain L. H. Weeks, a man of

her crew. There were no visitors aboard. The total loss of life will prove almost as heavy as that of the Western Reserve hor-ror. Captain Weeks lived at Vermillion, O., and leaves a family. The first mate was Captain Ed Porter, of Lorain, O. He leaves wife and son.

Unless Diaz Interferes, Colonel Hernander

nouncement that the high military court of Mexico has confirmed the death sentence steward; to purchase a lot and for proposals for a garbage furnace; awarding the contract for periodicals for the Carnegie Library, and for raising houses on Marshall and Island avenues; opening Seidle alley and an alley from Basin street to Point alley; and changing the grades of Forsyth street, Kirkpatrick alley, Spring street, and Howard street extension; Vine avenue, Tenth ward Cition avenue, Carne alley. eral court martial held at Monterey several ment military and political circles. It was generally believed that Colonel Hernandez would be acquitted by the high court, dent of the Republic, and a number of high officers testified before the tribunal as to the accused officer's splendid ability. A petition is now being prepared, which will be presented to President Diaz, asking for executive clamacy. executive clemency. It is believed that the President will pardon the prisoner, as he is his personal friend, and served with

him in the army many years.

At the time of the Garza revolutionary

He Advises Republicans in Indiana to Get FRANKFORT, IND., Nov. 2 -By far the largest meeting of the campaign was sheld

in this city to-day, the attraction being Postmaster General Wanamaker. The people came from all parts of the country, several thousand shouting voters were at the depot to give him a welcome. He was immediately driven to the Columbia Theater, which was packed to the walk with an intelligent audience. At Coulter's Opera House an overflow meeting was ad-dressed by Pat O'Donnell, the eloquent Irishman, and after three-quarters of an nour the speakers exchanged platforms.
Mr. Wanamaker's speech was largely in
commendation of President Harrison's ad-

ministration, citing the various things it had accomplished. He also paid a tribute to Secretary Blaine, Mr. Rusk and the several other members of the Cabinet and modestly referred to matters in the Post office Department. He admonished his hearers of the importance of every Indiana Republican doing his duty for the Hoosier State and said that a vote against Harrison would be a failure to indorse his adminis able man could fail to do this. The re mainder of his speech was a brief review of the monetary and tariff issues and was a

Trees in Europe Over 100 Years Old That Are Still Producing.

much discussion among American horticulturists the past few years concerning the extreme age that orange trees will bear well and produce good fruit. Some maintain that an orange tree, no matter how much care is put upon it, will slowly wither and die after it has reached half a century of growth. Others have argued that about 75 years is the limit of usefulness of a well-

Realism on the Stage.

in charge of the expedition may discover the eggs of Ross' Rosy Gull, (Rhodostethia rosea), as yet unknown to zoologists.

Grand Millinery Opening, Pattern hats and bonnets to-day, at Rosen baum & Co.'s.

Children's Wool Hosiery, special ONCE. values in lines from 30c to 75c. Ladies' Plain or Ribbed Cashmere, 50c, 65c, 70c, 90c and \$1.

ORIENTAL

We have just opened the largest

FUR RUGS.

odorless and guaranteed perfect.

EDWARD

but this fact is only a small matter in conbut this fact is only a small matter in considering the railroad's treatment of our manufacturers and merchants. To give you a few instances of discrimination I will tell you some of my own experience. The freight rate between Atlanta, Ga., and Pittsburg is \$5 on a certain line of goods. Now, I can purchase this material in Atlanta and ship it to Youngstown at a rate of \$4 70, making the goods 30 cents cheaper in Youngstown than in Pittsburg. Pittsburg should undoubtedly have better rates than a small place like Youngstown. Another peculiar thing, the rate from Cincinnati is \$2 on one class, but we have to pay \$1 70 from Columbus, which is barely over half the distance.
"There are other matters in which the

railroads treat us unfairly. I go to some agent and ask the rate to Chicago, for instance. I tell him I accept his rate and order the goods shipped. When the freight bill is presented, there is not one out of ten that has not from 25 cents to 75 cents added to what the amount should be, when figured

at the rate quoted. Protected by Red Tape.

"I complain to the collector; he says, 'I see there is a mistake; one of the clerks has made it. I can't correct the bill, for it is made it. I can't correct the bill, for it is on the manifest now, but you pay the amount' and enter a claim for overcharge with the company.' There is nothing to do but to pay the amount, and it is rarely, if ever, any claim is made to the company for such a small amount, as the redtape which has to be gone through would cause more worry than the claim is worth. In this way the railroads have a large amount of money on which they pay no interest. In fact, it is taken out of the pockets of the

Pittsburg is at another great disadvan-Pittsburg and be sure of the exact cost of the material delivered. In shipping into Pittsburg it is different. I had some freight come from Buffalo the other day on which a rate of \$1 25 was quoted to me. When the bill was presented for the freight there was When the 60 cents per ton added to the gross amount for switching. Now, the firm to which the goods were consigned is in the heart of the city and, as the rate was quoted on Pitts burg, you can imagine my surprise and how it upset my figuring when the bill was presented. There is not another city that I know of where such practices as these are

One-Sided Demurrage Charges.

"The demurrage charges are also an out-ge. In the first place, only 48 hours are allowed for removing goods from cars. Every day after this that the car remains unloaded is charged for it at the rate of \$1 per day. Now, frequently we have ship-ments as much as two and three weeks behind time, yet we cannot recover a cent for the delay. Notices of the arrival of cars are sent around very carelessly, if at all, and the result is that sometimes bills are presented with \$10 to \$15 demurrage charge added to them when you are not aware the cars had arrived. I had a case of this sort the other day. A bill was presented for a shipment to Johnstown, with \$12 demurrage added. I asked what that was for, and the collector replied that notice had been sent and we did not unload the cars. I told him we had not been ad-vised of the arrival of the cars and if he could show me our receipt for the notice I would give him \$50. What could I do in the meantime? Simply pay the bill. The

idea of letting \$500 or more worth of ma-terial lie on the cars with demurrage charges at the rate of \$1 a day being piled up against it was too absurd to even think All the profit has been trequently knocked off shipments by such charges as "The only way to get at the matter is by the public taking an interest in it. There is no doubt, if pushed, the railroads will give Pittsburg the same advantages as other large cities have. It is a matter that should be agitated until the object is accomplished. I think the establishment of a freight bureau would be an excellent move."

discriminated against and thought a freight bureau would be an excellent institution

James Flood, of Arbuckle's, said there

WEST END REPUBLICANS. A Big Meeting and Parade Last Evening-The Ladies Present the Club. With a Silk Banner-Assistant Postmaster Ed-

wards Makes a Speech. The West End Republicans held a lively demonstration last night. Early in the evening a large number congregated in Metropolitan Hall, on Steuben street, where the West End Republican League Club was presented with a handsome silk banner and flag by the ladies of the Thirtyfourth, Thirty-fifth and Thirty-sixth wards. Prof. W. H. McCullough, of the Thirty-sixth ward school, presided and called the

meeting to order A. J. Edwards, Assistant Postmaster, made the presentation speech.

Mr. Edwards paid a fine tribute to women, and then discussed the issues of the campaign. He was followed by A. H. Weaver, President of the club, who ac knowledged the gift. Miss Bierheller stirred up great applause by singing the "Red, White and Blue" song. R. S. Sleeth

was the last speaker.
Following the meeting there was a parade through the various important streets of the town. William Trautor acted as Chief Marshai; Major James L. Graham, Adjutant General; William T. Smith, Chief of Staff, Bernard Betz, Assistant Adjutant General, and Philip Fralich, Assistant Chief of Staff. There were over 50 mounted aides, and the procession was made up mainly of three clubs. The Conkling Club, of the Southside, headed by the Iron City Band and D. C. S. McDonald as Captain, acted is escort to the Chief Marshal and his staft. Following, came the Coraopolis Republican Club, and then the West End Club with 120 men in line. The route of the march was out Steuben street, Chartiers to Lorenz

pendence, countermarch along a street to Wabash, to Main, to Carson, where they dispersed.
Redfire was burned along the route, and great excitement prevaised. The firemen at Engine Company No. 10 assisted in the demonstration by firing a cannon at inter-

vals of about five minutes during the entire

streets, to Steuben, to Wabash, to Inde-

NEW ELECTRIC LINE OPENED.

The Suburban Traction Company to Begin Running Cars To-Day. To-day at 10 o'clock the first electric car

on the Suburban Rapid Transit Street Railway Company will be run over its new line, which extends from the city line at Knoxville to Eighteenth and Jane streets, Southside. Work on this road has been going on for some 'time and has been frequently stopped by competing companies, and trouble in getting the right of way and securing permission to get the proper grade. Six of the cars are ready to be put into use, while two more arrived yesterday, but have not the electric attachments made When the road is in complete running order there will be 13 cars. The road runs through a district well built up, and which promises to be one of the most thickly inhabited districts on that side of the river in a very short time. As the people are

Twelfth street it is thought this will soon be done. This extension would require only half a mile of track. The power house of the line is built just outside the city line. The line is 31/2 miles long, and the cars will be run by 500 electrical horse power. The incorporated cap-ital of the company is \$500,000.

auxious that the road be continued to South

A Democrat Gives Up Indiana.

G. E. Schmiterlow, of Indianapolis, Democratic iron manufacturer, was at the Schlosser yesterday. Two years ago Indiand would have gone for Cleveland by 10,000 of a majority, but last Saturday Harrison would have carried the State by 30,000.

On election day he predicts the President will have Indiana with 7,500 votes to spare. The change is due to sympathy over the death of Mrs. Havrison.

Eggers Had Been an Indian Fighter. Willie Eggers was found at his boarding house last night. He is a small, thin-faced boy and if his father dies will be cast adrift

said he, "and father and I live here together. Papa worked for the Union Ice Company, and has always seemed to be happy until quite lately. A week or so ago he told me he was afraid he was going to be arrested. Some time before I was born father was in the West roughing it. I do not know what he said he had killed two Indians without ter is brought up again after all these years and for the past week my father has wor-

"I do not think my father was insane, Aside from worrying about the Indian matter he did not seem to have a care. I feel sure that he had no financial troubles or he would have told me. My father was not very ill. He said his bones were aching, and that his head caused him some pain. He did not complain any to-day, and I do not think I have heard him speak At the hospital last night Eggers' condi-tion was considered very critical. The attending physician said the man could not

saved by a fine tissue which covered it.

Eggers was asked why he had attempted his life. The only answer he would give was "I wanted to get out of it."

A DISTRESSING ODOR. Lima Oil Used as Fuel at Penn Avenue

Recourse at Law.

being caused by the unconsumed gas.

Chief Bigelow was notified of the com plaints vesterday. He said he had pre-viously heard of it and had the matter investigated. After considerable trouble he had found that Lims oil, used for fuel at a number of the iron and steel works along The Lima product has a very penetrating and offensive odor. Wherever it is used there is bound to be more or less leakage into the sewers and the odor passes through

streets in the vicinity of the Thirty-third street sewer the odor is noticeable.

Mr. Bigelow says he ordered the mills using the Lima oil to exercise care not to

John L. Sullivan Will Be There. John L. Sullivan, who plays at the Bijou next week, has, through his manager, Lee

DEFIED THE LAW.

A Man Who Doesn't Like Marriage License Causes a Stir in the Beaver Valley-A Wedding Without the Aid of the Court -A Fee That Will Cover a Fine.

The good folks of the Beaver Valley are talking about a matrimonial event out of

CONFERENCE ON THE SUBJECT.

Chairman Kennedy Says Something Must Be Done at Once.

Allegheny may yet be blessed with elevated tracks. The necessity for safe railroad crossings has long been recognized and was emphasized by the terrible street car accident on Federal street several years ago. The city Councils and the Pennsylvania Company now give promise of coming together, and yesterday an important conference was held at the railroad office between the grade crossing committee of Councils and First Vice President James McCrea, General Manager Joseph . Wood, Chief Engineer

Robb and Superintendent A. B. Starr. The subject was reopened and a preliminary discussion took place. Mayor Kennedy, Chief Ehlers, Arthur Kennedy, Chairman of the committee, and

E. A. Knox were present for the city. Owing to the short notice the other mem bers were not on hand. . The Railroad's Proposition Mr. Henricks has been out of town for several days. A proposition was made by the railroad officials to divide the work into

three divisions; first from the Allegheny river to Marshal street; from Marshal street to Washington avenue, including the avenue, and from the latter point to the north line of the city. The plans and estimates of the first division have been made by the company. Chief Ehlers said the cost for the railroad is put at \$700,000 and the city is expected to pay about \$150,000 additional. Representatives of the Pennsylvania Company will meet the committee and prepare plans and estimates for the other two divisions. They will also try to agree at the same time on the clearances and approaches. The plans for the second division are almost completed. The Washington avenue

As soon as this preliminary work is fin-ished the city and railroad company will come down to business. Something Must Be Done. Chairman Kennedy said the meeting was very satisfactory, and he thinks it will re-sult in safe grade crossings for Alllegheny. "Something must be done," he continued, "to keep the people in the city, and we in-tend to make the crossings safe." tend to make the crossings safe.

plans are ready, but nothing has been done with Pennsylvania and North avenues.

Chief Ehlers and Mr. Knox remarked that there was no good reason why the city did not accept the railroad's proposition a tew years ago. The difference between them was small and could easily have been adjusted if negotiations had not been dropped. The first and third divisions will be the most expensive. From the river to Marshal street the tracks will be elevated. The height suggested was 15 feet. In the case of Pennsylvania, Washington and North avenues the streets will run the company expected the city to pay for the elevation of these avenues. He replied that the railroad would stand its share of the burden. The cost of the entire job will be at least \$2,000,000.

BIG DEMOCRATIC MEETING.

Ex-Congressman Kerr Enthesiastically Re

ceived at Lawrenceville.

Ex-Congressman James Kerr, of Clear field, who is at present Clerk of the House of Representatives at Washington, addressed an unusually large gathering of Democrats at Union Hall, Lawrenceville, Before the meeting several Democratic clubs paraded the streets. The hall was tastefully decorated, and was filled to overflowing. Dr. T. R. Evans called the

as President. He opened the meeting with a brief address in which he said the present election was a crisis in the history of the Colonel Kerr was received with a storm of applause. He talked to the laboring people, and his speech was frequently ap-plauded. He is an eloquent talker. Jerry Dougherty, the Democratic candi-date for Senator in the Forty-third district,

also made an interesting speech. He also

neeting to order and named John F. Miller

KICK AGAINST A NEW STREET. Only One Bid to Supply Boilers for the Allegheny Water Works. A remonstrance against opening a 50-foot street from Perrysville avenue to Sawmill Run road was presented to the Allegheny

Survey Committee last evening. The ordi-nance had passed Common Council, but was laid over for a month to give the people interested a chance to be heard. The ordinance relocating Morrison avenue was affirmatively recommended to Councils. The grades recommended by the sub-committees for Linwood street and Reuben street were adopted.

The Allegheny sub-committee on water met last night to receive bids for two boilers for the Howard street pumping station. One bid was handed in, and it was decided to readvertise. A meeting of the Allegheny sub-commit-tee on city property was called, but a quorum was not obtained. Police Spoil an East End Sensation An 8-year-old son of J. W. Elliot, of Baum street, was robbed of a letter on his way home from the East End postoffice Tuesday evening. It was reported that a man had knocked the boy down and had taken three letters from him, but Inspector

McLaughlin declares there was only one

and that it had been taken by the boy's playmate. The Inspector will pro-duce the boy if he is wanted. Refused to Obey the Officer. Christ Endwein, a driver, was arrested by Cornerman Welsh at Sixth avenue and Wood street yesterday afternoon for refusing to obey the order of an officer and stop his team. He is charged with driving

through a crowd of women and children who were getting on a street car. Officer Welsh says as the man is 44 years old he should have known better. Krakauer Bros.' Pianos Mellor & Hoene, 77 Fifth Avenue.

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