The Federation Votes in Favor of Its Being Open on Sunday.

THE MOVEMENT FOR A CONGRESS

To Be Held in Jackson Park in 1893 Feing Debated Pro and Con.

A RESOLUTION ON JUDGES' CHARGES

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 15.-At the fourth day's session of the American Federation of Labor this morning, a communication was received from the Grand Foreman of the International Association of Machinists of the United States and Canads, asking an audience. It was referred to a committee. Another communication from the Pennsylvania Peace Society, now in session here, informed the session that the labor question is under discussion and invited delegates to attend one of the meetings.

A resolution from the Furniture Workers' Union, authorizing a cancellation of a \$1,500 loan granted by the Federation to the striking furniture workers, was opposed by President Compers, the Amalgamated men and others, but it was vigorcosly advocated by delegates whose unions desired similar favors, amounting in all to \$3,500. A raid on the treasury seemed imminent, when a brass band in the street be-low came to the rescue and drowned the demands of some of the most vociferous claimants.

was refused-955 to 1,112. Other applications from the tunners and curriers, quarrymen, German typographical and electrical workers were then taken up. The first two were granted donations, and a reconsideration was ordered in the case of the furniture workers, who were granted the cancellation of their debt. No formal request having been made by the typographical or elec-trical workers, no action was taken upon their loan. Miss Mary Kenny, the only female dele-

gate in the Federation, introduced resolu-tions favoring woman's franchise and protection against accident from machinery on which women are employed. Resolutions were also introduced as follows:

For the organization of plush workers in America; to boycots the National Brewing Company, San Francisco, and George Elirer's New York Companies: against convict labor; for organization of core makers; for abolition of Sunday slavery for barbers; to secure legislation prohibiting Judges Irom shreeting juries to bring in verdicts. A Vote in Favor of Sunday Opening.

The report of the committee to whom President Gompers' reports had been re-ferred, was taken up. The committee's concurrence in most of the recommenda-tions were approved, until the clause favoring the opening of the World's Fair on unday was reached. Miss Kenny, of the Shirt Ironers, opposed it, on the grounds that it is an intrenchment on the working people's right to a day of rest and was sup-torted by the representatives of the Bar-bers' International Union, Chicago Trades Assembly and others. The hotel and res-taurant employes and other delegates favored the opening of the Fair on Sunday. The President's recommendation favoring Sunday opening was finally indersed by the vote of 50 delegates to 19 against, or 1,611 to 207 by the unit system of representation. Four other delegates afterward came and voted for Sunday opening, making 1,913 in

On the recommendation to establish an official journal of the Pederation, much onposition developed and the project was defeated.

The question of a labor congress at the World's Fair was brought up by the recommendation that the constitution be altered so as to hold the next meeting during the last week in August. Delegate Weissman, the radical representative of the Bakers' Union, strenuously opposed the project as impracticable, owing to the wide differences of aims and opinions between the working people of America and other countries, Others objected because of the great expense involved. To test the sense of the Federation, a motion was offered that the organization participate in the Interna-tional Labor Conference in 1893. At the hour of adjournment the discussion was still in progress.

FORGEY'S MISSING COAT FOUND. The Law Hurrying Matters to Quiet Popu-

lar Clamor for Vengeance, HUNTINGTON, W. VA., Dec. 15 .-[Special.]-In the case of the amateur train

robbers, Forgey and Collins, the garrison on duty to protect the prisoners at the jail were not disturbed last night, but the popular clamor that the law shall deal speedily with them will be deferred to. A special grand jury will begin its sittings Monday on these cases.

The overcoat worn by Forgev could not be found when he was taken in custody. He had lent his own coat to Collins on account of the storm, and the boy "shucked" it when he escaped from the train. A persistent search for the coat Forgev had on in the train has been prosecuted, and to-day it was fished out of an outhouse in the rear of the Forgey dwelling. The builet wound in Forgey's shoulder, which hardly matched the rent in the other coat, fits the neat round hole in this latter garment perfectly. The fellow is kept in ignorance of all the developments against him, and he persists in protesting his innocence.

ALMOST A NEW RAILROAD.

Alterations and Double-Tracking of the Fort Wayne Nearly Done.

ALLIANCE, Dec. 15 .- [Special.]-The improvements begun on this division of the Pennsylvania line westward have been practically completed, and the finishing touches will be given in ample time for the enormous passenger traffic expected during the World's Fair. The work done in the way of double-tracking, straightening curves, reducing grades and making some prodigious cuttings, has cost almost enough

money to build a single track line as long as this Eastern division. The 84 miles of double-tracking will cost \$2,200,000.

The Homestead trouble was a set-back, or the work would have been completed by this time. The second track over the Gar-field grade, completed vesterday, makes an unbroken double-track between Canton and Salem, and the second track between Salem and Lectonia, still further east, will be completed next Saturday night.

Another Pennsy Bailroad Extension INDIANA, PA., Dec. 15 .- [Special.]-The Pennsylvania Railroad Company will extend its Turtle Creek Valley branch from Delmont to Saltsburg. There are some "gilt-edged" coal lands in the State in this

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A MOST RISKY BUSINESS.

Eckley B. Coxe Says the Coal Man's Lot Is Not a Happy One-Too Much at Stake for the Small Profits, as a General Rule. WASHINGTON, Dec. 15. - The House ommittee appointed to investigate the Reading Railroad anthracite coal combination resumed in the Commerce committee room to-day the inquiry introduced into Philadelphia and elsewhere. William H. Joyce, general freight agent of the Pennsylvania Railroad, was examined. He offered in evidence a letter dated April 18 last, addressed by him to E. R. Holden, Chairman of the Anthraeite Rate Committee, New York, calling attention to the fact that during the past year the Lehigh Vai-ley Railroad Company, through its coal company, had made with individual operators contracts for the purchase of their coal upon a percentage of the prices realized at tidewater.

Eckley B. Coxe, of the coal operating firm of Coxe Brothers & Co., mining more than 1,230,000 tons of coal per annum, was asked whether, speaking very broadly, the coal-producing business was profitable in recent years, or was tending toward bankruptey. His answer was:

I think the people who have put their money in since the war have not, on the whole, made a fair interest on their money. Until a comparatively recent time, out of ten men who have gone into the coal producing business nine have failed. It is the most risky business I know. Until the business got into the hands of the big companies I think the failures averaged much larger than in any other calling. than in any other calling.

Mr. Patterson-Would it not be a relief free?
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Donations to Struggling Unions.

Finally, after an hour's discussion, the previous question was carried, and on roll call the donation to the furniture workers was rejusted 955 to 1.112. Other applications

BUNKOED BY A CITY.

A New Castle Man Pays for a Liquor License Which He Fails to Get.

NEW CASTLE, Dec. 15 .- [Special.] -- Probably the strangest question that ever came up in any court in connection with the present license law was decided in the Lawrence county courts this morning. At the License Court held last April there was a remonstrance against the application of Chris Kahrer. After a bitter fight the application was refused. Some weeks later, while the late Judge John McMichael was on his deathbed, the two Associate Judges, without cailing the attention of President Judge Haren to the matter, reopened the case and without giving the remonstrants an opportunity for a hearing made an entry

granting the license.

A tremendous rumpus was raised, and the fight was continued without a let-up until the next regular term of the License Court, when the license was revoked. Meauwhile Kahrer had paid his \$500 license fee and had begun business. At the June session his attorneys made a formal demand for a return of the money to the County Treasurer. The Treasurer refused to pay it except on an order from the Court. Ever of the family are respectfully invited to attend. tion. To-day Judge J. Norman Martin de-cided he would make no such order on the County Treasurer, stating that even if he saw fit to do so his order would be no protection to the County Treasurer, who might be sued by the County Commissioners for the amount. It will now devolve upon the complainant to sue the County Commissioners, but the best attorneys doubt whether he can make a case, so he is probably legally bunkeed out of his \$500.

POISONED BY HIS BRIDE.

A Cambria County Man's Testimony in Court Against His Wife. EBENSBURG, Dec. 15 -[Special]-The Kirsch poisoning case was reached to-day in court. The case is one from Nicktown, a village in the northern part of the county, in which a young man, Ansel M. Kirsch, recently married, accuses his wife of putting arsenic in his food on several different

occasions after their return from their wedding tour.

The prosecution placed young Kirsch on the stand this morning. He stated that on one occasion his wife offered him a glass of lemonade, which he drank and became sick, requiring the services of a physician. The prosecution has physicians here to prove that the matter administered was arsenic, and also have a chemist here from Philadelphia. The time to-night was occupied by the defense.

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interfere, and I'll give you all the glass-ware you want." Collins followed him out, and the bystanders who started after them were driven back by both the men.

They went to an allev in a secluded quar-ter and attacked each other with the bottles. When the fight was over, Nor-man's nose was cieft from brow to tip, his left eye was out out and his face was so horribly gashed and mutilated that sur-geons had to sew the pendant pieces to-gether. If he lives, which is improbable, he will be a monstrosity. Collins, who was injured but little, made his escape to he will be a monstrosity. Collins, who was injured but little, made his escape to

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Funeral on SATURDAY, December 17, 1892, at

FULTZ-On Thursday morning, December 15, 1892, at 5 o'clock, Isabella, relict of the late Francis Fultz, aged 68 years. Funeral from her late residence, No. 274 Federal street, Allegheny, on Saturday Monning at 8:30 o'clock. Services at St. Peter's Church, corner Sherman avenue and Ohio street, at 90'clock. Interment private

GIBSON-At parents' residence, 225 Federal street, Allegheny, on Thursday, December 15, 1892, at 12:20 a. M., Mary Ella, eldest daughter of J. N. and A. J. Gibson, aged 16 years and 23 days. Funeral services at St. Peter's Church. Ohio street, Allegheny, on SATURDAY, December 17, 1892, at 2 P. M. Interment pri-

KLEIN-On Wednesday, December 14, 1893, at 5:20 a. M., Roste Klein, in her löth year, daughter of Max and Magdolina Klein. Funeral will take place on FRIDAY, Decem 86 Taggart street. Requiem mass will be celebrated at St. Joseph's Church, corner Franklin and Fulton streets, Allegheny, at 8:30 a. M., to which friends of the lamily are

respectfully invited to attend. MEYER—On Thursday morning, December 15, 1:92; at 3:45 o'clock, ADAM MEYER, steward of Seventh Avenue Hotel, and member of Branch 35 C. M. B. A., and Branch No. 13 St. Geo. Ritters, aged 45 years 8 months and 4 days.

Funeral will take place from his late residence, No. 68 Congress street, on Saturday Morning, at 9 o'clock, to proceed to Holy Trinity Church, corner Center avenue and Fulton street, where requiem high mass will be read at 9:30 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

NOBLE—On Sunday, December 11, 1892, at 3:30 P. M., in Wichita, Kan., after a lingering illness, Mrs. Many Liscomb Noble, daughter of Dr. P. D. Liscomb, of Beaver Falls, Pa., and wife of Lesser B. Noble. Funeral services at the residence of her father, Dr. P. D. Liscomb, in Beaver Falls, Pa., on FRIDAY, December 16, at 2 o'clock P. M. Interment in New Brighton Cemetery. 2 RITTER-On Tuesday, December 13, 1892, at 3:30 A. M., SEBASTIAN RITTER, aged 65 years. Funeral from the residence, corner Eighth and Main streets, Sharpsburg, on FRIDAY at

at 9 A. M. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. . STEWART—On Thursday, December 15, 1892, at 8:13 r. m., Mrs. Sabie J., wife of J. F. Stewart, or 165 McClure avenue, Allegheny. Funeral Saturday, December 17, at 2 r. m., from family residence. Friends of the fam ily are respectfully invited to attend. 2 STEWART—Mrs. Mary A. Stewart, at 6 p.m., December 14,1892, in 81st year of her age. Funeral from the residence of Mr. Fredric Winter, corner Rebecca and Carroll streets, East End, on FRIDAY, December 16, at 2:30 P

8;50 a.m. Services at St. Mary's R. C. Church

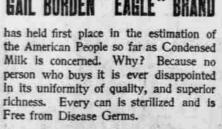
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