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For the Early Fall Trade

Silk Department

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We bought lavishly of the many new weaves and superb color combinations which domestic and foreign manufac-turers have placed on this market for the coming season's wear (almost twice as many yards as we bought for opening last fail), but there isn't one yard too much.

It's to Be a **Great Silk Season**

and the designers, weavers and print-ers have left no stone unturned to mark the present year as forming a new ers in the manufacturing history of the Queen of Textiles. New York or Philadelphia may boast of larger col-fections than ours, but we are war-ranted in saying that no collection, however large, can more thoroughly or perfectly represent all that is cor-rect and new in Dress Stiks.

We Invite You

o our opening which takes place to-morrow, Friday, and feel assured that you will fully appreciate the treat that is in store for you.

A Few of the New Things

that await your inspection.

Persian **Brocade Stripe Taffetas**

in eight different color combinations. The delicate Lace tracery effects in the stripes, set on a ground of rich, subdued. Fridescent tones, create a harmony of rare strength and beauty.

Double Brocade Taffetas

with curious and antique looking en broldery effects laid on a five tor weave, is a novelty that cannot fail to strike the most causal observer. 10 different ways in it to admire.

Quadruple Color Effect Taffetas

in the defntiest of small brocades. This is one of the most charming weaves is the entire range and will certainly find many friends before the mow files. Is combinations from medium to dark

September Is Ushered in with related the story of her troubles. The four animals began snorting and pawing and battering at the barn door, and the commotion was such a furious one that Mr. Martila at last decided to release the fawn. Instead of running away from him as he approached the barn, the deer made an attack upon him and forced the farmer to take refuge in a small shed, which they struck at repeatedly with their hoofs. From this shed Mr. Martila made his way into the barn and opened the door just wide enough for the fawn to get out. The little one was received with demonstrations of delight, and in a short time all five trotted off into the woods. Seismic Disturbances. MIDDLE STATES AFFECTED Distinct Shocks Are Felt in Pennsylvania New York, New Jersey and Delsware,. Furniture, etc., Shaken and Clocks Strike Out of Time.

Philadelphia, Sept. 1.—A distinctly perceptible earthquake shock was felt here this morning about 6 o'clock. The vibrations did not last longer than a second or so, but it was severe enough to awaken people from sleep and to shake ornaments hanging on walls. The direction of the shock was from south-The Historic Academy of Music Is Gutted

direction of the shock was from south-east to north northwest. Trenton, N. J., Sept. 1.—An earth-quake shock was felt in Trenton this morning between 5 and 6 o'clock. A loud, rumbling noise, resembling that of a heavily loaded wagon going over a paved street, was heard and houses were felt to make quite perceptibly. Win-dow panes were also made to rattle. The shock is said to have lasted some three or four seconds. Many of those who wore asleep at the time were awakened by the shock... West Chester, Pa., Sept. 1.—The shock of an earthquake was felt very sensibly

West Chester, Pa., Bept. 1.—The shock of an earthquake was felt very sensibly here at 6 o'clock this morning. Many people felt the houses stake and rushed to the doors in alarm. Easton, Pa., Sept. 1.—A very per-ceptible tremor of the earth was felt in

ceptible tremor of the earth was felt in the eastern part of this city shortly after 6 o'clock this morning. Chester, Pa., Sopt. 1.—An earthquake shock shook this city about 6 o'clock this morning and startled many people. The vibration did not continue longer than several seconds, but it caused win-dows and buildings to tremble and wall ornaments to become dislodged. Plainfield N.J., Sept. 1.—Quite a se-vere earthquake shock was perceptible in Plainfield this morning at 6 o'clock, lasting seven seconds. Buildings quivered, people thrown out of bed, ornaments scattered over the floors. ornaments scattered over the floors, and other evidences of the vibration

were observed. Crockery Rattled at Brooklyn.

to pass.

at 6.08 a. m.

by the Flames-Other Buildings De-stroyed. Buffalo, Sept. 1.—The Academy of Music, Buffalo's historic play house, was guited by fire early this morning. Besides the Academy proper, the liquor store of P. C. Millet, the saloon of Jacob Fried, the fur and hat store of George W. Comstock and the variety store of the William Vaughn company. all in the Academy of Music block, are damaged. The fire started in the va-riety store of William Vaughan com-pany at 2 a. m. and gave the firemen a firece fight. It seemed certain for a time that the adjoining buildings to-ward Senaca street must go. They are old, ramshackly tinder boxes and if the flames had spread to them, Brown's building, at the corner of Main and Seneca streets, occupied by the United Press, the Western Union Telegraph company and the old postoffice build-ing these buildings down and every-ting these of the Academy building fell with a roar and the flying slass and timber injured several firemen. A rough estimate of the total damage to the building and contents is placed at from \$250,000 to \$300,000. At 4.15 a. m. the fire was practically extinguished. The Academy of Music was originally erected in 1852 by Henry T. Meech, who died in 1870, after a managerial career of over half a cen-tury. On his death he was succeeded by his sons, Henry L. and John H., both natives of Albany. On Friday. Oct 5, 1894, the Academy was sold under foreclosure for \$202,000. The property was bought by a syndicate Grockery Rattled at Brooklyn. Brooklyn, N. Y., Sept. 1.—Three dis-tinct earthquake shocks were felt by the residents of Brooklyn about 6 o'clock this morning. The shock was pretty severe in Coney Island, and many persons were awakened from their sleep. Pictures, crockery and even furniture in many houses were dislodged from their positions, and the owners, who were not awakened by the German bank and the Bank of Syracuse, Syracuse, N. Y. owners, who were not awakened by the earthquake, wondered how it came

Northport, N. Y., Sept. 1 .-- Shortly TROUBLE THREATENED.

BUFFALO'S BIG FIRE.

by the Flames-Other Buildings De-

stroyed

Northport, N. Y., Sept. L.-Shorthy before 6 o'clock this morning an earth-guake was distinctly felt here. Houses rocked like cradles and people still asleep were awakened by the vibra-tions. The rumbling lasted for sev-Strikers in the Michigan Iron Regions Are in a Desperate State and Troops Have Boon Ordered Out.

tions. The rumbling lasted for sevi-eral seconds. Port Jefferson, N. T., Sept. 1.—An earthquake shock was felt here very perceptibly about 6 o'clock this morn-ing. No damage was done. Atlantic Highlands, N. J., Sept. 1.— At daybreak this morning there was an earthquake here that shock houses and people. It was accompanied by a low rumbling sound that resembled thunder. Many people arose from their Ishpeming, Mich., Sept. 1.-Excite-ment and forebodings for the morrow express the feelings of the citizens of this iron mining town and the neigh-boring one of Negaunee tonight. A hun-dred and a half of state soldiers are encamped in the vicinity of Lake Ange-line mine, where the steam shovels are to be operated by men who have been brought from Chicago to take the blaces

Inaugural Ceremonies Held at Berlin Yesterday. **GERMAN-AMERICAN VETERANS**

> They Hold a Position of Honor at the Ceremonies - The Emperor Precuted with the Keys of the New Church.

Berlin, Sept. 1.—The inaugural cere-monies of the celebration of the twenty-fifth anniversary of the battle of Sedan, the final engagement of the Franco-Prussian war, was celebrated Franco-Prussian war, was celebrated today. The programme in this city included the inauguration of the Kais-er Wilhelm Memorial church with im-posing cereinonies. The decorations of the houses along the principal streets showed that the citizens had

streets showed that the citizens had combined their efforts to produce most startling effects. The effect was that there were long lines of evergreen, masses of flowers, and a profusion of flags and banners. Thousands of people arrived at an early hour in the morning and con-tinued until noon, at which hour the Berliners were crowded out by the provincials, who were gazing in ad-miration upon the perfect adornment of the buildings. The police had taken extraordinary precautions to avert ac-cidents similar to those which occurred in the memorable celebration in 1878, in the memorable celebration in 1878, when many persons were crushed to death in their endeavors to get near

the schloss. The weather was clear and bright throughout the day. Crowds lined the streets. Galleries were erected oppo-site to the main entrance to the church which was occupied by two thousand girls, attired in light colored dresses. The house facing the entrance of the church, and built in the style of that edifice, was covered with decorations. Troops lined the roadway in front of the church, and the German-American Troops lined the roadway in front of the church, and the German-American veterans held a position around the porch commanding the entrance. This was really the position of honor.

was really the position of honor. Address to the Emparor. When the emperor reached the top step of the entrance to the church. Herr Van Wedel, minister of the royal house, addressed him, saying: "On the anniversary of Gravelokte, the founda-tion stone of the monument to the great Kaiser Wilhelm I was laid. Now, on the twenty-fifth anniversary of Sa great Kaiser Wilhelm I was laid. Now, on the twenty-fifth anniversary of Se-dan, your majesty opens the church which was built with the funds con-tributed by the poor and rich equally throughout the country in memory of the emperor who, in his simple and re-ligious feeling, attributed all his great deeds and victories to God, giving us all in this and coming ages an impres-sive example of trust and belief in God, without whose aid we are unable to succeed. May God's blessing be open us all coming into this church. Will your majesty now please receive the key from the arcilleet." The procession then entered the

key from the architeet." The procession then entered the church headed by the kaiser. After the ceremonies at the church the em-peror, empress and the rest of the royal party left the church by the cen-ter aisle. After the departure of the emperor the high officials left and the German-American veterans together German-American veterans, together with the German Veteran societies, with their banners, entered the church and marched up and down the aisles. Dispatches received here this even-ing show that almost everywhere in Germany the twenty-fifth anniversary ught from Chicago to take the places of the capture of Sedan from the French was celebrated with much enworthy Eighteen thousand veterans, with bands and banners, marched to the zoological gardens, where a grand

torn hits of the dress hast worn by the missing woman. Around the place were bear tracks in plenty. There were also signs of some heavy body having been dragged away, and it is believed that Mrs. Zeppher was killed by the bears and dragged faarther into the woods. A second party has strated out on the A second party has started out on the trail, which is plainly marked.

GHOSTS DISTURB SLEEP.

oung Ohio Man Thrown Out of Bed b Alleged Spirits.

Hamilton, O., Sept. 1.-Local spirit-ualists and students of psychology are excited over a remarkable statement sworn to by Miss Rene Leonard, a young lady of this city. She declares solemnly that James Holly, a farm hand, who works for her father, nine miles west of this city, is tormented with spirits. She and nine of her young mele and female commons, here say male and female companions here say that an evening or so ago they were in (Holly's bedroom out of curiosity, and saw the mattress, with Holly lying on it, move up from the bed, lifted by some occult power, and rest suspended in midair.

The alleged spirit threw Holly from his bed and will not allow him to sleep. He is 20 years old, and has worried so much about it that he is almost a living skeleton. All through the hot season he has slept with blankets tightly wrapped about him, through fear of

the ghost. CONVENTION AT YORK.

Will Be a Notable Gathering of Republi

cans There on Sept. 13.

cans There on Sept. 13. The prospects for a large attend-ance at the eighth annual convention of the Republican League of Pénnsyl-vania, to be held at York Sept. 13, are very bright. It is estimated that there will be forty or fifty clubs from Alle-gheny and a much larger number from Philadelphia and vicinity, and the clubs generally throughout the state are in line. A few have not as yet paid up their dues and it is necessary that the dues should be paid to the treasurer, Mahion D Young, 429 Wal-nut street, Philadelphia, not later than tomorrow, Sept. 3.

nut street, Philadelphia, not later than tomorrow, Sept. 3. The York people are making elab-orate preparations to entertain the vis-iting members and the guests royally. There will be an excursion to the bat-tledield of Gettysburg on Saturday, Sept. 14, returning in time to enable the delegates to take trains so as to get to their homes pretty generally the to their homes pretty generally the same night. Both the Democratic and Republican clubs of York propose to have their club rooms open prepared to entertain all the visitors.

Notables Who Will Attend.

Notables Who Will Attend. Ex-Governor Black, although -a thorough Democrat and the president of the Democratic societies of Penn-sylvania, proposes to unite with the other citizens of York in entertaining the delegates and their friends. The league headquarters at Scranton have positive assurances of the attendance of General D. A. McAlpine, president of the National Republican league; Hon, D. D. Woodmansee, president of Hon, D. D. Woodmansee, president of Hon. D. D. Woodmansee, president of the Ohio State league; Hon. Charles Emory Smith, of Philadelphia; Hon. John Dalzell, Governor Hastings, Sen-ator Smith, of Philadelphia; Congress-man William A. Stone, of Pittsburg; Congressman Mahon, Congressman Robinson, ex-president of the league; Marriot Brosius, the veteran congress-man-at-large, Galusha A. Grow, and others. others.

Lehigh Valley Tracks. New Fall DISASTER BARELY AVERTED Faithful Trackwalker Discovers a Lot of Ties and Boulders on the Track,

and Warns the Engineer of an Oncoming Train.

ecial to the Scranton Tribune. Pittston, Sept. 1.-Last night the

Piltston, Sept. 1.-Last night the through flyer, known as No. 3, which ordinarily reaches here at 1L18 o'clock, was detained by accident for thirty minutes at Wilkes-Barre. The fact, in all probability, saved the lives of many, if not all, its passengers. The train, which last night com-posed five sleeping cars and three day coaches, besides two baggage and ex-press cars, makes no stops between Wilkes-Barre and Pittston. Just as it thundered past Port Bowkley, coming Wilkes-Barre and Pittston. Just as it thundered past Port Bowkley, coming north at the rate of fifty miles an hour, the night trackwalker, who, had the train been on time, would not have been enabled to do what he did, found, near Tompkin's switch, a pile of ties, boulders, and heavy timbers defly ar-ranged on the main track, so as to be obscured from the engineer's view by the shadow of the curving embank-ment.

obscured from the engineer's view by the shadow of the curving embank-ment. Instantly he posted the danger signal, and ran ahead to flag the on-coming train. Had he been a second later, a terrible crash would have en-sued, with results too horrible to con-jecture. It is recalled as a singular coinci-dence that about a year are a passen-

It is recalled as a singular coinci-dence that about a year ago a passen-ger train, north bound, No. 5, was wrecked at nearly the identical spot, by a thrown switch. Not long after-ward, the train dispatcher's office, which stands close by, was burned to the ground. These circumstances, com-bined with minor depredations, have at length alarmed the Lehigh Valley company, and hereafter a vigilant watch will be kept upon the track and those who come near it.

those who come near it.

PRICE WAS TOO PREVIOUS.

llo Began to Brag Before lle Got Out of the Woods.

the Woods. One Thomas Price, formerly of the West Side, and "Rube" Morris, of Oly-phant, were arrested Saturday for a crime of highway robbery, alleged to have been committed last Tuesday at Olyphant, where a peddler was knocked down and robbed of \$25. The two were suspected of the felony. They were brought before Justice of the Peace M. W. Cummings, who sent them to the county jail in charge of a constable. The law does not allow any less than a judge of the county court to take bail in a highway robbery incident. Price managed to escape from the

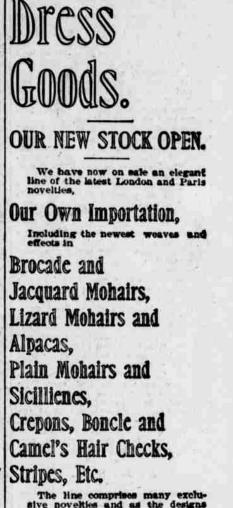
acetylene gas, will be in the city next Thursday with a tank of the fuid. They the Joseph A. Vincent, C. C. Adams, Samuel L. Kent and Edward C. Na-

pheys. It is claimed that the new gas can be

DEDICATION AT DALTON.

New Y. M. C. A. Building Formally Opened Yesterday Afternoon.

in a highway robbery incident. Price managed to escape from the constable as they were bounding along on an Adams avenue car toward the gaol. But the fugfilive over-confidently dropped into a gin mill on Lackawanna avenue. He had scarcely begun to boast of the clever dodge he worked on the constable when he was nabbed and taken securely in tow to limbo. taken securely in tow to limbo. The prisoner is the Thomas Price who kept a shaving parlor on the West Side, and is charged with having buncoed a



The line comprises many exclu-sive novelties and as the designs will not be duplicated an early in-spection is desirable.

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for Skirts. Entirely New.

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with illuminated diagonal drop effects on dark, seeded grounds, will make up as handsomely as anything that ever came from the loom, while it possesses all the freshness and brilliancy of youthful newness. Lots of color com-binations, but didn't take time to count them.

Black Ground Gros Grain

with fancy satin and milled edged stripes in contrasting colors. A quiet novelty for quiet people, but wonder-fully rich in effect.

Stripe Taffeta Silks

in new patterns for buyers of staple weaves. Light, Medium and Dark Styles, and no limit to selection.

Chameleon Stripe Taffetas

are a quintetts color combination with a quiet suggestion of the Ottoman Em-pire about them. They may be a triffe too loud in effect for Quakerish tasts, but they'll surely win their way to popularity.

Seeded Chameleon Stripes

colors, came in about a dozen and can best be distributed as as symphonics in quiet, soft pleasing sympt

Jardinier Stripe Taffetas

Biyles suggested by the name, color binding with the changeable grounds superb and seen anywhere, you'd say at a glance "that's new."

Seeded Hairline Taffetas

are mostly in combinations that reflect the hues of the Dying Summer, sffec-tively brought out on dark back-grounds. You'll like it. We do.

Swivel and Dot Taffetas

Twenty styles, all dark grounds instchless color contrasts and combi-nations, and a favorite with popular up-to-date fashin, journal writers.

For Evening Wear

We show a matchless line in Siks-all weaves and makes, in white, cream and that. Taffeta brooches and bro-cades are sunp to be the baders, and if you're interested, look at ours for the newest things out.

Black Gros Grain

Brocades

are right in the front of fashion's cer-

Silks for Underskirts

Linings, etc. In fancies, shot or pl weaves. Widths from 3 inches do to the chaspest 15-16ch sort.

Velvets Are Wanted

day, and are not hotting in Novetties. Our stock will not discount you.



thunder, Many ple aros forty-five seconds. forty-five seconds. Englewood, N. J., Sept. 1.—An earth-quake shock was experienced in this place this morning at 6.10 o'clock. The

a month's idleness and Governor Rich a month's identises and Governor Rich has dispatched six companies of the Fifth regiment of infantry to the scene for the purpose of affording all the pro-tection which the sheriff and the own-ers of the great mines may need to place this morning at 6.10 o'clock. The wave seemed to pass from the north to the south. Mirrors were swayed on the walls of dwellings, clocks were made to strike out of time, and people in bed were awakened by the vibra-tions of the earth. The shock was ac-companied by a noise as if a big roller was being run over the streets. ers of the great mines may need to keep the peace and resume business. The thousand odd strikers, skilled miners, laborers, trimmers and steam shovel men, who have been reduced to desperate straits by their idleness and the prospects of seeing other men fill their places, threaten to prevent the operation of the shovels, and the sit-uation is alarming. Colonel Lyon of It Resembled Thunder.

Rahway, N. J., Sept. 1.-Two distinct shocks of earthquake were feit here early this morning. The first was at 3 o'clock, but was light. At 6 o'clock the shock lasted five seconds and was ac-companied by a rumbling noise re-sembling thunder. No damage has uation is alarming. Colonel Lyon, of the Fifth regiment, arrived here this afternoon with two companies of his regiment from Houghton, and at once put his men in camp under strict disline, expecting serious work for them

sembling thunder. No damage has been reported. Wilmington, Del., Sept. 1.—A slight earthquake tremor was felt here at 6.10 o'clock this morning. The duration of the shock was about one second, but it was generally felt in the city and the vicinity. The last previous tremor here was on March 8, 1838. Sandy Hook, N. 'J., Sept. 1.—A shock, apparently that of an earthquake, last-ing about three seconds, was felt here about 6.05 a. m. cipine, expecting serious work for them tomorrow. The merchants, who were at first-in sympathy with the strikers, are now against them for their stubbornness, and have refuxed to extend credit for provisions, which has resulted in much privation among the families of the strikers. The business men fear loot-ing of their stores, and armed watch-men patrol the streets and guard the interior of business houses tonight.

about 6.08 a. m. High Bridge, N. J., Sept. 1.—An earth-quake shock was felt here about 6 o'clock this morning, and from reports received here it appears to have been feit all through this county. Buildings rocked, beds were shaken, rudely arous-ing people who had not yet arisen, and, in a number of houses articles fell from theles. LENAHAN SATISFIED. Will Not Become a Candidate fo

perior Court Judge. secial to the Scranton Tribune Wilkes-Barre, Pa., Sept. 1.-Attorney John T. Lenahan, of this city, returned

Ing people who had not yet attach, and, in a number of houses articles fell from shelves. Tong Branch, N. J., Sept. 1.—At Long Branch the earthquake was felt more distinctly than at say other place along the coast. The residents in several in-stances ran out of their houses, think-ing the buildings were about to fall. Coney Island, N. Y., Sept. 1.—Shortly after 6 o'clock this morning an earth-quake shock was felt here. The large hotels all got a good shaking. The shock lasted several seconds. Asbury Park N. J., Sept. 1.—An earth-quake shock was distinctly felt at As-bury Park at 6.06 o'clock this morning. Dishes rattled in closets and in several cases plaster was knocked from cell-ings. The shock had the nature of a heavy rumbling, and in the upper stories of houses it seemed as if some-thing heavy was being moved on the lower floors. Camden, N. J., Sept. 1.—An earth-quake this morning was perceptibly felt here and extended throughout South Jersey as far as Atlantic county. Washington, Sept. 1.—The sarthquake reported from New Jersey this morning was not noticed here. The delicate seismic recorders at the mayal observa-tory did not indicate the slightest dis-turbance here. Morristown, Pa., Sept. 1.—Three dis-tinct shocks of earthquake were feit last evening from a four months' visit in Europe. There has been consider-able talk of nominating Mr. Lenahan on the Democratic ticket for one of the Superior court judges, but last night he said positively that he would not allow his name to come before the state con-He is perfectly satisfied with his practice at the Luzerne county bar, and says he does not aspire to any judge-ship in the state.

ARRESTED AT ZURICH.

Man Supposed to Be William Foster Is Captured in Switzerland.

Caprared in Switzerland. Berne, Sept. 1.—A man supposed by some persons to be William R. Foster, who is wanted in New York for falsi-fying his accounts to the extetnt of \$193,000, has been arrested at a hotel in Zurich. It is not absolutely certain that the prisoner is the person for whom the police are looking. He was accompa-nied by a handsome young lady who passes as his wife.

THE CUBAN SUSPECTS.

tory did not indicate the angulast di-turbance here. Norristown, Pa., Sept. 1.—Three dis-tinct shocks of earthquake were feit here at 6.10 o'clock this morning. Many of those who were awakened by the vibration feit their house rise and fail as a boat on the ocean. The earthquake lasted about one minute. They Decide to Remain in Wilmington Until After Their Trial. Wilmington, Del., Sept. 1.—The Cuban suspects who were held for a hearing yesterday for violation of the neutrality laws, did not leave the city last night, but have taken quarters at a hotel and declare they will remain here until af-ter their trial.

FARMER ATTACKED BY DEER. This morning they attended church ogether and the rest of the day they levoted to seeing the sights of the city. Freditions as to the Animal's Timidit

CHOLERA IN THE ORIENT.

its Terrible Ravages at Nankin-Appea

Traditions as to the Animal's Timidity Now Being Rudely Shottered. Cariton, Minn., Sept. 1.—The time-honored traditions of the timidity and subsets of the doer are being rudely shattered is this part of the state. The farmers are becoming deeply impressed with the idea that the deer is not only in impudent and combative animal, but a most sagscious one as well. That the deer oan communicate with one an-other, as do himan beings, is certain, as is testmed to by Henrick Martila, a farmer realding al Spitt Rock, this tis found near hig bears a young fawn, manife to well. They was the doe, and when Wr. Martile farm Its Terrible Ravages at Naakin-Appear-ing in Vindivonsek. Ban Francisco, Sept. 1.—The steam-ship Copie arrived today from the Orient, one day shead of time. Choi-ers is committing terrible ravages in the city of Nankin. At first only the southern part of the town was effect-ed, but now the plague is everywhere and the mortality is very great. Bt. Petersburg. Sept. 1.—The minister of the interior has received reports that obsers is prevalent in Visdivators.

the zoological gardens, where a grand banquet was given. Enormous crowds gathered along the route, followed by the veterans, and cheered them again and again as they passed. In Munich there was a similar celebration. The city was decorated with flags and bunting and the streets were crowded with the inhabitants of the place and people from the surrounding towns and villages. Everywhere the patriotism of the people found vent in cheers for the men who took an active part in the events that led to the foundpart in the events that led to the founding of the German empire.

ARMENIA'S SUFFERINGS.

Fresh Outrages on the Part of the Turks Reported.

Reported. London, Sept. 1.—The Duke of West-minster, who is vice-chairman of the English committee formed for the re-llef of the Armenians from outrages at the hands of the Turks, received today full reports showing the inhumanity of the Turkish officials at Sassoun, who have put every possible obstacle in the way of the distribution of food, cloth-ing, medicines, and other forms of relief among the starving Armenians. The reports received by the duke as-sert that many Armenians are dying each day because of the systematic crueities practised by the Turkish offi-chais in the respects mentioned. Ur-gent representations have been for-warded to Lord Salisbury of the need of the immediate application of a large

warded to Lord Salisbury of the need of the immediate application of a large measure of relief, and alleging that the Turkish officials complained of are acting in accordance with the policy of the Porte, which has in view the extermination of the remaining Ar-menian fugitives.

THREATS OF LYNCHING.

Incteen-Year-Old Colored Boy Accused

Nincteen-Year-Old Colored Boy Accused of an Awful Crime. Marlboro, Md. Sept. 1.—Sheriff Dove and his deputies are guarding the county jail here tonight to prevent an attempt to lynch John Davidge, a 19-year-old colored boy, who is locked up charged with attempting to felon-tous assesult 5-year-old Emina Stewart. The sitempted crime was made on Friday during the absence of Mr. and Mrs. Stewart from their home in Kent district. Prince George county. Da-vidge made no attempt to escape and was arrested on the following morn-ing. The neighborhood is atoused and threats of lynching are freely made.

FREIGHT TRAIN WRECKED.

Twenty Cars Loaded with Cost, Coke and Iron Are Demolished. Huntingdon, Pa., Sept. 1.—A broken axle caused a serious wreck to an east bound freight train iast night on the Pennsylvania railroad aix miles west of this place. Twenty cars loaded with coal, coke and iron were demolished and both tracks blocked with the debris. B. E. Franka, a brakeman, married, residing in Harrisbury, was caught in the wreck and instantly killed. Trame was suspended until 10 o'clock this morning, the through trains going round by way of Sunbury.

TORN TO PIECES BY BEARS.

Main Zappher Thought to Have Mot a Terrible Ingels

A one-fare rate for the round trip has been secured on all roads center-ing in York, and indeed over all the railroads in the state. The galleries of the Opera House will be thrown open to the public at large to give ev-erybody an opportunity to hear the distinguished speakers, whose ad-dresses will be delivered it is hoped in the afternoon of the day of the con-vention. If this is impracticable a mass meeting will be held in the even-ing at which these gentlemen will at-tend. Nearly all the leaders of the party in the state expect to be on hand. Loosi Cinbs Will Send Delegates. A one-fare rate for the round trip Local Cinbs Will Send Delegates.

Local Cinbs Will Send Delegates. The Lackawanna Republican clubs are getting in shape to send represen-tatives to the approaching York con-vention. The West Side Central Re-publican club has joined the league with the others and proposes to be Ap-resented at York. The new Republican club in the Eleventh ward, it is hoped. will join with all the other league clubs in the county. The Keystone Campaign club, includ-ing the colored voters of the county, has joined the league and elected dele-gates. Fred W. Fleits, corfesponding secretary, is busy already arranging the details of the convention. Satur-day night the Thirteenth Ward Repub-lican club elected the following dele-gates to the York convention: G. G. Kearns, C. S. Jacoba, C. S. Beamons; alternates, M. W. Finn, T. P. Howe, A. C. Balley. C. Balley.

HIS FINGER BROKEN.

Painful Accident to Michael O'Neill, Jr.

tionary and colonial periods are espe-cially desired. Miss Josie Lees, chairman of the needlework committee, will receive fancy work, as will also the other mem-bers of the committee. Mrs. J. T. Por-ter is chairman of the art committee. Those who will contribute to the statue fund are requested to return the same at the meeting on Thurwday at 3 p. m. at the Young Women's Christian associa-tion rooms. of Misooka. Michael O'Neill, Jr., of Minooka brother of John O'Neill, the crack am

brother of John O'Neill, the crack am-ateur catcher, met with a painful ac-cident as he was returning from a base ball game at Dunmore yesterday eve-ning. He boarded an open car at the end of the Dunmore line just as the car arrived, and before the seals had been turned for the inward trip. He was standing on the running board, and had his right hand resting on the bottom of one of the rear seals. The conductor came along on the other side of the car and threw the back of the seat over; it caught his hand and fell with such force as to break one of the fingers and bruise the others. When he got home a doctor was sent for and his injuries attended to.

RECEIVED STOLEN GOODS. The Woman Who Bought Stolew Articles from the Boy Thieves Must Answer. Eight Hungarian women will be brought before Alderman Millar at 9 o'clock this morning to answer the charge of receiving stolen goods. These are the partles living on South Washington avenue, who encouraged the four lads who robbed Finley's, the Famous and the Four Cent store. Stolen goods were found in the house of each and the boys will testify that they sold the various articles to the women for very small sums, and that the goods were stolen. Detective Stephen Dyer served the warrants Saturday might. It is quite certain that all will be bound over to answer at court.

Knights of St. John. Harrisburg, Bept. I.-The annual convo-bakon of the Knight of St. John and Maita will be hold in the hall of the house of representatives beginning on Tuesday. About 500 delegates are expected.

Marshall MeDoneld. Washington, Sept. L-Marshall McDu ite, of West Virginia, who for the h even years has held the position failed distance commissions: of Seb a

WEATHER REPORT.

Schieren & Co.'s caused Deputy Warden Price, of the county jail, much worriment, he having been in the shaving line contemporaneeather ous with the prisoner and many con-flicted the two Prices. The warden has a slander suit arising out of the case. Belting TEST OF THE NEW GAS. crantonians Will Have an Opportunity of Seeing What Acetylene Is. Representatives of the Carbidell Manufacturing company, of Philadel-phia, the concern which manufactures

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this week, as the boxes must reach Philadelphia by Sept. 9. Miss Dickinson will be glad to receive relics, and she can be found at the Truth office. Articles of the revolu-tionary and colonial periods are espe-cially desired. THEY WEAR WELL THEY FIT WELL THEY FEEL WELL THEY LOOK WELL THEY SELL WELL We have them in a hundred styles.

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New T. M. C. A. Building Formally Opened Yesterday Afternoon. Testerday afternoon the new Young Men's Christian association building at Daiton was formally opened. Exercises were conducted by F. W. Pearsall, sec-retary of the Railroad Young Men's Christian association of this city, as-sisted by a glee club composed of Pro-fessor William Jones, Lieweilyn Jones, John Jones, F. D. Grover, James H. Hartman, Will Whitman and William J. Davis. James P. Dickson presided. There was a very large attendance, particularly of young men, many driv-ing from a distance, all of which speak well for the future of the Daiton asso-ciation. The quarters are very com-modious and well adapted for the pur-poses for which they are intended. Two baths are already in place, and a library is being collected. Later on it is hoped to introduce other attractions, such as symnasium apparatus and the like. RECEIVED STOLEN GOODS.

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