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CITY NOTES.

The estimates committee will meet Friday night, when the pollee appropriations will be considered. If the weather permits the Georgetown and Cornell base ball teams will meet in this city on April 2. The report of viewers in the matter of the nulsance at 309 Luzerne street was yesterday confirmed finally.

The Woman's Christian Temperatus nion of the central city will hold their egular meeting this afternoon at 2 regular meeting this o'clock. All welcome. There were thirty-four deaths in the city last week, two of which resulted from diphtheria. Four new cases of diph-theria and one of scarlet fever were re-ported.

John Scott, of Kingston, 45 years old, a fireman on the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western railroad, sustained a fracture of the kneecap yesterday. He was brought to the Moses Taylor hospital. Rev. P. J. McManus delivered a lecture at the Green Ridge library last night on his trip from "Green Ridge to Paris." It was very interesting and was listened to with great attention by the large au-

Clerk of the Courts John H. Thomas issued marriage licenses yesterday to William C. Griffiths and Ruth Birket, Car-bondale: Walter Gesner and Ida Swies, Scranton; John W. Raymond and Fannis Rollins, Scranton.

The adjourned annual meeting of the Lackawanna institute of History and Science, for the election of officers and the presentation of annual reports, will be held at the board of trade room on Tuesday, Feb. 18, at 4 p. m.

Saint Luke's Charghe, Pag. Page 19.

Tuesday, Feb. 18, at 4 p. m.

Saint Luke's Church-Rev. Rogers Israel, rector. Ash Wednesday 6 a. 10., holy communion; 10.30 a. m., service and sermon; 7.45 p. m., service and sermon; 7.45 p. m., service and sermon. There will be three services daily during the Lenten season, 10 a. m. and 12 m. every day, and at 4.30 p. m. every day save Wednesday and Friday, when the service will be at 7.45 p. m.

Rev. F. W. Whippen, late pastor for seven years at St. Albans, Vt., is expected in this city and will preach in the Universalist church, on Pine street, Feb. 23, morning and evening. He is a clergyman of ablity, and comes highly recommended by prominent clergymen in this state. The society here hope to secure his services as pastor for the coming year.

An unknown man, while in an hilarious An unknown man, while in an hilarious state of intoxication, early last evening, forced an entrance into the residence of Mrs. Fischer, at 21 Penn avenue, and terrorized the inmates with threats to burn down the house. Special Officer Casper, who happened near by, heard the tumult and, going to the house, took the ricious visitor into custody. He was locked up, pending a hearing this morning.

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The Green Ridge Wheelmen will keep open house to their friends this evening. Special arrangements have been made whereby complete election returns will be received as early as possible. The members invite all their friends to call and enjoy a pleasant evening. The affair will be decidedly informal, as no invitations have hear sent out. A continuvitations have been sent out. A continu-ous lunch will be served during the even-ing.

A "Cherry Tree Social" is the name of a unique entertainment which has been planned to be held at the rooms of the Young Women's Christian association this evening at 7.39. What is in this strange name all young women are invited to come and see. Good and varied music will add much to the pleasure of the evening, to be furnished by Miss Shively, who will sing, and Miss Klesel, on the guitar. Miss Fenner will recite a number of popular selections.

VAN NORT HAS RESIGNED.

No Longer Secretary of the Pennsylvania Division of Wheelmen.

Mr. Van Nort, of this city, secretary-treasurer of the Pennsylvania division of the League of American Wheelmen, has resigned his office and Philip S. Collins has been appointed in his place by Chief Consul Samuel A. Boyle. Pressure of business and personal in-terests made it necessary for Mr. Van

Attention Camp No 242, P. O. S. of A. All members of camp 242, P. O. S. of ... are requested to meet at their hall, 9 Wyoming avenue, Wednesday, Feb. 19, at 1 o'clock p. m., to attend the funeral of our deceased brother, Henry Clouser, Members of other camps are cordially invited to attend.

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NATIONAL DELEGATES REPORT

Give an Interesting Account of the Sesion in Washington-The Board Wants a Fire Marshal Appointed-Tarriff in Politics.

A regular meeting of the board of trade was held last night. The attend-ance was small, probably on account of the eve of election, but several matters of interest were considered and the session was not an unimportant one. For the transportation committee Secretary Atherton reported progress in the committee's endeavor to have the Lackawanna company return to its old mileage system. That the board has not abandoned its determination to ecure an appropriation this year for the office of fire marshal is shown in the following communication from the pub-lic safety committee, and which was read by the secretary:

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Owing to a lack of revenue to be derived from taxes for city purposes for the ensuing year, the estimate committee of the councils have been obliged to cut down the appropriations nearly 100 per cent. They have already stricken out the amount thought necessary to inaugurate a paid fire department, and fearing that the same fate may overtake the fire marshal appropriation, we feel that some action should be taken by this board. The expense to the city of a fire marshal will be so small compared with the benefits to be derived by the tax payers, should this office be created, that we sincerely believe that some provision should be made, even at the sacrifice of some less important matter. We therefore respectfully offer the following resolution:

Resolved, That a committee three, consticting of W. A. May, A. W. Dickson and the secretary, be appointed to wait on the estimate committee and that they most argently request them to appropriate the sum of \$1,000, that the office of fire marshal may be created, as provided by the laws of this commorwealth, and embodied in an ordinance now in the hands of the councils. Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) R. W. Lares. Chairman Public Safety Committee.

Resolution Was Adapted.

After the resolution contained in the communication had been adopted by a faltering vote, some one moved a reconsideration. The motion was carried faltering vote, some one moved a reconsideration. The motion was carried
and the resolution was adopted by a
vote of 8 to 6, nearly half the members
present refraining from voting. While
the matter was under discussion, it was
opposed by President May who, while
not disputing the necessity of a fire
marshal, thought the board could better see its wishes fulfilled by assisting
to bring about a reform in the system
of making assessments, and this he
urged as a means for bringing about
numerous other municipal necessities. numerous other municipal necessities numerous other municipal necessities. He argued that the city has not the means for any new enterprise and that the revenue might be largely increased by changing the present rule of making assessments. Colonet F. L. Hitchcock was, by amendment, added to the examplifies.

committee The secretary read the report of Col-F. L. Hitchcock and President W A. May, delegates to the recent meeting of the national board of trade meeting in Washington. Ordinarily such a report might be dry and uninteresting reading, but in this instance it was received with not a little interest and is not follows: as follows:

Report of the Delegates.

The Scranton Board of Trade.

Mr. President and Gentlemen:—Your delegates to the national board of trade, held in Washington, D. C., Jan. 28 to 30, inclusive, desire to make the following report:

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There were about 100 delegates in attendance, mostly from the larger cities. Chester, Peorfa and Trenton were the only cities represented with a population smaller than our own. There were more organizations represented from Pennsylvania than from any other state; Philadelphia, Pittsburg, Scranton and Chester having delegates in attendance, Three cities of Ohio, Cincinnati, Cleveland and Toledo, were represented.

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The personnel of the convention was far above the average. The men who attended as delegates were mostly past middle life and having been successful in their pursuits, either having retired or so systematized their bisiness that subordinates could look after it, now have the leisure as well as the inclination to study questions relating to commerce and the welfare of the mailon. Except for the minor prejudices in favor of their own pursuits—an accompaniment of all busy life—they were men singularly unblased in opinion and seemed to be desirous only of influencing opinion in favor of the best interests of the country.

The main questions before the meeting were those of the currency and finance, consular gffairs, postal affairs, railroad transportation, water-ways and lankruptcy serialation. The subjects pertaining to the equestions were handed in by the commercial bodies of the largest cities. Following the custom of the board, the representatives of the bodies handing in the subjects were referred. Our board not having submitted any subjects your representatives were not on any of the commit-

Great Labor and Study.

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It was surprising what labor and study the men composing these committees put upon the work they had in hand. This was notably the case with the chairmen of the committees on postal reform and internal water-ways. The chairman of the former committee must have expended hours and days upon getting the information with which his report was filled. He stated that he had corresponded with 2,000 newspapers to get at the amount of postage paid by them, as well as with thousands of business firms. These facts are given simply to show to what labor he went to get a complete report. He showed in the report that first-class mail matter paid 375 per cent, profit to the government, while third and fourth-class matter and the franking privilege caused a loss of 87 per cent. The defelt in the department for the fiscal year was \$9.000.000, caused wholly by the loss in carrying third and fourth-class mail matter and in the carriage of franked material. The committee strongly advocated the reduction of first-class mail matter to one-cent per every half ounce or fraction thereof and an increase upon third and fourth class matter so as to make the deficiency regreater than at the present time. The chairman of this committee, Mr. Acker, is a retail grocer of Philadelphia, Joing a boshness of a half a million dollars a year. It is simply wonderful how he is gible to attend to an enterprise of this size and character, requiring constant attention, and yet be able to give so much thought and time to a subject, in a sense, foreign to his business. As the equitable adjustment of postal rates is a subject which interests us here more than most of those discussed we desire to call your special attention to it. Mr. Acker has agreed to send us a number of copies of elis report so soon as it can be printed. When they are received we shall be glad to distribute them among the members of the board so that the members may become better acquainted with the subject and may intelligently assist in bringing about, desirable

Committee on Waterways. The report of the committee on water-ways was not second to the report of the committee on postal matters. The chair-man, Mr. L. M. Haupt, of Philadelphia, is a noted engineer, and he not only gave the subject careful thought, but brought to his assistance life-long practice. He is an enthusiast in the matter of deepening the water-ways already existing and in making new systems of water transportation. He thoroughly believes in the Nicaragua Canal, the Pitreburg and Lake Eric canal, the one to connect Lake Michigan with the Mississippi and one from New York through New Jersey to Bultimore. His arguments in favor of these improvements were unanswerable. He called attention especially to the fact of the over-development of means for land transportation to the neglect of water transportation. He also showed couclusively that for moving large tonnages and heavy freight the advantage was not only in favor of water transportation, but that, strange as it may seem, it stimulated land transportation in the vicinity of the water-ways.

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Upon the presentation of the report of the committees on consular affairs, in moving its adoption, Mr. Leason, or Boston, made a speech remarkable for its knowledge of the subject and its breadth of view. It seems that Mr. Leason had been appointed by the Boston Chamber of Commerce to investigate the dock systems of the cities of Europe, to take advantage of any improved methods in use in foreign municipalities in a contemplated improvement of the Boston Dock system. Whilst engaged upon these duties Mr. Leason had an opportunity to carefully examine and investigate the consular service of the United States. You can easily imagine that he was in a position to give information that an ordinary man could not give. It is needless to say his speech was most thorough and a very valuable addition to the report of the committee. Without the opportunity to acquire information which Mr. Leason had, a delegate would be singularly audacious in trying to discuss the subject of consular affairs on the same floor with him. The best that we ignorant ones could do was to pay strict attention and attend every session, which we did, in order to take home with us all the facts and notes we could, both for an inspiration to ourselves and to impart information to the bodies we represented. We can say for ourselves that we left the convention with broader views of the commercial interests of our great country and with the determination to do more in the future for the advancement of our organization, and the adoption of methods which will lead to best results in commercial affairs.

Eulogy of National Secretary.

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The eulogy of the secretary of the national board, who died during the year, also brought out the training, the scholarly development, as well as the business and Christian traits of the members of the board. We were surprised to listen to an oration from a commercial man from Chicago, replete with scholarly allusions, of wide range of language and excellent in rhetorical eeffet. The constant thought with your delegates was how do these men attend to their daily duties and yet find time to cultivate the refinements of tongue and intellect?

The peroration of Mr. Waldo Smith, of New York, in connection with the reelection of Mr. Frederick Fraley as president for the twenty-sixth time in his ninety-third year, was received by the board with a great deal of enthusiasm. He said: "England had her Gladstone, Germany her Bismarck, Italy her Leo XIII, and America her Frederick Fraley, all grand, old men."

Colonel J. A. Price, who represented our board for so long a period, is not yet forgotten. In some alliusion or some report his name is mentioned at every session of the national board. It seems that he impressed them with his indefatigable industry and efforts to promote the aims and objects of the board. Through him we are not unknown. It rests with us to broaden that knowledge and widen the influence our city already has among those composing the commercial bodies of the United Siates by considering the questions of national importance more thor-Eulogy of National Secretary.

composing the commercial bodies of the United States by considering the questions of national importance more thoroughly and minutely than we have. We rank high as a city when our age and size are considered; with industry and united effort on the part of the members of the board we can reach a more advanced position.

Respectfully submitted.

W. A. May.

W. A. May. F. L. Hitchcock. Committees for the Year.

Builders' Exchange—Conrad Schroeder, chairman; George Brown, Frank Carlucci, John Benore, J. W. Howarth.
Postal Affairs—David Pickens, chairman; W. H. Taylor, Samuel Samter,
Publication—R. J. Foster, chairman; J. H. Cobb, S. G. Kerr.
Public Safety—R. W. Luce, chairman; F. L. Hitchcock, Victor Koch, George Keller, C. F. Whittemore,
Hanquet—C. H. Pond, chairman; E. G. Coursen, E. L. Fuller, Charles Schlager, T. C. von Storch,
Membership—Secretary, chairman; A. J. Casey, Samuel Lebeck, W. H. Pierce,
Assessments—D. T. Yost, chairman; C. B. Scott, Walter Matthews.

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B. Scott, Waiter Matthews.

It will be noticed that the manufacturers' committee, the most important on the list, contains the names of particularly influential and well-known business men. The two new members of this committee are Walter Henwood, manager of the Clark & Snover Tobacco company, and F. S. Barker, school controller from the Seventeenth ward, and a member of the firm of S. ward, and a member of the firm of S.
G. Barker & Co, scale manufacturers.
These two appointments, like many others made by President May, indicate his policy in drafting from the younger element on the board.

A significant appointment is that of

A significant appointment is that of Street Commissioner Kinsley to the chairmanship of the committee on streets and highways.

Good Deal of Important Work. A committee that will have considerable important work to do at the end of the year is the board of trade building committee. Its personnel of itself speaks of the kind of work the committee is expected to accomplish. It will pass upon and in a measure de-cide all questions that may arise in regard to the occupancy and furnishing of the building to be erected on Linden

Another committee whose labors will be watched with interest is the ban-quet committee. The board will cele-brate its twenty-fifth anniversary during May or June, probably at the Hotel Jermyn, and it is proposed to make the event a gala one in the history of the

organization. Franklin Henshaw was unanimously elected a mebmer of the board. A copy of the report made by the na-tional board's committee on 1-cent post-age was referred to the committee on legislation and taxes with instructions to report at the next meeting. The secretary read a communication from the Tariff Commission league of Newthe Tariff Commission league of New-ark asking the board's co-operation in a movement to eliminate the tariff fea-ture from politics. The matter was favorably discussed and was referred to committee, the secretary being in-structed to notify the commission league that the board approved of the proposed conference to be held in April. The wisdom of sending delegates was deferred until the next meeting.

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H. E. Paine created much amusement by his exceptions to a communication from the secretary of the West Side board of trade, which was addressed to "The Central Board of Trade," Mr. Paine did not hesitate to deplore the use of the word "central." However, the communication was ordered placed on file; it was a letter thanking the board for its approval of the viaduct project.

Crowed Condition of Street Cars.

A. W. Dickson called to the board's attention the crowded condition of the street cars of the Scranton Traction company, the discourteous conduct of the company's employes and the irregular intervals at which the cars are run. He was supported in the matter by R. J. Foster, J. A. Lansing and the secretary. The matter was referred to the committee on public safety with instructions to recommend the passage of an ordinance by councils or some other means to remedy the present condition of traffic. Several matters of minor interest were acted upon before adjournment. Crowed Condition of Street Cars.

The finest line of wines, cigars, malt and other liquors in the city at Loh-mann's, Spruce street. E. Robinson's, Milwaukee and Feigenspan's beers on

Candidates on Republican Ticket Will Be Elected.

SURE OF LARGE PLURALITIES

Chairman Stevens Did Not Quote Figures but Said the Result Will Be a Decisive Victory-What the Democrats Say.

Cold did not deter the political workers from attending strictly to business yesterday. They were in evidence ev-erywhere and were doing their utmost to win votes for their favorites. Even until late into the night they did not tire of well doing, and persisted in their efforts until long after midnight. This morning they will be again industriously at work.

All of the indications are that a very large vote will be rolled today in the

large vote will be polled today in the different sections of the city and that the Republican candidates will be fathe Republican candidates will be fa-vored with a large sized majority of these votes. There has been a senti-ment of steady growth in favor of the election of Colonel Ripple and all of his associates on the ticket which will cul-minate today in their election by a vote that will be a fitting rebuke to the men who have persistently and maliciously assailed them since they were first men-tion in connection with the offices for which they are now candidates.

Messrs. Ripple, Williams and Widmayer and the candidates for assessor

mayer and the candidates for assessor are all able gentlemen in whose hands the interests of the city can be placed with the assurance that they will receive the most careful attention. In the keeping of such men the taxpayers know that the business affairs of the city are safe, and they will receive a large vote today from the thinking, conservative taxpayers of the city. The attacks that have been made on the Republican candidates openly and by innuendo have reacted, and will prove another element of strength today, notwithstanding that many men were acwithstanding that many men were actively engaged yesterday circulating stories of every conceivable character that would be calculated to arouse prejudices against the Republican

Plan That Will Not Work.

It is a plan that, will recoil on the standerers. The manhood, integrity and sterling worth of the men who are put forward as the Republican nominees have been proved time and again, and their loyalty and faithfulness to and their loyalty and faithfulness to every duty imposed upon them are so well known that the detractor will find that his work is worse than useless.

There were hundreds of callers at Republican headquarters yesterday who brought news of the progress of the battle in all parts of the city. The reports were uniformly encouraging and from the figures they gave it is safe to predict that the Republican ticket will be elected and have a surplus of upwards of 2,000 votes. It was a very representative lot of Republicans who visited headquarters during the day, comprising men who are prominent in all of the various walks of life. They came to talk about the situation as they viewed it in the vicinity where they live and to offer their assistance in getting and to offer their assistance in getting out the vote. The energy and activity no less than the great desire of Republicans to do something to assist in the election of the ticket was one of the very encouraging features of the closing hours of the campaign and one that the managers of the campaign highly appreciated. It simplified their work and gave them assurance anew that the Fellows-Scranton kickers were few and far between.

What Field Marshal Stevens Sald.

of the result of tomorrow's battle the time for doubt has passed. We are safely out of the woods. The attacks on Mr. Connell have made a great many votes and won many ardent champions for the ticket. I have received letters from a number of men who said that but for the attacks on Mr. Connell they would not have interested themselves at all in this fight as it is they have entered heart and soul into the contest. The mud thrown at Colonel Ripple and the attack upon his military record have had a similar effect—they have won hundreds of votes for our candidates.

"How large will the pluralities be?
Well, I have always preferred to do
my figuring on pluralities the day after
election and I think that's the best
plan. You can be assured though that
the pluralities will be large enough to make the victory most decisive."

Demogratic Point of View. At Democratic headquarters on Wyoming avenue all was confusion and disorder. A number of men and boys stood in the hallway and others fille the small room in the rear of the second floor used as headquarters proper. Leading from this room is a smaller apartment where Chairman Horn and several other well known Democrats were interviewing those who had "business" at headquarters. A stout gen-tleman who looked as if he had been promised a position on the police force guarded the door of this holy of holes and if he thought the petitioner's "business" was of sufficient importance

he was admitted to the presence of the A Tribune reporter succeeded in run-ning the gauntlet and had an interview with George Horn, the chairman of the Democratic city committee. Mr. Horn said that they had the campaign well in—kand and would elect their ticket by pluralities ranging from 1,500 to 2,000. It is unnecessary to add that he declined to figure out where such pluralities were coming from. The polls, he said, would be manned today by volunteers and that all of the laggards would be brought out.

Yesterday afternoon the Democratic watchers and election officers met in Industrial hall, on Spruce street, where they were instructed as to their duty. they were instructed as to their duties by Attorney C. C. Donovan, E. C. New-comb, John P. Quinnan and R. J. Beamish.

mish.
Tonight both parties will receive returns at their headquarters.

Paving Out the Money.

A determined effort was made last night by the Democratic campaign managers and will be continued today to debauch the voters by the liberal use.

to debauch the voters by the liberal u to debauch the voters by the liberal use of money. The South Side the boodle dispensers made their special stamping ground last night and they were lavish in their use of coin of the realm. To the Twentieth ward alone \$500 was sent by the pure minded patriots who are fighting the battle for Democracy for the purpose of endeavoring to thwart an honest expression of the will of the people today.

WHAT COLONEL RIPPLE DID. He Put the City on a Sound Firm Financial Footing.

"Every man in this building ought to vote for Colonel Ripple," said As-sistant City Engineer Edward Sher-wood to a group discussing politics in the engineers' office yesterday after-noon. "When he became mayor the noon. "When he became mayor the city employes were going around this town ou the first of every month peddling their orders for 80 and 85 cents on the dollar. One of the first things he did on assuming office was to arrange with the Third National bank to have the policemen's orders cashed at par and all other orders to be accepted at a discount proportionate to the interest, which was something like 3 per cent, for three months.

"Then he framed and engineered through councils an ordinance prohibiting the issuing of city warrants except when there was cash to meet them and ever since then there hasn't been a city order peddled on the street and a city employe receives his full pay."

MEETING AT ARMORY. It Was a Powderly Instead a of Good Goy

ernment Meeting. Every election eve a big crowd comes up town, or down town, or over town as the case may be. Last night was no exception to the rule, and as the usual curb stone committees found that kicking their heels wouldn't keep the blood in circulation, they adjourned to blood in circulation, they adjourned to the armory, where there was steam heat, no admission charged and a prom-ise of entertaining speeches. The lat-ter card was quite as attractive as any territory of the cold of the others, many braving the cold weather simply to satisfy the average citizen's craving desire to know what one man is going to say in reply to an-other who has had something to say about him.

Between those who had no other

Between those who had no other place to go to get in out of the cold and those who were attracted by the Powderly-Pitzsimmons controversy, a fair sized crowd was present last night to listen to the last desperate wailings of the Democrats. That they had been misled into believing that there was a great disruption in the Republican party was evident in every feature of the meeting, and particularly in the fact that not a baker's dozen of Republicans were in attendance. Republican disruption was their last hope and so certain were the managers that and so certain were the managers that there would be evidence of it at the meeting that they called it a good gov-ernment meeting in order to open the doors to their disgruntled allies. But they falled to materialize and the disconsolation was great thereat.

Good Deal Growling Done. This being the case, the pre-arranged tactics were deserted and the meeting was turned into a growling contest, in which Saturday night's meeting and Mr. Powderly came in for the greatest share of the snarls. The fact that Mr. Powderly had dared to hint that there is nothing in the law of the land which gives the Democratic party a mortgage on Irishmen aroused the wrath of the unterrified, and they took occasion to vent their ire in unbridled terms.

Select Councilman M. E. Clarke was selected as the most prominent Democrat present outside of the speakers and was made chairman. In keeping with his unbroken record, Mr. Clarke made no speech, but contented himself This being the case, the pre-arranged

made no speech, but contented himself with simply introducing the speakers. Edward Merrifield opened the meeting with a very eloquent tirade against corruption in politics. Cornelius Com-egys tried to work up enthusiasm with anarchial arguments and snarling references to "people of wealth who live in fire houses," but this, like his state-ment that the generosity of Connell and

ment that the generosity of Connell and Ripple was the mere promptings of sel-fishness, was met by an ominous stlence. Colonel Fitzsimmons was introduced as the Burke Cochran of Lackawanna Democracy. His appearance was greet-ed with long applause, punctuated with cries of "Powderly," Powderly." The crowd came to hear what he had to say about Powderly and so to gratify them he confined bimself almost enthem he confined himself almost en-tirely to a vindictive onslaught on Scranton's most widely known citizen, during which he made some intemper-ate statements, which, while they did not carry much logic or truth with hem, pleased the Democratic and that was satisfactory to the eloquent colonel.

He Had Accepted a Call.

Mr. Boland was next introduced and inreservedly informed the "fellow-citiunreservedly informed the "fellow-citi-zens" that there had been "a great pub-lic demand for us and we only accepted to satisfy the desire of the will of the people." He made an excuse for the Democratic defeat which today will witness by stating that he had heard that wholessle frauds were to be perpetuated on the ballot boxes and the

City Chairman A. B. Stevens looked pleased and happy when seen by a Tribune reporter late yesterday afternoon at headquarters.

"Of course we're going to win," he said in reply to the interviewer's question. "There's no doubt about it. If there ever was any doubt in my mind of the result of tongerow's hattle the next told the assemblage to cheer up. that victory was staring them in the face and the like

face and the like.

Nathan Vidaver, following the spirit of the occasion, also jumped on Powderly. He ridiculed, or rather attempted to create a laugh by referring to "Mr. Powderly's big glasses and flerce mustaches," but the crowd, which was made up mainly of men springing from the same race as the great ex-labor chief, did not take kindly to a man of Vidaver's weight ridiculus one of their Vidaver's weight ridiculing one of their own who had brought such honor upon them, and it not only refused to laugh. but gave unmistakable signs of disap

proval.

Mr. McGinley closed the meeting by leading in giving three cheers for th

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BURIED AT CARBONDALE.

Funeral of Miss Bridget Neplon from Her Home on Carouse Avenue.

The funeral of Miss Bridget Nealon ever have to get The funeral of Miss Bridget Nealon took place yesterday morning from her late home on Capouse avenue. The remains were conveyed to St. Peter's cathedral, where a solemn high mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. J. J. B. Feeley. Rev. J. A. O'Reilly was deacon and Rev. Father Malone, subdeacon.

After the mass the remains were tak-en to Carbondale, where interment was made in the Catholic cemetery.

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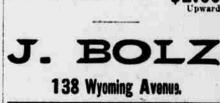
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