## GRANTING RIGHTS TO ROAD BUILDERS

Bill Introduced by Mr. Baldwin at Harrisburg Yesterday.

ELECTRIC ROADS IN THE COUNTRY

Measures Regulating the Rights to Build Trolley Ronds on the Public Highways -- A Resolution to Remove the Stained-Glass Windows in the Church Where the Legisla-

Harrisburg, Pa., March 12.-The house met promptly this morning at 9 o'clock and heard a lot of reports from committees.

Among the bills read in place were the following: By Mr. McClain, of Lancaster-To

repeal the act of 1868 relating to the fees of officers, which reads as fol-

Provided, that this act shall not ap-

ply to the counties of Allegheny, Lan-caster, Philadelphia Beaver and Washington, and sheriff of Dauphin county. By Mr. Baldwin, of Delaware—Au-thorizing and regulating the granting of the right to build and operate electric railways upon the public highways in the townships of the state. It provides that any corporation already granted the right by charter to locale or construct an electric railway shall have the right to build and operate the same upon any public road, proylded the same is not already occupied by an electric railway or has prior right to occupy the same located within one or more townships when they have procured in writing the conthe land or lands abutting upon the road for a distance equal to two-thirds of the entire distance that said road occupies within said township or town ships. The location of the road musbe agreed upon by the authorized agents of the company and supervisors of the townships. These failing to agree, the court is required to appoint a jury of five to locate the road, their expenses to be paid by the company. By Mr. Hammond, of Westmoreland

deem such necessary. Mr. Baldwin, of Delaware, offered a resolution which was adopted, provid- hopeful feature of the situation is tha ing for the removal of the stained glass the gain is so nearly devoid of ele windows of the church which the leg- ments which involve unsoundness are Islature is now occupying and the re- probable reaction. The money mar placing of the same with clear glass kets continue especially favorable t at a cost of not to exceed \$200.

-Providing that boroughs and town-

ships may elect supervisors, principals

After reading a number of bills the such speculation epidemic as to loc first time the house adjourned until 9 up an excessive share of available o'clock Monday evening.

#### COMEDIAN WILSON REBELS.

#### Says He Will Not Submit to the Theatrical Trust.

New York, March 12.-Francis Wilson, the comedian, has declared war on the theatrical trust controlled by Messes, Hayman, Frohman, Rich, Har- furnaces have started this month. Th ris, Nixon, Zimmerman, Klaw and Erlanger. Mr. Wilson's time was partially booked by the syndicate, when his in the great steel works, whose stock manager discovered that would be the are not reported, but their orders with only way to avoid a clash of dates with De Wolf Hopper, who recently placed himself under the booking con- the railroad world have been encoun

inpanies to arrange their season so as not to conflict. This relief, and tends toward greater has year Mr. Wilson's manager found that mony of coal interests for the futur the syndicate was doing the booking for At the same time the reduction which the big star of "El Capitan," and that | will be announced today of 25 cents dates would fall together. So, to avoid friction, Wilson allowed the trust to larger demand and better employmen book him.

When it came to playing Baltimore and Washington it is said the comedian far reported shows an increase of 3 was told that he must appear at the Academy of Music and the Lafayette Square theater respectively. All his previous engagements have been at last year, and 31 in Canada against 60 Ford's in Baltimore and the National in Washington. Mr. Wilson rebelled and his time at the Philadelphia house controlled by the syndicate was can

Wilson then refused to play the syndicate dates in other cities, and a theatrical war is on in consequence.

# FINAL JOINT SESSION.

#### School Superintendents Close Their Deliberations at Harrisburg.

Harrisburg, Pa., March 12.-The final foint session of the convention of city borough and county school superintendents was held this morning in the assembly hall of the high school building. Superintendent C. A. Babcock, of Oil City, and Professor H. J. Roddy delivered interesting addresses on "Bird Day in the Public Schools," and

carefully prepared paper on "The Functions and Duties of the Superintendent" was read by Superintendent

Professor E. H. Green, of West Chester, spoke on "English Literature in Our Public Schools." Resolutions were adopted favoring an appropriation by the legislature for township high schools and opposing any cut in the school appropriation.

The representation of delegates to the school appropriation.

To the purpose of electing two delegates to the purpose of electing two delegates to the state Convention at Harrisburg. New York, March 12.—Flour—Quiet, Vigilance committees will hold delegate adopted favoring an appropriation by the legislature for township high schools and opposing any cut in the school appropriation.

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New York, March 12.—Flour—Quiet, New York Produce Market.

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# DELAWARE MYSTERY.

#### Body of a Woman Found with Her Skull Crushed In.

Milton, Del., March 12.-The finding of the body of a well-dressed and pretty woman in the Broad Kiln river at a election districts are entitled to representation us follows, viz.: has caused a great sensation.

The folks of the town declare that Lackawanna Township, South District. murder has been committed. In an old Lackawanna Township, West District, boat near where the body was discovered were found a quantity of hair- Lackawanna Township, East District, pins and a part of a woman's wearing

It is supposed that the woman either Madison ... came here or was brought from a dis- Newton Attorney General White was notified of the finding of the body to-night, and he thinks it may be a cuse of suicide.

North Abington
Old Forge, First District....
Old Forge, Feerth District....

# INNOCENT MAN SHOT BY POLICE.

#### Fatally Wounded by Bullets Intended | Spring Brook ..... for a Burglar.

Chicago, Ill., March 12.—Bullets fixed by police officers and Pinkerton men Taylor, Third Ward.... in pursuit of a burglar struck Albert Ziemer, a Cloveland, O., merchant, and Taylor, Fifth Ward...... he is now at the county hospital in a Waverly dying condition. The shooting took place shortly after midnight, in Plymouth place, opposite the Great Northern hotel, where Ziemer was a guest. A thief, pursued by several police- GEORGE J. POWELL, Secretary.

men, dashed part him, and five or six thots were fired at the fleeing burglar by the officers in pursuit, and Ziemer New York Has a Scheme for the Rewas in range of the bullets and two of

An hour after this a policeman found the body of another man, at Madison and Market streets. A bullet had drilled a hole in his abdomen. The police believe the dead man was one of the burglars who were chased by the police, and that their bullets had taken effect on him.

SLEEP-WALKER CUTS HER HAIR.

Miss Lulu Reeder Despoils Herself of Twenty-seven Inch Tresses.

Janesville, Wis., March 12.-Miss Luig Reeder had a fine head of hair. twenty-seven inches long, of which she was very proud. When she got up she was greatly surprised to find that durng the night she had been relieved of her tresses. They were cut off close to her head. When the family went lownstairs the mystery was solved. Lying on the floor of the sitting oom was the hair with the shears lying on top. Miss Reeder had been walking in her sleep and cut off her own hair without knowing it.

#### AFFECTIONS VALUED AT \$50,000.

Big Verdict Awarded for Disturbing the Domestic Pence.

New York, March 12.-The trial of the action of Margaret P. Buchanan against Kate M. Foster for the allenation of the affections of the late Dr. Alexander Buchanan, culminated in a ealed verdict for the full amount of the claim-\$50,000.

The judges gave Mrs. Buchanan an extra allowance of \$1,250, and denied the motion for a new trial,

#### STEADY IMPROVEMENT.

#### went of the party or parties owning The Increase in Business is Gradual, but Exhibits Elements of Soundness That Are Unmistakable.

New York, March 12 .- R. G. Dun & No. will say tomorrow in their weekly

Review of Trade: It is a curious illustration of human nature, this continued discouragement even while the increase of productiv industries and of legitimate busines steadily grows. No genuine or lasting improvement could come otherwis of schools when the directors may than slowly and step by step, after such a depression as the past four years have witnessed, and the mos industrial recovery, and there is n The annual statement of wheat in farmers' hands March 1 hav not in the least stimulated speculation The price has declined 3½ cents for th week, and corn is also a fraction lower Iron furnaces March 1 were produc ing 170,000 tons weekly, 7,000 tons or per cent more than Feb. 1, and al though visible stocks have increase 30,000 tons in four weeks, still mor demand for finished products still lag behind the supply of pig iron, excet out doubt cover full production for several months. The chief events i rol of the combine.

It has been the practice of the man- Valley to the control of the Morga

> prices of anthracite, looks toward in the future. March earnings for railroads the per cent, over last year. Failures for the past week have been

# last year.

#### DISTRICT CONVENTIONS. Second Legislative District.

Notice is hereby given that a convention will be held in the arbitration room, court house on Tuesday, March 16, 1897, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing two delegates to represent the Second Legislative district of Lackawanna county at the state convention to be held at Harrisburg, and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the convention.

The primaries for the election of dele-gates will be held at the several polling places on Saturday, March 13, 1897, between the hours of 4 and 7 p. m.

Fred W. Fieltz.

Chairman Chairman.

Charles S. Seamans, Secretary.

# Third Legislative District.

In accordance with a resolution adopt-d by the Republican standing committee Functions and Duties of the Superintendent tendent" was read by Superintendent J. M. Coughlin, of Wilkes-Barre. Abladiscussion of these two subjects was indulged in generally by the members of the two conventions.

Perfector F. H. Green, of West Ches. Professor E. H. Green, of West Chester, spoke on "English Literature in Our Public Schools," Resolutions were clestions on Saturday, March 12, 187, be-clestions on Saturday, March 13, 187, be-clestically suppose the saturday of th

said district convention is based upon steamer yellow, 27c.; steamer white, 27 the vote cast at the last preceding gen- 274c.; rejected, 24c.; options dull and firm eral election for Hon. William Mckinley, Republican candidate for the office of President of the United States, he being the highest officer voted for at the said

general election.

In pursuance of this rule the several

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THURSTON S. PARKER, Chairman.

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Philadelphia Provision Market.

hams, S. P. cured, in tierces, \$1\_a\$1\_c.; do, smoked, \$1\_a\$1\_c., as to average and brand; sides, ribbed, in sait, \$1\_a\$2\_c.; do, do, smoked, \$1\_a\$2\_c.; shoulders, pickle cured, \$1\_a\$2\_c.; shoulders, pickle cured, \$1\_a\$2\_c.; do, do, smoked, \$1\_a\$2\_c.; pickle cured, \$2\_a\$2\_c.; do, do, smoked, \$1\_a\$2\_c.; beilies, in pickle, according to average, loose, \$1\_a\$2\_c.; breakfast bucon, 7a fc., as to brand and average; lard, pure, city refined, in tierces, \$15\_a\$2\_c.; do, do, in tubs, \$1\_a\$2\_c.; do, butchers', loose, \$4\_a\$1\_c.; city tallow, in hogsheads, \$13\_a\$2\_c.; country do., \$2\_a\$2\_c., as to quality and cakes, \$1\_a\$2. Albany, March 12.-A bill has been introduced in the assembly which authorizes the city of New York to appropriate \$100,000 for the equipment and maintenance of a farm colony near

Buffalo Live Stock.

jority of the legislators. Governor Black signed the "knock-Buffalo, N. Y., March 12.—Cattle—Steady: light butchers' to medium steers, \$3.90ai.35; common to good fat cows, \$2.25a \$3.25. Veals—Dull; good, \$5a5.75; common to fair, \$4a4.75. Hogs—Stronger; Yorkers, \$4.05a4.10; mixed packers, \$4.405; mediums, \$4; pigs, \$3.85a1; roughs, \$3.25a2.60; stags, \$2.50a.3.10. Sheep and lambs—Firm; prime lambs, \$3.40a2.60; good to choice, \$5a.640; culls to fair, \$3.30a4.75; mixed sheep. out drops" bill, which makes it a felony for any person other than a licensed druggist or physician to have in his possession or to administer to any 5.40; culls to fair, \$3.3044.75; mixed sheep, good to choice, \$4.2044.40; common to fair, \$3.6544.15; culls, \$2.5063.25.

> Chicago Live Stock. Chicago, March 12.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,000 head; market steady; common to ex-

New York, March 12.-Speculation at the Stock exchange early in the day was devoid of feature and extreme duliness prevailed, but during the aftertra steers, \$5.70a5.50; stockers and feeders, \$2.46a4.25; cowe and bulls, \$1.90a3.50; calves, \$3.50a4.25; Hogs-Receipts, 17.000 head; market firm and 5chigher; heavy packing and shipping lots. noon the market developed an unusual degree of strength and in a number of instances, sharp advances were recorded. Had it not been for the Vanderbilt group the session would have been without important incident, but the \$3.903.85; common to choict mixed, \$3.95a 3.90; choice assorted, \$3.85a1.95; light, \$3.75a 3.90; pigs, \$3.50a3.85. Sheep—Receipts, 5.00 fact that a steady absorption of New York Central, Canada Southern and head; market firm; inferior to choice, \$3a 4.20; lambs, \$4a5.25. Omaha took place inspired the traders with builish proclivities with more Oil Market. confidence than on any previous day of Oil City, Pa., March 12.-Option oil, Mc.; the week. The rise in the Vanderbilts was accompanied by reports that several prominent capitalists had taken hold of those stocks for a considerable CHIROPODIST AND MANICURE. advance. The most important gains were 3 per cent. In Omaha, 2 in West-A FAIR PRICE ern Union, 114 in Jersey Central and 1% in New York Central. The remainder of the list improved to the extent of \$48% per cent. Tobacco advanced

Sugar and Manhattan, and these only lost is per cent. Total sales were 189,-Furnished by WILLIAM LINN, AL

11s on the decision rendered at Trenton

in favor of the company, but a reaction

to 78% ensued. The only stocks that

showed net losses for the day were

TO PUT DRUNKARDS ON A FARM.

formation of Nuisances.

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MARKETS AND STOCKS.

Wall Street Review:

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First National Bank	650	
Elmhurst Boulevard Co		100
Scranton Savings Bank	200	***
Scranton Packing Co		93
Lackawanna Iron & Steel Co.		150
Third National Bank	350	***
Throop Novelty M'f'g. Co	VACE.	90
Scranton Traction Co	15	17
Scranton Axle Works	***	89
Weston Mill Co		250
Alexander Car Replacer Co		100
Scranton Bedding Co		105
Dime Dep. & Dis. Bank		***
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Lacka, Trust & Safe Dep. Co.	140	145
Crystal Lake Water Co	711	125
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Mt. Vernon Coal Co		85
Scranton Axle Works		100
Scranton Traction Co		95
Economy Steam, H. & P. Co.,		100

New York Produce Market.

274c.; rejected, 24c.; options dull and firm; March, 25c.; May, 254c.; July, 315c. Onts.—Dull, steady; options dull, firm; May, 215c.; July, 32c.; No. 2, 25c.; No. 2 white, 25c.; No. 2 chicago, 25c.; No. 3, 20c.; No. 3 white, 25c.; May, 25c.; May, 25c.; No. 3, 20c.; No. 3 white, 25c.; Mixed western, 21a3c.; Provisions—Quiet, steady, unchanged, Lard—Quiet, firmer; western steam, \$4.50; city, \$4.05; May, \$4.50; relined, dull; continent, \$4.75; South America, \$5; compound, \$2,a45c. Butter—Steady; state dulry, 2a 15c. do, creamery, 13a15c.; western creamery, 13a15c.; do, factory, 7a12c.; Eigins, 15c.; inditation creamery, lonl5c.; rolls, 8a 15c. Cheese—Steady, unchanged, Eggs tle. Cheese-Steady, unchanged, Eggs Steady; state and Pennsylvania, 11%

Chicago Grain and Provision Market. Chleago, March 12.-The leading futures Chicago, March 12.—The leading futures ranged as follows: Wheat-March, 714c., 724c., 724c., July, 684c., 704c., Corn-March, 234c., 254c., July, 684c., 704c., 244c., 244c., July, 254c., 254c., Oats-March, 164c., 164c.; May, 17c., 174c., July, 18c., 184c. Mess pork-May, 8446, 885c, July, 88.55, \$8.65. Lard-May, \$445, \$427c, July, 4425, \$435, \$427c, Cash questations were large at \$455, \$4475, \$ July, \$4.55, \$4.6212. Cash quotations we as follows: Flour was weaker, but trawas inactive; No. 2 spring wheat, 70-a 72c.; No. 3 do., 69a749c.; No. 2 red, 8145a 85c.; No. 2 corn, 234a234c.; No. 2 cats, 16c. No. 2 rye, 324c.; No. 2 barley, 35c.; No. 1 fluxseed, 774;a80c.; timothy seed, \$2.75; mess pork, \$3.40a8.45; land, \$4.124;a4.15; short ribs, sides, \$4.4524.65; shoulders \$4.504.75; short clear sides, \$4.62524.75 whiskey and sugars unchanged.

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