

AN EVANGELICAL CONVENTION

Interesting Meeting of the Alliance at Harrisburg. DR. J. L. GOOD, READING, PRESIDES

Rev. Luther De Yoe Deplores the Division of the Churches and Claims that the Existence of Sects is of the Devil -- The Statement Arouses Lively Discussion -- On Yellow Journalism.

Harrisburg, Nov. 18.—The Evangelical alliance convention, which opened here by Dr. J. L. Good, of Reading, this morning, Dr. L. T. Chamberlain, of New York, spoke on "Christian Cooperation."

The evening address of the afternoon session was delivered by Rev. C. H. Richards, of Philadelphia, who spoke on the "Federation of the Churches."

DR. STONE CONTENDS THAT SUCH AN ORGANIZATION IS COMPLETELY ACCORD WITH THE SPIRIT OF THE TIMES. In discussing the evils to be overcome by such a combined power for good as a unity of churches, he said, our government has become so corrupt that the deluging instrumentalities of foul literature, yellow journalism, unprincipled demagogues, rotten legislation, the overpopulation of the large cities and other pregnant causes that "we have become a stench unto God and man."

GRANGE PROCEEDINGS. Resolution Reducing Fees of Members Is Defeated. Harrisburg, Nov. 18.—A resolution was adopted at today's session of the National Grange, Patrons of Husbandry, appropriating \$500 for the use of the assembly of the national grange.

THEY WANT THE LAND. Arguments of Wilkes-Barre Citizens Who Seek Real Estate. Harrisburg, Nov. 18.—The board of property heard argument today in the application of George B. Thompson, John W. Berry and Ralph D. Lacey, jr., of Wilkes-Barre, for a tract of eighteen miles of land along the Susquehanna river at and near Wilkes-Barre and that of Samuel S. Craig, of Philadelphia, for thirty acres of land in the Fifteenth ward of Pittsburgh and 25 acres along the Ohio river in the vicinity of New Castle, Pa.

ROLLS SUPPLANT THE FORGE. An Iron Company's Innovation in Making Armor Plates. South Bethlehem, Pa., Nov. 18.—The rolling of armor plate was successfully accomplished today by the Bethlehem iron company, the feat, possibly, marking the beginning of a revolution in this work.

ALL AN ACCOUNT OF THE DAM. Pittsburg, Pa., Nov. 18.—Executions aggregating nearly \$40,000 were issued today against the firm of Hulings Brothers, the contractors who were building the Chanoinne dam on the Ohio river at Merrill, Pa.

FIRE IN PHILADELPHIA. A Four-Story Brick Is Destroyed. Loss, \$75,000. Philadelphia, Nov. 18.—The four-story brick building at 137-9 North Second street, occupied by S. Pack & Sons, wholesale dealers in mattresses and bedding, was gutted by fire tonight.

DIED OF HYDROPHOBIA. Victim of a Dog Bite Left Alone to Die. Nanticoke, Pa., Nov. 18.—Julius Ganski, of Hanover Green, who for several days had been in the throes of death from the effects of a dog bite ten weeks ago, died in an account of the case the Nanticoke News says.

SCHUWILK FUGITIVE CAUGHT. Ex-County Commissioners' Clerk Held for Embezzlement. Pottsville, Pa., Nov. 18.—This evening Phil J. Connell, the ex-commissioner's clerk, who has been a fugitive from justice the past two months, was brought here from Philadelphia to answer the charge of embezzlement of \$10,000 and forgery.

GOVERNMENT ARMOR PLANT. John Fritz Has About Completed the Plans for the Building. Bethlehem, Pa., Nov. 18.—John Fritz, appointed by the United States armor plate board, has about finished drawings for a government armor plant, and the naval board have presumably already a pretty good idea of the cost and capacity of such a plant.

Pottsville Justice. Pottsville, Pa., Nov. 18.—The case of Joseph Kitzarey, charged with the murder of John Gint, at Mahoning City, on Oct. 15 last, when Gint received gunshot wounds from which he died shortly after at the Miners' hospital, which has been on trial all week before Judge Archbald, was concluded this morning by returning a verdict of not guilty.

Burglars Crack a Postoffice Safe. Lancaster, Pa., Nov. 18.—The postoffice at Manheim was entered last night by burglars, who blew the safe to pieces with nitroglycerine. The concussion wrecked all the windows in the building. The burglars secured \$15 and a large quantity of stamps. Two \$10 bills were found on the floor this morning.

Susquehanna and Western Charter. Harrisburg, Nov. 18.—A charter was issued by the state department today to the Susquehanna and Western Railroad company to build a line from Wormleysburg to Mechanicsburg, a distance of six miles. The company is capitalized at \$200,000, with B. S. Moyers, of Harrisburg, as president.

JURY COULD NOT FIND A VERDICT

Puzzling Case Before the United States Courts at Philadelphia.

Another Trial For Henry Ettner The Jury Uncertain as to a "Reasonable Doubt--Case of Charles T. Jackson, Charged with Devising Schemes to Defraud by the Use of the Mails, Will Also Be Arraigned at Next Session.

Philadelphia, Nov. 18.—The jury in the case of Henry P. Ettner, formerly distributing clerk of the Lancaster postoffice, charged with embezzlement of letters containing articles of value from the mails, after being out since yesterday afternoon, deliberating upon a verdict, came into Judge Butler's United States district court this morning and asked for further instructions. The foreman said that the jury would like a further definition of what constitutes a "reasonable doubt."

The case of Charles T. Jackson, alias Charles T. Howard, alias W. F. Gorsuch, in which the defendant was charged with devising a scheme to defraud, effected by means of the mails, was taken away from the jury. The United States contended that Jackson traveled through the upper part of the state and obtained subscriptions from parties who destroyed their advertisements to be placed in a certain directory, and that he defrauded various persons by altering the amount of their subscriptions, etc. After the evidence was heard it was found that Jackson could be convicted on the charge preferred, and that if he had committed any offense, it was forgery. A demurrer to the bill of indictment was filed, and pending the disposition of the same, the defendant was committed to remain under \$1,200 bail for his appearance at the next term of court.

THE PIANO OF THE FUTURE. To Substitute an Electric Current for Lever and Hammer Arrangement. From the New York Journal.

No more hammers in pianos. The old-fashioned method of pounding music out of wires by the aid of a wonderfully complicated mechanism of levers and keys which all the world thought to be the ultimate perfection for the production of that sort of tone, has been abandoned as a back number. Dr. Richard Eisenstadt, of Berlin, for years a pupil of Professor Von Helmholtz, has patented a system which does away with the levers entirely. He calls this new appliance the electro-phonio piano. Its distinctive principle consists in the fact that the vibrations of the chords are not produced by hammers, but by an electric current, and by means of microphones acting as interrupters of currents.

RACES AT WASHINGTON. Washington, Nov. 18.—It was favorite day at the Binnings track, three first-class races and several others were run. Princess India, was backed at equal money for first place in the fourth race, coming under the wire first. Summary: First race, 1-16 miles--Ben Bonald won, Hugh Penny second, Debridge third; time, 1:32. Second race, 5/8 furlongs--Will Glenn won, Longacre second, Filament third; time, 1:12-1/4. Third race, 5/8 furlongs--Black Dute won, Giles Shine second, Redie third; time, 1:31-3/4. Fourth race, 5/8 furlongs--Arelia won, Pink Chambray second, Princess India third; time, 1:17-3/4. Fifth race, 1-1/8 miles--Athy won, Esberlow second, Eastertide third; time, 1:52-3/4.

LEXINGTON RACES. Lexington, Ky., Nov. 18.—Weather clear, track heavy. First race, mile--Lekeville Palace won, Necklake second, Lockhart third; time, 1:56-3/4. Second race, 5 furlongs--Irwin won, Conandy second, Decapo third; time, 1:27-3/4. Third race, eleven-sixteenths--Packer won, Lenity second, Vice Royal third; time, 1:12. Fourth race, 7 furlongs--Imp Sica won, Belle Bramble second, Imp Sica's mate third; time, 1:48-1/4. Fifth race, nine-sixteenths--Lord Praizer won, Fair Day second, Lauretta B third; time, 59 3/4.

Look Through The Tribune "Want" columns. It may pay you well. Many good things are continually offered in that department.

A DEBTOR'S PHILOSOPHY. Something for the Bill Collector to Ruminate Over. From London Tit-Bits. A collector of unpaid bills has a hard time of it, but one met a philosophical debtor recently who convinced him of some astounding facts. The collector said that he had been chasing the said philosophical debtor for some six months, and was getting tired. It was always "Come around tomorrow," or "Haven't got it now."

HELP WANTED. Advs. Under This Head One Cent a Word. WANTED IMMEDIATELY--10 DRESS MAKERS. Experienced help only. JOHNSON & SONS, Temporary Office, 223 Service street, Scranton.

HELP WANTED--MALES. Advs. Under This Head One Cent a Word. WANTED--FIRST CLASS COAT MAKER. Call or address, T. P. M'GRIFF, Avoca, Pa.

HELP WANTED--FEMALES. Advs. Under This Head One Cent a Word. WANTED--STENOGRAPHER WITH SOME EXPERIENCE; reference required. Address X Tribune.

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MISSING PEOPLE.

MANY PEOPLE RIDICULE THE IDEA OF AN ABSOLUTE CURE FOR DYSPEPSIA AND STOMACH TROUBLES

Stomach troubles are so common and in many cases so obstinate to cure that many are apt to look with suspicion on any remedy claiming to be a radical, permanent cure for dyspepsia and indigestion. Many such pride themselves on their acuteness in never being humbugged, especially in medicines. This fear of being humbugged may be carried too far; so far, in fact, that many persons suffer for years with weak digestion rather than risk a little time and money in faithfully testing the claims of a preparation so reliable and universally used as Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets.

Now, Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are vastly different in one important respect from ordinary proprietary medicines for the reason that they are not a secret patent medicine, no secret is made of their ingredients, but analysis shows them to contain the natural digestive ferments, pure aseptic pepsin, the digestive acids, Golden Seal, bismuth, hydrazine, and other drugs, but neither do they act powerfully on any organ, but they cure indigestion on the common sense plan of digesting the food eaten promptly, thoroughly before it has time to ferment, sour and cause the mischief. This is the only secret of their success.

Cathartic pills never have and never can cure indigestion and stomach troubles because they act entirely upon the bowels, whereas the whole trouble is really in the stomach. Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, taken after meals, digest the food. That is all there is to it. Food not digested or half digested is poison, as it creates gas, acidity, flatulency, indigestion of the heart, loss of flesh and appetite, and many other troubles which are often called by some other name. They are sold by druggists everywhere at 20 cents per package. Address Stuart's Co., Marshall, Mich. for book on stomach disease or ask your druggist for it.

AGENTS WANTED. WANTED--AGENTS FOR GREATEST WANTED--AMERICAN STORM DOOR CO., Port Huron, Mich. AGENTS TO SELL OUR 50c STORM DOOR. Sample sent upon receipt of \$1.00. AMERICAN STORM DOOR CO., Port Huron, Mich.

AGENTS TO SELL OUR PRACTICAL GOLD, SILVER, NICKEL AND COPPER ELECTRO PLATING KIT. For terms, price and expenses paid, outfit free. Address with stamp, MICHIGAN MFG CO., Chicago.

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FOUND. Advs. Under This Head One Cent a Word. FOUND--ON WYOMING AVENUE, YES, ladies' and ladies' ring over can have same by proving property and paying for this advertisement. Call at this office at 8 o'clock, this evening.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN. THE UNDERSIGNED, WHO ARE THE holders of twelve hundred and fifty (1250) shares of the capital stock of the Banta Glass Pipe and Conduit Company, residing at the name of J. N. Bonta, being the holders thereof as collateral security for certain notes of said J. N. Bonta, hereby give notice of their intention to sell the same at public sale to the highest and best bidder and for the best price obtainable for the same, on Saturday, December 19, 1897, at 10 o'clock a. m., in the Arbitration Room in the Court House in the city of Scranton, when and where all persons interested may attend if they so desire, and the public generally are invited.

CHIROPDIT AND MANICURE. CORNS, RINDS AND INGROWING HAIR. E. M. BETZEL, Chiropodist, drawing blood. Consultation and advice given free. E. M. BETZEL, Chiropodist, 1019 Lackawanna avenue, Ladies attended at their residence if desired. Charges moderate.

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CONNOLLY & WALLACE ARE YOU INTERESTED IN Dress Goods Department was never better fixed on Broadcloths than now. We show five qualities in every conceivable color. Broadcloths at 50c. Broadcloths at 75c. Broadcloths at \$1.00. Broadcloths at \$1.25. Broadcloths at \$2.50. We believe this to be the largest line in Scranton and we know them to be the very best value. CONNOLLY & WALLACE, 127 AND 129 WASHINGTON AVENUE.

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FOOT BALL TEAMS ATTENTION Now get a hustle on and win a prize. We will present the Foot Ball Team winning the largest percentage of games played this season with a Spaulding J foot ball and inflator. The only conditions are the teams must purchase their uniforms and goods of us, and play not less than six games. Teams will please leave their names with us and report all games played with the score. This will include the games already played.

C. M. FLOREY 222 Wyoming Ave.

MAKING A HIT.



A. W. JURISCH, Agent.

SITUATIONS WANTED. POSITION WANTED BY EXPERIENCED stenographer, will also do clerical work; not afraid to work, references, X, Y, Z, Trib. use office.

SITUATION WANTED--BY A MAN 25 years old, married, of good address and strictly temperate, has had 24 years' practical experience in general merchandise and dry goods business; also thoroughly unacquainted with the science of accounts as applied to any line of business. Address COMPETENT, 429 Larch street, city.

SITUATION WANTED--BY FIRST-CLASS watchmaker and silversmith; will work on salary or commission; best references given. Address H. ELMORE, city.

SITUATION WANTED--BY A YOUNG man, 24 years of age, of good family; can furnish best of references. Address H. J. TRIBUNE, city.

SITUATION WANTED--TO GO OUT washing or ironing, or any kind of work by the day. 429 LARCH street, city.

SITUATION WANTED BY A YOUNG man, 24 years of age, of good family, sober and industrious, willing to work at any thing. Address M. W., Tribune office, city.

AMUSEMENTS. Academy of Music. Reiss & Burgunder, Lessees. H. R. Long, Local Manager. America's Greatest Repertoire Organization. The Spooners (EDNA) (CECIL). And Their Excellent Company, 20 Dramatic and Vaudeville Stars. A Continuous Performance. Monday, Change of Bill Each Performance.

SPECIAL THANKSGIVING MATINEE. Prices--10c, 20c and 30c. Sale of Seats Opens at 9 a. m. Friday.

Lyceum Theater. Saturday Eve., Nov. 20. Return of the favorites, the stars of Hoyt's A Temperance Town.

George Richards and Eugene Canfield. A superb company presenting Wm. Gillette's

MY BOYS. New music, costumes, specialties. Regular Prices.

Thanksgiving Day. Thursday afternoon and evening. KATE CLAXTON in the romantic drama.

The Two Orphans. Preceded by an episode of 1645, entitled, The Fate of Half-Past-Four.

Matinee Prices, 25c, 50c. Evening Prices, 25c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00.

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They are coming back and "Wise Mike" is with them. The super-spectacular extravaganza.

THE KNICKERBOCKERS. A merry dish of music, mirth and frivolity, filled to the brim with pretty girls, sweet singers and real comedians. New faces, new songs, new specialties, all gorgeously staged.

Regular Prices, 10, 20 or 30 Cents. All opera chairs sold reserved for evening performances. Secure them at discounts at the box office by phone, 3872, or after house opens at night at box office.

AMORITA SMOKING MIXTURE. The next annual convention will be held in November, 1898, at Concord, N. H. The officers elected at the session just closed were installed today by Past Worthly Master Brigham, of Ohio.