PITTSBURGH GAZETTE: FRIDAY, DECEMBER 25, 1868.

Christmas Festival.

WALLS HER MALLS FROM THE STREET

CITY AND SUBURBAN.

No Paper .-- There will be no paper issued from this office until next Monday. morning. A merry Christmas to all.

We refer the reader to our 'inside 'pages for very entertaining and spicy original and selected Christmas reading.

City Councils.—A regular meeting of the City Councils will be held Monday afternoon at two o'clock.

The Postoflice will be open this morning between the hours of eight and nine o'clock and will be closed the remainder of the dav.

Two drunks attended Mayor Drum's morning levee yesterday. One of them is now in jail, and the other was released upon nayment of the fine.

Arrested .- Charles Morgan, charged with larceny before Justice Ammon, on oath of John McShane of Birmingham, was arrested yesterday and held for a hearing,

Sprety .- John Latter made information yesterday before Mayor Drim against George Bloom for surety of the peace. Bloom was arrested and held for trial.

Abandonment, -Alderman Morrow yes-terday committed James Melarkey to jall for a hearing on a charge of abandonment and desertion, preferred against him by his wife Winifred.

A Scan. Mag. case of large proportions, in which a prominent medical gentleman is said to be concerned, is about to be made public and shock the good people of Allegheny, where all the parties reside.

Personal.-M. W. Hanley, Esq., the gen-tlemanly agent of Md'le Ravel, who is to appear at the Opera House next week, favored us with a call last evening. The many admirers of the lady he represents will be delighted to hear of her coming,

Presentation. The students of Daff's College last evening presented to A. P. Walker, Esq., a member of the faculty, a magnificent gold headed cane as an evi-dence of their high regard and appreciation him as a faithful teacher and clever genmagnit fleman.

Sneak Thier.-Some contemptible thief waiked into Valentine Dilgy's dwelling, No. 457 Liberty street, yesterday evening, and took from the hall an overcoat valued at fifty dollars, and quietly walked out again without attracting the attention of any one.

Threatened Kim .-- George Keneg, forgat ting in these Christmas times that "good will to man" should prevail, threatened to stab and kill John Burke, one of his neigh-bors in Ross township. John fears him, and accordingly authorized Alderman Mullen to issue a warrant for his arrest, which

Assault and Battery.—John Moyer made information before Justice Ammon yester-day, charging John Blezel with assault and battery. The defendant and a son of the presentor, it appears, worked together in a glass/house, and it is alleged that the er-mer knocked the latter down. Blezel was errested and held for a hearing.

Lecture in Steubenville,-Mr. William C. Smythe, the pleasing and humorous leo-turer, is annoanced to deliver his brilliant lecture at Kelgore Hall, Steubenville, to lecture at Kelgore Hall, Steucenville, to-morrow night. Mr. Smythe is a journalist of decided ability, and as a lecturer is fully up to the standard of requirement. He should have a splendid audience.

Desertion .- Mrs. Agnes Watt alleges that ber husband, James Wait, five years ago sbandoned her, since which he has been living with his son at Woods Run and re-fuses to do anything toward her mainte-mance. The prosecutrix resides in South mance for the city. nance. The prosecutrix resides in South pittsburgh. A warrant was issued for the arrest of the accused by Alderman Mo-Masters. Exympte Skating Rink This address and Landings, presented the re-Wharves and Landings, presented the re-itable continent to his bed. A char-itable continent to his bed. Keystone Skating Rink .- This afternoon meysione Sharing tink.--Ins alternoon this resert will be thrown open to the pub-lie, and as great care has been taken by the managers to insure a good field of ice, we feel certain in saying that those who at-tend this afternoon and evening will be amply repaid. There is no more pleasant place of spending an hour, if for no other purpose than to lock on. The Great Wes-tern Band will be in attendance to enliven the exercises. The Allegheny Fire Company last night held their annual ball at Lafayette Hall, at which about two hundred couple were in attendance. The affair was very pleasant and reflected much credit to the managers. The elegant supper was spread in La ayette Hall by the master caterens, Messrs. Hays & Peet, proprietors of the Dining Rooms, No. 78 Fourth avenue. The tables/were artistically arranged and filled with all the dainties of the season. An Apple Difficulty. --Robert Wormsley was brought before Alderman Mullen, yes-berday, to answer a charge of talse pretense rule. preferred against him by Jonn Shuff, propreferred against him by John Shull, pro-prietor of a grocery store on Ohio street, Allegheny. The alleged offense consisted in obtaining two dollars and a half for a barrel of apples which he failed to deliver, and afterwards refused to refund the money. The case was finally compromised, the defendant paying the costs and delivering Smithfield Street M. E. Sunday School. This Sunday School held its annual treat last evening, which we attended and found last evening, which we attended and bond the school room magnificently decorated, surpassing anything in its line that we ever saw. The Sanday School, under the super-intendency of W. B. Brickel, Esq., is in a flourishing condition, numbering some three hundred scholars and teachers, and is out of debt. Many thanks are due Mr. and Mrs. J.-B. Stewart, Mr. Geo. Calp, and in fact all the teachers for their labors in decorating the school. Western University Alumni, We are pleased to announce that on next Tuesday evening the annual address before the Alumni Association of the Western Uni-versity of Pennsylvania, will be delivered versity of Pennsylvania, will be delivered in the University Hall, carner of Ecos and Diamond streets, by William D. Moore, Esq., of the Pittsburgh Ear, who is a mem-ber of the graduating classof 1841. He has selected "Modern Culture" for the subject of his address. The gentleman's ability is a guarantee that it will be ably treated, and those who may attend will be most eatls-featorily entertined and instructed. In Memoriam.—The Rev. George Brown, factorily entertained and instructed... In Memoriam.—The Rev. George Brown, D. D., the first pastor of the Methodist (Protestant) Church, Fifth Avenue, now almost forty year ago, will, by special re-quest, repeat the funeral sermon of Mrs. Hannah Reeres, on Satbath morning, De-Hannah Reeres, on Satbath morning, De-tereber 27, in the above church. This dis-course was preached at New Brighton last Sabbath, (Mrs. Reere's late residence,) to Sabbath, (Mrs. Reere's late residence,) to beck and to such of the gublic as are suffering as the best of your function of the suffering as the best of your function of the suffering as the best of your function of the suffering as the best of your function of the suffering as the suffering as the best of your function of the suffering as the suffering as the best of your function of the suffering as the suffering as the provide the suffering as the provide the provide the suffering as the provide the suffering as the suffering as the provide the provide the suffering as the provide the provide the suffering as the provide the suffering as the provide the provide the provide the provide the provide the suffering as the provide the Reeves was herself a preacher of the gospel. Cigars and Tobacco,-For some time past Ligars and locaco, — For some time past it has been a difficult matter to procure a a cod cigar at any price, not only in this cit ty but throughout the country, as "lovers of the weed" are fully aware, being comof the weed" are fully aware, being com-pel led to use an inferior article at an ex-tray agantly high price. Weare ple ascd to anno unce, however, that those time; have passed, in this city at least, and if the pub-lic are desirons of satisfying themselv; sof the fact they have only to call at John Megraw 3, 45 Hand street; who has a large lic are desirons of satisfying themselv,'s of the fact they have only to call at John Megraw's, 45 Hand street, who has a lark'e and well selected stock of tobacco and cigars, and in fact everything connected with a first-class tobacco establishment.

A regular monthly meeting of Allegheny Councils was held last evening. Select Council. Members present: Messrs. Brown, Gang, Hall, Hartman, Jahn, Krebs, Motheral,

ALLEGHENY COUNCILS.

Myler, Patterson J. C., Patterson A., Phil lips, Riddle, Smith A. D., Smith Wm., and President. Mr. Riddle presented a petition from the

Fort Wayne Railway Company, asking for the vacation of a portion of Grant avenue. Referred to Street Committee.

Mr. Myler presented the report of the Street Committee, accompanied by sundry Street Committee, accompanied by since resolutions, and the report of the viewers on the opening of Sedgwick street. The report of the Committee was accepted, the resolutions adopted and the report of the iewers set aside.

Mr. Phillips presented a petition from citizens on Lincoln avenue, asking that a sewer pipe be placed on said avenue. Re-ferred to Street Committee.

Also, a petition for a gas lamp on Lincoln avenue. Referred to Gas Committee. Mr. Myler presented a resolution to open Sedgwick street. Read three times and

and feeling of enjoyment. The festival of the Mission School conpassed. Mr. Myler presented a resolution provid-ing that the City Treasurer should hereaf-ter collect the assessments for grading and paving of streets, and that the office of As-sistant Street Commissioner be dispensed nected with this Church will take place to-morrow afternoon, and will doubtless be as interestir g and pleasant as fl in by the regular school.

Mr. Motheral moved to amend the reso lution so as to provide for two Street Com-missioners and two districts. While the question was pending it was ascretained that there was not a quorum of mer ber present, and Council adjourned.

Common Counc'

Conncil came to order at half-nast seven o'clock, President Sle gie in the chair. The Clerk, Rober & Dilworth, Esq., called the roll, when the following members answered to their names: Messrs, Blair. Comley, Hangaw, Hastings, Hochuly, Kan-nedy, Megravy, McDonald, McNeil, Ober, Reed, Seidle, Stack, Tate, White, Warner, and President Slagle. The minutes of the preceding meeting

were read and approved. GHIO RIVER IMPROVEMENT.

Mr. McNoil presented a petition from the

Finance Committee, appointed at a public meating held in the Rooms of the Pitts-burgh Ecard of Trade, asking for an appro-priation of one thousand dollars for the purpose of paying a part of the assessment of \$2,500 which has been assessed upon Pithsburgh and Allegheny by the Committee having in charge the preliminary ar-rangements and legislation toward the im-

provement of our river navigation. The petition stated that \$1,500 had been approriated by the Pittsburgh Councils at a re-

Mr. Hanna moved to refer the petition to the Finance Committee. Mr. Warner moved to amend by refer-

Mr. warner moved with the arrivation of the im-Mr. McNell thought all could see the im-portance of having the navigation of the riv-er improved, and thought a resolu-tion should be passed granting the prayer

of the petitioners. The vote was then taken on the amend-

ment, which resulted in its being voted

Our Greeting. A merry Christmas to you all, gentle The Sabbath School connected with the Trinity Episcopal church, held its regureaders. In thus conveying our kindly regards, however, we would take a more lar Christmas festival yesterday afternoon. practical view of the case and, as we know The interior of the church had been beauyou are all anxious to realize our wish, adtifully decorated with evergreens and flowers for the occasion, and presented a vise a visit during the day or evening to the very neat and attractive appearance. The Fair and Festival now being held under the auspices of the ladies connected with children were first assembled in the main the North avenue M. E. Church, Alieauditorium, where they sang several inspiriting Christmas Carols, and were led in gheny, in the lecture room of that prayar, the Rector. Rev. John Scarbor. edifice. The interior beautifully deckedifice. The interior beautifully deck. ed in its holiday attire of flowers prayer, the Rector, Rev. John Scarbored in its nonual attice of nowers and evergreens, the hands me, useful and ornamental articles scattered in endless profusion over the different booths, the Christmas dinner or supper, under the ough, concluding the exercises by deliverough, concluding the exercises by deliver-ing an appropriate address. An adjourn-ment then took place to the Sunday School room, where a magnificent specimen of a Christmas tree, bril-liantly trimmed and lighted, had been

charge of those who thoroughly under-stand this part of the entertainment, and liantly trimmed and lighted, had been set up. After a short season spent in mu-sical exercises, each of the Misses was pre-sented with a pretty little toy muff, filled with candles, and a neat doll. The lads each received a small paper sack, furn-ished in a similar manner to the muffs, and an interesting book. The whole programme was wound up by a feast of ice cream and cakes. The entertainment seemed to be highly enjoyed by all in attendance, old and young entering into the merry spirit of the occasion with a hearty enthusiasm and feeling of enjoyment. the other innumerable attractions, which will become apparent to every visitor, forms a combination, the influence of which can act fail to make the day pass not only merrily, but happily and profitably. And then, besides, by giv-ing fifteen cents for admission, or fifty its for P.dmission and dinner or supper or purchasing any of the articles on super, there comes the pleasant satisfaction of alding in a good cause, and helping on a praiseworthy enterprise. Try it, gentle reader; make the experiment and note the reader.

result.

The St. James Hotel. The St. James Hotel, on Liberty street, opposite the Union Depot, has long been

The Free Distribution.

time designated.

Reckless Driving.

leasant as that participated

The practice of driving and riding at a reckless rate of speed along public thoroughfares is one which should be visited by the severest penalties of the law. The Cases are neither few nor far between in which persons have been very seriously inwhich persons have been very seriously in-jured and sometimes maimed for life by being knocked down and run over, the direct result of this practice. We have to record a case in point on last Tuesday after-noon. A little son of Mr. Henry Fox, a resident of the Fourth ward, Allegheny, while crossing Ohlo street, near East Lane, was knocked down by Henry Satler, who was riding along on horseback at a furious was knocked down by Henry Satler, who was riding along on horseback at a furious rate of speed. The little fellow was picked ap and taken home where his injuries were found to be of a severe nature, though not immediately dangerous. Later in the day Mr. Fox made information before Alder-man Mullen against Satler for inimoderate driving, upon which he was arrested and held for a hearing.

held for a hearing. Christmas Jubilee.

The Christmas celebration of the Sunday school of the First English Eyangelical Lutheran Church took place last evening, at the church on Seventh avenue. The exercises were opened by singing a Christexercises were opened by anging a Unist-mas hymn, entitled "Ring Out The Bells," which was beautifully rendered, after which the children were each presented with a box of mixed candies, upon the cover of which were beautiful chromo lith-ograph pictures of various brilliant sub-jects. Rev. Mr. Laird, the pastor of the congregation, then delivered a brief but alcouent and appropriate address to the

congregation, then delivered a brief but eloquent and appropriate address to the scholars. The school is one of the most flourishing in the city, and its prosperous condition is in a great measure the result of the energy and faithfulness of Mr. Thomas H. Lane, the superintendent.

GOWELAfter some further discussion, Mr. Han-
na's motion was carried.in a great measure the result of the energy
and faithfulness of Mr. Thomas H. Lane,
the superintendent.with bread, beef, poultry, etc., etc., all of
whom seemed to express in their counte-
nances more gratitude than any language
which they could command. After fully,
supplying the wants of all applicants,
the superintendent.Mr. McDonald, from the Committee on
Gas, presented a report recommending the
erection of a gas lamp on White Oak alley,
midway between Hemlock street and the
hill.The occasion was one of the most pleasant
and interesting which has taken place in
this city for a long time.with bread, beef, poultry, etc., etc., all of
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nances more gratitude than any language
supplying the wants of all applicants,
the Committee found that they still
had a large supply of provisions on
hand. After fully,
and his widowed mother, residing on
Squirrel Hill; were discovered yesterday by
a charitable family in a suffering condition
from want. The woman is over sixty-five
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itable gentleman'at Laughlin's station, with his family, sent immediate relief to the suf-ferers, which no doubt saved them from starving to death. The gentlemaniabove alluded to collected a handsome sum of money among his friends, which will be wisely applied to relieve their future wants. Such acts of charity are worthy of notice and will be rewarded. paper, will show what the people of that about to pay us a visit : Beer Saloon Row. Yesterday afternoon George Bluma and Jacob Fulton entered the beer saloon kept by Mrs. Mary E. Roehlers, on Ohio street, Allegheny, and, according to the statement of the proprietress, created a row immediately. In the meles Bluma was struck over ately. In the melee Bluma was struck over the head with a pair of boots by Mrs. Rochlers, and herself received severe treat-ment at the hands of Fulton and Bluma, her hoad and various parts of her body bearing evidence of the disturbance. Mrs. Rochlers made information before Alder-man Mullen against the assailants for breach of the peace, upon which Ful-ton was fined two dollars and costs, and Bluma held for a further hearing. Bluma Blums held for a farther hearing. Blums then made information against Mrs. Roch-lers for assault and battery, upon which she was also held for a hearing.

Furs-Great Reduction in Prices at Gard

ner's Clearance Sale. Sets of Furs for \$7.50. Reduced from \$10.00 11.00 11. 14.00 10.00. 12.00. 15.00. 17.00 20.00 30.00 20.00. 25.00. " 35.00 " 45.00 30.00. 40.00. ... 55.00 Also, great reduction in Fine Furs, Good Muffs for \$3.50. Reduced from \$6.00

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6.00. 7.00. " 10.00 12.00 " 4. 8.00. Capes, Collars, Eugenics, Circulars in Squirrel, Sable, Mink, Fitch, all greatly iced, at Gardner's, on west corner Market street and Fourth avenue, No. 69.

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The "Diamond Front,"

The "Diamond Front," In Allegheny, is winning golden opinions from all good housekeepers for the variety, quality and cheapness of the articles which are there kept for sale. The enterprising proprietor, Mr. Henderson George, seems to understand exactly what is needed in a first class family grodery, and manages his business according to that knowledge, which is the result of his success and the cause of the popularity of his establish-ment. For the holidays he has laid in a new supply of groceries and everything

ment. For the holidays has had in the new supply of groceries and everything else in his line, and offers them at prices of which former sales are a criterion. The store is located at No. 164 Federal street, store is located at No. 164 Federal street, Allegheny, a few doors above the Diamond. Purchasers of groceries should not forget o conducted by the popular proprietor, he place. Mr. James Lanahan, as to merit the largest

Cloaking Cloths .- We will open this patronage from the resident and traveling week a good assortment at low prices-Bates & Bell. community. It is large and commodious,

capable of accommodating a vast number Perfumeries .- At the popular drug and of guests and furnished throughout in perfumery house of Burns & Caughey, corner of Sta Clair and Penn streets, will most elegant style. Its public and private corner of Sta Clair and Penn streets, will be found a very excellent stock of goods suitable for presents to-day. The assort-ment of fine and exquisite perfumeries of all the popular manufacturers, the rich toilette sets, handsome cologne sets, rare puff boxes, beautiful combs, fancy hair brushes, magnificent scaps and the thous-and and one articles which enter into the stuck will meet the expectation of gift dining rooms are models of good taste and perfection, large, well ventilated, neat and clean. The hotel is conducted on the clean. The note: is conducted on the European plan, and is patronized by amost respectable class of people, who find in it that there is even in hotel life such a place as home. The restaurant of the St. James as nome. The restaurant of the St. James is always open, and at all hours the hun-gry can obtain meals superior to those fur-nished by most of the first class hotels. The bar is one of the best arranged and best kept in the city, and is constantly supplied with the purest wines and lightors, also and temperance bayerages. The stock, will meet the expectation of gift purchasers. Nowhere else will so elegant an assortment, at such reasonable prices,

ales and temperance beverages. To-day unusually grand meals will be served up, Standard makes of dry goods at low pries-Bates & Bell.

at which the public desirous of having a merry happy Christmas are invited to at-tend. Upon the whole, the St. James Hotel is one in which the city should center W. W. Moorhead, No. 81 Market street, W. W. Moorhead, No. 81 Market street, knowing the demand which would spring up for articles in his line of business during the holidays, determined not to be behind his competitors and took measures to sup-ply himself before the rush would cora-mence. His establishment now, from cel-lar to garret, is filled with articles fency, useful and ornamental in. endless profus-ion, any of which would make a beautiful and appropriate Christmas or New Year's a large share of pride, and we trust the active and enterprising proprietor, who, in the full meaning of the words, "knows how to keep a hotel," may ever continue to en-joy his great popularity as a clever and careful host. and appropriate Christmas or New Year's gift to a friend. Purchasers can have no gilt to a friend. Furchasers can have no difficulty in making a selection, unless, in-deed, they become bewildered with the rich and magnificent display which will be afforded them by a visit to the place. The free distribution of provisions to the poor of the vicinity, under the auspices of the Philomathic Circle, came, off at their hall, corner of Lacock and Sandusky

streets, last evening, and the good effects 124 cents for good bleached and unof the benevolent undertaking were made bleached muslins-

apparent at the appointed time by the large Holtzheimer's Christmas Dinner to-day attendance of persons, of all ages and sexes. will be the biggest thing on the boards Everybody, who wants an old fashioned. Over one hundred families were supplied svery body, who wants an old lashfored, square, jolly good dinner should call at the Continental Dining Rooms, Fifth avenue, next door to the Postoffice. Tip top Christ-mas meals will be furnished at all hours, with bread, beef, poultry, etc., etc., all of from morning till night.

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MAGNOLIA WATER.—Superior to the best imported German Cologne, and sold at half the price. TH.S.T.F. Hartz in Pittsburgo. · · · · · · · The following, clipped from a New York the price. Cassimeres and Cloths, full stock-Bates

Books. Itis a matter of importance to the public to know that Colonel J. D. Egan, 41 Sixth avenue, near Smithfield street, has one of the largest and best selected. stocks of the largest and best selected stocks of Books to be found in the city, comprising all the latest publications of Text Books, Novels, Gift Books, etc., He has just re-ceived a large and well selected stock of Holiday Goods, comprising Books for Christmas presents, which will be sold at the most reasonable terms. A fine stock of Christmas presents, which will be sold at the most reasonable terms. A fine stock of Stationery, including every variety of Pa-per and Envelopes, will also be found in this well conducted establishment. 7.50 9.00 MARRIED:

MARSHALL-WEAVER-Inesday evening, De-MARSHALL-WEAVER-Iuesday evening, De-ember 22d, 1868, by the Rev. J. Egar assisted by the Rev. Dr. Marsball, J. L. MARSHALL and

Ine Rev. Dr. Marsball, J. L. MARSHALL and ANNIE, daughter of Henry A. Weaver, Esq. KISER-BLACK-On Tuesday, Dacember 28d, 1668, by the Rev. W. A. Black, at the residence of the bride's parents. Mr. DAVID O. RISEB to Miss

MAGGIE A., daughter of Mr. Alexander Black, all of Pittsburgh. HENDRIE-BROWN-Oh Thursday, December

Stin, by the Rev. John Cowl, at the residence of the bride's parents, J. N. Brown, Esq., of West Virginis, Mr. ARCHIBALD HENDRIE of this. city, and Miss BABBARA BROWN of West Virginia. No cards.

DIED:

FICKES-On Thursday afternoon, at 3 o'clock, of Diphtheria. EDWIN HRANT, only s'n of D.G. and M. Fickes, aged 4 years and 5 ' sonths. The funeral services will be held at the residence of his parents. No, 55 Federal stree & Pittsburgh. In SATURDAY MORNING at 9% A. M. / Carriages will leave the bouse for the Connellsvill & Railroad Depet at 10 o'clock A. M. The remains to be deposited in he Versailles Township Cemet ery, near McKees port. The friends of the family a reinvited to attend.

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56 FIFTH STREET.

Wharves and Landings, presented the re-port of that Committee in relation to the division of the wharf into two districts, accompanied with an ordinance dividing the wharf, into the Eastern and Western Divis-

wharf, into the Eastern and Western Divis-ions, with Anderson street as the dividing line, and requiring each wharfmaster to give bonds in the sum of \$500. The report was accepted and the ordi-nance adopted, with an amendment offered by Mr. McNeill, fixing the amount of ball at two thousand dollars. at two thousand dollars.

PETITION FOR SEWER.

Mr. Tate presented a petition from residents of North avenue, asking for the con-struction of a sewer on that thoroughfare from Palo Alto street to Pasture Lane. Re-formed to the Committee on the Lane. erred to the Committee on Streets.

Mr. Tate moved to adjourn, there being no quorum present. The motion was voted down and the Messenger instructed to hunt up one number, who had just left. The Messenger returned after a short interval, stating that the member could not

be found. The Council then adjourned under the

Alleged Attempted Robbery.

A young man named John Kennedy was arrested last evening at the Federal Street Station of the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago Railway, for attempting, as it is alleged, to steal money from the desk of the ticket agent. Kennedy is well known to the officers of the depot, and has been al-lowed to come backward and forward into lowed to come backward and forward into the ticket office. Last evening, it is said, he was in Mr. Pitcairn's office, and while the attention of that, gentleman was at-tracted in an opposite direction selling tracted in an opposite direction selling tracted in an opposite direction selling tickets to passengers, Kennedy was noticed by another occupant of the office placing a photograph frame, (which was filled in with his picture,) over some of the money in the deak and drawing it toward him. The watchman at the depot was quietly notified of the circumstance, and promptly arrested the alleged thief. When searched, a num-ber of bills were found in his pockets, al-though he had previously admitted having stolen only one dollar. He was taken to the Mayor's office and locked up until this morning, when he will have a hearing.

Starting Testimony.

Messrs, J. P. Urbon & Bros.: GENTLE-MEN: Having for some time past been troubled with hoarsness, the result of a bronchial affection of long standing, to which the ordinary and usually prescribed remedies failed to afford relief, I take pleas-

Drowned-Coroner's Inquest.

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The body of Dennis O'Brien, an account of whose disappearance we noticed in yesterday's GAZETTE, was found yesterday morning a short distance from the barge Erratum.

In our notice of Dr. George H. Keyser's intended removal to a new store, we announced that he would vacate the old one about April 1st. This was incorrect. He will remove on the first of January, if his elegant new quarters will be ready for occupation by that time. The Doctor in a private note correcting our mistake, an-nounces that he intends to keep none but nounces that he intends to keep none but the purest of drugs, as he has done for the past few years. He attributes his success in curing patients largely to the use of pure and unadulterated drugs, and regards pure medicine a thing of great value in the cure of disease, and impure medicines may be traced in most cases of failure. We justiv feel warranted in the belief that the 'com-munity are ready and willing to sustain a gentieman who will divote himsolf to an object so meritorious, and having so great a bearing on the public health.

Lest and Found.

Frederika Musch entered a meat shop on Ohio street, Allegheny, yesterday, and inadvertently laid her pocket-book down on the counter while she made a purchase. When she had use for it again, it could not When she had uso for it again, it could not be found. It contained \$21, which she felt unwilling to lose quietly. A little girl named Mary Manning had been in the shop a few minutes before, and suspicion fell upon her, which caused Mrs. Musch to make information against her for larceny before Alderman Mullen. Mary was ar-rested, but while the hearing was in pro-gress a little boy came into the Alderman's office and stated that he had found the missing article on the floor of the meat shop at the end of the counter. Mary was im-mediately acquitted and released. dediately acquitted and released.

Queensware. The manufacture of queensware has reached that degree of excellence that it is probably as near perfection as any other art, and it affords us pleasure to state that we have in our city an establishment where this article is made in the highest style of this article is made in the highest style of the art. We refer to the Keystone Pottery of S. M. Kler & Co., No. 303 Liberty street, where purchasers will find one of the largest assortments of quéensware of overv de-scription in the dity. The proprietors, nounce that they are prepared to mark ware in glit initials or monogranvs, which is now being fashionable.
Holtzheimer's Christmas Dinner to-day Will be the biggest how wonthe and the boards. First and the boards. Support to he boards. Will be the biggest out and the boards. First avenue, Outinental Dinner should call at the suprence of the proprietors, an-next door to the Postoffice. The proprietors, max meals will be furnished at all hours,-from morning till night. this article is made in the highest style of

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"We regard Hartz as a wonderful man, literally and entirely. He is not only a ma-gician and a skillful slight of hand man, but he is a shrewd student of human na-ture. He is alert, bland, humorous, and just enough satirical is his manner to plque the amcur. propre of his victim, and gratify the senses of the ludicrous, which always. lends a laugh most readily to a fellowthe amour proper of his victim, and grathy the senses of the ludicrous, which always lends a laugh most readily to a fellow-creature's harmless misfortunes. The fa-cility with which he makes objects disap-pear, or become changed to something of a widely different nature, at pleasure, and the bewildering ease with which he appa-rently produces quarters (real silver) from the atmosphere, are truly astonishing. The new feats which Hartz performed last even-ing, ware more like the miracles of olden times than the performance of nortal hands and a merely human mind." M. Hartz performs at the Academy of Music on the evenings of Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, December 28th, 28th and 30th.

A Manager Caned. Manager Canning, of the Opera House

was last evening surprised in his office by the members of his excellent orchestra, who proceeded, with no ostentatious display, to present him with a very valuable and rich gold headed cane. Mr. Canning responded in a few happy words, and the orchestra retired to their places before the audience and played still sweeter music, inspired in the knowledge that they had inspired in the knowledge that they had paid a flattering compliment to a gentle-man eminently worthy their kind consid-eration. It is very rare for an orchestra to think so highly of the manager, as to seek occasion to thus honor him, and hence, Mr. Canning has just reason to feel proud of the compliment. May he live long to enjoy the munificent gift, and never grow out of the grateful remembrance of his orchestra, and hosts of other friends.

When to Purchase--Grand Closing Out

Sale .-- A pretty dress pattern or any other selection which might be made at the well

stocked and popular dry goods house of J. M. Burchfield, No. 52 St. Clair street, J. M. Burchileid, No. 52 St. Chair Street, would most certainly prove acceptable as a holiday present. The large and judiciously selected stock held by this house has been specially reduced to closing out prices, and nowhere else can greater bargains in good goods be obtained. The high reputation long maintained for the establishment by its proprietor is ample security to patrons that they will be fairly and honorably dealt with. See advertisement in another col-

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A Suitable Present .- Straw & Morton A Muitable Present.—Straw & Morton, agents of the popular Singer Sewing Ma-chine Company for this city, request per-sons destrons of selecting suitable Christ-mus or New Year presents to call in and examine the line assortment of machines there have this the instances. examine the line assortment or machines they have on exhibition in their salesrooms, corner of Penn and St. Clair streets. They do not put forward fiaming superiorities over all others in use, but simply ask close

Holtzheimer's Christmas Dinner to-day will be the biggest thing on the boards. Everybody who wants an old fashioned, square, jolly good dinner should call at the Continental Dining Rooms, Fifth avenue, next door to the Postoffice. Tip top Christ-mas meals will be furnished at all hours, from morning till night. American Silks-Bates & Bell have re eived an assortment The best and Original Tonic of Iron, Phos-The best and Original Tonic of Iron, Fnos-phorns and Calisaya, known as Caswell, Mack & Co's Ferro Phosphorated Elixir of Calisaya Bark. The Iron restores color S the blood, the Phosphorus renews waste of

the nerve tissue, and the Calisaya gives a natural healthful tone to the digestive or natural nealinful tone to the digestive of gans, thereby curing dyspepsia in its va-rious forms, Wakefulness, General Debility and Depression of Spirits. Manufactured only by Caswell, Hazard & Co., New York. Sold by all druggists.

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