CITY AND SUBURBAN.

Mayor Drum had but one case before

- The "Squasher of Pain" is the latest patent medicine out.

Travel over the different railways lead ing from the city is remarkably light at The Ordinances relative to cleaning off

the sidewalks were very generally com-plied with throughout both cities yester-Double teams were attached to the cars

on some of the street railways yesterday. The snow and ice on the tracks rendered travel very difficult. Our genial friend James Martin, Esq., of Bridgeport, Pa., was united in mar-riage a few days since to one of the fairest

daughters of that enterprising town. Mr. Wm. Beck, a plasterer doing business in the Sixth ward, Allegheny, left his home last Tuesday evening to visit a gentleman in Pittsburgh, and has not been heard of since.

Husband Whipper.—Susan Beck engaged in the exhibitanting exercise of whipping her husband yesterday, for which she was arrested and committed to jail by Alderman Arent, of the Seventh ward, Allegheny.

Re-Elected.—Mr. D. T. Johnson has been re-elected Superintendent of the Allegheny City Home, for the ensuing year. The gentleman has filled the position for three years past with success and and satisfaction, as is evinced by his re-

Up for Thirty Bays .- Polk Harkins. whose arrest for disorderly conduct we noticed yesterday, had a hearing before his Honor Mayor Brush yesterday morning, and in default of a fine of twentyfive dollars, was committed to jail for thirty days.

City Controller's Report .- We have the annual report of the outgoing City Con-troller, Thomos Steel, Esq., in type, but owing to a pressure made on our columns of other matter, we are compelled to delay its publication till our next issue. It will appear in Saturday's paper.

A Killing Threat.—Mary Sculte made information before Alderman Lindsay, yesterday, against her husband, Henry Scutte, for surety of the peace, he, according to her statement, having threatened to kill her. Henry was arrested and held for a hearing on Monday next.

Coroner's Inquest.—Coroner Clawson held an inquest yesterday on the body of the child found on the bank of the Allegheny river, near Negley's run, an account of the finding of which we published yesterday. The body was that of a female infant child and it, in all probability, had been foully dealt with. The body was not identified. The jury rebody was not identified. The jury re-turned a verdict of "found dead."

Soho Fire.-The loss of Messrs, Evans, Soho Fire.—The loss of Messrs. Evans, Clow, Dalzell & Co., at the recent fire, will not fall short of forty thousand dollars. They were insured for twenty-five thousand dollars in the following companies: Mouongahela, \$2,500; Boatmend's, \$5,500; and Fureka, \$5,500—all of Pittsburgh; National, of Allegheny City, \$1,800; Western, of Buffalo, N. Y., \$5,000; Nigers of New York City, \$5,000; total iagara, of New York City, \$5,000; tota

Cleaning the Sidewalks.—Mayor Brush has expressed his determination to enforce to the letter the ordinance re-Cleaning quiring the cleaning of sidewalks, and all interested will save trouble and exuse by attending to the matter. Man pense by attending we me are in very of the sidewalks in the city are in very bad condition in consequence of the re-cent fall of snow not having been re-moved before it became compact and frozen, rendering the pavements very unsafe for pedestrians.

Mrs. Siddons.—This distinguished actress and reader will read on Monday and Treader will read on Monday and Tuesday evenings next at the Academy of Music. The sale of reserved seats will take place this evening, at Lafayette Hall, entrance Fourth avenue, at seven o'clock precisely. In accordance with the earnest request of the Lecture Committee, Mrs. Siddons will appear in costume to suit the readings. There will mittee, are, clouds will appropriate turne to suit the readings. There will doubtless be a great demand for the seats, and those who would make good selection should be promptly on hand.

Three Bad Boys.-Mrs. Mary Hange residing at the corner of Webster and Iannehill streets, made information be-fore Alderman Lindsay, yesterday, against Samuel Whiston, John Rice and alleges that the boys entered her house through a window during her absence yesterday morning and stole three dollars in money from a box on the table. Warrants were issued, upon which Rice was arrested and committed to jail. The others are still at large.

Personal .- In our "Want" columns of to-day will be found an advertisement of a farmer residing near Philadelphia, who is desirous of committing matrimony. We would advise our rady read-ers who are inclined that way, to call personally on Mr. Stewart, as letters answering such advertisements turn up mony. We would advise our lady read sometimes when not wanted. We can recommend Mr. S. thus far, that he pays the printer well, and uses the GAZETTE to bring his wants before the public, which is the best evidence of his being a

The Concert To-Night.

Our amateur's concert takes place this evening at the Academy of Music. Prof. Tetedoux says that he never felt surer of the result, Everything is going on smoothly. Encouraged by the general success of the last rehearsal, the young ladies and gentlemen parted last night with a modest confidence in their ability to do justice to their respective parts in the programme. Good seats can yet be secured at Messrs. Kleber & Bro's., and O. C. Mellor's stores. We would advise the friends of music not to miss this op-portunity of showing their appreciation of home talent in enjoying a first class entertainment.

Boarding House Robbery. Joseph Cronther made information before the Mayor, yesterday, charging Charley and George Taylor with larceny. The accused it appears worked at Moorhead's mill and boarded at a house near the Soho bridge, where the prosecutor also boarded. Yesterday morning they quit work and returned to their boardng house, packed up their baggage and left, and have not since been heard from. The prosecutor alleges that they not only took their own baggage, but that they broke open his trunk and took therefrom a gold watch of the value of one hundred and fifty dollars, three gold rings worth thirty dollars and three nuggets of gold ned for their arrest.

THE COURTS

District Court-Judge Kirkpatrick. WEDNESDAY, February 4.—Murphy vs. Chalfant, reported on trial yesterday. Jury withdrawn and judgment of non suit entered.

C. C. Taylor vs. J. W. Patterson and James P. White. This was an action to recover for professional services, the plaintiff being a practicising attorney.

The following trial list for to-morrow. comprises all the cases on the old list. The new list will be taken up on Monday and all cases called if not ready will be

at once continued:
134. Wagner vs. Jones & Laughlin. 142. Ardesco Oil Co. vs. Fleming & Co. 62. Burbridge & Co. vs. McDevitt. 147. E. Miller & Co. vs. Tilton. Rees vs. Morrow. Miller vs. McCoy.

166. Black vs. Chorpenning. 99. Johnson Ex. vs Hemiup. Arthurs vs. Penn'a R. R. Co. O'Hara vs. Penn'a R. R. Co. . Rumpff vs. Vicherstein. McMannus ys. Allegheny Valley

R. R. Co. et al-

92. Trax vs. same. 93. Kinsley vs. same. 147; Thos. Donnell & Bro. vs. McClintock & Cochrane,

Common Pleas-Judge Stowe. THURSDAY, Feb. 4.—In the case of Halfn vs. Eberle, the jury failed to agree and upon the opening of the Court came in and, asked to be discharged. They

were accordingly discharged.

Molntosh, Hemphill & Co. vs. the Keystone Hotel Co. Action to recover for work and labor done. The jury found for plaintiff in the sum of \$769 61.

S. P. McClean vs. B. L. Fahnestock & Co. Action for depression of \$769 persons. Co. Action for damages. A non-suit-was entered by order of Court. Plaintiff moved the Court in bane to take off the

Ira B. McVay & Co. vs. G. W. Blair. Action on a prommissory note. Verdict for plaintiff in the sum of \$658 40.

Same vs. Henry Moriey et. al. _This action was similar to that above noted. Verdict for plaintiffs for \$1,905 17.

Same vs. Morley, Rahm & Co. Same action. Verdict for plaintiffs in the sum of \$1.00

of \$1.498. Reed & Warden vs. Verner & S'ns, contractors, and James Sullivan, owner. Sire facias on a mechanics lien. Verdict

Henry Hultz vs. Henry S. Ackley, et. al. Action in ejectment for property on Beaver street, Allegheny. The jury found in favor of defendants 57. Shriver & Co. vs. Gosling. 59. Irwin & Co. vs. Baker.

61. King vs. Fecke.
62. Connolly vs. Hays.
63. O'Hara vs. Boyd & Son.
64. Eaton vs. Mulstein.
65. Derby vs. Same. 65. Derby vs. Same. 68. Murgan, Evans & Co. vs. Superior Iron Works. Valency vs. Sterrett.

fron Works.
67. Maloney vs. Sterrett.
69. McClain vs. Hill.
70. Same vs. Negley.
71. Commonwealth for use vs. Watson, 72. Parse et al. vs. Bealifelt.

73. Meyer vs. Howard.
74. Nat. Restoring and Refining Co. vs. Warden & Frew. 75. Natter vs. Ackerman.

Quarter Sessions-Judge Mellon. THURSDAY, February 4.-The case of indicted for setting fire to his clothing store to defraud underwriters, was re-

was submitted to the jury on the charge of the Court, without argument by coun-sel, Mr. Haines, for the prosecution, objecting unless the Court would assume the responsibility.

The jury retired at half past eleven

and returned at one o'clock, having found a verdict of not guilty, and directing that the county pay the costs.

Judge Mellon remarked, when the verdict had been announced, that he did ot see wherein the county was responsible for the costs in the case.

Bernard McGuire, inducted for buying

and receiving iron from minors, Charles Taylor prosecutor. It is alleged by the prosecutor that the accused purchased a quantity of scrap iron from boys, who had stolen it from his (the prosecutor's) premises. Jury out.
George Stackner, a brewer on Colwell

street, indicted for selling liquor without license, was placed on trial and plead not guilty. Mr. Morrison, counsel for defendant, moved to quash the first account in the indictment on the ground that the act of Assembly under which it was drawn was repealed by a subsequent act. The Court overruled the motion, and after the evidence and argument by counsel the case was submitted. Jury

List of Letters Remaining in Buchanan Postoffice February 5th, 1869. Alexander, J. B. Grenir, M. Ringero, Jack.

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Fire Alarm Report, Following is the report of Superintendent Paisley, of the Fire Alarm and Police Telegraph, for the month of January, 1869: Number of alarms, 12; blows on the central bell for alarms, 182; blows on central bell for hours, 240; total loss, \$6,000.60; total insurance, \$3,450.18. The argest fire of the month was that which occurred at the machine shop of Faber & Co., on Quarry street. One lost child was restored to her home in the Fifteenth ward by the use of the telegraph.

Allegheny Street Improvements. The following is an exhibit of the street improvements completed in Allegheny during the month of January, 1869. Work in this line is now suspended and will not be resumed until the opening of the spring season:
Shields st., 5th ward. 312 feet. \$1,499 87
McFadden st. 8th " 221 " 1,070 85
Main st., 8th ward. 1,003 " 9,506 70

1,536

Total.

\$12,035 92

Allegheny Poer Farm-Another Propo-

One of the most interesting and important questions which will probably engage the attention of the citizens and present year, is that relative to the purchase of a city farm. The matter received the attention of Councils in a measure last year, but as yet nothing definite can be said to have been accomplished. A committee visited a number of sites offered for sale, and considered a host

of other propositions, and finally reported; as our readers will remember, in favor of the "Boyd Farm," so called, located about eight miles above the city, on the line of the Western Pennsylvania Railroad. Councils accepted the report and adopted its conclusions, and there the matter rests at present, so far as any official action is concerned. It seems, however, that the Boyd Farm is not re-garded favorably by the Directors of the Poor of the city, which makes its pur-chase rather more doubtful than would otherwise be the case. The Directors, we understand, after examining the site named, for various reasons not necessary to mention here, are of the opinion that it would be unsuitable for the purpose, and hence they desire that

Since the report of the Committee was presented, a proposition has been re-ceived from the heirs of Mr. Hugh Duff, ceived from the heirs of Mr. Hugh Duff, decassed, offering for sale a farm about six and a half miles from the city, on the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago Railroad, about midway between Fleming and Dixmont stations. This farm fronts on the Ohio river, extends backward over a gradual slope about one mile, and is said to command a very line view of the surrounding country. It contains three springs of good water, either of which are high enough to furnish water to the top of any house built near the Beaver road, which runs parallel with the railroad track near the foot of lel with the railroad track near the foot o the slope. One hundred and twenty acres are cleared and the balance, forty-three acres, is in woodland. The land is said to be of a first class quality and the neighborhood for health, &c., everything that could be desired. The price at which it was valued per acre was not named, but it is quite probable that it will be larger than that at which the Boyd farm is offered, as land along the line of the P. Ft. W. & C. Railroad is generally considered more valuable than that along the Western Pennsylvania Road.

This proposition was received a few This proposition was received a few days since by the Directors, who had intended to make a visit of inspection to the place yesterday, but deferred it on account of the unpropitious state of the weather. If the place be anything like what it is represented to be, it should receive a careful consideration from both the Councils and the Directors, before any further action is taken in the matter. any further action is taken in the matter.

A farm for the city is undoubtedly needed, and should be obtained at the earliest practicable moment, but still a matter of such importance, involving such a large outlay of money, cannot re-ceive too great attention, and should not be pushed through with any undue haste. As for ourselves, we have not the slightest preference for any locality, but merely wish to see the best farm for the

Leisure Hours.

The February number of this new monthly is laid punctually on our table. The promise of the first number is fully appears to be indefatigable with brain and issors. His No. six, "Past and Present number of witnesses were examined of Pittsburgh," is replete with remains cent facts in the early history of Pitts-burgh, which we have read with as much zest as a romance. The selections from Cramer's Magazine of 1810, is an admicramer's Magazine or 1010, 19 un rable compendium of the early progress rable city. "Juliet's or manufactures in this city. "Julie's Bridal Wish." by our talented townsman, A. McIlwaine, Esq., will interest all readers and elevate the literary reputation of its author. Professor Jillson's illustrated article on "Aucient River Beds in Allegheny County," eyince much labor and research, and will both interest and surprise the reader. The editor is versatile and racy as usual, and the publishers, O'Dwyer & Co., cater as successfully for the eye as the editor does for the heal. "Leisure Hours" moves.

Real Estate Transfers. The following deeds were filed of record before H. Snively, Esq., Recorder, February 3d, 1869:

by 50 feet. \$465 ohn Chislett to John thislett, Jr., April 24, 1663; lot on Butler street, Lawrenceville, 30 by 74 feet, with buildings. \$1,200

MORTGAGES. Same day eight mortgages were flied of record.

The Western Penitentiary. During the year 1868, one hundred and forty-nine persons were received at the Western Penitentiary, increasing the number of prisoners to six hundred and thirty-five. Of these, one hundred and fifty-five were discharged by expiration of sentence, thirty-six by pardon, four by removal to the Insane Asylum and three removat to the insane asytum and three died, leaving the number imprisoned January 1st, 1869, four hundred and sixty-nine. Two hundred and fifty of the prisoners are single, one hundred and sixty are married and twenty-seven and sixty are married and twenty-seven widowers. The trades are pretty well represented also, seventeen farmers, twenty-two carpenters and nineteen shoemakers being, imprisoned, together with one hundred and ninety-three laborers. Altogether there is plenty of material tostart a small colony, although it might not be one remarkable for select society.

Handsome City Residence. Thursday, February 11th, at half-past two o'clock P. M., on the premises, will be sold that very handsome and desirable residence, No. 123 Centre avenue, in the "Moorhead" square. The mansion is a modern style, double two-story brick, modern style, double two-story brok, containing twelve rooms, finished in the best manner, with latest improvements. Lot enclosed with iron fence, highly ornamented with shade trees and shrubbery, fronts on the avenue sixty feet, extending back two hundred feet to Linton street. In point of location, so-clety, neighborhood and convenience to business, cannot be surpassed. See advertisement of H. B. Smithson & Co., Auctioneers.

Wanted.—A number of smart young men at No. 85 Smithfield street. Character required. N. B.—Count quarters.

OPERA House.-The Worrell sisters continue to draw large and select audiences at the Opera House. The "Field of the Cloth of Gold" and the "Foundcouncilmen of Allegheny during the ling" constituted the bill last night, and they were both admirably rendered. Sophia Worrell is a most charming actress, and possesses a versatility of talent rarely, if ever, excelled. Irene is a delightful singer, and by her modesty and easy manner, as well as her charming voice, captivates the audience. Jennie, who, we believe, is the youngest, is the general favorite. Her dancing is unapproachable, and she sings charmingly. To-night she appears in her specialty. "Man," after which "La Belle Helene" will be presented.

PITTSBURGH THEATRE.—The company now playing at the old Theatre is a most excellent one, and the entertainments are of a first class character. Mr. Williams is a judicious manager, and is conduct-ing the old Theatre in a most admirable manner. The exhibitions are of a highly commendable character, and we are pleased to see the ladies patronize the

AMERICAN THEATRE—Smythe's American Theatre (late Trimble's Varieties) is growing more popular every day. Mr. Smythe is showing a disposition to give a first class varieties entertainment and is succeeding admirably. He is contin-usly announcing new and formidable attractions to his patrons. MASONIC HALL.-The Young Zouaver

made their appearance at Masonic Hall last evening before a rather alim audilast evening before a rather alim audi-ence, which may be accounted for, how-ever, by the severity of the weather. Their performances are of a really novel and meritorious character, and aside from the worthy object for which they are given, the benefit of the soldiers' or-phans, should attract overflowing audiences during their continuance. Master Charley is really a wonder in his line, and exhibits talents and abilities which seem remarkable for one so young. The entertainment is interspersed with mu-

sical selections, readings and tableax, and is altogether, one of the best which has eyer visited Pittsburgh. This afternoon a grand matinee for children will be given, commencing at twelve o'clock, at which time the young folks will be admitted for ten cents. All who can ap-preciate a good entertainment and desire o aid a charitable object, should attend the matinee or the performance this evening.

THE GRAND CONCERT.-To-night, unpresented on a programme of a concert of home artists exclusively, as on the present occasion. Such finished vocalists as Mrs. C. C. Mellor, Misses McCandless, Dihm, Houston, Northam, Card and Evans, and Messrs. Rinehart, Zimmerman and others, should draw an over-whelming audience at any time on their individual merits, and especially when united together, as in the present in-stance. Seats may yet be secured at Mellor's or Kleber's music stores, Wood

'CHARITY FAIR .- The good work o charity is progressing favorably at the fair in the basement of St. Pauls Cathedral. The attendance is quite large. The elegant manner in which the hall is booths, renders it a pleasant and desirable place to spend an evening. The attractions are numerous and the object is a worthy and laudable one.

Mrs. Sippons.-This eminent English otress will read at the Academy of Music, from Shakespeare, Tennyson and Scott, on Monday and Tuesday evenings next, under the auspices of the Mercan-tile Library Association. The high reputation made and sustained in the old and new continents by this lady should secure for her a large and fashionable audience. Reserved seats will be sold at Lafayette Hall on Friday evening next What They Will Do.

Dr. Ross' Remedies are purely vegetable preparations, and are doing more good to the people than any other medi-cines ever offered to the public. They are sold at one dollar per bottle, and generally one or two bottles have the de-sired effect. We make a specialty of the following diseases, and warrant a cure in every case: Acute or Chronic Rheumaism. Catarrh, we have cured hundreds of cases, some of long standing; Dyspep-sis, we believe we have the best remedy for this disease ever compounded. For diseases of the Throat and Lungs our Tar Compound is doing wonders. Dr. Ross' Remedies are manufactured and for sale wholesale and retail, at Nos. 26 and 28 Sixth street, (late St. Clair.)

12 1-2 cts. for good Bleached Mus-lins at Bates & Bell's. It is a luxury and a comfort to bathe

shave, or have your hair cut or dressed at the elegant establi-hment of H. B. Williamson, No. 190 Federal street, Allegheny. Try it.

Furs Very Low.-Bates & Bell offer their stock cheap to close out.

It you want to buy a Home get the Pitte burgh Real Estate Register. It is given away gratis, or sent free to any address. Croft & Phillips, Publishers, Real, Estate Agents and Brokers, No. 139 Fourth avenue.

Nainsooks, Tartatains, Jaconets, Swiss es and Piques at Bates & Bell's. Superior Spiced Jumbles, tured by Marvin, No. 91 Liberty street.
For sale by all grocers. 27:2w.

Embroidered, Plain and Tucked Underclothing at Bates & Bell's.

Superior Spiced Jumbles, manufac fured by Marvin, No. 91 Liberty street For sale by all grocers. 27:2w.

Evening Dress Silks, all the popular shades and colors, at Bates & Bell's The place to get White Lime, Calcined Plaster, Hydraulic Cement, is at Ecker & Caskey's, 13 Smithfield street.

Superior Spiced Jumbles, manufact tured by Marvin, No 91 Liberty street. For sale by all grocers. 27:2w. Fates & Bell's,-Linen Damasks, Shirt Fronts, Sheetings and Pillow Casings. Superior Spiced Jumbles, manufac

tured by Marvin, No. 91 Liberty street, For sale by all grocers. French Corsets, all sizes and popular prices at Bates & Bell's.

Shawls.—Paisley and Summer Shawle cheap at J. M. Burchfield & Co.'s. Mourning Goods, Shawls and Dress Goods at Bates & Bell's.

Ladies Underclothing at Bates

WASHINGTON, PA.

Religious Interest-Educational Matters osed Improvements - Railroad Prospects.

prespondence of the Pittsturgh Gazette.] WASHINGTON, Pa., February 3, 1869. We have excitement here of various kinds. With the first week of January commenced a daily Union Prayer Meet ing, in the Court House, which continued without interruption until last Saturday -a period of four weeks. It was largely attended all the time, especially the last week, when many of the business places of the town were closed during the hour of prayer. The exercises of the meeting were participated in by the ministers and members of the evangelical churches of our place, and were uniformy interesting and profitable. Here is the conclusion of a resolution unanimously passed at the last meeting: And as our hearts glow with the love "And as our hearts glow with the love of Christ and the communion of Saints, we bear our joint testimony to the world of our R-deemer's faithfulness, and call all men to 'Behold how good and how leasant it is for brethren to dwell to gether in unity."

This prayer meeting will be long re-

membered by many, and its results will be seen in eternity. The several churches have been graciously remembered. Considerable additions have been made to their membership. Our Public Schools are prosperous. An

examination of the pupils took place last week. It was very satisfactory indeed, giving evidence of great skill and fidelity on the Principal and his worthy corps of teachers. We think we have just cause to boast somewhat of our public schools. In regard to their efficiency we are not willing to take the second rank with willing to take the second rank, with any other place of similar circumstances in the land. And our motto is, Onward. Our Female Seminary also had an examination last week. It was all that could be desired. Faithful and honest could be desired. Fathful and nonest work is done in this Seminary. The pupils' hearts as well as their heads are educated. Prominence is given, as it should be in all our institutions of learning, to the study of Bible history. No other history is so important—none other history is so important—none should be studied more systematical and faithfully. It is well for young ladies to be educated thoroughly in all the sciences, but it is a shame for them to leave our seminaries and colleges ignorant of the facts of Bible history. We have known graduates who were much more familiar with the blography of the heroes of profane, than the heroes of sacred history—who knew more about Szcurgus than Moses, Cicero than Paul.

Sycurgus than Moses, Cicero than Paul. This ought not to be. It cannot be with our graduates.

"College or no college" is the question with us just now. Meetings are being held and means devised by which to secure, if possible, the location of the United College here. This is certainly as good a place for it is can be found; we, of course, think the hest. This more. of course think the hest. This more over, the Board of Trustees will have to decide. Of their competency to do it fairly and wisely we indulge no doubt. Considering the situation of our town, its beautiful surroundings, its healthfulness, its accessibility, (when the "Char-liers" is built, now no longer a perad-venture,) its good schools, its numerous churches, its many other attractions, certainly, to say the least of it, is a desir-

ble location for a large college.

Yesterday the vote was taken in our borough en the question of building our | mant on their maturity. handsome majority of eighty-nine. That's progress in the right direction. The hall is to be built this season, and will be put under contract immediately. It will stand on the public square, and will present a very fine appearance. It is to contain a public library, towards which one of our wealthy and public spirited citizens gives the generous sum of ten thousand dollars.

The official members of the M. E. Church, last night, resolved upon building a new church. It will be undertaken as soon as practicable. It is a necessity—every pew in their present house is now rented. Several more buildings are going up on Mainstreet this summer. From Pittsburgh to Washington the locomotive will run next fall.

AMERICUS.

THE Turkish Admiral, Hobart Pasha, distinguished himself during our late war as a blockade runner. Twelve times he is said to have broken the blockade of Charleston, each time under circumstances of great danger, and, in consequence of this, he published his reminiscences under the title of "Never Caught." When the Turks, a few weeks ago, sent him to Crete in order to destroy the Enossis, the Russian Minister, Gen. Ignatief, made energetic efforts to retain him at Constantinople. Political arguments being unavailing, an action for debt was at last brought against him, in the hope that he would be imprisoned, or, at all events, detained. But this device, too, was frustrated, and he got away safely. Arriving on board his ship, his first act was to forward to the Russian Ambassador, together with a polite message, his little work entitled "Never Caught."

THE towns along the Pacific Rallroad rise, flourish and decay within a very short period. The rapid progress of the road carries along with it the immense force of laborers employed, together with their families, and ruins the towns that have been built to supply the necessities of the corps. For instance, two years ago, the flourishing "city" of Meadow Lake had a municipal government, a daily paper, a stock and exchange board, two theatres, thirteen hotels, numerous stores, seventy-five bar-rooms, and many other places of entertainment. This winter the population, all told, is thirty-five. A building that cost \$6,000 sold for \$75 re cently.

THE Ancient Literature of India is the subject of great attention on the part of the British Government, and exertions are being made to discover and preserve the old records of literature. Competent persons are to be sent on tours to discover the existence of old Sanscrit manuscript relating especially to the Vedas, the Hindi law, Sanscrit grammar, lexicograpy and philosophy, to purchase them or if this be not possible, to have faithful copies taken of them, and send originals or copies to the library to be designed by Government for their ultimate preserve

A nor in Michigan recently had his leg amputated, and a few days afterward said that the great toe of the amputated limb was cramped, and that it pained him, and insisted that his father should disinter the amputated limb and straighten the toe. To quiet him, his wishes were complied with, and he said he was relieved from the pain.

FREIGHT for Salt Lake is now sent from New York City to the end of the Pacific Rallroad without change of cars-2,500 miles. This forms the longest line of continuous railroad track in the world.

PIGNIPICANT PACTS. The success of a vigorous local policy in the treatment of the lawless vagabonds of Arkansas is manifested in the

annexed statement given to the Memphis

Post by a confidential staff-officer of Gov.

CLAYTON. > Col. BARTON says: During the three months preceding the calling out of the militia in that State there were received at the Governor's headquarters authentic accounts of over two hundred different murders, perpetrated with impunity in that State, and an innumerable array of the most fiendish outrages; but during the forty days which have transpired since martia law was declared, but one single mur-der and not a single outrage has been heard of in the State. The success of Gov. Clayton's policy of declaring mar-tial law in order to reach and punish

outlaws, has clearly vindicated the wisdom of its inauguration. Another fact which should teach a lesson to our rebel friends, is this: the militia policy of Gov. Clayton has been fully known to and met with the approval Gen. U. S. Grant.

THE Washington Examiner, in its last issue, does not state what progress has been made in transferring the irregular subscriptions to the Chartiers Valley Railway Company, so se to make them available, but it publishes a note from the Hon. J. T. L. JEWETT, in these words: "On arrangements and plans are all made to prosecute the work on the Chartiers Valley Road with vigor as soon as the subscriptions are perfected as agreed with your Committee when it was last in Philadelphia. Without hesitation I as sure you the work will be done within the time named by Mr. Thomson, if the subscriptions are perfected so as to ena-ble us to commence the work early in

the spring." THE NEW YORK World, which has been puzzling over some of her MS., complains that Mrs. Cady Stanton's handwriting is less clear than her convictions. By the way, it is related that when this lady was a child of seven, playing one day in her father's office, a couple of women entered with some pitiful complaint. Her father, an eminent attorney, though sympathizing with their trouble informed them that there was no redress, and read out the passages applicable to their case, marking them with his pencil. The child listened, burning with indignation, and when alone in the office. found the obnoxious passages which her father had marked, and proceeded to amend the code by cutting them out with her scissors.

THE acceptances of Secretary Floyd of the drafts of Russell, Majors and Waddell, contractors, for the transportation of sup-plies during the Utah war, have recently been brought before the consideration of the United States Supreme Court, on ap-peal from the decision of the Court of Claims, holding them invalid, from having be en issued in violation of law. The amount of outstanding acceptances reaches \$670,400, and the holders assert that they purchased these drafts in good faith, on the credit of the United States, These drafts passed through many different hands, and the owners were seriously tary of the Treasury, in refusing pay-

Tur Cleveland Leader of the 3d savs "A report is current, on seemingly good oundation, that the Pittsburgh railroad difficulty has been finally settled satisfactorily to all concerned,

"It is reported that on Saturday Jay Gould, Esq., sent an engineer to Warren to survey a route for the Vienna railroad, to be built by the Erie Railway Company and to connect with the Atlantic and Great Western Railway at Warren."

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TERRURGH.—Denarted this life, Februari Id, 1669, HESTER TERBURGH, aged 63 years The funeral will take place from her husband's MORNING at 10 o'clock. Belatives and friends

are invited to aitend. SHERIDAN.—On Wednesday evening. at 9 o'citck, Mrs. MARY D. SHERIDAN, wid w of the late Samuel Sheridan and mother in law of James M. Hays, Eiq., in the 57d year of her age. The functal will take place from her lateresis dence, No. 28 Anderson street, Alleghen? City, THIS AFTERNOON, February 5th, at & o'clock The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

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