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Thursday, Aug. 12, 1897.

The Dr Cook Funeral Bill.

Representative Herman last week said he did not know what the items for his expenses in attending the in the Cook funeral bill consisted of funeral was the man that had been to make the total of \$671.80. We buried. It he could earn money at call the attention of our readers to the discussion of the bill given be-done has would be willing to lay low. We wish to state that Repre-sentative Smith of Bedford said if there was anything in the bill of ness of attending funerals as a steady \$671.80 for him, it should be stricken out. Did Representative Herman say so? No sir, he did not ; Representative Sterr of Philadelphia indirectly ebarged the committee with charging mileage for two members of the committee who could not attend and strange as it may seem, we can not find the record of any one denying the charge. Our readers will observe that in the there by good, honest, hardworking ducted a singing exercises at the discussion of the bill in the house people to whom a dollar means a not one of the defenders of the bill great deal. The Post is the only choir convention on the 21th inst. Use that they had paid for a confin and flowers yet Representa- dared to expose the wrong-doers in class mate of Rev. Druckenmiller at coffin and flowers yet Representa- dared to expose the wrong-doers in tive Herman last week said they the Legislature. It has dared to tive Herman last week said they the Legislature. It has dared to Mt. Airy Lutheran Seminary and had. Representative Spatz a mem- expouse the cause of the taxpayers of preached an interesting sermon in ber of the funeral committee said : Snyder county and the state of "We did actually have carriage Pennsylvania. When a man takes Reformed re-union at Park Island hire." What does this mean? It money illegally or votes for it to be would seem from this as though the taken illegally from the coffers of only actual expense the committee the state, he is reaching into the had was carriage hire from Mercers- pockets of every man in the entire burg to Fulton county and yet their commonwealth. bill was \$671.80. No wonder Representative Herman can not render

an itemized statement ?" age cost of \$120 a piece.

who was in a very indignant frame the matter to the good judgment of of mind, "if the gentleman, Mr. the people to determine for them-Spatz, did not propose to the Ser- selves the best plans for the future. geant-at-Arms to charge up mileage for two members of the committee

who could not attend the funeral, and then divide the sum with the

Mr. Spatz replied by saying that when he had come to the Legisla-

he had seen the evil of his ways, he and proper.

Full discussion on the bill revealed the fact that the expenses for the five members of the committee on the trip down in Fulton Couuty, a distance of S0 miles, or more, had been about \$120 apiece. Representative Lytle, in an attack upon the bill found fault with the charge that had been made. He said that about

A Ead Legislature.

The developments arising from the wreckage of bad legislation and ancalled for appropriations is becoming more and more apparent. Too many of them went there for "self" forgetting that they were sent in attendance Prof. Moyer con-

We reprint below an extract of about \$700,000 voted out that the House proceedings in the Phila, should have been killed in the Press of June 29th. From this it enbryo. An attempt to justify such appears that only five members at- grabs by saying that it was done betended the funeral making an aver- fore is about as logical as to say black .- Indianapolis Journal. that because Guteau shot Garfield,

"I want to know," asked Represource of much annoyance. sentative Sterr, of Philadelphia, Post has done its duty and we leave

KREAMER.

A good many of our citizens at-tended camp meeting on Sunday. ... Irvin Walter and bride visited the former's parents at this place a few days last week. We all wish them when he had come to the Legisia-ture he was very green. He was told that it was customary to charge mileage and all sorts of expenses. When the matter of mileage was proposed under the circumstances he told the Sergeant-at-Arms to go ahead if it was all right. Now, that he had seen the evil of his ways, he wanted nothing that was not right Gordon and children were visiting her sister at Lewisburg several days last week....A. C. Smith shipped a car load of onions, peacher and pears to the coal regions.

Chicago,

St. Louis

FREEBURG.

John Kreeger and Claud Smith of Middleburgh came to Freeburg on their wheels to see Miss Dill and other Freeburg friends....A large party of young people of Selinsgrove visited our town last Wednesday evening. They came with a fournorse team attached to a large laddered farm wagon filled with straw They were a jovial and well behaved party Prof. Walborn, J. W. Haas and their wives attended a picnic at Knousetown, Juniata county Satur-day ..., J. A. Hilbish of Northumberland visited Freeburg friends and relatives Saturday and Sunday....
Rev. Druckenmiller, Profs. Moyer and Boyer, Wm. Brown, John Hep-ner, J. S. Hendricks, their wives, P. B. Moyer and grandson, Simon Long, Mrs. Bogenrief, B. F. Arnold and wife, accompanied by Mrs. M. C. Dill and Mrs. W. L. Dill and little daughter, Margaret, of Paterscn, N. J., also attended the Grubb's church picnic last Saturday. They all en joyed the exercises and the social spirit that was manifested by those land visited Freeburg friends and spirit that was manifested by those



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Grubb's church picnic, using the book that has been selected for the our church Sunday evening We have an industrious Normal class at work in our Academy Mr. Watkins and Mr. Goss of Mt. Carmel were visitors at the Musical Co pockets of every man in the entire commonwealth. The Governor vetoed \$350,000 in appropriations and he should have vetoed fully as much more making about \$700,000 voted out that

"When the item in the general apvor of Representative Long, chair- Adams, man of the committee on the part of tee, for a statement as to how so much money could be expended in a tive Long tried to explain, by say-

"I don't care what you do with this bill. I left it to the Sergeant-at-Arms to prepare a bill that he thought was right. All I want is to see the legitimate and just expenses paid."

were some items that were legitimate just raised a general laugh throughout the House.

COST OF A FUNERAL TRIP.

Representative Spatz followed in items for another or for others? a speech that still further convulsed Of course when these officers the members, half of whom were in the aisles, Mr. Spatz said that the support the Constitution of Penn'a, bill had been made up by the Ser- but they do not seem to heed the geant-at-Arms. After the funeral mandates of the constitution or their question was "How much will we mand, it is at least more likely that an officer, it he has any self respect said that he had loaned the Serge-ant-at-Arms ten dollars, but that the formation of the series of the series and one donar formation of the series of the formation of the series of the s had been paid back to him and he was satisfied.

isfied."

some farmer in Center township has propriation bill of \$671 drawn in fa- a right to kill his neighbor in

It is about time for the people of the House to represent the House Pennsylvania to ery "halt" and the at the funeral of the P. McCauley people of Snyder county owe it to Cook, of Fulton county, was repre- themselves to guard against the imsented. Representative Ely called position of those in power. But upon Chairman Long, of the commit- there comes a voice from every part of the county, "What can we do?" "Who can we trust ?" The probtrip to Fulton county. Representa- lem does seem perplexing. The power lies with the people if ing that the funeral expenses had they but assert it. If the people de-

> tion and election, they will at least second way is from careless loca treatment of other diseases. lessen the reckless extravagance with public funds. Why not exact of every candidate for representative

It has stood between those members "We had a ride of twenty miles in of the legislature who were willing "We had a ride of twenty inlesin a driving snowstorm," said Mr. Spatz. "And, gentlemen, we did actually have carriage hire. We had no telegrams or telephone mes-sages to pay for, I want to say that I do not want any mileage. I want I do not want any mileage. I want is voted out of the State Treasury is nothing, and if anything is charged a dollar out of the pockets of the to me in that bill I want it wiped out. I got my ten dollars back from the Coupt of Arms and I am sate and in means and in means is an indicathe Sergeant-at-Arms and I am sat- exposing such wrongs is an indication that such exposures are a

"What I Told My Wife" is the title of a new book. It is almost needless to say that it is fiction .- Tit-Bits.

Reyond Question.

Hopeful. "I hear that you are a widow," said

"Yes, just at present," said the one in

the one who had been abroad.

Fiction Par

The broadest assertions are often made by the narrowest men .- Chicago Journal.

Her First Thought.

Benham-The wolf is at the door. Mrs. Benham-Tell him to wipe his feet .-- N. Y. Truth.

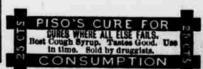
ONE OF TWO WAYS.

The bladder was created for one purpose, namely, a receptacle for the

CHIEF CAUSE.

Unhealthy urine from unhealthy kidneys is the chief cause of bladder troubles. So the womb, like the and every candidate for Senator to obligate himself to the people that This tacit declaration that there be will not accept any pay for mile- liable to weakness or disease, except in rare cases. It is situated back of age or salary or anything else ex- and very close to the bladder, therecept that expressly stated in the Constitution and further that he will not vote for any bill for like items for another or for others? The error is easily made and may be as easily avoided. To find out correctly, set your urine asida for twenty four hours, a sediment or settling indicates kidney or bladder trouble. The mild and the extraodinary effect geant-at-Arms. After the funeral the committee met in the corner of a gallery of Grace Church, and the question was "How much will we

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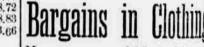
By virtue of an order issued out of the or-phans' Court of Snyder County, Pa., and to me directed 1 will expose the hereinatter described real estate of Solomon Long, late of Beaver Township, said county, deceased to public sale at the Court House in the Borough of Middle-burgh on

Saturday, August 7th, 1897,

at one o'clock p. m. to wit :-Ail that certain tract of land situate in Beaver township, Snyder county, Pa., bounded as follows, on the North by lands of Jacob Kramer. East by lands of Henry Shaffer, South and West by public road, containing 9 acres more or less, with the ap-purtenances. Terms will be made known on day of sale. P. S. RITTER, Sheriff. Middleburgh, July 19, 1897.

By virtuc of letters of attorney from the heirs and legal representatives of Elizabeth Bickel, late of Chapman Twp., Snyder Co., Pa., dec'd, 1 the undersigned, on the premises, will, on Wednesday, August 25, 1897

Wednesday, August 25, 1897 expose to public sale the following described real estate to wit : All that certain messange and tract of land, situate in township, county and state aforesaid, bounded on the North by land of Aaron Moyer, East and South by the Pennsyl-vania Canal and West by Susquehanna River, containing FOUR ACRES, 130 perches, more or less with the appurtenances, whereon are erect-ed two Dweiling Houses, necessary outbuildings, &c. Sale to commence at 1 o'clock p m. when terms will be made known by W. J. BICKEL Attorney-in fact for the heirs of said decedent,



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