and hope and rememphonograph and sent it rier to Copenhagen. It arrived only a short time before the old lady's death, but it made her last THING hours serenely happy.-Philadelphia Times. YOU DRY

Net a Waste of Time. "Edication is a good thing, Limpy, an' don't you run it down."
"Ever git any of it, "Lary?"

"Me? Well, I should say yes. I vent to night school all one winter."

"An' what did you git to show for t Weary?"

"What did I git? I got four overcoats, three hats and seven umbrellas. Don't you tell me that goin' to school is a waste o' time."-Cleveland Plain

Hearts Not Trumps.

"O darling!" exclaimed the young man, as a look of pain chased itself across his open-faced countenance, "you have broken my-

"Your heart?" interrupted the maiden

fair. "I am so sorry."
"No, not my heart," he rejoined, "but every cigar in my vest pocket—and they cost ten cents apiece, too."

> Trifling that Costs. Neglect



each case the 5 per cent. Interest guaran-teed on the bonds will produce an amount equal to the recipient's salary. At other plants it is said similar awards this purpose as rapidly as the department heads are thought to deserve it. The beneficiaries at Braddock have their pay doubled by this arrangement, and in addition will have the principal of the bonds when they are due. Camille Mercader, chief draughtsman of the company, who is said to be a Hungarian count, was given \$75,000 worth of bonds.

One of the worst fires in the history of Bradford occurred Friday morning. It originated in the livery stable of Frank P. Beamer and consumed a dozen buildings, including the \$35,000 city hall. Thirty-seven horses in one livery stable perished in the flames, and the \$10,000 library of Brown & Schoonmaker, city attorneys, was totally destroyed, together with valuable maps. The fire was discovered at 3.30 A. M., and it burned fiercely until 5.30, when the firemen gained control of the flames. The fire burned buildings on three streets, Kennedy and Boyleston streets and Patent avenue. The loss is estimated at \$150,000. The bity records were in fireproof vaults and were not damaged.

,While driving from Factoryville to Scranton, John McAnulty had an exciting experience with a bear which rushed from the woods adjoining the road. McAnulty had a quantity of meat in the wagon and this first attracted the attention of bruin. While the bear was munching the meat, McAnulty left his horse and wagon and fled to a house some distance away for help and a gun. A crowd of hunters was organized, but when they arrived on the scene bruin had finished his meal and disappeared again in the woods.

Miss Elizabeth Huey, of Reading, fell dead in the drug store of John B. Raser & Son. After the body had been removed to the morgue three purses were found on her person. Two of them were sewed into the lining of her skirt. In addition, gold and greenbacks were concealed in various parts of her clothing. The money aggregated \$700. Of this \$450 was in gold. Death was said to have been caused by heart disease.

Mrs. Sarah Kelly, of Pittsburg, Friday evening gave a party to celebrate her 107th birthday. She was born in Ireland in 1794. Mrs. Kelly is able to read the daily papers regularly without the use of glasses, and her memory is good as to events which occurred in the early part of the last century.

A fire in the plant of the Pittsburg Oil Refining Company, at Coraopolis, destroyed the main refine building, the waxhouse, compou houses and boiler the tanks, 100 in

teething, soften the gams, reduces inflamma-tion, allays pain, cures wind colic. 250 a bottle , 10 lbs., 13 to 131/2c.; do skinne 3½c.; do., beef, Western, canvased and True happiness, with some people, consists in being able to say "I told you so." ased sets, 141/2c.; mess pork ham pork, \$17.50; lard, refined,

24c.; separator, extras, 22a2 ay.

firsts, 20a21c; do, gathered cream, zuazic

do imitation, 17a18c; ladie, extra, 15a17c;

ladles, first, 14a15c.; choice Western

rolls, 15a16c.; fair, to good, 13a14c.; half-pound creamery, Maryland, Vir-

ginia and Pennsylvania, 21a23c.; do,

Cheese.-New cheese, large 60 lbs.

101/4 to 101/2c.; do, flats, 37 lbs., 101/2 to

Eggs-Western Maryland and Penn-

sylvania, per dozen 23c.a—; Eastern Shore (Maryland and Virginia), per

dozen 23c.a-; Virginia, per dozen 23c.a

-; West Virginia, 22a23c; Western, 22a

Live Poultry-Chickens-Hens, per

lb, 9a91/2c; do old roosters, each 25a3oc;

do spring, large, per 1b, -101/2c; do do.

small fat, —alic: do do, poor and staggy, 9a9½c. Ducks—Puddle, large,

10a101/2c; do do, small, garoc; do, mus-

covy and mongrel, gatoc. Geese-West-

ern and Southern, each 50a6oc. Tur-

keys-Young, 8 lbs and over, per lb 91/2a

Live Stock.

6.85; poor to medium \$3.75a5.00; stock-

ers and feeders \$2a4.25; cows \$1.25a

4.50; heifers \$2.25a5; canners \$1.25a

2.25; bulls \$2a4.50; calves \$3a6.25; Texas steers \$3a4; Western steers \$3.65

a5.45. Hogs-Mixed and butchers \$5.60

rough, heavy \$5.35a5.60; light \$5.35a

Receipts 18,000 head; sheep and lambs

steady at late decline; good to choice

wethers \$3.40a4; Western sheep \$3a3.60;

native lambs \$2.50a4.90; Western lambs

choice \$5.60a5.90; prime \$5.30a5.50; good \$5a5.25. Hogs—Higher; prime

heavies \$6.10a6.15; heavy mediums \$5.95

a6; light do \$5.90a5.95; heavy Yorkers

\$5.80a5.85; light do and pigs \$5.75a5.80;

roughs \$4.25a5.60. Sheep strong; best

wethers \$3.40a3.50; culls and common

\$1a2; yearlings \$2.50a3.75; veal calves

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good to choice, heavy, \$5.65a6;

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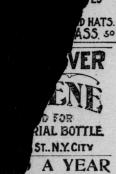
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