CASES IN CITY COURT.

Before Judge Churchman in the Municipal Court this morning, the based of Churles Anderson was de-clared for tetted us he failed to ap-pear. The case went over for a month.

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Herbert Gibbs, colored, was starged with the larceny of \$4, the property of Henrietta Collins, of No. 1230 Claymont street.

The case was dismissed as there was no evidence to connect him.

When the case of Martin F Carey was called it was found that since his arrest he has been adjudged insane and was sent to the Delaware Hospital for the Insane.

Rev. W. L. Henderson will preach at the Layton Home. Sünday alternoon at 2.30 o'clock.
The regular mouthly meeting of the Home will be held on Friday avening, Jan. 17th, at No. 1023 Orange street.

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At the Third Quarterly Conference of Haven M. E. Church held last night, the officials of the church asked for the return of their pastor, Rev. R. G. Waters for another

year.

The Railroad Y. M. C. A. service
Sunday alternoon at 3.15 p. m.,
led by W. C. Adans; address by
Rev. E. N. Baldwin of Chaymont.
Sunday, 12th inst., divine services will be held at the Sarah
Ran White Home, in the audience
room of the building at 3 p. m,
Preaching by Rev. Stephen L.
Bdicholas, pastor of St. Peter's A.
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Revival services will commence tomorrow evening in the First M. P. Church. Seventh and Wainut streets, and continue every evening during the week. Come and bring your friends.

Rev. George L. Wolfe, Ph. D., will preach at 10.30 a. m., on "Childhood, the Standard of True Value," and at 7.30 p. m., on "Carrying Water on Both Shoulders," Sunday school at 2p. m. Y. P. S. C. E. 6.30 p. m., led by Miss Fannie Taylor.

Rev. J. L. Nichols will sing "Throw Out the Life Line," tomorrow evening at the Second M. P. Church, Fifth avenue and Anchorage streets. Revival services every evening during the week conducted by Rev. J. H. Straughn.

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pouth Market street, J. W. Brown,
pastor, preaching at 10.30 by passor; 3 p. m., by Rev. R. Saulsbury,
and 7.45 p. m., by stranger. Sunday school 2 p. m. sharp. All are
lavited.

Rummage Sate.

There will be a rummage sale in the Masonic Temple building, commencing on Monday, February 3d, and ending the following Saturday slight. The proceeds of this sale will be used in carrying on the work of the sewing school and the Kindergarton in the Parish House of Old Swedes Church. Articles generally contributed to such a sale are solucited and will be thankfully received. There are now over two bundred children attending the sewing school and the usual humber in the kindergarten. Miss Mary B. Lee is the competent teacher in the latter and Mrs. M. W. Paxton has general superinsendence over both. It is carnestly stoped that the public generally will manifest an interestin and corling so unselfishly in this approved and excellent work. Communications may be sent to Mrs. M. W. Paxton, N. 715 Pine street.

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! Pass for First Builders.
Rocelle, the new suburb of Wilmington, is now receiving much attention from those who are interested
in a place to build homes, and there
is considerablerivalry in securing jots
in good places. In order to encourage
building Mr. It. W. Crooks, General
Blanager of the People's Railway
Company will give an annual free
pass over its lines to the head of
families who build the first houses in
the new suburb. It is expected
that this prize will receive considerable attention, as a number of people
intend to build shortly. All have an
equal opportunity to secure the pass.

A Large Wheat Yield.

VASHINGTON, Jan. 11.—The statician of the department of agriculture estimates the average yield per of wheat in the United States in a ti4.8 bubbels as compared with 3 bushels in 1809, 12.8 bushels in 1900, 12.8 bushels in 1808 and 13.8 bubbels the mean of the averages of last ten years. The newly seeded a of winter wheat is provisionally mated at 32,000,000 acres, an insec of 0.per cent upon the area estited to have been sown in the fall 1900.

Strnon Against Conjuration.

In Gilbert Presbyterian Church mext Sunday evening, Rev. C. L. Jafferson will lecture on the subject, "Fortune telling, mesmerism, and spritualism and conjuration." He will show by the Bible that all who practice and believe in these cults are under the domain of Satan and disfavor of God.

are eating up the \$100,000 Firs Bugs are eating up the \$100,000 First Presilyterian church in Middletown, 0, one of the handsomers stone edifices in that part of the country, says a correspondent of the Chicago Interfecean. The walls on both Main and Fourth streets are made unsightly by the many holes bored by the insects, and especially around the Fourth street entrance, where the sun shines still day, there are myridas of holes, many of which are large enough to insert a lead pacific. The stone about the holes crumbles readily to dust, and the work of destruction sceme almost the holes crumbles readily to dust, and the work of destruction sceme almost the holes crumbles readily to dust, and the work of destruction sceme almost the holes crumbles readily to dust, and the work of destruction sceme almost the holes crumbles readily to dust, and the work of destruction sceme almost the holes crumbles readily to dust, and the work of destruction sceme almost the holes crumbles readily to dust, and the work of destruction sceme almost the holes crumbles readily to dust, and the work of destruction sceme almost the holes crumbles readily to dust, and the work of destruction sceme almost the holes crumbles readily to dust, and the work of destruction sceme almost the holes crumbles readily to dust, and the work of destruction sceme almost the holes crumbles readily to dust, and the work of destruction sceme almost the holes of the work of destruction sceme almost the holes crumbles readily to dust, and the power to bind their companies. Council received are to companies. Council per or the didentification of the own over the new ordinace provide are companies. Council pe

Election of Officers.

The Mask and Wig Club last evening elected their officers for the ensuing year: President, II. H. Billany; Treasurer, W. W. Knox; Secretary, A. A. Waite. The first regular

BUGS EATING A CHURCH. FIREMEN DISAGREE.

the work of destruction seems almost romplete.

While each stone penetrated by the bugs is irreparably rulned, it does not follow that the handsome structure is in any immediate danger of collapse, and it may last for some years. The tower seems to have been first at tacked by the inseets, and it may last for some years. The tower seems to have been first at tacked by the inseets, and it may last for some years. The tower seems to have been first at tacked by the inseets, and it may last for some years. The tower about six hehes thick and two feet long is in such a bad state that it has almost fallen to pieces. Holes to the number of 36 were counted in this one stone. The cornerstone has three deep holes that penetrate it for the length of a lead penedi.

The bugs that are doing the mischief are a sort of heest that is common in the sandstone region, but has never been troublesome in this section before. They are black in color and about an inch and a half long, and have powerful mandibles with which they are very strong for their size. Their mandibes are about one-quarter of an inch long-and are as hard as lover. The pure hack in color and about. They have been known to undermine projecting iedess of sandstane so that they would frequently fall. As a rule the hole they bore extends straight in for six inches and then ends in a large chamber reached by a zig-zag course. These chambers are used as nesting places by the burs. They lay their eggs in them and their young are hatched out there.

An idea of the rapidity with which these bugs work destruction may be had when it is known that the First Presbyterian church was erceted only six years ago, and the stone was then apparently in first-class condition. To day all the blocks that have been attacked are absolutely worthless, and taked are absolutely

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Mrs. Mary Esther White fell
down stairs at home of her daughter, Mrs. Thomas N. Stayton, No.
5 East Thirteenth street, vesterday
morning and severely hurt her
chest and back.

Ernest Vance, a young man, was injured by a fall in the yards of the Harian and Hollingsworth Company yesterday and was sent to the Homeopathic Hospital for treatment.

Miss Clarissa Spencer, daugh-Miss Clarissa Spencer, daughter of the late Dr. W. A. Spencer, of the Philadelphia Conference, will speak in the interests of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society in Harrison Street M. E. Church to-morrow morning at 10.30 o'clock, and in Brandywine M. E. Chuch in the evening at 7.30 o'clock.

THE CHURCHES.

uel Church, Highlands, Rev. K. J. id, rector. Services 10.39 a. m., and Sunday School 9 a. m. Seats free Immanuel Church, Highlands, Rev. R. J., Hammond, rotor, Services 1933 a. m., and 7.30 p. m. State free Calvary Elssonal Church, As and Washington Calvary Elssonal Church, As and Washington, and the state of the control of the state of the control of the state of the control o

school 230 p. m.

St. Michael's Episcopal Church, Adar Chestnut streets, Rev. W. D. Mauross, Holy Communion at 730 a. m. High ton 1030 a. m. Sunday school 2,50 p. song 7.45 p. m.

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Through reight trainmen of the Philadeiphia, Winnington and Baltimore Raifroad who are dissatisfied over the new scale of wages that has gone in effect will hold a meeting in Philadelphia tomorrow to discuss the

matter.

Under the new schedule the yard conductors receive \$2,90 for, night work of the schedule the yard conductors receive \$2,90 for, night work of the n Purs and \$2,75 for day work; flagmen, \$2,52 night and \$2,35 day; brakeman, \$2,40 night and \$2,28 day. The through conductors receive \$2,25 for one way between Philadelphia and Baltimore, flagmen, \$2.10; and brakemen \$2.

It happens that one run between Philadelphia and Baltimore may last several hours. The through men never have a run to Baltimore, but that they have another train to run back. Although in a week they make considerable more money than the vard mee, they think the scale of pay for each should be fixed at the same figures.

AMUSEMENTS.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE.

SAN TOY.

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"San Toy" will be presented at the Opera House to night. The production is most elaborate. The two scenes employed are beautiful and picturesque, one showing a street in Pynka-Pong, the other the Imperial Palace, in the Forbidden City. The costumes are most elaborate and are absolutely correct, being imported from China. The company includes Paula Edwards, Marie Celeste, Meiville Stewart, G. K. Fortescue, Elgie Bowen, Sarony Lambert and a chorus of seventy-five.



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PENINSULA FARMING.

Berlin, Md., Jan. 10.—The Peninsula Horticultural Society with prominent fruit experts from all over the Unitrd States in attendance, including two peach kings of the country, began its closing day's session by its annual election of officers. The society has been enthused with new life and Dr. J. J. Black, the Delaware fruit expert declared to-day that it has been one of the society's biggest meetings. Beside the professers of experiment, stations in attendance to-day, all the members of the Delaware State Board of Agriculture participated in the deliberation, and Lieutenant-Governor Cannon of Delaware, was a prominent spectator.

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"During the season just passed, we handled from the Delaware division and branches, 15,275,407 quarts of berries, or the equivalent of 1591 cars of 15,000 pounds, minimum; of peaches, 1,111,528 baskets, or the equivalent of 1852 cars of 18,000 pounds minimum. Of these cars 230 were under refrideration and 704 were chartered cars. The berries were handled with promptness and dispatch, but not so with peaches.

CONVENTION AT AN END.

TROLLEY WIRE

The Curve at Sixth and King Streets Takes a Drop.

IN THE STREET.

By the breaking of the stay wires, the curve in the Peoples trolley wire at Sixth and King streets, dropped and blocked traffic for some time last evening.

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The stay wire were broken by the trolley pole of one of the cars figing off and become tangled in the cross wires. The car was in motion and before it could be stopped it dragged the wires into the street. The feed wire coming in contact with the track made a crack like a pistol and a blazz like lightning. Sparks and ziz zag electricity were flying in every direction, making the passing of teams very dangerous. Superintendent Van Trimp of the Wilmington City Railway lent several of his men to the Peoples company and they with the assistance of the repair crew soon had the dangerous wire back in its piace. One of the men was sent up a pole with a rope attached to wire and haut edit up from the ground.

Teamsters in general wanted to pass under the wire before it was fixed and the assistance of the police was required to prevent them running into danger.

STRONG SUN BEAMS.

The Battmore Sua says:
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