

NORWALK GAZETTE.

THE FAVORITE HOME PAPER.

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The Gazette has the largest circulation of any paper in Norwalk, and furnishes the lowest advertising rates.

Wait For the Facts.

With Patent Commissioner Simonds' case, undoubtedly in mind, the Washington Post makes the following very just and sensible observations:

"Shortly after the inauguration of the present administration the Post took occasion to warn the heads of departments to beware of the professional scandal mongers. This is an excellent time to repeat the advice. It is a very easy matter to start scandalous reports and there are a great many persons who engage in this sort of work for selfish reasons, but it is too frequently the case that grave injustice is done by a too ready acceptance of accusations of this character.

We hear of a great many investigations being inaugurated by the new administration. There can be no reasonable objection to this. Whenever a public official is charged with misconduct he should demand an investigation. Failure to do this is very properly accepted as evidence of guilt. But when charges are made against officials and ex-officials it is manifestly unfair to accept the declarations of their accusers without even the formality of an investigation. Personal character is entitled to better treatment, and the representatives of a great government cannot afford to encourage an indiscriminate onslaught upon its present and former servants.

To advocate a suspension of public opinion in the cases of men charged with misconduct is not always a popular thing to do, but it is the proper and fair course. The Government employes who hope to profit by smirching the characters of their former official associates have been very busy, and there are quite a number of investigations under way and on the tapis. Until they produce something besides generalities it will be just as well for the public to withhold its judgment."

In addition to the foregoing recommendations of the Post, the GAZETTE would suggest to Commissioner Seymour that he carefully review all the testimony in the Bell telephone case before the United States Supreme Court, wherein the alleged Drawbaugh invention is pretty well set forth. The GAZETTE would also suggest that Commissioner Seymour make inquiries and ascertain if Church & Church, who make the charges against Mr. Simonds, became the attorneys for Daniel Drawbaugh through one, Lysander Hill, a former associate of the Messrs. Church. If we are not mistaken the records in the Bell case will show that Hill was one of the prime financial movers in bringing the alleged Drawbaugh invention into litigation with the Bell telephone. The records in the great telephone trial will develop some desperate attempts on the part of rivals to smirch the Bell patent, and Commissioner Seymour will do well to keep a sharp look out when investigating telephone charges.

Cheated Miss Mead.

Officer Northrop arrested John China Weston Saturday afternoon. Weston was charged with getting goods under false pretenses from a person known as Miss Ida Mead. Weston was taken before Justice Austin who imposed a fine of \$7 and costs. Weston settled up and was discharged. What Weston did was to get change from Miss Mead for a \$5 on the bank of Port au Prince, in Hayti. The bill is supposed to be one that was lost while en route to Hayti from an engraving company in New York, and was assigned by any of the banking officials. Weston was inclined to make some damaging statements against the Mead woman, but as they were not pertinent to the case being tried they had no weight with the Judge.

Seek to Recover.

The case of Messrs. Dione and Durand vs. Beed Haviland was heard before Justice Austin, Saturday afternoon. The plaintiffs were boarders at the Old Hotel of which Mr. Haviland is landlord. On or about the 21st their rooms were entered and clothing, etc. was stolen. They seek to recover from Mr. Haviland to the amount of \$60 each. Attorney Walsh appeared for the prosecution and Light for the defendant. The latter entered a demurrer, upon which a decision was deferred.

Hot Luncheon.

The In-as-much Circle of the King's Daughters, of the Congregational church, will give a hot luncheon in the vacant store in the Norwalk Club building on Wednesday, May 24th from 12 to 2 p. m. The Jerome May banjo club will furnish music, and Lassen's celebrated clam chowder will be served. The proceeds derived from the luncheon will go to the church carriage fund.

TERSE TALES OF THE TIMES.

New Haven had a mad dog scare Saturday.

—Hale's Extract of Malt 20 cents. 607ft

Wednesday, Friday and Saturday of this week are ember days.

Edgar Demmon has gone back to his old situation in D. W. Fitch's store.

The foundation for Abram Fitch's new house on Orchard street, is nearly finished.

The Misses Amanda and Francis Smith spent Sunday with friends in Colebrook.

No young woman should marry a man until she has seen him wearing tight shoes.

Extensive improvements are to be made in R. E. Goldschmidt's store on Water street.

A valuable bay horse belonging to Liverman Horace E. Dann died this morning.

The Forget-me-not Circle of the Baptist church will give an entertainment Wednesday evening.

—Insect Powder, White Hellebore, Naphthaline and Moth Balls at Hale's. 607ft

Thomas F. Clark, uncle of Charles J. Ferris, of Norwalk, died this morning at his late residence at West Lebanon, N. Y.

An afternoon party, at which Little Miss Mary Watkins is hostess, is in progress at the Grace church rectory this afternoon.

Daniel Warner of Norwich has been appointed assistant keeper of the Stratford shoals lighthouse in place of Julian Smith, resigned.

Will Smith, formerly of Norwalk, who has been sick nigh unto death at his home in Seymour, is reported as being somewhat better.

The Norwalk druggist who desires to endear himself to the people and make a reputation for enterprise will throw in a germ destroyer with each glass of soda water.

—WANTED—A good reliable kitchen girl. Apply at the American House, Main street. 106 ft

Those Bridgeport young gentlemen who mixed beer with East Norwalk ice cream received the punishment they deserved. It is manifestly a crime to spoil good beer.

It is said that William Black, the novelist, is so nervous that he lays down his pen at the slightest sound. William could never report a Burgess meeting in Norwalk.

In all probability this week there will be an attempt made in the legislature to amend the anti-pool law so as to specifically exempt amateur bicycle and athletic contests.

Miss Susie Goldrick of Leonard street, and Mr. Alfonso Beers of Danbury, were married by the Rev. Father Colton at St. Steven's church, New York city, on Sunday, May 14th.

The hearing in the Butler street "benefits and damages" caused by the raising of the grade of the street, which was adjourned until this morning, has been further adjourned until next Monday.

The attorney general declines to detail an officer to carry on the investigation trumped up against ex-Commissioner Simonds and it is now proposed to leave it to a Congressional investigation next session.

A turnout belonging to liveryman S. W. Gregory collided with another team on West avenue Sunday afternoon, and as a result, was taken back to the stable minus one wheel. The occupants of the vehicle were uninjured.

Fred Smith shot two cats Sunday. He had positive proof that they were stealing his chickens before he filled them full of shot. They, the cats, had helped themselves to fifteen of Mr. Smith's chickens within the two days previous.

It is understood that a Stamford firm has leased the store at present occupied by John F. Bennett, and will open a branch clothing house in town. It will be under the management of Mr. "Al" Newman, a young man well and favorably known in Norwalk.

A horse driven by two young men who said they were from Ridgefield, fell in front of J. Belden Hurlbut's residence on Main street, Sunday morning, and broke the shafts of the carriage. The turnout was taken into Fred Smith's barn where temporary repairs were made and the party drove off.

William O'Brien, died at his home No. 7 School street, Sunday morning, aged about 59 years. He leaves a wife, two sons and three daughters. The deceased previous to moving to Norwalk some thirty years ago was employed at the Hoyt nurseries in New Canaan. He is spoken of as having been an honest, hard-working man.

Arthur Knapp called at the Town Clerk's office this morning and asked for a marriage license, the party of the second part to the contract being Miss Stella Ford. As the young lady is not of age in the eye of the law, young Knapp went out to get Mr. Ford's consent. He succeeded, and ere long you can safely expect to hear of a Knapp-Ford wedding.

Mr. James M. Creagh attended church in Danbury, Sunday.

"All Hot" Burton had a lost horse in his possession Saturday evening.

The New Haven police department has organized a Police Sick Benefit association.

The choir and orchestra of St. Mary's church will give a grand concert in the Norwalk Opera House next Monday evening.

Miss Annie Estelle Smith, of West avenue, has been appointed assistant registrar of Births, Marriages and Deaths.

A committee from the state legislature visited Putnam Park, Redding, today. Burgess Charles E. Squire of this town accompanied them.

Mrs. Marie Quintard, wife of James Quintard, died yesterday at her home in Port Chester, N. Y., of paralysis of the heart. She was thirty-five years old.

Liveryman George S. Gregory, who will have charge of the stables at Roton pneumatic tires, will erect a house near the sheds for the accommodation of the bicycle riders.

Warrants have been issued for the arrest of certain saloon keepers in town who have practiced the selling of intoxicants on Sunday, contrary to the law in such case made and provided.

Health inspector Frank McKeon has posted a notice near the vacant lot on School street, prohibiting the dumping of vegetable matter on the same. He proposes prosecuting all violators of the order.

Eugene Benedict rode to Southport on his bicycle yesterday. The return journey was made on foot, however, as a sharp pointed stone punctured the pneumatic tire, causing it to close up tighter than the Main street saloons do on Sunday.

Miss Etta Arthur, of the Stamford Advocate office, and at one time in the composing room of the GAZETTE, called on friends in town Saturday afternoon. She was accompanied by Miss Tuttle, also of the Advocate office.

James L'Hommedieu found a horse and wagon Saturday. He placed it in his barn and later found an owner in the person of H. G. Whitlock. Mr. W. had left the horse un hitched and the animal becoming tired of waiting for him, walked into the possession of Mr. L'Hommedieu.

"Dan" James and "Charley" Whitlock went fishing yesterday, in York state, and captured thirty fine trout. We note of several fishermen who were out on the same errand in Connecticut, yesterday, and not a trout captured. This goes to prove that the morals of York state trout are more lax than those of Connecticut trout.

An attachment was placed on the money which Thomas Heffernan holds in payment of an unexpired license purchased from C. & A. Adams or their representative. The parties who went out the writ under attachment are William Adams and Thomas Cooney. The money has already been garnished by a Bridgeport wholesale liquor dealer named Lalley, a creditor of the Adams. Mr. Heffernan received for the amount and his place is still open.

Mrs. Fawcett is negotiating for the lease of one of the stores in the James building on Water street—the same store in which she for many years carried on a successful millinery business. The store more recently occupied by her is still closed under attachment, one of the larger creditors, it is understood refusing to come to any satisfactory terms of settlement. Mrs. Fawcett has a large number of friends who will be glad to welcome her back to the old stand and will wish her abundant success.

USE DANA'S SARSAPARILLA, IT'S "THE KIND THAT CURES."

Poisoned. Mrs. Charlotte Wilcox, 83 years of age, died suddenly at New Haven Saturday, the result of accidental poisoning. She had been ill for a few weeks past and mistook a bottle of aqua ammonia for a nerve tonic.

Mystery in Naugatuck. Mary Munroe, aged 60, and the 7-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Roberts, were burned to death in an explosion Friday evening. Shortly before 6 o'clock the fire department was called out to extinguish a fire which had been discovered in the Roberts house. It was found that the little girl had been frightfully burned and the woman was also suffering from burns which did not appear serious. The child died in a very short time. The woman died about three hours later. There are very suspicious circumstances surrounding the case. An unknown peddler was seen going into the house early in the morning, while Mr. and Mrs. Roberts were at work in a shop. Just before the fire was discovered the peddler was seen running away.

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Coroner Mix will investigate both deaths to-morrow. The peddler is still at large, but Police Chief Horsford of Naugatuck is after him.

Coming Home. Colonel John A. Tibbits, ex-consul at Bradford, England, will sail for home on the Britannic June 7. Mr. Tibbits proposes to rent a cottage in the neighborhood of New London for the summer, and in the fall may enter the newspaper field again.

Found Drowned. Three brothers named Lavallo while walking along the banks of the Connecticut river below Hartford, Sunday, found the corpse of Edward Murphy, a shoemaker of Temple street, who has been missing for some time. Murphy was drowned accidentally thinks the medical examiner.

Father Shortell Transferred. The Rev. Richard E. Shortell, who has been one of the curators of St. Peter's church in Danbury a little over a year, has been promoted a parish priest and succeeds the Rev. Father Keefe to the parish at Ridgefield and Georgetown. Father Keefe retires on account of old age and takes up his home with the Jesuits on Keyser Island. While Father Shortell's transfer is in the line of promotion his personal popularity among all classes of people in Danbury will be regarded with something akin to a loss.

A Freight Car Fire. A fire was discovered in a N. Y., L. E. and N. freight car, which was side-tracked near the Windsor street crossing, Hartford, last night, about 12 o'clock. The car was situated so far from the crossing that it was impossible to reach it with the hose, and a switching engine was attached, which drew the burning car to where the engines were. A stream was turned on and after about half an hour's work the flames were under control. The car was loaded with matched lumber which was badly damaged. The car was badly burned and the damage is put at about \$800. How the fire started is not known, but it looks very much as if it was incendiary.

The Old Homestead. Theatre goers seem to hunger for the "Old Homestead" and each succeeding engagement proves its power of pleasing to be even on the increase. Like good wine, time seems to improve its quality. The play which is being performed being without an imitator, it stands alone and occupies a niche all to itself, in the realms of dramatic literature. It stands alone as the only play enjoyed by all classes. It is a play which clergy-men go to see, and then advise their congregations to witness. A play which the fashion of the great cities never tire of seeing. A play which has won scores of drawing largely from a rural population that never left its annual visit go unattended, but never attends any other production. A play which grey beards and children alike enjoy. A play which has become a household word from Maine to California. It will be presented at the Opera House next Thursday evening.

Geo. R. Curtis Dead. George R. Curtis, treasurer of the Meriden Britannia Co., died Saturday morning, aged 67 years. He had been in feeble health for several months, but was suddenly taken ill on a trip south. Mr. Curtis was a native of Meriden. When the late Horace C. Wilcox and Isaac C. Lewis started the Meriden Britannia Co., Mr. Curtis was made head book-keeper and afterwards treasurer, which position he held until his death. He was an ex-mayor, a member of the court of common council. He was president of the Meriden Silver Plate Co., and ex-member of the executive committee of the Meriden, Waterbury & Conn. River road; a director of the Meriden Trust and Safe Deposit Co., and of the William Rogers Mfg. Co., of Hartford; president of the Meriden Horse Railroad Co., and an officer of St. Andrew's Episcopal church. He leaves a widow, a son, George M., who is assistant treasurer of the Britannia Co., and a daughter, Mrs. A. B. Squire.

All Water Meters Incorrect. Editor GAZETTE:—Mr. E. A. Bishop of Bristol, is the inventor of the best and most accurate water meter yet devised. He is moreover a thoroughly scientific and practical hydraulic engineer and yet, he avers that no water meter ever has been, or in his opinion, ever will be, constructed so as to measure the flow of water through it with exact accuracy and that this is the reason that water-meters have always been inaccurate and slow in operation wherever tried. Water is so different from gas, in that the shape, pressure, indentations, smooth or rough surfaces or rust in the pipes, destroy all accuracy of measurements. New York in the Tweed regime squandered hundreds of thousands of dollars in the purchase of useless and utterly unreliable water meters, tons of which were sold for old iron, as our foolish enough purchases could have been resorted to and your sermo-coeditorial agent the subject was superb, just to the point and is everywhere commended throughout the Borough. A. C. A.

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A Serious Accident. Sydney Smith met with an accident early Sunday morning that he will probably not forget even though he were permitted to live to be as old as the Town House.

He is employed at a boarding house kept by Isaac Lee on Main street. Sunday morning about 5 o'clock, as "Maria," the cook, employed at the same place, was coming down stairs Smith called to her from his room and asked her to summon a physician as he had met with an accident whereby he had broken his leg. She awoke Mr. Lee who summoned Dr. Baldwin at the request of Mr. Smith.

At the arrival of the physician an examination was made of Smith's injuries, and he found that while Smith had not broken his leg he had sustained injuries of an alarming character, and it was decided that a consultation of physicians be held.

Smith was made as comfortable as possible. In the meantime Dr. Gregory was called and shortly after his arrival Smith's wounds were dressed. One of them of minor importance being a severe contusion on his side.

It was learned that he had fallen from a window in the rear of the building into an enclosed area way. Smith is deaf but after a time replied to written questions. He says that he got up in the night and going to the window of his room, which is two stories high from the ground floor, accidentally fell out into the area way, striking on a beer-skid and several cases of bottles.

Mr. Lee does not believe his story; in fact his every action after the accident shows the improbability of the same, for instead of going to a rear door which was bolted on the inside, and going up the stairs and alighting in the dining room, reaching which he got into the dining room and from thence went to his room, and to bed where he kept quiet until morning when he called to the cook.

Mr. Lee is of the opinion that Smith, for the purpose of theft, climbed out of the dining room window, missed his footing and fell, and on landing struck in a sitting posture on a large glass bottle causing a frightful wound to himself. Considering the nature of the wound it is almost marvelous that he was able to climb back and get to his room.

Mr. Lee has been in the habit of leaving money in his cash drawer, and has missed several sums the past week or so. He took the money and placed it in another room. He is loth to accuse Smith of being dishonest, but had been suspicious of him for some time and now believes that his suspicions were not groundless. However, he is doing everything for the comfort of the young man who lies in a precarious condition.

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Painless Dentistry. It was but a short time ago that it would be difficult to imagine anything more blissful than pulling a tooth from the jaw of a dentist, but now the dentist has it on the patient and teeth are extracted without a desire on the part of the sufferer to get out of the dental chair and wipe up the floor with the extractor. A GAZETTE representative after having spent a day and night of misery in the cabinet and placed the G. R. W. Many on Main street, one day last week and requested the genial doctor to relieve him of his aching molar. The G. R. thought he noticed a satisfied smile tinkle the corners of the doctor's mouth as though he thought the time had arrived when he could get even with a newspaper reporter.

When requested to remove the offending tooth without pain, the genial doctor produced a peculiar little instrument which he proceeded to fill from a bottle on his dental cabinet. He then approached the reporter and after requesting him to open his mouth proceeded to inject the mysterious fluid around the tooth with a sensation similar to inserting a toothpick between the teeth. With another wicked smile he approached the cabinet and placed the fine containing instrument away in its case at the same time picking up a lance. The reporter was now beginning to get interested, but his thoughts were suddenly interrupted by the doctor telling him to again open his mouth and if he wanted to yell to do so as loud as he could. With this remark the lance was inserted and the gums cut, but strange to say not a particle of pain was experienced. As soon as this operation was performed the deadly forceps were brought out and exhibited to the patient reporter who was nursing himself for the awful ordeal. The doctor after opening his forceps closed them about the offending tooth and " presto" that aching member was exhibited as another trophy of the wonderful discovery of painless dentistry. The GAZETTE man was delighted with the skillful manner in which his aching molar was extracted without a particle of pain, and to all those who suffer from toothache he recommends that they call on Dr. Many and have their teeth extracted without pain by his new and wonderful method of painless dentistry.

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Another Flax Incident. Bridgeport was the scene of another flax incident Sunday but not so exciting as that of a year ago. Readers will recall the excitement occasioned last year by the action of several members of the city battalion in making the captain of a schooner haul down a foreign flag. Yesterday a few soldiers boys were at the armory when they noticed a small sloop lying at Lumber street with an English flag flying in the breeze. The captain was ordered to haul it down. He did so promptly and in its place the stars and stripes were hoisted.

Another Horse Thief. Another horse thief is at large in the state. A young man about 19 years old hired a team at E. Dunworth's stables, Waterbury, Saturday, and up to date has failed to return it. The turnout is described as follows: Small bay mare, off hind leg white, side bar top buggy, owner's name on the seat under the cushion.

Fire in Kensington. Kensington was visited by a \$12,000 fire early Sunday morning and had it not been for the summoning of the fire department from New Britain promptly the entire village would have probably been wiped out. As it was Wooding Bros. factory, H. W. Wood's house, Baldwin Fingles' barn and two unoccupied iron foundries went up in smoke.

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A Surprise. Charles Ferris met with a peculiar accident at the Baptist church, last evening. The water power used in pumping the church organ was shut off and Ferris was doing the pumping by hand. Suddenly the water was turned on again and Ferris who had held of the pump handle was thrown sprawling to the floor. He was not seriously injured. He says that it was the first time that he was ever knocked down by an invisible power.

Arrested at Yale. J. S. Dwight, a member of the senior class at Yale College, was arrested Saturday, charged with being the author of the mysterious thefts which have occurred lately at the college. Dwight admitted his guilt, but as it is his first offence, and as his previous record has been very good, it is thought he will escape with a light punishment. He will not now receive his diploma unless special provisions are made for him.

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Captured. George L. Wood of Danbury, who was wanted for stealing a horse, was captured by Chief Dann on Saturday, in New Canaan.

Wood, who is about 30 years old, on Wednesday morning hired a bicycle from a Danbury firm and wheeled to Bethel. Later in the day he rode into Nichols stable and said that he wanted to hire a team to drive to Redding. Mr. Nichols let him have a turnout valued at \$300. Wood left the bicycle and drove away, and up to the time of his arrest, Nichols did not know of the whereabouts of his property.

He came to Norwalk and notified the police and had postal cards containing a description of the horse printed and sent to the surrounding towns. Chief Dann then hired a team and proceeded to New Canaan where he learned a man having a turnout answering the description had been seen, and that the man was peddling a patent rubber cement.

The clue was a good one, and the chief was not long in getting on to Wood's trail and soon had him under arrest and the stolen property in his possession.

It is said that Wood has previously borne a good reputation, and his friends do not believe that he intended stealing the horse. If such had been his intention it seems very strange that he did not drive out of the State as he had every opportunity of doing. This he did not attempt to do. He put the horse up at night in a barn at New Canaan, and paid for its keeping.

He was placed in the station-house until this morning, at which time Chief Dann went to Stamford to consult with State Attorney Fessenden in reference to the case.

To the officers here the prisoner gave his name as Mortimer Weed. He was taken to Bethel this afternoon for a hearing, although for some unexplained reason he does not care to go there. Young Weed or Wood does not have the appearance of being a "bad man," and there are those who do not believe that he can be convicted of horse stealing.

Rats! At the end of Mr. Cleveland's first administration the important offices in the departments at Washington were about fairly divided between the two parties.—Bridgeport Farmer.

Use For Banana Skins. Do not throw banana skins on the sidewalk. Horses are exceedingly fond of the tender, juicy skin, and will never refuse to take one. There are always horses standing along the curbstone, and it is much easier to pass the skin to one of them than to look for an ash-barrel or a sewer opening.

Collects Policemen's Clubs. Officer Doherty of station 1 New Haven has a fad. It is the collection of sticks carried by patrolmen in various cities. Sunday he sent a hand-me club to a brother police officer in the Sandwich Islands. He expects to get a sample of the clubs used there by the policemen, in a short time.

Missing. Michael Singleton, aged 50 years, of Hartford, is missing. Three months ago he was kicked by a horse which incapacitated him from work, since which time he has been despondent and it is feared that he has committed suicide. A searching party has been organized and a thorough search will be made for him.

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NOTICE!

At a meeting of the Board of Water Commissioners, holden May 19, 1893, all of the Water Commissioners being present, it was voted that the following rule, adopted by the Board of Water Commissioners, August 30, 1872, be published, to wit:

RULE VIII.—METERS.

"The water rates are predicated on supplying water for domestic purposes at thirty cents per thousand gallons, for manufacturing purposes at twenty-five cents per thousand gallons, and for special purposes, requiring large quantities, at twenty cents per thousand gallons.

The Commissioners hereby reserve the right to ascertain by meter, when they shall deem it for the interest of the Borough, the quantity of water used by any party, and to contract with such party at the established meter rate."

By order of the Board of Water Commissioners.
A. H. CAMP, Secretary.
Norwalk, May 20 1893.

Real Estate For Sale.

PURSUANT to an order of the Court of Probate for the district of Norwalk, the subscriber will offer for sale at public auction, to the highest bidder, on Thursday, May 22nd, 1893, at 2 o'clock afternoon, (unless previously disposed of at private sale) all such right, title and interest as JOHN H. REMSEN, late of said Norwalk, deceased, had at the time of his death in or to those several tracts of land, with the buildings thereon, all situated in said Norwalk, viz: The homestead lately occupied by said deceased on Cliff street, so-called, in quantity three acres of land, more or less, one tract of land on France street, so-called, with a dwelling house and out-buildings thereon, in quantity one acre, more or less, and about twelve acres of land on the West Rock roadstead. Terms and conditions made known at time of sale. For further particulars inquire of the subscriber who is specially authorized to make said sale.
C. B. COOLIDGE.
Dated at Norwalk, May 19th, 1893. 606 ft

Notice. DISTRIC of Norwalk ss. Probate Court. May 20th, A. D. 1893.
WHEREAS, written application has been made to this Court for the admission to probate of a certain will, so-called, of the last will and testament of ASBENATE G. BALLARD, late of Norwalk, in said district, deceased.
CROZIER, Decedent's executor, has heard and determined at the Probate Office in Norwalk, on the 27th day of May, 1893, at 11 o'clock forenoon, that said application, in so far as given to all persons interested therein by publishing this order in a newspaper having a circulation in said District, at least five days before said day of hearing.
ASA B. WOODWARD, Judge.

NOTICE.

RUBI has removed his Wagon Works to his new shop in the rear of his house, 14 Cross street. Having increased facilities and room, he is able to complete any work with a fine line. He is invited, being assured of fair treatment, good work and reasonable prices. New and second-hand Wagons and CARRIAGES FOR SALE, worth the money.

Notice.

THE regular annual meeting of the Norwalk Pottery Company will be held at the office of said Company, Monday afternoon, June 6th, at 3 o'clock.
E. O. KEELER, Sec'y.
Norwalk, Conn. May 22, 1893.

TO RENT.

Half inch or less, 25 cts a day, or \$1.00 per week.

TO RENT—Five very nice rooms on Wall street, over Glover & O'Brien's store. Apply to W. E. DAN'S Harness Store. 608 ft

TO RENT—Four large rooms with pantry and closets on first floor, at No. 7 Chestnut street. Possession immediately. Inquire on the premises, or of E. H. FELLOW, No. 5 Chestnut street, Norwalk. 605 ft

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THE INFANTA'S SUNDAY.

Reputable Simplicity Marks Her Attendance at Divine Worship.

WASHINGTON, May 22.—The Infanta Eulalia spent her first Sunday in the United States in the retirement of her hotel...

It had been stated that the infanta would attend 11 o'clock services and in consequence there were only a usual number of early churchgoers present.

After services the party, under the escort of Commander Davis, were driven to the Washington monument...

During the early afternoon the infanta received callers, among them Secretary of State Gresham, Sir Julian Pauncefote, M. Patenotre, Admiral Luce, Mr. Pax Chung Yang, the Korean minister and others in official and social life.

Last night the infanta, Prince Antoine, the Duke de Tamesan, the Marchioness of Asco Hermosa and Commander Davis dined with the infanta...

THE CASE OF DR. BRIGGS.

IT Will Probably Come Up in the Presbyterian Assembly This Week. WASHINGTON, May 22.—Commissioners to the general assembly, according to the usual practice in connection with the annual meeting of that body...

Deserted the Whisky Trust. PEORIA, Ill., May 22.—Five of the largest distilleries in this city have withdrawn from the Cattle Feeding and Distilling company.

Honoring Hungarian Patriots. BUDA PESTH, May 22.—The Honved movement was unveiled yesterday in the presence of an enormous crowd.

Winner of the Prix de Diane. PARIS, May 22.—The Prix de Diane, or the French Oaks, was run at the Chantilly course yesterday.

Saved His Life

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But Hood's Sarsaparilla Effected a Perfect Cure.



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MANY DISAPPOINTED.

Vast Crowds Outside the Closed World's Fair Grounds.

DISGRUNTLED WORKMEN PROTEST.

The Chicago Trade and Labor Assembly Will Hold a Mass Meeting in the Interest of Sunday Opening—A Methodist Minister Surprises His Congregation.

CHICAGO, May 22.—Tens of thousands of men and women wandered aimlessly up and down the thoroughfares outside the World's fair grounds yesterday, peering wistfully through the closed gates of the White City and murmuring regrets at their inability to gain admittance.



REPRODUCTION OF MUCKROSS ABBEY.

The fairs flourished as never before. The crowd had money, and not being able to spend it in the exposition they turned to the cheap amusements in the vicinity. Hundreds of shouters yelled themselves hoarse and rendered the day hideous in their efforts to secure their share of the golden harvest.

The Sunday opening question was vigorously discussed at the meeting of the Trade and Labor Assembly yesterday. It was brought up by the introduction of a resolution by Delegate McGuire which declared the sympathies of the labor unions in favor of Sunday opening.

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They Worked a New Game. BALTIMORE, May 22.—Two slick looking men carrying satchels called on Loren Meyer, a boss plumber, and offered to sell him some hair dye.

A Grandmother Sues for Divorce. MARTIN'S FERRY, O., May 22.—One of the most remarkable divorce cases on record will shortly be tried in the Belmont county common pleas court.

Bogus Theatrical Agent Lashed. WILMINGTON, Del., May 22.—Three hundred people gathered on the green at New Castle to see Thomas R. Milliken, a bogus theatrical agent who advertised for young girls to join a fake company and then gobbled them of their money.

Cartagena Tired of Italians. PANAMA, May 22.—The Italians and other foreign laborers imported to do railroad work in Cartagena have quit their employments and are drinking and stealing in the city.

An Insurance Company's Big Risk. ELMHURST, N. Y., May 22.—The New York Mutual Life Insurance company has assumed control as trustee of all of Mayor C. Robinson's enterprises in this city.

Big Company Incorporated. KNOXVILLE, Tenn., May 22.—Articles incorporating the La Follette Coal and Iron company, with a capital of \$2,500,000, and the La Follette Land and Improvement company, with a capital of \$1,500,000, were filed at Blacksboro, Campbell county, Tenn.

Judge Jackson Will Retire. KINGWOOD, W. Va., May 22.—It is reported that Judge John Jackson, United States district judge for West Virginia, will soon retire on account of his advanced age and that President Cleveland will appoint Senator Bland to his place.

Assaulted the French Premier. PARIS, May 22.—This morning's newspapers print details of the scene on Saturday in the chamber of deputies immediately after the division on the motion for the prosecution of M. Baudin.

A Fugitive Murderer Caught. DETROIT, May 22.—William Sullivan, who in January last murdered Layton Leitch, a farmer living near Durand, Mich., and assaulted the murdered man's wife so that his life was at first despaired of, was captured in this city yesterday.

Three Children Burned to Death. BUFFALO, N. Y., May 22.—The cottage on Grand Island, occupied by John Downey, wife and five children, was burned to the ground yesterday. Three of the children, John, aged 7; Annie, aged 9; and Frank, aged 5, perished in the flames.

A Minnesota Town Destroyed. ST. PAUL, May 22.—A dispatch from Rock Creek says that town has been destroyed by fire. Among the buildings burned are two general stores, a depot and several residences. The loss will probably reach \$30,000.

NUGGETS OF NEWS. Several important changes in the pension bureau are expected this week. Ex-Secretary Noble denies a published report that he is to remove from St. Louis to Oklahoma.

A monument to Alexander H. Stephens will be unveiled at Crawfordville, Ga., on Wednesday next. Ben McCullough, an old St. Louis bank official, was killed at his home in Woodstock, Mo., by a burglar.

The Starr gang of desperadoes made an unsuccessful attempt to rob an express train in the Cherokee strip. An anonymous call has been issued for a meeting in Bridgeton, N. J., this evening to organize 'a prohibition church.'

Miss Rose Cleveland, sister of the president, who has been abroad since 1891, arrived in New York on Saturday afternoon. In the woman eldership struggle at Little Rock, Ark., the Cumberland Presbyterian general assembly voted to admit Mrs. Claggett.

A dispatch from Queenstown says that eight sailors from the British ship Lord Templeton were drowned in a hurricane and the vessel badly crippled. At Danville, Ind., Caleb Brown, president of the Lebanon Gas company, shot Samuel Wesner, one of the most prominent lawyers in Indiana, killing him instantly. The tragedy occurred in a court room during a session of the court.

The president has just made the following appointments: Owen McGary of Tennessee, to be secretary of the United States legation at Santiago, Chile; Michael J. Hendrick of New Hampshire, consul of the United States at Belleville, Canada.

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FIRE ON THE STEAMER ROANOKE. NEW YORK, May 22.—The steamship Roanoke, of the Old Dominion line, backed into her dock last night with a fire burning fiercely in her hold. The fire was discovered as the steamship was passing Long Branch, and she immediately put back.

THE BRAZILIAN REVOLUTION. VALPARAISO, May 22.—A dispatch from Rio Janeiro says that the chamber is discussing the motion for the termination of the Rio Grande do Sul revolution. Articles have been received that at Potucho Verdes the Castilista troops were again defeated by the revolutionists.

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SOUTH NORWALK.

Don't forget the Germania ball, Tuesday evening, May 30. 611-1v. The condition of assistant postmaster J. W. Duke, remains unchanged to-day.

William Wakely was fined \$1. and costs for drunkenness by Justice Barrett this morning.

The Norwalk Wheel Club held a very successful club run to New Canaan yesterday afternoon.

Mr. W. J. Sheffer, formerly of Norwalk, now of New Haven, spent Sunday with friends in town.

The ladies of the Arion Singing society will hold a necktie and apron sociable at their hall to-night.

S. O. Seymour and Charles Olmstead were before Justice Barrett this morning on a charge of drunkenness. They were found guilty and fined \$1 and costs each, which they paid.

George and William Lander returned home Saturday night from a trip with the Yale Law School base ball club, and are playing this afternoon with the Norwalks against the Yale Consolidated team.

One of Jacob Schaub's teams wandered away from the market last Saturday afternoon and started up North Main street. He was stopped in front of Theile's cigar store and held until the owner appeared.

A horse belonging to Jennings and Waterbury, broke from the wagon Saturday afternoon on Washington street crossing and started to run. The frightened animal was soon stopped by Elbert Clark. Beyond the wrecking of the harness no damage resulted.

Don't forget the Germania ball, Tuesday evening, May 30. 611-1v

While acting as umpire in a base ball game at Darien, last Saturday, Charles Pennington of this city was quite badly injured. He was umpiring without a mask, when a foul tip struck him on the nose, badly mashing it, and rendering Mr. Pennington unfit for further duty as umpire. It is feared that his nose is broken.

John B. Betts, employed at William A. Brown's hat factory, and Mr. Brown became involved in a difficulty, Saturday morning, which arose over a dispute between the two men regarding the amount of money Mr. Betts should receive for his services last week. A war of words followed and as a result, the matter is now in the hands of a lawyer.

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