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# NATIONAL CAPITAL.

a Short Vacation Down the Potomac.

His Length of Stay Depends Upon the One of Them Badly Cut About the Face. Weather.

> GAZETTE'S BUREAU, 709 EAST CAPITOL STREET, WASHINGTON, APRIL 7.

DEAR GAZETTE:-One of the first official acts of the President to-day was to send his flood message to Congress. He would have left Washington yesterday afterooon but for this message. It was but two hours after Congress received the message that the legislation asked for, had been granted and the resolution appropriating \$200,000 for flood sufferers was in the hands of the President for his signature.

o o o Immediately after the President signed the resolution he joined Mrs. McKinley, Secretary and Mrs. Porter, Dr. and Mrs. Bates, Mrs. Saxton, and Mrs, McKinley's maid, and the party was driven to the navy yard, where they boarded the tugboat Triton, which took them to Alexandria, where they boarded the dispatch boat Dolphin and started for a few days' cruise down the Potomac.

This is the first time since last summer that the President has had a few days' vacation. Since the St. Louis convention and the opening of the campaign he has had no time for a junket of ary sort, and the only thing that approached a vacation was when he visited Senator Hanna in Cleveland a few times, and again when he stayed with a friend in Chicago for forty-eight hours

The length of the President's stay is problematical, and everything depends on the state of the weather. Nice, bright spring weather insures his remaining away from Washington until Sunday or Monday. Cloudy and threatening weather will bring the President to Washington within fortyeight hours.

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The Democratic Senators held a caucus this afternoon to consider the subject of filling the committee vacancies. No conclusion was reached, although the new Senators urged that something be done so that they might be assigned to committees. The caucus decided to wait until the Republicans submitted their plan to Mr. Gorman, Chairman of the Democratic Steering Committee.

The sub-committee of the Senate finance committee is reported to be making good progress in the consideration of the tariff bill, and it is now predicted that the bill will be reported to the Senate about the 20th of this month.

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General W. W. Skiddy, president of the Stamford Manufac using Company, is here. He said his visit had no special significance. His company is interested particularly in the duty on dye rates as fixed by the Dingley bill.

o o o The Senate to-day confirmed the nomination of E. S. Day of Colchester, consul to Bradford, England.

0 0 0 The Secretary and Mrs. Porter will have the Connecticut delegation as guests at a dinner April 19.

Charles Henry Townsend, of New Haven, and Mrs. Townsend stopped over here to-day, on their way to Richmond and Old Point Comfort.

# New Trout Law.

The new trout law recently passed ky the General Assembly prohibits trout fishing except in private streams and ponds, in the town of New Canaan, Darien, Stamford and Greenwich, until 1900, and provides a fine of not more

The term "private stream" does not apply to the branches of any stream have been even as between the two. stocked by the State, so that it is unlawful to fish for brook trout on the Five Mile, Noroton, Rippowam or Mianus rivers or any of their branches. The fish wardens lately appointed for these towns will be on the alert for the detection of violations of the new law.

# Placed on the Retired List.

The adjutant-general has place 1 the following military ex-officers on the retired list, each, on his own application: Wallace T. Fenn, Wethersfield, ex-paymaster-general; Howard G. Hubbell, Bridgeport, ex-brigade quartermaster; William H. Bentley, New London, exlieutenant-colonel, Third Regiment.

Street and Exchange Compliments.

A warrant was placed in the hands of Constable Goodwin this morning, for the arrest of Dominio Foire who was charged with having stabbed a brother Italian named Sabado Com

The two had some differences on Wood street last evening, and became engaged in a fight in which knives played no unimportant part.

The fight fortunately, or unfortunately, as you may choose to think, did not result fatally to either of the combatants, but it was very much in evidence | tion. that Sabado had the worst of it.

He showed three ugly cuts about his face and neck, one of which on his neck was liable to have proved fatal, as was perhaps the intent of the man who did the stabbing.

Rows of this nature have become so frequent on Wood street that it has gained the name of "murderers row." Foire was placed under arrest.

## **WEALTH OF A PAUPER.**

Selectmen Sue an Aged Woman to Recover Cost of Her Support. .

The selectmen of the town of Middletown have brought suit against Mrs. Ellen Whitely, aged 50 years, to recov-

For many years she has been supported by the town upon the plea of poverty.

A week ago Mrs. Mary Wyman, a daughter, living in Hartford, applied in the probate court of Middletown for a conservator over her mother and upon investigation it was discovered that Mrs. Whitely owned property valued at \$1.500. Consequently the suit.

The case is returnable to the Superior court in May.

# Penalty for Stealing Bicycles

H. T. King of Merider, secretary of the Connecticut Federation of Cyclists, Senaior Marigold of Bridgeport and Samuel P. Calef of Middletown, favored before the committee on the judiciary in Hartford yesterday, the recommitted bill providing a state prison sentence for the stealing of bicy- his indignation because the child had cles. Mr. King filed with the committee an amendment providing a fine of \$50 for boys who steal bicycles.

# Drunken Bicyclists.

Two Norwalk wheelmen rode to Stamford last night, and while here indulged too freely in Pacific street beverage. They were unable to undertake the return journey, and after several ineffectual attempts to mount their wheels, they sought a local boarding-house. One of their wheels was materials, and is satisfied with the found to be badly damaged this morning.-Advocate.

# Broad Minded Clergy.

When the Roman Catholic church in Portsmouth, Va., burned down the other day, the Baptist and the Methodist churches of the city. offered the homeless congregation the free use of their chapels until it could provide itself with another edifice, and three Methodist and one Episcopal clergymen called personally on the priest to express their sympathy with him and his people.

# Fisticuffs.

A large crowd was attracted on Main street last night caused by a fight between two men named Hussey and Lynch, in a saloon on that street. The fight was a lively one while it lasted but the proprietor of the saloon "took a hand in it" and soon had the combatants separated. Honors were said to

# Part on Monday.

The dissolution of the law firm ci Light & Taylor, as exclusively published in the GAZETTE on Wednesday, occasioned no little talk about town although a separation had been rumored school grounds. for some time past. Mr. Taylor will move to the offices in the Swartz building formerly occupied by him, on Mon-

# Gone South.

Sheriff Hawley left Bridgeport yesterday morning, for a short tour in the for the storage of beer. south. He will remain sometime in Florida.

# WICKEDLY STABBED. HER PAPA OBJECTED.

President McKinley Starts on Two Italians Meet on Wood Lizzie Jones, of New Canaan, Wanted to be a Baptist.

> But Mr. Jones Called Upon the Parson With a Constable.

> The gossips of New Canaan have been engaged for the last day or two in magnifying into the biggest kind of a sensation an incident in which Rev. J. B. Rittgers, the new pastor of the Baptist church, and Robert Jones, a Summer street shoemaker, are the central figures, other parties to the comedydrama being Shoemaker Jones' fifteenyear-old daughter, Grand Juror Benedict and Constable Raymond. The most tragic feature of the story, as told by the wicked gossips, that the shoemaker was hunting the parson with a gun, rests upon a very flimsy founda-

The Joneses are Roman Catholics, but Lizzie, who was for a short time employed in the household of the Baptist parson, is said to have been attracted towards that church, its Sundayschool and its social diversions, and expressed a desire to become a member of the flock. Papa Jones didn't like that idea at all, and determined that Lizzie should not become a Baptist while he was able to control her movements. Nevertheless, she prepared to be immersed at a service in the Baptist church last Sunday night. Her parents kept her indoors, but she eluded their vigilance and went to the church. She did not get there until the regular service was over, and, it is said, persuaded the clergyman to administer the rite of baptism then.

Papa Jones went out to look for Lizzie and turned his steps towards the parson's house. His inquiry there was responded to with the statement that Lizzie was not in the parsonage. He thought she was, and enlisted the services of Constable Samuel Raymond to recover the young woman. When he again visited the house, this time in company with the minion of the law, the girl was produced and was taken home. It was stated that she was not there when Jones first called-a statement the truth of which there is no reason to doubt.

The story about threats to injure the pastor seems to have grown out of an alleged statement, by Jones, that, had he known, the minister intended to baptize Lizzie, he should have been tempt ed to shoot the paster. Jones, in conversation with friends, said he had no desire to do the clergyman any bodily injury, but made no attempt to conceal been baptized. Grand Juror Benedict, conservator of the peace of New Canaan, investigated the story about the alleged threats, and did not find enough in them to justify a criminal proceeding against Jones.

Friends of the parson declare that the latter can in no way be held blamable. They say Lizzie was old enough to join the church, and knowing nothing of the opposition of her family, he could not be expected to see anything wrong in baptizing her after being requested so to do and being satisfied that she was a proper candidate to receive the

New Canaanites are speculating now as to what the outcome will be, but no new developments are likely to grow out of the affair.

# New Motorman was in Charge.

A delegation from the Stamford sociable given by Mrs. Hobby at Darien last Monday night and had a rather exciting time upon the return journey. The motorman of the Norwalk Tramway car, upon which the party was returning, proved to be a new hand. He lost control of his car, which bowled along at a lively rate. When but a short distance from the terminus at the Norcton river bridge the car jumped the track, and for a few moments there was considerable apprehension felt lest it should run into the river. It did not however, and the party aboard were greatly relieved. -Advocate.

# The World Thrown Down.

The authorities of the Hotchkiss School at Lakeville, one of the largest schools in Connecticut, have forbidden the sale of the New York World on the

# Leased By a Brewery.

The Gambrinus Brewing company, of New York city, have leased the old Danbury Beef company's plant on Rose street, and will convert it into a cooler

+A GAZETTE ad. will pay you.

# TOOK THEIR CLUBS.

'Eddie Lynch' Beats Two Policemen. But is Knocked Into Insensibility After a Savage Fight.

Charged With Beating His Wife and Assaulting the Police.

An old feud between the New York police of the East Side, and "Eddie" Lynch, well known here in Norwalk, who formerly kept a resort in Bayard street, was revived yesterday morning by a bloody conflict in the hallway of No. 5 Delancey street, and on the side-

Lynch was beaten into insensibility, and Policemen Mallon and Dody received many blows with their own clubs, which Lynch took away from

them. The cries of a woman in the house were the excuse for a renewal of hostilites on the part of the police. Lynch, who had shamefully beaten his wife, was met in the hallway by Policeman Mallon, who had run up on hearing the woman's screams. A terrific struggle ensued. Mallon blew his whistle for help. When Policeman Dody arrived, Lynch had thrown Mallon to the floor and wrested his club from him. The fight was continued on the sidewalk for twenty minutes before Lynch was

In Essex Market Court "Eddie" was held for trial on the double charge of beating his wife and assaulting the

## **BOSTON STORE NORWALK**

Special Bargains for To-morrow, (Friday.)

20 cent linen towels each, 12½c. 5 "toilet paper, 8 packages, 25c. 50 "Men's black satin scarfs, 25c. white tape per roll, 1c. Black taffeta gloves, 9c. Ladies black stockings, 7c.

Ladies summer vests, 19c. package hair pins, 3 packages granite Iron milk pan, 10c. Ladies handkerchief, 3c. Table linen, 50c. writing pads each, 2½c.

wash basins, 10c. Matting, 25c.

\$300 Ladies dress skirts, \$2.25. \$1.25 lace curtains per pair, 75c. \$1.25 Ladies black capes, 75c. 75c Ladies shirt waists, 50c.

# Road Roller Arrives.

The new town steam road roller 'meandered" up West avenue to-Leonrd street and up Water and over Wal to Smith street, reachnig its destina tion shortly before 7 o'clock last even ing. This afternoon it will be put at work on Newtown avenue. Like all new things it attracted a goodly share

# No. 7250.

The holder of the lucky number 7250 that won the bicycle at the drawing at Olsen Bros, shoe store, was held by Miss Frances Wakeman, a pupil at the Hillside school. Miss Wakeman is receiving the hearty congratulations of her many friends.

# Madam Scalchi III.

The concert advertised for Hoyt's Theatre last night, did not take place, much to the disappointment of the music loving public. Madam Scalchi was too ill to appear and Manager Woman's Relief Corps attended a barn | Hoyt refused to allow the concert to go on without her.

# Placed on the Retired List.

The adjutant-general has issued an order placing on the retired list at his own request, ex Captain Frank R. Nash, Company G, Fourth Regiment,

There was a little scene behind the scenes at the Opera House last night not down on the bills. No blood was The lower floor of the Norwalk hos-

pital building is to rent. Particulars as to tenant will be found in our adv.

Local stockholders of the Eagle Lock company of Terryville are enjoying all the benefits of a two per cent. dividend recently declared by the company.

Buckingham Post, G. A. R. met last evening and transacted routine business. The Post accepted an invitation to attend services at the Congregational church on Sunday evening before Eas-

—All the Successful Merchants of this City Advertise in THE GAZETTE.

# HERE AND THERE.

An Epitome of Happenings of The Latest Ads. Received Be-Interest to the Public.

Garnered With Scissors and Pencil.

Druggist Vogel was in town to-day.

Mrs. Paige, of New York, is a guest at Grace church Rectory.

C. J. Smith and daughter are convalescent of an attack of the grip.

The condition of George H. Raymond, 2.1, remains about the same. Bey, Louis French, of Darien, wil

preach at Grace church this evening. Services at 8 o'clock. The ladies branch of the Guild con-

nected with Grace church met with Mrs. W. F. Bishop, yesterday. Rev. Dr. Noble will give the fifth in

his course of Lenten sermons this evening in the Congregational church. The sewing society of the Second

Methodist church met with Mrs. James

J. Schofield, on Belden avenue, yester-National Chairman Jones thinks the

Democratic Party will continue the delirium it took on, at Chicago last spring The county health officers will meet in Bridgeport on April 26. Members of

the state board of health will be pres-

—Secure a chance at the \$50 in gold. Finest selection of Ladies ties, 75c to \$2 50, new styler. A. H. Hoyr & cons.

The Norwalk and Saugatuck 45 clubs will play a match game for poultry at Powers' store on Main street, Friday

James Mitchell's condition is reported as being critical and it is feared that he can live but a few days at the

The funeral of the late William Derine will be held from St. Mary's

Tuesday, April 13th.

The woman's club will meet this afternoon with Mrs. F. J. Cartis on Mott avenue. The paper will be read by Mrs. John S. Seymour upon "The United States Courts,"

Mrs. A. M. Canfield, of Merwin street, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. William Lacey, in Brooklyn, and will attend the Methodist conference now in session in that city.

Members of the council are looking at hook and ladder trucks in Port Ches ter and White Plains to-day, anent the purchase of a similiar one for this city.

Work at the stone-grushing plant on Blue Mountain was stopped this noon to avoid disturbing the last hours of life of James Mitchell who is in a dying condition at his home near by the plant.

# AMUSEMENTS.

### The Old Homestead. There is a certain class of plays, the

atmosphere of which is so pure, the humor so innocent, yet so irresistable, that time has no power to destroy their lasting qualities. In this class is Denman Thompson's "Old Homestead," which will be seen again at Hoyt's Theatre, Friday night. The play and surroundings retain all their original features, and the new effects in electrical manipulation of lights have been added to strengthen the realism everywhere prominent through the entertain-

# Hi Henry's Minstrels.

The veteran minstrel manager, H Henry, and his collection of minstrel stars, numbering nearly half a hundred of the best in their line, will appear at Hoyt's Theatre, Saturday, matinee and night, April 10, at special reduced prices, and upon this occasion lovers of high-grade, up-to-date minstrelsy will have an opportunity of seeing one of the biggest and best burnt cork aggregations now before the public. This organization comes strongly endorsed by the best journals of the larger cities.

-Advertise in the GAZETTE.

# DON'T MISS THEM.

fore Going to Press

By the People and For the People.

AMBLER. In Hurlbutt street, Wilton, Monday April 5, Charles A. Ambler, in the 51st year of his age.
Funeral will be attended from his late home Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock.

COWLES-Suddenly, Tuesday April 6th, at No. 40 East 38th street, New York City, George R. Cow.e°, of Norwalk, aged 73 years. Funeral at his late residence in Norwalk, on Monday April 12, at 3:15 p. m.

STURGES—In Wilton, Monday, April 5th. Catherine Sturges. in the Sist year of her age, Funeral at St. Matthew's church, Wilton, on Thursday, April 8th, at 2:30 p. m.

LOST.

Tost—A sable or red collie dog; answers to the name of "Carlow" A liberal reward will be paid for his return to Contractor Kennedy, at the new Catholic chuich. Lost Sunday April 4th.

WANTED:—A competent girl for general housework, App y 17 Belden avenue, A 6 tf

W ANTED—A man and wife to occupy lower floor, of Norwalk Hospital, woman to act as housekeeper, board nuises and patients and take charge of anndry work. Send at plication in writing to Rev. S. H. Watkins, Norwalk.

TO RENT:—A house of eight rooms. 20 two familes. Two min tes: walk from trolley line. Inquire at No. 6 Orchard street. Al tf

TO RENT—One store and two full suites of abartments in James' Block. Possession immediately. F. St. John Lockwood, Trustee, m10-tf

To KENT-Lower floor of house No. 9
I haars Street. Possession after May 1.
Enquire of William Wardwell, at Wardwell & Lockwood's market, 13 Main street. A5-1w

FOR SALF. ROR SALE—Two tons good Timothy hay.
Apply to J. W. Maclean, M. D., 13 North
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Rote SALE—At a bargain, or to rent. The residence corner of Camp street and Adams avenue, house contains 13 rooms, large attic, gas. sewer connection, water, bath room and stationary tubs in laundry. Barn, carriage house, with considerable fruit on the prenies. If sold, terms will be easy—for further particulars, inquire of the undersigned, near the premises or at No. 5. Masonic Building.

Chas. Olmstrad. Agt.

April 3d, 1897.

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Pekia Duck Eggs. Stock from J. Pau-kins' yard last year: 75c per setting. Mrs. E. Nolan, Wilton, Conn. Mrs. E.

vine will be held from St. Mary's church to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

The testimony in the case of the heirs of the late Lorenzo Olmstead vs. the Administrator was completed yesterday and the attorneys have been requested to submit their briefs on or before Tuesday, April 13th.

Normalk, Nilton, Corn. mi7tf
General Darius N. Couch, situated at No. 38 Maple street, on high ground, ove looking the twin cities of Norwalk and South Norwalk Islands and Long Island South, for distance of some twenty miles. The dwelling is nearly new; has 10 large, commodious rooms, with modern improvements; about two acres of land, fronting on said Maple treet, which could be sold to good advantage for building lots: abundance, of fruit; excellent well of water. Apply to 0. E. Wilson, Room 3, Gazette Building, Norwalk, Conn. mi9 tf

DISTRICT of Norwalk, ss. Probate court April 7th, A. D., 1897.

Estate of George H. Waterbury late of Norwalk in said District, deceased.

Ordered, That the administrator exhibit his administration account to this Court for ad-Administration account to this Court for adjustment, at the Probate office in Norwalk on the 19th day of April, 1897, at 3 o'clock afternoon; and that all persons interested in said estate may be notified thereof, the administrator will cause this order to be published in a newspaper having a circulation in said district, and post a copy thereof on the sign post in said Norwalk nearest the place where the deceased last dwelf, at least ten days before said 19th gay of a pril. 1897.

A:A B. WOOD VARD, Judge. DISTRICT of Norwalk, ss., Probate Court April 3d, A D. 1897.

Estate of MARGARET WILSON, late of Norwalk, in said District, deceased.

The Court of Probate for the District of Norwalk, hath limited and allowed six months from the date hereof for the Creditors of said Estate to exhibit their claims for settlement. Those who neglect to present their accounts, properly attested, within said time, will be debarred a recovery. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediato payment to CORNELIA F. BAIRD, Executrix.

# BRIDGEPORT DAY SCAVENGER

Orders left with Jarvis Kel-LOGG, 4 Center avenue, will receive prompt attention.

# COWS FOR SALE

A few choice new milch cows for sale. Graded stock; good milkers.

B. BURCHARD. Wilson Point.

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Overfeeding produces worse results than not feeding enough. If fowls d. not eat rapidly, or scarcely eat any av all, it is an indication of overfeeding, and the remedy is to stop feeding until the hens get hungry. It is a mistake to feed hens three times a day—not only this, but it is a mistake to give them all the breakfast they will eat. From one-half to two-thirds of a meal in the morning, and a full meal at night, gives me the best results in eggs. This equally applies to fowls confined in breeding pens and fowls running at large.

When fowls are confined, they must be furnished with grit, green food, lime and a dust bath, and many things may be added. Old plaster, dry, is a good substitute for both grit and lime. as are crushed oyster shells. A good twice-a-week ration is meat scraps, and crushed bone meal or granulated bone. One of the most important things is a scratching shed, as the hens must be kept busy, and also happy. and if they are thus provided for and furnished with clean straw and chaff. they will be both busy and happy, if not overfed.

Fertili.ers.

Special fertilizers differ from ordinary brands usually by having a larger quantity of the elements of plant food and in a form which experience has shown to be best adapted to the crop. Special potato fertilizers contain two or three times as much potash as ordinary superphosphates, and in many of them sulphate of potash only is used, as this form generally gives better results on potatoes than does muriate of potash. The special fertilizer is therefore a high grade compound as contrasted with lower grade goods. Sometimes misleading names are used, however. But a straight high grade or special fertilizer usually, gives more actual plant food for a dollar than low grade goods, and for that reason they are preferred by many of the most experienced farmers in the use of fertilizers.

### Plowing an Orchard.

Care in plowing an orchard should be observed, especially if the trees are young. I have three acres that I set to apple and perch trees about 30 ars ago. I got them in fine condition in three years, and was growing corn in the orchard with level culture. I had a hired man who knew more than I did, and he wanted to put in a plow. So I let him plow the corn up in ridges. That winter the ground lay bare, and the ground froze, and so did the roots of the trees, killing the peach trees and most of the apples. I have reset the peach trees and dug around the apple trees and manured them, but it has all been a failure. Probably had I plowed them all up and reset the orchard at once, it would have been the best thing. Apple trees pay best when the ground is let alone, and should not have too much trimming or pruning, but must have plenty of manure and ashes .- H. B. Elliott, Schuyler Co., N. Y.

# A New Vegetable.

Asparagus Pea has long been known to botanists, but it is now for the first time being introduced to our gardens as a plant, beautiful as a flower, excellent as a vegetable. According to its introducers, the plant is of neat, spreading habit, about ten inches high, each plant covering a circular space two feet in diameter. The deep scarlet or red flowers are borne in profusion, and make a pleasing contrast with the light green, clover-like leaves. The pods, borne in pairs, are two to three inches long, with fringed wings. The young pods are cooked like asparagus, or string beans.-American Agriculturist.

Jamaica has the allspice which gets the credit of taking the place of many different spices; South America rejoices in the chile, which is used in great quantities. Cinnamon, a small portion of which was once held a present which kings were glad to receive, is a native of Cevlon and has been known from the most remote time. It was first carried to Europe by the Arabs. Cassia bark is a relative of cinnamon, and is prized for flavoring liquors and chocolate. The Malabar coast of India furnishes the natives with cardamon, and mustard comes

from the East Indies. The Spice Islands have given the world few things more popular than the dried buds of a tree smoked and dried in the sun, named in Latin from their resemblance to a nail, clavus, and called by us cloves. In the same group of islands a small collection of islands are planted entirely of nutmeg trees. Caraway comes from the northern and central parts of Europe and Asia, is used as flavoring in cooking and drinks, in cheese, cakes and bread. Sweet majoram, native to Portugal and the East, is employed as a seasoning, and capers originally grew wild in Greece and Northern Africa. Asafetida, which has an unsavory reputation among us, is highly prized as a condiment in Persia and India, and is used in France.-Philadelphia Press.

growing ensilage corn do not use more than 12 quarts of seed to the acre in drills three feet apart. Let it stand antil it begins to glaze some. It is no trouble to get 15 tons of ensilage to the acre. The idea that good ensilage will in any way taint or injure milk is ridiculous. An expert cannot detect ensilage-made milk if the ensitage is all right.-F. A. Converse, N. Y.

KANSAS WORTH.

An Overproduction of Statesmen Render Their Services Cheap.

Kansas is suffering from an overproduction of brains. This announcement will doubtless cause surprise, for, while it was known that Kansas had an overproduction of grain, of cyclones and of statesmanship-the last not being necessarily synonymous with an overproduction of brains-yet t was not suspected that intellect was a drug on the Topeka market. The Utate Legislature has shown it, however, by passing a bill cutting down the salaries of State officers, particularly the chancellor and professors of the State University. Good judges, declared Senator Lewelling, could be got for \$25 a month. That is much cheaper than they can be hired in this State, but when a whole Commonwealth runs to intellect cheapness of that commodity is inevitable. This seems to be the most serious of Kanras's afflictions. When a State produces too much corn it can stop planting, but when there is an overproduction of intellect what check can there be? Hereafter when Kansas opens her mouth let no dog bark. This includes the dogs of Egypt, for whom Governor Leedy has ready a new "Ki-

#### 3,000 Dinner Invitations.

It is estimated that the Prince of Wales receives annually 3,000 invitalions to dinner from people having the social right to entertain him. It is obvious that but few of these can be accepted, but such acceptance is a great

When he signifies his royal pleasure o attend, the host must forward a list f the guests to the Marlborough House. If for any reason any of these are objectionable to his Royal High-Less, the fact is so stated, the list reurned, and the name or names at once eliminated. This system avoids nany unpleasant consequences, and is, horeover, an additional honor to the guests who attend, for they may thus now that they are personally acceptable to the first gentleman of Europe. -Cor. Chicago Record.

### An Optimist.

The palsied old man sat by the fire, is head shaking from side to side in le manner peculiar to his complaint. "It must be awful to be afflicted that

way," said the sympathetic young "Ch." said the old gentleman, "I find

tal hit bandy in the summer when I at to look at a two-ringed circus." Indianapolis Journal.

### Easily Arranged.

Touchleigh-Lend me \$10 for week, will you?

Flyrig-Sorry. But I haven't less than a \$100 bill.

Touchleigh-That's all right. Lend me \$100 for ten weeks.



### Weakened One Man's Constitution Until It Brought Kim to Death's Door.

Mr. James S. Harrison, a well-known and highly respected citizen of Cleveland, O., was for years a sufferer from ly spepsia and general debility, and in his weakened condition, resulting from the above causes, he had the additional ill-luck to fall a victim to malaria from this complication of disorders. Mr. Harrison's condition was becoming very us, when he commenced to take P. H. Lippman's Great Remedy. Its effects were marked and immediate. Read his letter to us. Its earnestness is apparent:

THEMEN: For the benefit of all suffering from dyspepsia and general debility I beg to submit my testimonial as to the efficacy of your P. P. P., Lipp-man's Creat Remedy, as a positive cure for all the distressing complaints

from which I suffered. My system was also full of Malaria and my condition was growing very serious; I had no appetite, was losing strength and was completely broken down in health, but now my health is completely restored, and I can eat like a field laborer, without the slightest

fear of any serious results.

I take great pleasure in telling the world that P. P. P. did the grand work of restoring me to my accustomed health.

Yours truly,

JAMES S. HARRISON,

Cleveland, O.

If ye hap feeling tired and stupid, mld be taken—it will make

you feel well. P. P. P. cures eczema, that torturing, itching disease of the skin and blood. If your blood is kept pure, you will not be disfigured with pimples, boils and blotches.

P. P. P. is the deadly foe and van quisher of rheumatism. Its effects are immediate and lasting, and it not only relieves, but permanently cures.

Scrofula, which is hereditary and deep-seated in the blood can be cured by P. P. P. It is the one and only positive cure for this dread disease.

Sufferers from kidney troubles find immediate relief when they take P. P. ... as it cures all irregularities and restores to nature her proper functions.

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Recommendations to Be Made by the

Government Commission. Washington, April 7.-The substance of the detailed and voluminous report to be submitted by the government forestry commission, the body designated by the National Academy of Science, is embraced in the following letter which has just been submitted by the commission the secretary of the interior in advance of the formal report to be made early in May:

FORESTRY BUREAU PROPOSED.

The legislation relating to reserved forest lands of the public domain, which the commission of the national academy will recommend in its final report now in course of preparation, provides for the following:

First.—That authority be given to the secretary of war to make details of troops at the request of the secretary of the interior to protect temporarily and until a forest service is organized the property of the government in the forest reservations from fire and trespass, and to enforce such rules and regulations as he may make for their

Second.-The establishment of a permanent forest bureau in the depart-ment of the interior composed of trained officers to administer, maintain and

improve the reservation forest lands.

Third.—The appointment of a commission to institute as rapidly as possible under the supervision of the direct or of the geological survey, topographical surveys of the reservations and determine what portions of them should be permanently reserved on account of their forest covering and what portions should be reopened to entry and

Fourth.-To authorize the secretary of the interior to issue the necessary rules and regulations for the protection growth and improvement of the forests on the reservations, for the sale of timber, firewood and fencing from them to actual settlers in and adjacent to the reservations and to owners of mines legally located therein for use in such

Fifth.-For granting permits to sawmill owners to enter the reservations for the purpose of manufacturing such lumber as may be sold to actual settlers in and adjacent to the reserva tions and to the owners of mines located therein.

Sixth.—For allowing actual settlers who have no timber on their claims to take from the reservations firewood, posts, poles and fencing maerial necessary for their immediate personal use.

Seventh.-For allowing the public to enter and cross the reservations; for granting to county commissioners right of way for irrigating ditches, flumes and pipes, and for reservoir sites, and for permitting prospectors under such rules and regulations as he may from time to time establish to enter the reservation in search of valuable minerals.

#### Marion Terry's Suit. London, April 7.-An action for dam-

ages for libel brought by Miss Marion Terry, the actress, against The St. James Budget was tried in the queen's bench division of the high court of justice today. The libel consisted in the publication by the paper of a statement that Miss Terry was about mar: y her brother-in-law, a Mr. Mor-ris. The defendant pleaded that an apole y for the statement complained of hat been published, but Miss Terry contended that that measure of rep-aration was not sufficient. The jury retuined a verdict awarding Miss Terry 2000 damages.

# New Line of Steamers.

Toronto, April 7.—Captain Yates, representing the Oregon and Asiatic Steam ... pany, put before the ... of trade this afternoon a plan to open up new channels of trade for the Dominion of Canada by placing a line of boats between British Columbia ports and the ports of Mexico and Central America, on the Pacific coast.

# Penue Gets Damages.

London, April ..- The trial of the action for libel brought by Joseph Pennell, the artist, against The Saturday Review and William Sicket, a writer on that paper, which was begun in the queen's bench division of the high court of justice yesterday, was ended today the july and Mr. Pennell £50 dan. bes.

# Generous Aid to Education.

Roxboro, N. C., April 7.—Dr. John C. Terrell, who spent the greater portion of his life practicing medicine here, but who has spent the last few years in Philadelphia, where he recently died, bequeathed \$50,000 to the public schools of this county, and in addition a sum sufficient to build a new school building in each of the 29 townships of the

# Damage Done by Lightning.

Newton, N. J., April 7.—A severe storm passed over this neighborhood. There was thunder and lightning and a heavy rain. The barns of Richard Northrup were struck by lightning and were burned. Four valuable horses, 40 head of cattle, 200 of poultry and much hay, grain, feed and farming implements

# The Detroit Election.

Detroit, April 7.-With returns in only two precincts lacking, A. C. Maybury (Dem.) has 600 majority over A. E. Stewart (Rep.), Governor Pingree's candidate for mayor; A. F. Sellers (Rep.), for police justice, has about 1,100 pluTHE JAMESON KAID.

Philadelphia.

Important Letters From Sir John Wil-

London, April 7.—At today's sitting of the parlamentary South African committee an officer from the war of-fice produced a number of letters written by Major Sir John Willoughby, the contents of which that witness refused to disclose upon the demand of Mr. Labouchere at the sitting of the committee on last Friday.

The first letter read was dated from Holloway jail, where Willoughby was serving a term of ten months' imprisonment, which recently expired. In the communication the writer said that he had taken part in the Jameson movement in pursuance of orders from the administrator of Matabeleland in the honest belief that the raid was undertaken with the knowledge and assent of the imperial authorities.

Sir William Harcourt asked the witness a number of questions designed to draw out a statement of his reasons for believing that the raid had the sanction of imperial authorities. The witness replied that his belief was based upon private conversations which he had had with Dr. Jameson.
witness was pressed for a more dehad had with Dr. Jameson. The tailed answer, but after fencing with his questioner for awhile he finally refused to give further information on

## Railway Commission Bill Dead.

Albany, April 7.-The bill of Senator acreasing the membership of a sate railroad commissiondend. Covernor Black is opposed because he sees no reason why five instead of there board. he's sh uld constitute the has informed prominent mer bers ( ) the legislature of his oppo-

### · Eaby's Eyes Burned Out.

Chicago, April 7 .- Edwin Freer, the 10 months-old child of Richard Freer, had both his eyes burned out by a 2½-year-old brother named Russell. The children were playing. Russell procured a poker, and, holding it in the stove until it was redhot, poked it into the infant's

# The Sunday Baseball Bill Killed.

Albany, April 7.—Senator Wilcox's bill providing that professional clubs playing baseball on Sunday shall be fined \$50 for each offense was defeated in the assembly by a vote of 53 to 44.

A Democratic Victory at Butte, Mon. Butte, Mon., April 7.—The Democrats at the local election carried the city, winning on general offices by majorities ranging from 500 to 600 against the Re-

# publicans and Populists.

Albany, April 7.—The assembly has passed Senator White's bill providing for the sale of the Onondaga Salt Springs reservation before Jan. 1, 1899, by a vote of 88 to 26.

# Coal Pier Collapses.

Baltimore, April 7.-The pier of the Consolidation Coal company, at Locust Point, collapsed today, and 15 coal cars were precipitated into the harbor. No one was hurt.

#### Kerosene Factories Burned. Baku, Transcaucasia, April 7.—Three kerosene factories, which contained 500,000 poods of oil, have been destroyed,

with the contents, by fire.

vote of 35 to 7.

New York Law School Bill. Albany, April 7.—The bill to Incorporate the New York Law school passed the senate today without debate on a

# Britannia Beats Ailsa.

Nice, April 7.—In the cruising race to Mon co today Britannia, with the Prince of Wales on board, beat Ailsa by four minutes.

# Ex-Assemblyman Davis Dead.

Whitehall, N. Y., April 7.—The Hon. Emerson E. Davis, ex-member of the

## assembly, died today. er, von stepnan Dying.

Berlin, April 7. — Dr. Von Stephan, the imperial postmaster general, who was to have been the chief representative of Germany at the Washington postal congress, is dying. Bergmann recently amputated Dr. Stephan's right leg below the knee and he has been gradually sinking ever since.

# Austria's Cabinet Crisis.

Vienna, April 7. - Emperor Francis Joseph has sent an autograph letter to Count Badeni, president of the council of ministers, declining to accept the resignation of the cabinet. His majesty says the government ought to devote itself to the general interests of the state, undeterred by party difficulties.

# Jenries Garvie Dead.

London, April 7.-Jeffries Garvie, an American millionaire, who lived in East Park, Southampton, died suddenly. Mr. Garvie was seized with a severe chill last week and never fully recovered from its effects. His body will be em-balmed and sent to New York for

# Spain's Latest Bluff.

Madrid, April 7.—It is semiofficially denied here that the Spanish authorities have entered into negotiations for the submission of the Cuban insurgents. The government had ordered a vigorous campaign to be pushed until the rebellion is crushed.

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A BIG BONUS FOR BUILDERS.

Weather Conditions Favorable For the Test-Light Winds and a Smooth Sea-Experts on Board-Description of the Big Warship.

Boston, April 8.—The new battleship Iowa left her anchorage below Boston light early today for her official trial of speed over the Cape Ann course. The government steamboats which mark the course went out to their respective positions early. A light westerly wind prevailed in the bay, the sea was comparatively smooth and the conditions for the trial were perfect.

During the night the 300 men who make up the vessel's complement were kept busy making all final preparations for the trial, so that everything was in perfect condition when she started to-

The vessel got up steam before daylight, and by sunrise was ready for her test. At 8 o'clock the tug Kate Jones, which acts as the Iowa's tender, flying the Cramp flag, went alongside with the guests and such members of the trial board as were not already on the ship. Conspicuous among the visitors were ex-President Jorge Moritt of Chile, now admiral in the Chilean navy, and Lieuten-ant Luiz Gomez of the same navy.

Everything on the vessel that might catch the wind and impede progress and that could by any possibility be removed was got out of the way. The boats were slung in behind the superstructure and the flues. The flag pole astern, which could not be readily unshipped, was sawed off close to the

The course over which the trial was made was 33 nautical miles in length, and for the purposes of taking time and making tidal observations this was divided into five equal parts. Each of these parts was marked by a station indicated by a black can buoy, so that there were six stations in all. To mark the stations further and also to give the out than a can buoy, a government vesbuoy.

On these were stationed the officers who make the tidal observations and add to or deduct from the indicated speed of the ship the force of the tide as it was against or with her so that the computed speed would be as made in slack weather. The assignment of vessels to the several stations was as follows: Station 1, torpedo boat Porter; station 2, navy yard tug Iwana; station 3, revenue cutter Dallas; station 4, revenue cutter Woodbury; station 5, tug Leyden; station 6, naval transport Nina.

The Iowa crossed the starting line at a very rapid rate at 10:06:45. She steamed through the water with apparently more ease than her sister ships that have been tried over this

She passed the second stakeboat at 10:33 o'clock, going at a great rate of speed. The time from the first to the

second mark was 0:26:15. The vessel passed the third stakeboat

The Iowa passed the Dallas on her return trip at 1:39:52, having made an estimated speed of 16.50 knots per hour for the run.

A Powerful Warship.

The Iowa is the largest of the four completed battleships in the United States navy. The act of congress making appropriation for her construction was approved on July 19, 1892, and on Feb. 11 following the contract was awarded to the Cramps at a contract price of \$3,010,000. The vessel's keel was laid on Aug. 5, 1893, and a little over a year ago the ship was launched.

Her length on the load water line is 360 feet, her extreme beam 72 feet 2.5 inches and her normal displacement 11,-410 tons. Her normal coal supply is 625 tons, and her total coal capacity 1,780

The hull of the Iowa is of steel and is ingeniously built so as to secure great strength with comparatively little weight

She carries a main battery consisting of four 12 inch and eight 8 inch breech-loading guns, a secondary battery composed of six 4 inch rapid fire rifles and a supplementary force of twenty 6 pounders, four 1 pounders and four gat-

The Iowa is the last of the original contract ships built by the Cramps up-on which a bonus will be paid by the government of \$50,000 for every quarter knot attained over the 16 knots require-

-No claims, no affidavits, but a GAZETTE advertisement gets there every time.

DATTEL C. CLITTE III).

He Was a Cand'date For Governor of New York State Last Year.

Watertown, N. Y., April 8.—Daniel G. Griffin died here today. Mr. Griffin was taken ill suddenly yesterday with an acute attack of somach trouble, to which he had been subject for years.

Daniel G. Griffin was born in Wilna Jefferson county, in 1848. His early education was obtained in the district schools of his native town, in the Watertown High school and in the academy at Antwerp, N. Y.

Soon after leaving the academy Mr. Griffin became superintendent of city schools in Watertown and held this place for five years. He read law in the office of Hubbard & Watts, and in 1876 was admitted to the bar. Soon afterward Mr. Griffin formed a law partnership with Joseph Mullin, Jr., and the firm soon built up a large practice, having among its clients the New York Central and the Rome, Watertown and Ogdensburg railway. Mr. Griffin was afterward for a time in partnership with Wilbur F. Porter, who was nominated by the Democrats at Buffalo last fall for lieutenant governor, and sub-sequently for governor on the withdrawal of Mr. Thacher from the ticket. For about 10 years preceding 1895 Mr. Griffin was a member of the Democratic state committee. He did considerable service for his party, and during the campaign of 1891, which resulted in the election of Roswell P. Flower as governor of this state, he gave his whole time to the work of the commit-

Governor Hill appointed Mr. Griffin a member of the constitutional com-mission in 1890. Mr. Griffin declined an appointment by Governor Flower as county judge of Jefferson county to fill a vacancy. Before the meeting of the Democratic state convention in 1895 Mr. Griffin was the only person mentioned for the nomination for attorney general, and there seemed to be no doubt of his getting it, but he refused to allow his name to be presented because the committee on credentials had decided not to give the State Democracy equal privileges with the

Kings county Democrats.

Mr. Griffin was one of the strongest Democratic opponents of Bryan in the state last fall and strongly advocated calling a convention for the nomination of a gold Democratic state ticket. This convention met in Brooklyn on Sent. 24, and the nomination for governor was given to Mr. Griffin. He was also temporary chairman of the Indianapolis convention which nominated Pal-

Mr. Griffin's standing as a lawyer was

The Weather.

Generally fair, with possibly local showers; slightly cooler; northerly

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

Closing Quotations of the New York Stock Exchange.

New York, April 7.—Money on call nominally 116@14 per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 34@4 per cent. Sterling exchange steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at \$4.87 with actual business in bankers bills at \$4.50 for demand and \$4.55% for 60 days. Posted rates, \$4.86% and \$4.88@4.88%. Commercial bills, \$4.84%. Silver certificates, 61%@62%c. Bar silver, 61%c. Mexican dollars, 48%c. Government bonds strong. State bonds quiet. Railroad bonds firm. Closing prices:

Closing prices: 1034 Texas Pacific.. Union Pacific. Wabash pref.. Northwestern....1041/8 Western Union... 80/2

General Markets.

NEW YORK, April 7.-FLOUR-State and western weak and lower to sell; city mills pat ents. \$4.70@4.95; winter patents. \$4.55@4.75; city mills clears, \$4.70@4.80; winter straights, \$4@

WHEAT-No. 2 red opened weak and after WHEAT—No. 2 red opened weak and after a temporary spurt sold off sharply under liquidation, general selling and a big break in Liverpool: May, 73%@74½c.; July, 73½@73½c. CORN—No. 2 weak and lower with wheat; May, 29¾@29 7-16c.; September, 32½c. OATS—No. 2 dull and easier; track, white, state, 23@29c.; track, white, western, 23@29c. PORK—Steady; mess, \$9@9.25; family, \$9.75 (MI) 50

LARD-Weak; prime western steam, \$4.271/4 BUTTER—Quiet; state dairy, 14@19c.; state

creamery, 15@20. CHEESE—Quiet; state, large, 9@12½c.; small, 9@12½c. EGGS—Steady: state and Pennsylvania, 9%

Gloc; western, %4c.
SUGAR—Raw steady; fair refining, 3c.; centrifugal, 96 test, 3%c.; refined quiet; crushed, 5%c.: powdered, 5c.
TURPENTINE—Steady at 29½@29%c.
MOLASSES—Steady; New Orleans, 23@30c.
RICE—Steady; domestic, 4½@6%c.; Japan, 43@436c.

43/641/sc.
TALLOW—Quiet: city, 33/4c.; country, 31/4c.
HAY—Steady; shipping, 55/6571/4c.; good to choice, 721/46/75c.

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of chronic catarrh Norwalk people say so. Not a few, but hundreds among the people you see every day, your own friends and neigh-bors. Here are the words of one of them: Mrs. Lafayette Craw, 3 Hamilton street, South Norwalk, says: "My hus-band has had catarrh for a long time, suffering at times with pains in the head, hawking, spitting and often gagging, especially in the morning, so that he would not be able to eat much breakfast. He got a bottle of California Catarrh Cure at Plaisted's drug store, and already I can see its beneficial effects; his throat seems all clear in the morning, and he is able to retain his breakfast. I take the liberty to make these statements regarding his case for I know he has been greatly benefitted by California Catarrh Cure, and would willingly recommend it." Break up your colds with California Catarrh Cure, and prevent colds "hanging on." Sold by all dealers; 50c; three times as much, \$1.

Hon. J. S. Seymour and family, are expected to arrive in town on Friday of this week.

Mother's Find Nothing Lqnat to Dr. Hand's Colic Cure;

WATERBURY Conn., 4-2-'96—Hand Medicine Co:—Dear Sirs:—'I am using Dr. Hand's Cough and Croup Medicine and Colic Cure for my children and find nothing to equal them. They work like magic, I would not be without them in my house. The little ones love Dr. Hand's Colic Cure and cry for it; it relieves them almost instantly. Mrs. Frank Smith, 22 Wood St. At all drug-

Workmen are busily engaged at Elmenworth, getting it in readiness for the spring beauties.

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Instant relief and a permanent cure by the great remedy, Otto's Cure for Lung and Throat diseases. Why will you irri-tate your throat and lungs with a terrible hacking cough when Edward P. Weed, Norwalk, or George C. Stillson, South Norwalk, sole agents will furnish you with a free sample bottle of this guaranteed remedy? Its success is simply wonderful, as your druggist will tell you. Sampefrl ee. Large bottles 50c and 25c.

Prof. Daniels and mother who have been spending the winter at Mrs. Eliza Newkirk's on Lewis street, returned to their summer home in Litchfield yes-

Glad Tidings.

The grand specific for dispepsia, liver complaint, Rheumatism, costiveness, general debility, etc., is Bacon's Celery King for the Nerves. Thisgreat herbal ronic stimulates the digestive organs, teguates the liver and restores the system to vigorous health and energies. ples free. Largepackages 50c and 25c. Sold only by Idward P. Weed, Norwalk, and George C. Stillson, South Norwalk.

The new steam roller will, it is expected, roll through Wall street this afternoon and be at work on Newto avenue to-morrow.

Mrs. Henry J. Grumman and Miss Juliette Gregory are visiting at the bome of Mrs. Fred Lyon in Danbury.

By using "The New Great South American Kidney Cure." This new remedy is a great surprise on account of its exceeding promptes in a count of its exceeding promp ceeding promptness in relieving pain in the Kidneys, Bladder and Back in male or female. It relieves retention of water, and pain in passing it almost immediate ly, Save yourselves by using this marvelous cure. Its use will prevent fatal consequences in almost all cases by its great alterative and healing powers. Sold by E. P. WRED, Druggist, Norwalk, Conn.

The display of pansies in the windows at H. H. Williams' store and arranged by Miss Cora Byxbee is as bewildering as it is beautiful.

TRY GRAIN-O! TRY GRAIN-O.

Ask your grocer to-day to show you a package of GRAIN-O, the new food drink that takes the place of coffee. The children may drink it without in-The children may drink it without injury as well as the adult. All who try it, like it. GRAIN-O has that rich seal brown of Mocha or Java, but it is made from pure grains, and the most delicate stomach receives it without distress. \$\frac{1}{4}\$ the price of coffee. 15c and 25c per package. Sold by all grocers.

William Devine, a well known resident of this city, died last evening, aged about 75 years.

Pensions.

William J. Murphy, Noroton Heights; George L. Wood, Danbury; minor of Adam Koons, Salisbury.

Generous Public Bequests.

Boston, April 8.-More than \$150,000 is given in public bequests by the will of the late Miss Mary G. Morrill. The Mu-seum of Fine Arts receives \$50,000 outright, and after the death of her broth-er-in-law, John H. Dane, who is given the use of a fund of \$100,000 for life, the fund is to be divided, and one-tenth given to the Massachusetts Charitable Eye and Ear infirmary, two-tenths to the Children's hospital and seven-tenths to the Massachusetts General hospital.

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THURSDAY, APRIL 8, 1897.

#### A Neglect of Duty.

The GAZETTE sometime ago called a' tention to the fact that there was not a proper record kept by the police, and suggested that each officer be required to enter in a small book, everything of importance that happened on his beat during the hours he was on duty. This record, it was claimed, would be of great assistance to Chief Bradley when he came on duty in the morning.

A case in point occurred last night. There was a drunken fight on Main street about 7 c'clock, which attracted a large crowd. The matter was reported to Captain Dann, but not withstanding he was advised of the fight, not a word appeared on the police report this morning, and the first intimation Chief Bradley had that a disturbance had occurred, was at 11. o'clock this morning when so informed by a GAZETTE reporter.

We are of the opinion that the chairman of the police committee should provide such books at once.

#### Newspaper Libel Law.

The legislature of New Jersey has passed, and the Governor signed, the ollowin g new libel law:

"1. Any person who wilfully states, delivers of transmits by any means whatever to the manager, editor, publisher or reporter of any newspaper, magazine, publication periodical or serial, for publication therein any libelous statements, un rue in fact, concerning any person or corporation, and thereby secures the actual publication of the same, is hereby declared guilty of a misdemeanor, and, upon convicnon, shall be punished by a fine not exceeding \$500, or by imprisonment at hard labor not exceeding two years, or

"2. In every action for libel, the defendant may give proof of intention, and unless the plaintiff shall prove either malice in fact or that the defendant, after having been requested by him in writing to retract the libelous charge in as public a manner as that in which it was mad. failed to do so within a reasonable time, be shall recover only his actual damage proved and specially alleged in the declaration."

Newspapers, as well as individuals, should be held to strict account for their utterances. No punishment is too severe for those who wilfully or maliciously publish a slander. Character is valued too highly to be destroyed by scandal or falsehood. As a general rule newspapers are very careful as to what they publish, especially if there is a chance of libel. They strive to publish the truth at all times. The public has no conception of the watchful care and ceaseless endeavor exercised in every well regulated newspaper office to prevent errors and mistakes getting into print. Notwithstanding all this care, however, newspapers, like individnals, sometimes make blunders that are hard to repair, and in some cases are compelled to pay big damages. The puni hment is severe, but just. No newspaper can expect to publish falsehoods without suffering a penalty, and although persons outside a newspaper effice are more often responsible for the lie than the staff, the latter is compelled to shoulder the blame. The newspaper should not only be held for the offense but also the individual who furnishes the report.

# Who Is Rebuked?

Judged as a reaction, the result of the municipal elections on Tuesday, comes too soon to signify, says the New York

Mr. McKinley's Administration is making some mistakes, perhaps, but certainly it has not had time yet to make enemies by the hundreds of thousands. A verdict of popular cordemnation, or dissalteraction, or les sire for a change, is not generally prcnounced by the American people within less than forty days after the inauguration of a new order of things.

If these anti-Republican majorities in various cities and towns of the middle West, turning in most or many cases upon local issues and personal considerations as remote from the issue of last November as Oshkosh is from Fire Island, constitue a rebuke to somebody or something, who or what is it

## that is rebuked?

Major McKinley? What has he done yet, or left undone yet, to start a tidal wave of hostile sentiment?

The Cabinet? Why, it hasn's got its coat off yet.

The Republican majority in the House of Representatives for passing the Dingley bill? The first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 18)8, will be the time when we shall

hear about that, favorably or adversely.

The great idea that prevailed last fall, namely, that the dollar in which this country pays its debts must be an honest dollar and not a Bryan dollar? Let Mr. Bryan cherish the illusion, if he can get any comfort from the same, that Tuesday's voting in Chicago and elsewhere was an irrepressible expression of regret that he is not in the White House to-day.

Nothing in the world gives The Sun greater satisfaction than philosophical deductions from contemporary political events, illuminating them with the light of the journalistic wisdom and presenting them in their true relations tle to past, the present, and the future. We read such essays with satisfactions, and tuck them away for what they are worth; but in order to command our respect the philosophy must be woven with common sense and the deductions must fall within the bounds of reasonable probability. The current theories of the importance and significance of there recent municipal elections seem to us to be carved out of moonshine.

Who or what was it, then, the American voters rebuked on Tuesday, just twenty-eight working days after the new President was sworn into office?

Against Fraudulent Meats, Etc. London, April 8.-Mr. John K. D. Wingfield-Digby, Conservative, member for the north division of Dorsetshire, moved the second reading of the agricultural marks bill today in the house of commons. This is a drastic measure intended to prevent the fraudulent sale of foreign meat and cheese as British

The Idiocy of Decorations. Nice, April 8.—Queen Victoria visited the Prince of Wales' racing cutter Britannia today and conferred the medal of the Victorian order upon Captain Carter, the yacht's commander.

## American Horse Was Third.

London, April 8. - The American Lorillard stables, ran third in the race for the Doveridge stakes at the Derby spring meeting today.

# THE EVENING GAZETTE

# CHECKER-BOARD BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

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# South Norwalk.

Branch Office of GAZETTE No. 12 North Main Street.

Fred Byxbee has resigned as mate on the propeller City of Norwalk.

A regular meeting of Butler Lodge, I. O. O. F. was held last evening.

Constable Goodwin has three children all of whom have the mumps.

Miss Eleanor G. Smith is enjoying the delights of riding a new bicycle.

The South Norwalk conclave Heptasophs met last evening and transacted routine business.

The funeral of the late Michael Fitzgerald will be attended from St. Mary's church to-morrow morning.

Rev. A. S. Kavanagh, left yesterday to attend the New York East Conterence in Brooklyn. He will not return until Saturday.

An attachment sworn out by E M Tolles for \$100 as against A. Bach has been placed in the Town Cierk's office

West avenue is receiving deserved attention at the hands of the Street Commissioner. Ruts and gullies being filled up with crushed stone.

Mrs. W. J. Becker of Lexington avenue, New York, in company with her children, Francis and Elsie, are visiting friends in this city.

Fifty-two bales of tobacso were received at the Bridgeport custom house sesterday, for the Graham-Ernst Cigar company of this city.

A freight train broke apart last evening about 9:30 just west of the Park avenue bridge, Bridgeport. The two sections came together with a crash, but no damage was done.

An attempt was made one night this week to burglarize the residence of Selleck Waterbury on Roton Hill. Pincers were used but the key refused to

turn the bolt. It may be of interest to some to know that 680,000 different pieces were used paid up capital, direct and indirect, in tiling the Mahackemo hotel lobby, refreshment and toilet rooms. Georg piece and has done a creditable bit of portion of them were worthless. The work, for the firm of Flood & Grant, of Bridgeport, who had the contract.

Frederick H. Rowan of this city, and Miss Laura Gorbam of Worcester, Mass., were married yesterday by Kev John E. Tuttle, formerly of Westport. There was a high tide of happy congratulations and many substantial presents for the happy couple. On their return from the bridal trip they will domicile at splendidly furnished rooms on Elizabeth street.

The Mayor-elect of Stamford and the Mayor of South Norwalk are brothers. We shall expect that the little city up east shall have a more friendly regard for its big sister down here, and that the Mayor of Stamford and the Mayor of South Norwalk shall occasionally exchange messages of a similar nature to those credited to the Gov. rior of North she had taken no solid food, and she Carolina when he met the Governor of South Carolina. -Advocate.

A young man named Arthur S. Abbott occupied a front apartment at the station house this morning. He was placed there for safe keeping by Officer Youngs, of Danbany. The charge sgainat him is non-support and he was arrested on complaint of his wife who is employed at the Corset factory in this city. She was subpœied by Mr. Youngs to ap pear at the city court in Danbury tomorrow. They have three children two of which are being cared for by the fathers' parents and the other by its mother. Young Abbott does not appear to be a bad fellow but is in hard luck. And it is hinted that there is another woman in the case.

# Tobacco Men Displeased.

Indianapolis, April 8 .- The Cigar Manufacturers' association of Indiana, representing a membership of 700 manufacturers, in session here, formulated a protest against that part of the Ding-ley tariff bill which increases the rate on leaf tobacco. The protest states the rates under the present law are so excessive and burdensome that it is not possible to live under them. It also denies that the proposed rate will afford any protection to the growers of leaf THE "DISCRETIONARY POOL" HOAX.

Methods of the E. S. Dean Company—Work of the Postal Authorities.

New York, April 8.—The collapse of the E. S. Dean company has caused a good deal of scrutiny of several similar concerns that do business near the Stock Exchange. Most of them employ pretty nearly the same methods. is the way the "Dean safe system" was introduced to the rural public:

"Speculation is no longer a lottery, but a science whereby, through the medium of carefully formed rules and conditions, one can enter the financial arena and accumulate wealth on the same mathematical principles that are fol-lowed by an architect who plans a building."

Then followed appeals to the imagination of persons unfamiliar with Wall street speculation. Reputable brokers were also referred to and the announcement made that all of the firm's transactions were on the New York Stock Exchange. As a clincher 300 or 400 per cent was promised on sums of "\$25 and upward." Most dupes began by sending \$25 to try it, and for a time, until they were "well in," would receive fine "dividends." Some might write to well known brokers, but if they received any reply it would merely be that the concern was unknown. Others would write to the Stock Ex-change—the secretary has received such letters-and learn that the firm had no connection with the exchange. But thousands invested their money without any investigation.

A good many persons marvel that such an enterprise was not reached in some way by the authorities, and it is against the postoffice officials that most of the criticism is directed. Circulars advertising such schemes when sent through the mails bring the firms within the jurisdiction of these authorities. Their attention was called to several of these concerns many months ago, and an investigation was had, the postoffice inspector says, but his lips have been and are still sealed as to the results. In the fall it leaked out that the department was to institute a false order scheme whereby offenders would be brought to ustice, but nothing has come of it, so far as is known.

The only other way of reaching such concerns is by the help of their victims by criminal prosecution. The Legal Aid society, which has had some experience with these cases, finds, however, that the victims as a rule, want their money back mainly, and when that is recovered do not care to bother further with the matter.

BANK SCANDALS IN MINNESOTA

Serious Charges In the Legislative Committee Report.

St. Paul, April 8.-The joint legislative committee investigating insolvent banks has made public the testimony secured during the last two months. The committee investigated banks in St. Paul and Minneapolis. As to the Bank of Minnesota, W. H. Lightner, one of the receivers, stated that on Oct. 7, \$135,606 was due to the bank from the Fort Dearborn National bank of Chicago. This balance was incorrect. The accounts between these two banks were falsified to the extent of \$100,000. At the time of the failure of the bank there was owing to it by the bank officials the following sums: William Dawson, Sr., about \$90,000; William Dawson, Jr., \$59,950; R. A. Smith owed the bank \$50,000, but has since paid \$35,000. In addition to that William Dawson, Jr., was guarantor of \$53,000 of which \$30,000 was overdrawn. As to the cause of the failure of the bank it was testified that William Dawson, Sr. owed it \$231,000. As to the Scandia bank of Minneapolis, the committee states that its failure, according to the evidence, was honest, and it may yet Taking up the case of the Washing-

ton bank of Minneapolis, the committee says that it went under for want of loans to its officers and from a lack of supervision.

As to the Allemania bank of St. Paul, R. Kelly has handled each particular the report says the assets or a large directors were heavy borrowers and were guilty of misstatements.

Regarding the Minnesota Savings bank of St. Paul, directly or indirectly, the committee states the officers were borrowers to an amount more than double the capital stock.

Electric Light Plant Burned.

Bellefonte, Pa., April 8.-A fire of supposed incendiary origin destroyed the large, plant of the Electric Illuminating company in this city, with all of its contents. As a result the en-tire city will be in darkness for several nights. The loss is estimated at \$35,-000, with \$13,000 insurance.

Swallowed a Lizard and Died.

Clayton, N. Y., April 8.—Mrs. Addie Shortts Marshall, aged 17, vomited up a dead lizard about 5 inches long. She had had stomach troubleduring the past two years and could obtain no relief from medical treatment. Since March 18 died today.

Garvie's Remains Coming Over.

Southampton, April 8.—The remains of Jeffries Garvie, the wealthy American who died here on April 5 from a complication of diseases, resulting in a fatal chill, have been embalmed and will be embarked for New York on Saturday.

Republicans Carry Lincoln. Lincoln, Neb., April 8.-Republicans made a clean sweep in the election. Graham, for mayor, with two precincts to hear from, has a majority of 600 over

Brown. The vote for other offices is substantially the same. No Dollar Gas For New York. Albany, April 8.—Senator Cantor's \$1 gas bill for New York city has been defeated in the senate, and the senate has

rate of 5 cents per year until it is down Dr. Schaeffer Reappointed.

passed the bill reducing the price at the

Harrisburg, April 8.—Governor Hastings today sent to the senate the reappointment of Dr. Nathan C. Schaeffer of Lancaster as state superintendent of

The King of Siam Starts.

Bangkok, April 8.-The king of Siam. Chulalongkorn I, or, to give his full name, Somdetch Phra Paramindr Maha, has started on his visit to Europe and the United States.

AN ELEPHANT A DEFENDANT.

On Trial for Murdering a Man and Ac-

quitted After a Legal Battle. An elephant accused of murder has been exonerated by a Coroner's The occasion was the inquest jury. on the body of a man who had been killed by the animal. It took place in London and is probably the most remarkable event in natural history on record.

The elephant is of Asiatic birth, is known as Charley, and is the star performer in Sanger's Circus. He held that position before the tragedy in which he recently became involved, and will continue to do so, thanks to a jury of liberal-minded Englishmen. Charley was eating his supper when he saw his old enemy. He immediately seized the man with his trunk, pushed him against the wall and crushed him to death.

Sanger, the owner of the circus, was the great witness in Charley's favor at the inquest. He said he was the kindest elephant ever known. He

"Elephants do not forget injuries or kindnesses. I remember several remarkable instances. On one occasion, when I had been separated from an elephant for two years, the elephant, on seeing me, seized me round the waist with his trunk and would not let me go until he had hugged and caressed me for a long time. Tears of pleasure ran down the brute's cheeks.

"Some years ago a nephew of mine, a child of three, was playing around Charley and climbing up his legs. Charley gently resented this, but the child continued. Charley then took the child up, shook him gently and put him down some yards away."

Others testified to the good character of Charley and the jury returned a verdict of accidental death without blaming the elephant.

The Independent Stage Driver.

Eastern tourists who base their deas about stage drivers upon their Luowledge of Eastern coachmen, are apt to meet with a rude shock.

There is an old driver at Monterey. who is determined that his patrons shall make no mistake concerning his exact status, and in a quiet way he checks all attempts to make a servant of him. A short time ago he was driving a party of tourists about, where one querulous old lady, who had annoyed him not a little by her airs of superiority, asked:

"My man, do you know the name of that wild flower?" "Yep," he replied, and flicked one of

his leaders with his whip. She paused a moment for him to give the name, but he merely clucked

to the wheelers. "Driver, do you know the name of that flower?" she repeated, in an imperious tone.

"Yep. Get up there, Bally!" Again she waited, and again de manded:

"Man, don't you know the name of that flower?' "Yep. G'long there, Pete!"

"Then why don't you tell me?" "Oh, you want to know, too, do you." That's a wild poppy."-Golden Days.

WIT AND HUMOR.

Mrs. Watts-Isn't it a good deal of annoyance to get your meals at such irregular hours?

Hungry Jiggins-The irregular hours ain't so bad as the irregular days .-Indianapolis Journal.

sleep with your mouth open?"

Irish Patient: "Shure, Oi don't know, doctor. Oi've never seen myself whin Oi've been asleep, but Oi'll have a look to-night!"-Tid-Bits.

Gwendolyn-In case of a war between France and England, which side would you be on?

Cholly-Aw-I really believe I should prefer to be on this side .-Brooklyn Life.

A teacher, observing one boy coming in late, said to him: "Now, then, sir, what are you late

for? "School, sir," answered the lad, quietly taking his seat among the remaining boys.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

FAIRFIELD COUNTY SAVINGS BANK.

NORWALK, CONN. March 18, 1897.
The Board of Directors of the Bank have the day declared a dividend at the rate of fur per cent. per annum, from the earnings of the current six months. to be credited to deno-itors April 1st. and navable on and after depositors April 1st, and payable on and are April 10th VICTOR S. SELLECK, See'y.

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Mrs. John Grace of 32 Plattsville avenue, says: "I am well up in years, and for quite a long time I have suffered with my back and kidneys. The pain often extended down into my limbs and was frequently so severe that I supposed I had rheumatism. I was advised to use Doane's Kidney Pills, and began taking them. I think the pills are a good

thing, they cured me."

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Many a free man who is sick would willingly change places with a healthy convict. A man might as well be shut out of enjoyment one way as another. If he is shut up in a cell, he cannot engage in active pleasures. imagine them, and

and art, but he can imagine them, and so get some benefit from them. A man who is sick has these things before him, but he doesn't see them as they exist. He cannot look on anything with appreciative eyes. His physical condition warps his vision and his mentality. He cannot enjoy anything, no matter how enjoyable it may be in the abstract. A man with a foul taste in his mouth, with a bilious headache, and with poisonous refuse matter circulating all through his body cannot enjoy anything. He honestly believes that the world is all wrong, and that it is a mighty poor place to be in. He is blue, despondent, cynical. Life isn't worth living to him. Such a simple thing causes this condition that it is absurd and ridiculous to think of a sensible man remaining in it. Symptoms like these come from constipation. It is the most prevalent of all causes of sickness. It makes a man worthless for work or pleasure. It is a stubbort trouble when you do not treat it properly, and a simple one when you do. It is cured by Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. They were made for this purpose, and no other. They accomplish this purpose as no other preparation ever did. An unscrupulous druggist nay try to sell you something else. Look out! It is your health that is at stake. It is your health against an extra profit on the thing he says is "just as good." Doctor Pierce's Pleasant Pellets—don't forget—don't take anything else.

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# WORD THE WISE

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REMEMBER -- If you have work to do, write to us.

# FOR BOYS AND GIRLS.

Jimmie Brown, aged 10, sat busily poring over the advertising sheets of the New York dailies. He was wildly anxious for a good position as office boy, for not only did he sadly need wages, but he had an ambitious little brain in his head, and he wanted. above all things, to master the technicalities of some good business. Fi nally his eye lighted upon an advertisement that seemed to appeal to him more than any of the others, and he determined to make a desperate effort to secure the position; only the "Address lock box 441" was so very discouraging in the beginning, for Jimmie had already cudgeled his poor little brain and cramped his stiff little fingers over many an answer to advertisements-to say nothing of the precious stamps he had risked-and all to no purpose. No! Plainly in this case, some other method must be thought

The next morning Mr. Adams, a wealthy contractor, took a very, very fat mail from lock box 441, most of which, however, he was destined never to read, for close at his heels followed the sturdy little boy, who managed somehow to slip into the office with him.

"Please, sir," said Jimmie, for it was none other, "will you give me a chance to try to suit you as an office boy?"
"Why, how do you know that I want

an office boy?" said Mr. Adams.
"I read your advertisement in the paper, and ever since I have been watching box 441 to find out who you were and where you did business, so that I might get in my work before you had a chance to read about the other fellows. Will you give me a try, sir?"

"Well," said Mr. Adams, looking rather amused, "If you are smart enough to do that, I guess you are about the kind of boy we want. Yes, you may stay and go right to work. First, sort out these letters and dump all the answers to that advertisement into the waste basket."

This all happened many years ago, and today Mr. James Brown is one of in Louisiana, with a single exception the leading partners in that very firm have held, but the water is rising, and which he first served intelligently and conscientiously as office boy.



The strangely dressed little tots whose pictures appear above are the children of the Princess Marie, of Roumania, and their garb is the national or Bayard costume. Prince Caral is 3 years old, and his little sister, Princess Elizabeth Charlotte Josephine Victoria Alexandra, is a year younger. It is hardly necessary to say that they are great-grandchildren of Queen Victoria, and Prince Caral is the heir to the Roumanian crown.

# · Tiger Gratitude.

The Pall Mall Gazette recalls a difficult operation which was successfully performed in the Zoological Gardens, Dublin, a few years ago. One of the finest tigers in the collection was threatened with gangrene in its paw, the claw having been distorted and grown into the foot. Reverend Samuel Houghton, M. D., Senior Fellow of Trinity, College, Dublin, and a wellknown personage in the Irish metropolis, undertook to perform the dangerous experiment of operating on the

The mate of the tiger was first secured in a side den. A net was thrown over the tiger, and he was drawn forward to the door of the cage. Four stout keepers then held the feet of the stuggling animal, while Professor Houghton cut away the diseased claw. The suffering beast furiously endeavored to get at him during the operation, but the rage of the tigress was much more terrible. She roared and flung herself violently again and again

to go to the rescue of her mate. When the tigress was admitted to the cage after the wound of her mate was dressed and the net removed, she turned up the paw and examined it ten to sooth him, purring softly the while. But perhaps the most extraordinary part of the affair was the sequel. A week later Professor Houghton was again at the Zoo, to see how his patient was going on. When the animal espied him he began to purr paw, and seemed pleased that he should do so. Indeed, for years afterward, the tiger and tigress showed themselves most friendly and grateful to Professor Houghton.

"I wonder if the little Eskimo boys have any out-of-door games like ours?"

"Oh, I guess so," replied Jennie. "They have polo-bears up there, you know."-Harper's Round Table.

# A Definition.

'Teacher-"James can you tell me what is meant by a cubic yard?" James-"I don't know exactly, but I suppose it's a yard that the Cuban children play in."-Boston Traveler.

Money Voted For Persons Rendered Homeless by the Floods.

THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE.

and \$200,000 Is Now Available For the Destitute Ones-Full Text of the Joint Resolution.

Washington, April 8.—The president today sent the following message to the senate and house of representatives: Information which has recently come to me from the governors of Arkansas. Mississippi and Louisiana and from prominent citizens of these states and Tennessee warrants the conclusion that widespread distress, involving the destruction of a large amount of property and loss of human life, has resulted from the floods which have submerged that section of the country.

These are stated on reliable authority

to be the most destructive floods that have ever devastated the Mississippi valley, the water being higher than the highest stage it has reached before. From Marion, Ark., north of Memphis, to Greenville, Miss., a dis-tance of more than 250 miles by river, t is reported there are now at least 50 towns and villages under water; and a territory extending from 100 miles north of Memphis to 200 miles south and from to 40 miles wide, is submerged. Hundreds of thousands of acres of cultivated soil with growing crops are included in the submerged territory.

In this section alone there are from 10,000 to 60,000 people whose property has been destroyed and whose business has been suspended. Growing crops have been ruined, thousands of cattle have been drowned and the in-habitants of certain areas threatened with starvation. As a great majority of the sufferers are small farmers they have thus been left entirely destitute and will be unprepared for work even after the floods have subsided.

A Whole Valley Flooded. The entire Mississippi valley in Arkansas is flooded and communication with many points cut off. In Mississippi a like condition exists. The levees the situation there is reported as being extremely critical.

Under such circumstances the citizens of these states look for the co-operation and support of the national government in relieving the pressing cases of destitution for food, clothing and shelter which are beyond the reach of ocal efforts.

The authorities who have communication with the executive recognize that their first and most energetic duty is to provide as far as possible the means of caring for their own citizens, but nearly all of them agree in the opinhatafter their resources have been exh usted a sum aggregating at least \$150,000, and possibly \$200,000, will be required for immediate use.

Precedents are not wanting that in such emergencies as this congress has taken prompt, generous and intelligent action, involving the expenditure of considerable sums of money with satisfactory results. In 1874, \$590,000 was appropriated, and

in 1882, \$350,000 was also appropriated for relief in the same direction, besides large sums in other years.

Measures For Relief. The citizens' relief committee of Memphis, which has taken prompt action, has already cared for from 6,000 to 7,000 refugees from the flooded districts, and they are still arriving in that city

in large numbers daily. Supplies and provisions have been sent to the various points in Arkansas and Mississippi by this committee, but he utmost that can

efforts is to partly relieve the most acute cases of suffering. No action has yet been taken for the great majority of the inhabitants living in the interior whose condition has already been described.

Under these conditions, and having exerted themselves to the fullest extent, the local authorities have reluctantly confessed their inability to fur-ther cope with this distressing situation unaided by relief from the government.

It has, therefore, seemed to me that the representatives of the people should be promptly informed of the nature and extent of the suffering and needs of these stricken people, and I have communicated these facts in the hope and belief that the legislative branch of the government will promptly re-enforce the work of the local authorities in the states named WILLIAM M'KINLEY.

A Prompt Response.

The following resolution was prompt-ly introduced and passed by the house and the senate and sent to the presi-

Resolved, That the sum of \$200,000 against the barriers in her mad desire is hereby appropriated out of any monto go to the rescue of her mate. propriated, to be expended by and un-der the direction of the secretary of war in the purchase and distribution of subsistence stores to such destitute persons as may require assistance in the with touching solicitude, and then district overflowed by the Mississippi licked her mate as a cat licks its kit-Red River of the North, by the recent floods. And the secretary of war is authorized to use the steamers and other boats and vessels belonging to or now employed by the government upon the Mississippi river and its tributaries in the transportation and distribution animal espied him he began to purr of the supplies furnished by the United like a cat, allowed him to examine the States or individuals to and among said destitute and suffering people, and he may employ such other means of transportation as he may deem neces sary to carry the purpose of this joint resolution into effect." The president promptly signed the joint resolution, and it is now a law.

Killed by Gas In a Tunnel. Colorado Springs, April 8.—Seven men vere overcome by smoke and gas today in the Strickle tunnel on the west slope of Pike's peak, and two of them are dead, while the others are in a critical condition. The dead were George Gordon and Michael Lew.

Roumanian Cabinet Resigns. Bucharest, April 8.-The Roumanian rabinet has resigned, and great exlitement prevails.

# THE MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE CO.

OF NEW YORK.

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Statement for the Year Ending December 31st, 1896. According to the Standard of the Insurance Department of the State of New York.

INCOME,

\$ 39,593,414 20 **Received for Premiums** From all Other Sources 10,109,281 07 \$ 49,702,695 27

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nited States Bonds and other Securities \$ 1 1 0,125,082 15 First lien Loans on Bond and Mortgage 71,543,929 6 Loans on Stocks and Bonds 11,091,525 00 22,767,666 65 Real Estate 12,680,390 00 Cash in Banks and Trust Companies Accrued Interest, Net Deferred Premiums, etc. 6,535,555 06 \$ 234,744,148 42 Reserve for Policies and other Liabilities 205,010,633 72 \$ 29,733,514 70 Surplus

I have carefully examined the foregoing Statement and find the same to be correct liabilities calculated by the Insurance Department CHARLES, A. PRELLER, Auditor.

From the Surplus a dividend will be apportioned as usual

# Report of the Examining Committee.

Office of the Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York

To the Honorable, The Board of Trustees of

Insurance and Annuities in force

THE MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW YORK

The undersigned, a Committee apppointed by your honorable body on the twentythird day of December, 1896, to examine the Annual Statement of the Company, and to verify the same, espectfully

REPORT

That, pursuant to the power and authority thereby conferred, the Committee have at various dates between the date of the said reference and the date of this Report attended at the office of the Company, and have been waited on by the Treasurer, the Comptroller, the Auditor and and the Cashier, together with the the respective assistants of such officers, and have carefully gone over all the items contained in the said Statement, and have found the same to be correct. They have examined and counted every certificate of stock, bond and other obligation held by the Company, and compared the price at which the same are carried in said Statement with the market quotations and find the same not exceeding such quotations—in fact, in many cases b | w them. They have examined and counted the bonds and mortgages on real property held by the Company, and find the same to be as stated. They have also verified the valuations of the Company's holdings of real estate and have verified the deposits of money in the various banks and trust companies, and have counted the cash on hand held by the Cashier.

And the Committee certify that all the books, papers. documents and evidences of title of every description necessary in such examination have been freely submitted to the Committee by the said officers and their assistants, and that the same are accurate, in good order and well kept. And the Committee further certify that the investments of the Company are of a high order, and that the system and

methods adopted by the Company in recording its transactions and caring for the assets are entitled to commendation

All of which is respectfully submitted NEW YORK JANUARY 25, 1897.

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The company has issued an order whereby women can be insured without the extra charge heretofore required. More definite information on the subject will be furnished by the local agent, Mr. A. H. Camp.

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Helpless as to the Bread.

Captain Bliss was like all seamen, a strict disciplinarian, and his crew respected him beyond measure. Not one of them would have dreamed of interpreting a command otherwise than according to the strict letter of the law; things must be done "shipshape" under his rule.

One day, while the ship was in a certain port, the captain gave a dinner to some town acquaintances, and as the resources of the ship were not great, some of the sailors were deputed to wait on the table to reinforce the insufficient number of stewards. As these men were not used to such work, each one was told exactly what service would fall to his share.

The hour came and the dinner went merrily on. Presently, however, one of the ladies wanted a piece of bread. There was none very near her, and the finely disciplined stewards seemed to be quite oblivious to her need. She turned her head and spoke very softly to the man at her elbow.

"Bread, please!" she said.

He looked regretfully at the bread, and then at her. It was evident that he would fain have helped her if it had been in his power. He saluted in fine naval style.

"Can't do it, ma'am," said he. I'm told off for 'taters."

#### A Powerful Anæsthetic.

A Polish chemist named Eisenberg is said to have invented an anaesthetic which volatilizes rapidly on exposure to the air, rendering the persons near unconscious for a long time. A pellet broken under a man's nose put him to sleep for four hours. It is asserted that in warfare bombs charged with this material will make large bodies of an enemy incapable of resistance.

#### Worked Once Too Often.

"When you stepped on that gentleman's foot, Tommie, I hope you apolo-

"Oh, yes, indeed, I did," said Tommie, "and he gave me 10 cents for beng such a good boy."

"Did he? And what did you do then?

"Stepped on the other and apologized, but it didn't work." -Philadelphia Times.

### The Origin of the Foolscap.

When Oliver Cromwell became protector after the execution of Charles I, he caused the stamp of the cap of liberty to be placed upon the paper used by the government. Soon after the restoration of Charles II, having occasion to use some paper for despatches, some of this government paper was brought to him. On looking at it, and discovering the stamp, he inquired the meaning of it, and on being told, he said, "Take it away." Thus originated the term foolscap, which has ince been applied to a certain size of glazed writing paper.

> that cough or throat trouble may go to your lungs. What

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## HER THEORY.

The house party at Westwood were dawdling over their coffee on the moonlit piazza. It was a merry crowd, everybody knew everybody else, and there was much laughter and talk, but suddenly a silence fell. Then it be came patent to all that the couple seated on the steps leading to the lawn were engaged in a quiet but bit ter altercation. The girl's listless air was in striking contrast to the man's

"Your idea is an absurd one," he exclaimed.

"Oh, fie!" she said, "to speak so rudely to a woman."

"It is not rudenes but truth." "Then they are apparently synony

mous." "I can't help it; it exasperates me to hear an intelligent girl like you-"

"Now, where," she broke in, "did you pick that up? I am not the least bit intelligent! If I were, I would know better than to argue with you; it is so perfectly hopeless-sighing-and you do get so excited."

"And who wouldn't-listening to such impossible theories!"

"What is your theory, Kate?" called out her cousin. "One you have heard me express

thousands of times before."

"Shall I tell him, Miss Doane?" "Certainly."

"She says that a man doesn't like to feel too confident of a woman's affection; that it is the element of uncertainty in love affairs that makes them interesting; that he enjoys being puzzled and played with, and that a clever woman has only to appear indifferent to first pique and then attract him."

"Heresy!" exclaimed a chorus of manly voices.

"Mr. Stewart has omitted a very important clause," said Miss Doane. "I added that to do this the woman must necessarily be good to look at and not lacking in this world's goods."

"Oh, Kate, Kate!" sighed her cousin. "would you insinuate that the masculine fancy is influenced by worldly advantages?"

She shrugged her shoulders. "I have stated my case; you can

make it what you choose." The hostess, who had been listening

idly, now put in a word,— "The trouble with you all is that you analyze too much," she said. 'Why not take things as they come, without worrying over their possible causes? It is so much simpler and

healthier." Miss Doane turned around.

"Isn't Madge charming?" she said, amiably. "To hear her you would suppose that she had never seen the inside of a drawing-room. She always gets like that when she comes to the country; something in the air, prob-

"And you," said Stewart, when the laughter following her speech had died away: "has it no effect on you?"

"The country? Oh, yes, it makes meif that is possible-more indolent than usual," and she leaned her head against the pillar and looked, not at him, but past him to the stretch of rosy sky.

"What an actress you are!" he said. "You are not the least bit indifferent, really, but it has amused you to pose as such so long now it has almost become second nature."

"Still wrangling?" asked Carl Ainslie, lounging down the steps. "My dear young friends, it grieves me to the eart to see such a display of unchristian feelings. 'Let dogs delight to bark and bite."

"Blame Mr. Stewart and not me," said the girl. "You know, Carl, that I haven't the energy to quarrel with any one, especially in this weather."

"Oh, of course not. Miss Doane only says the things that make other people want to row."

"A charming character you have given me! After that I think I will abandon the field to you. Come. Carl." with a quick change of manner, 'Let's go down to the lake for a row.'

Stewart watched them with wrath in his heart-the girl was talking gayly, her soft laugh floating back to him. "Kate," said young Ainslie, resting

on his oars, "I'm your cousin and have a right to tell you when I think you are doing wrong, so I say-do leave old Stewart alone."

"Of course, now, you know very well what I mean. It's all right for you to trample upon Herbert, Reade, and myself; we're used to it-been broken in too long to protest-but Stewart is another sort; he cares awfully about things ."

"Oh, indeed, so he 'cares awfully,' and the rest of you are only amusing yourselves, I suppose."

"How you tease a fellow! 'No-what I mean is that he is so terribly 'all there,' that if he lets himself be hard hit it would knock him out completely if you threw him over."

"So terribly 'all there'-what a graphic expression. Yet undeniably true in this case; but why do you take it for granted that I will throw him over?

Mr. Ainslie's face expressed the utmost consternation.

"Well, really, I don't know, but I thought, I somehow concluded-" "What?"

"Why," a brilliant idea striking him, "that you didn't care for anybody and wouldn't until you had seen more of the world, for you are very young, Kate, in spite of your many experiences.'

"Carl," said Miss Doane, solemnly, "the bar had lost a shining mark in you, but I am proud to claim you as a relative."

It was a fortnight later; the house party would disperse on the morrow, and Miss Doane, to whom Westwood was dear, was taking a farewell stroll through the gardens. She was idling

down a path, when, catching sight of Stewart over the tops of the rose bushes, she ostentatiously put up her parasol and turned in the other direc

·But he was not to be so easily thrown off; with a curl of the ip (for he had recognized the manoeuvre) he hurried to her.

"Miss Doane," he cried, "will you spare me a few moments?"

She turned her head. "I am not in a pleasant frame of mind. Uncle forwarded me my dressmaker's bill this morning, with cer tain pungent comments of his own appended, and my best manuscript has just been returned to me as 'unavail

able,' so the atmosphere is not rosy.' "Never mind about that. I will not detain you long," and he pulled up a bench.

"I suppose you know you are very beautiful," he said. "Doubtless your mirror has told you that already, so I need not worry you with repetitions, but I feel sure that you do not realize how absolutely charming you are."

She looked at him wonderingly; it was a favorite method of hers and usually worked well, but now it failed to produce the effect she intended.

'Don't look like that," he said, "or I shall think you are not sincere, and I don't want to think that. I want to carry away the kindest thoughts of

"You have changed," she said. "Ten days ago you told Mary Fair I was thoroughly heartless."

"Did I? Well, that only shows I was a fool. I know you better now; and what is more, I understand you." A slight pause.

"I heard up at the house that you were engaged to your cousin, and while the news could not but hurt me, it was in one sense a relief, for I knew at once why you had avoided and almost ignored me. You wanted to save me pain. Experience has taught me that if a man saw much of you he generally cared for you, and you tried to ward me off. But you cannot keep the moth from the candle and I loved you in spite of your coldness. It almost looks as if there was something in your theory, doesn't

Miss Doane gathered herself together. Stewart did not know it, but she was summoning courage to tell him the truth about herself. She loved to be well thought of, and it was a genuine sacrifice to speak, but she could not, in common honesty, allow him to remain under his delusion.

"You must not think too well of me," she began.

"I could not," he cried. "One rarely sees so much of youth and beauty and simple goodness united as I find in

Simple goodness! The words scorched her.

"You are all wrong!" she cried, with burning cheeks. "I am not the least bit like that. Don't you see? Can't you understand? It vexed me to have you laugh at my theory, so I determined to make you an example of its truth. It was from no good motivenot to "ward you off,' or 'to save you pain,' but with the distinct intention of making you care for me, that I pre-

tended to be indifferent." Stewart got slowly to his feet.
"And so," he said, "in support of a

theory, for the sake of proving yourself in the right, you could play with a man's heart and make havoc of his life? Fool, fool that I was, not to understand!" and he struck one palm sharply against the other. "Well," with sarcastic courtesy, "the point is gained, the poor dupe at your feet. I hope you are content?"

"Content!" she cried. "I was never so sorry in my life. It seems strange I should care, doesn't it? As you say, I have gained my point-and yet-"

"Yes," he said, "and yet?"

Instead of replying she turned her head swiftly away, but not before he had seen that her eyes were full of tears. He stood irresolute, overcome by surprise, then he approached her.

"Don't cry like that," he said. "You never meant to hurt me; it was a pretty bit of acting to you, and if I was stupid and overdid my part you are not to blame. There, look up! What will your cousin say if he learns I distressed you?"

"What is it to me what my cousin thinks?"

Mr. Stewart stared. "Pardon me, but I thought that, be ing engaged to him-"

"I am not engaged to him. Nothing is further from my intention.'

A silence followed. Then Miss Doane rose to depart, but Stewart, whose mind had been adjusting itself to the changed situation, put out a detaining

"Kate, if you are not going to marry your cousin, perhaps there might be a chance for some one else."

"Perhaps." He drew nearer.

"I know I'm a perfect fool to rush on my fate, but what's worth having is worth asking for. Kate, will you marry me?"

She smiled, but her eyes were very "I believe you do love me," she said.

"Well, a little." "And if I marry you I know I shall

be happy. You are so strong and true. and have my confidence so utterly, but I have been horrid to you-so rude and disagreeable that I don't see how you can bear me."

"Why, you are going back on your theory."

"The girls will certainly laugh, and Carl will never leave me alone about it, but I don't care," lifting her face resolutely. "I love you, and there's no use pretending I don't."

A little while later she looked up. "I always said I would never care for anybody," she remarked. "What

will this prove?" "That you are a woman," he said.



The bread baskets are oblong in shape, shallow, and have four tiny little claw feet to rest upon. The sides of the basket are of a very open pattern, to represent wheat ears and grass. Stalks of the same grain form graceful handle at each end of the dish. Silver jelly tumblers and marmalade jar-holders are in open work scroll patterns, are fastened firmly to a silver plate, and have a solid cover. The grass or jar is placed inside and the jam spoon rests upon the plate.

What is prettier for a little gift to an invalid than a lemonade spoon? The bowl of the spoon is shell-shaped. A long, round, slim handle starts from under the shell, and is finished at the top with a tiny ball. This handle is hollow and makes a silver straw through which to draw the lemonade.

The newest chocolate spoons have the same rounded bowls as formerly, but have decorated Dresden handles. The white porcelain pieplate can now have a silver frame resting upon four little balls for feet. The plate fits perfectly in this openwork silver case. A long and slender open-work pie knife comes with the frame.-New York



The above illustration will make a andsome design for a sofa pillow and can be embroidered to suit the fancy of the worker and gives much scope for an artistic use of colors.

## A Woman Inventor.

Miss Fanny Grothjan, of New York, as a device to detach runaway horses from a vehicle.

The "detacher" not only separates the horse from the vehicle, but is so constructed that immediately after the horse has been liberated the operating rod is transformed into a steering gear. Any one can easily steer the vehicle in any direction desired. In order to go straight ahead all that is necessary to do is to bear against the

side of the rod. The inventor has gained an important point in that with her device one can steer out of danger, which is more

than one can do with a brake. No accident could occur from the 'detacher" itself, as it is impossible that one side should become detached sooner than the other.-New York Tri-

The Model Mother.

First, she must have God-given strength of will and infinite patience, unfailing sympathy and ready tact, keen judgment and mental sweetness, physical strength and moral courage, and, most of all, must she have the divine attribute of hope. Never for one instant must she despair, never must she be discouraged; hopeful ever, she will not only inspire the children with zeal and courage but she must make her daily, nay, hourly, life a living example of the ideal she would have them strive to attain.-New York World.

To Keep Salt Fine. Whenever table salt becomes caked in its receptacles put into them a pinch of ground arrowroot, and the salt will remain perfectly dry and fine, whatever the temperature may be.

Almond Balls. Two cups sugar, three-fourths cup cold water; boil until it hairs. Set away to cool for half an hour, and add a half pound blanched almonds broken in small pieces and a few drops of either vanilla of bitter almonds, according to taste. Stir with a wooden spoon until it creams; place on a marble slab or a large dish and knead a few minutes as you would bread; then mold into balls with your hands.

The Care of Stove Lids. When the lid of your range splits do not throw it away, but have it mended.

It will last much longer than a new

Bath Bags. A bran bag is one of the most grateful of all toilet accessories. It is more cleansing to the skin, and much more refreshing. It is made by filling a musin bag with two quarts of bran, one

ounce of orris root, one ounce almond

meal and one small cake of castile soap

cut in small pieces.

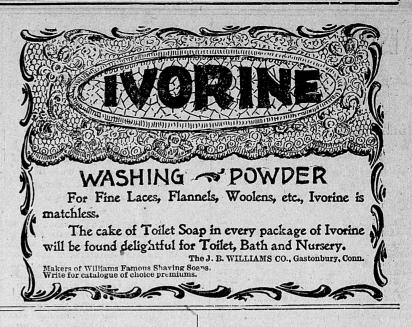
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yer them two allus went tergidder?-Detending His Monopoly. "Treddie is jealous of his preroga-

tives, ain't he?" "What makes you say so?" "He got angry the other night and told me not to be a fool."

When using dates for an after dinner sweet, after the pit has been removed, instead of filling with chopped nut meats, set in a row of peanut meats and call them "peas in the pod."



WEIGHING AN ENGINE.

A Peculiar Experiment that Will Interest Mechanics and Scientists.

A peculiar scientific experiment has been made with the famous engine 870 of the New York Central Railroad at the shops at West Albany, says the Albany Express. Some months ago this large engine, which in the opinion of many well-informed railroad men excels even the famous 999, was taken into the shops and completely overhauled. It was taken apart, completely, and every part of the engine, from the massive driving wheels to the very smallest bolt and nut, was separately weighed. The heavy portions were weighed in the shops and the small parts were taken to a Watervliet avenue pharmacy, where they were weighed on the pharmacist's scales.

The greatest care was taken by the machinists under the direction of Master Mechanic Buchanan to see that the weighing was accurate. When every part of the engine had been weighed a force of the best skilled mechanics was put to work to re-assemble the engine. When is was complete again it was put into active service.

A short time ago the engine was taken back to the shops and mechanics were put to work dissecting it again. Once more every part was brought into service again. When every portion had been weighed the record was compared with the former one. Then Master Mechanic Buchanan knew just how much the engine had lost in weight through the wear of a known amount of work. The records of the weights of the separate parts also showed which parts were subjected to the most wear.

The test cost many hundreds of dollars, but the New York Central was willing to spend the money in order that it might be able to knew what parts of an engine wear out most quickly and in what ratio the several parts wear out. The exact figures have not been made public. There is no doubt that they will be interesting to mechanics and scientists.

# Where Garfield Was Shot.

The marble tablet that rested in the south wall of the ladies' waiting room of the Baltimore and Potomac Railway Company's depot at Washington and the brass star placed in the tiled flooring of the apartment to mark for all lime the spot on which President Garfield fell when assassinated have been

removed. A superstitious dread on the part of the traveling public of a constant reminder of a tragedy seems to have led to the removal of these monuments. The immediate cause of the removal of the tablet and star was the fire which occurred in the depot on the night of March 4, which damaged the tablet to such an extent that the oficials of the company declared it was not in condition to be replaced. A portion of the marble tiling also had to be removed, and although the metal star placed where the President fell might have been put back in its old place, it was permanently removed, and the spot is now marked only by a piece of red tiling, which would pass unnoticed except to those familiar with the place and the tragedy that was enacted there.—St. Louis Globe

Democrat.

Rich Women's Railway Carriages. The ladies of Paris not only have heir carriages for shopping, for traveling, and for their rides in the parks, but fashion now demands that they must have their own railway carriages. The Baroness de Rothschild travels

Petoska has purchased the carriage originally bought from the estate of he Duc de Morny. Mrs. Mackey, from San Francisco, has her carriage, which is a fairy palace on wheels, costing her husband (30,000. The pleasure is costly, but it

enables the ladies to enjoy all the com-

in her boudoir on wheels. Countess

forts of home while they are flying through the world. Apart from the charge for transportation, \$2,000 annually must be paid to the railway company for keeping SIX KENTUCKY MARRIAGES.

And a Mixed Relationship that Is Diffi-

At the village of Roley, one day not long ago, there were six couples married. In the morning there was a triple wedding in the church. In the afternoon three other couples were wedded, within an hour of each other, at the homes of the respective brides. All six of the couples were entertained at the home of "Uncle" Bob Tucker, who after the different marriages, was closely related to all the principals thereto. Now come some of the singular features of the case. Uncle Bob, before the wedding, had in the lot of twelve individuals a daughter, a son, three granddaughters, one niece, and one nephew. In the twelve there were a brother and sister, two sisters, two brothers, three cousins, two uncles, an aunt, four nieces and two nephews, and yet no one of the twelve persons married any one related to him or herself. Another funny feature is, that before the weddings there were two named Hopkins, two Dunbars, two Chelfs, two Tuckers, two McWhorters, one Pendleton, and one Hood. After the omelet was done, the Dunbars and Hopkinses had gained two; the Pendletons, Chelfs, and McWhorters had been exterminated; the Hoods had been increased by one, and the Tuckers had held their ground. Ever since the wedding day the gossips have been figuring on the probable kinship between the several brides and grooms and their mutual relative "Uncle Bob Tucker."-Columbus, Ky., Spectator.

BIBULOUS HENS.

They Imbibe Refuse from a Distillery and

Annoy the Neighbors. Hens that become addicted to the use of spirituous liquor, that are maudlin in their cackling, that sleep at unnatural hours and have blue Mondays, seem to be something rather new under the sun. Such a hen was produced in court at Fort William, Scotland, a fortnight ago, says the Buffalo Commercial. She belonged to a poultry breeder, who complained that his live stock has been seriously injured by drinking at a brook pol-

luted by the refuge of a distillery. The refuse was spirituous; the poultry got drunk, and what they gained in excitement they lost in appetite and condition for the market. They moped on Sundays because there was no whiskey in the water on that day, and on Monday would touch no food until they had been to the burn and had a "pick-me-up." On week days they alternately slept and fought, and broke the eggs of the few sober

ones who attended to their work. The hen that was brought into the court in support of the plea looked so impudently at the sheriff that it had to be ordered out. Whether the eggs and flesh of a hard-drinking hen acquired a high, sporty flavor that might recommend to the state of epicures deponent saith not.

Butler on Evolution.

Two or three mornings after the arrival of a new butler the mistress of the house took the opportunity of asking the cook how she liked her new fellow servant. The report was an excellent one. "In fact, ma'am," said the cook, "the servant's hall is quite a different place now." Not unnaturally the mistress pressed for further particulars. "Well, he talks so cleverly," said the cook. "Last night, for instance, he explained things to us for an hour and a half." "Explained things-what things?" said the mistress, now really interested. "Well," was the reply, "he was telling us how we are all descended from Mr. Darwin!"-Nashville Gazette.

In the Thick of the Fight-"Look here," said the pugilist's friend, "that old enemy of yours says he can whip you with one hand.".

"He says that, does he? Well, you tell him I outclass him from the start. can whip him with both hands. I'm ambidextrous and can write two letters at once."—Washington Star.

THE ORIGINAL Always the Same

# WESTERN ELECTIONS.

Carter Harrison (Dem.) Chosen Mayor of the Windy City.

## CLEAR MAJORITY OVER ALL.

Democrats Win In Illinois Cities and Also In Missouri Outside of St. Louis, Where the Republicans Made Almost a Clean Sweep.

Chicago, April 8 .- Complete returns of the vote cast for mayor are as fol-

lows:	
Carter H. Harrison (Dem.)	144,828
John M. Harlan (Ind. Rep.)	67,072
Nathaniel C. Sears (Regular Rep.)	57,566
W. Hesing (Business Administration)	15,116
John Glembeck (Social-Labor)	1,226
II. L. Parmele (Pro.)	852
J. I. Pierce, Jr. (Ind.)	686
L'. Howard Collier (Ind.)	88
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Total. 237, 434
Harrison's plurality 77,756
Harrison's majority over all 2,222
Complete returns from all the wards show the election of 23 Democratic aldermen, 6 Republicans and 5 independents. As a result the Democrats will have a majority of 8 over all in the next council.

At the last mayoralty election the vote for Swift (Rep.) was 143,407, against 102,294 for Wenter (Dem.). In the presidential election McKinley had 200,747, against 144,736 for Bryan.

The Democratic city ticket was led by Harrison, some of the other Democratic candidates running more than 12,000 votes behind him. According to The Record, the vote for the Democratic ticket was increased through Republican strength thrown by Republican politicians, such as Congressman Lorimer, State Treasurer Hertz and Sheriff Pease, who in the final round up feared the election of Harlan, the independent mayoralty candidate. Democrats were also aided effectively by former machine politicians who quietly separated from the regular organization after the recent bitter contest for the United States senatorship. The strongholds of Martin B. Madden, who was defeated in the Republican caucus for senator, went for Harrison for mayor, although heretofore heavily Republican.

At Quincy the entire Democratic tick-et was elected by majorities ranging from 100 to 700. Steinbach (Dem.), for mayor, was re-elected. Loren E. Wheeler (Rep.) was elected mayor of Springfield by 280 majority. The entire city Republican ticket, with one exception, is elected. The Democrats elected five out of seven aldermen.

At Rockland the Democrats elected Medill mayor and most of the city officers. At Moline Gustaf Swenson, on the People's ticket, the present incumbent, defeated the citizens' candidate for may-or by over 500 majority.

## The Results In Kansas.

Topeka, April 8.—The women of Kansas were an important factor in the municipal elections, and a large percentage of the vote everywhere was polled by women. Topeka went Republican by about 1,500. In Wichita and Atchison the Republican tickets were elected by small majorities, and in Kansas City, Kan., Robert S. Marchan, Republican, is elected mayor by probably 500 majority, and the Republicans elect a majority of their candidates. Leavenworth elected a Democratic mayor owing to a Republican

The town of Galena went Democrat ic, but in a majority of the small cities fusionists combined against the Republicans under the head of "Citizens" ticket," and as such were successful at Coffeyville, Emporia, Marysville, Great Bend, Newton and Sterling. Republic-anvictories are reported from Hutchin-Kingmai Burlington, Eureka, Columbus, Belleville and Hiawatha.

# Mixed Results In Wisconsin.

Milwaukee, April 8.—Wisconsin voters re-elected, without opposition, Roujet D. Marshall an associate justice of the supreme court. Justice Goodland of the Tenth circuit and Justice Bardeen of the Sixteenth circuit were re-elected without opposition. In the Seventeenth circuit, however, Justice Bailey had an aggressive opponent in James O'Neil. The latest reports show O'Neil 3,200 in the lead, and he is probably elected. All these judicial candidates ran as independents.

Republican mayors were elected in these cities Merrill, Ripon, River Falls, Viroqua, Mineral Point, Sturgeon Bay, Black River Falls, Lake Geneva, Sparta, Tomah, Menomonee, Plymouth, Chippewa Falls and New Lisbon.

The Democrats secured mayors in the following cities: Watertown, Hudson, Medford, Prairie du Chien, Beaver Dam, Chilton and Fountain City.

# The Issue In Colorado.

Denver, April 8. — The weather in Colorado was pleasant and a large vote was cast. Outside of Denver the issues were, in most cases, local. At Leadville the election was one of the most exciting in the city's history. The result was a decisive victory for the citizens'

Reports from Colorado Springs say the result is in doubt, there being a difference of only a few votes in the count. The indications at Cripple Creek

are that the fusion ticket is elected. The mayoralty contest in this city was a warm one. It was a victory for the present incumbent, Thomas Mc-Murray, a silver Republican.

# St. Louis Goes Republican.

St. Louis, April 8.—The Republicans carried the city, their mayoralty candidate, Henry Zeigenheim, being elected by a plurality of about 14,000. With the exception of four members of the house of delegates, the entire Republican ticket went through. At St. Joseph the Democrats carried six out of the eight wards and tied in the eighth. The council will be a tie if the Democrats lose the tied ward. At Jefferson City the Democrats elected the mayor.

# Little Interest In Arkansas.

Little Rock, April 8 .- Municipal elections were held in all Arkansas towns. Very little interest was aroused. There was no opposition to the Democratic ticket, headed by J. A. Woodson, for mayor in Little Rock, and a very light vote was piled.

# NOTES OF THE POWERS

Cabinet Council Held at Athens to Discuss the Situation.

## A PROMPT REPLY EXPECTED.

A Reported Separate Proposal by Russia. Greek Capital Wild For War-Demonstration In Island of Cyprus-Turks Under Arms.

Athens, April 8.—The cabinet ministers were engaged until a late hour in discussing the identical notes which each of the representatives of the powers handed yesterday to M. Skouzes, the Greek minister for foreign affairs, stating that in case of armed conflict on the Greek-Turkish frontier all responsibility will rest with the aggress-or, and that whatever results may arise from such a conflict the powers are firmly resolved to maintain the general peace and have decided not to allow the aggressor in any event to reap the slightest benefit from his action. It is believed that M. Skouzes will deliver the reply of Greece to the repre-

sentatives of the powers shortly.

The palaces of King George and of the crown prince Constantine were blazing with lights, and the city generally was a mass of illumination in celebration of the anniversary of the declaration of Greek independence in 1821.

The displays of fireworks were numerous, and in all parts of Athens there were patriotic assemblages, warlike orations were delivered and the speakers were greeted with cheers for the king and for war.

During the evening there was a great military tattoo, in which all the bands in the city at their full strength took part. The whole population thronged the streets, cheering everybody and everything, and at 1 o'clock this morning crowds were still parading, singing patriotic songs and cheering for war with the Turks.

In spite of this probably unprecedented demonstration of loyalty and patriotism, there was no disturbance worth noting. The utmost good humor prevailed. The square in front of the king's palace was packed with people until late at night, all clamoring to see

his majesty and shouting for war.

During the day ninecivilians and two policemen were injured in accidents arising from the crushes which con-

tinued all day. General Coroneos, a retired military man and a lifelong agitator, led the biggest crowd which marched to the king's palace yesterday afternoon, and it was evident from the excitement which prevailed that the people are bent on war at any cost unless all the demands of Greece are acceded to by the powers.

It is rumored here that Russia has made a separate proposal to the effect that if Greece will consent to withdraw her troops from the island of Crete Russia will agree to obtain from Turkey the withdrawal of the Turkish troops from Crete as soon as the Greek evacuation is completed, and that Russia will further promise that Prince George of Greece shall be sent, as a Greek prince, to organize the Cretan gendarmerie.

#### Greece Is Obdurate. Greece, still according to report,

promptly rejected these propositions. There was intense excitement at Larnaca, island of Cyprus, where the Greek Independence day was duly celebrated by the Greeks and others. In the evening there was a torchlight procession to the Greek consulate, and speeches in favor of the union of the islands of Crete and Cyprus to Greece were delivered The Turks were greatly irritated at this pro-Greek demonstration, and a conflict between the processionists and Mussulmans was with difficulty averted.

At Elassona, the Turkish headquar-ters in Macedonia, the troops were kept under arms from long before sunrise.

The greatest tension prevailed during the morning, but this feeling gradually wore off as the hours passed, without any aggressive movement upon the part

of the Greeks. Both sides are continuing their war preparations, erecting earthworks and other defenses and strengthening their position in the passes leading into each other's territory.

In view of the possibility of a blockade of the Piræus and other Greek ports, the work of sending war material, am-munition and stores to the front has been so actively pushed night and day since the threat was first made that very little now remains to be shipped to the front, so that the ostensible object of

the blockade cannot be attained. For a month past arms and ammunition have been arriving here and elsewhere from different foreign countries, and all such consignments have since been sent where they were most required.

# Canevare Has Not Resigned.

Rome, April 8.—It is semiofficially denied that Admiral Canevare has resigned or that he has been recalled from command of the international squadron in Cretan waters.

# Claim an Inherited Debt.

Altoona, Pa., April 8.-When the now defunct National bank of Hollidaysburg was organized, an agreement provided that in the event of the death of any one of the members of the organization his heirs should be equally responsible with the survivors in the bank's affairs. The heirs of James Gardner are now being sued by the depositors, and this agreement, which, it is claimed, was in the Gardner heirs' hands three weeks ago, has mysteriously disappeared. The amount involved in the suits aggregates \$490,000.

Canadian Laborers Favor Retaliation. Windsor, Ont., April 8.-An immense labor meeting was held here last night.
P. J. Loughrin, general labor organizer for Canada, was the principal speaker. He strongly urged the adoption by Canada of an alien labor law and wanted an export duty placed on pulp wood. Labor organizations were advised to agitate for these measures in their own

## Puddling Furnaces Started Up. Pittsburg, April 8 .- Seventeen of the

puddling furnaces at A. M. Byers & Co.'s rolling mill, which have been closed down by a strike of the puddlers against a reduction of 50 cents per ton in the puddling rate, were started to-day with nonunion men.

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