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NORWALK, CONN., MONDAY EVENING, MAY 10, 1897.

PRICE ONE CENT.

### CAPTURED IN TIME.

Had a Drawing of Cousins' Shoe Factory and James Jr.'s Route to the Bowery Bank.

Saturday was the Day Fixed to Rob Him.

The J. & T. Cousins shoe factory which formerly occupied the Phoenix block on Wall street in this city, is now located at 197-201 Grand street, New York city.

On Wednesday last the police of New York arrested a young man on suspicion. Upon searching him the officers found a diagram of the Cousins factory together with the route taken by James Cousins, Jr., of this city, one of the firm, from the office to the Bowery bank at the corner of the Bowery and Canal street.

A thorough questioning of the man elicited the information that a plan was on foot to waylay Mr. Cousins on his return from the bank last Saturday. Detectives were sent to the scene on Saturday, but probably owing to the man's arrest no one appeared.

Mr. Cousins usually in going to the bank takes one route to the bank and another in returning, but this would not have interfered with the plans of the thugs, who would have probably followed him from the bank after he had drawn the money, some \$4,000.

Some days ago, two strange men were found loitering in one of the halls of the factory and were ordered off the premises. A scissors grinder was also found sharpening a dangerous looking knife in another entrance to the factory. It is now thought the two men were examining the premises while the scissors grinder was used to block the entrance in case of a robbery, and assist in the escape of the robbers.

It is surmised that the robbery was fixed for Saturday last, owing to the fact that the factory is soon to be removed to Brooklyn. Mr. Cousins would no doubt have given the robbers a good fight had he been attacked, but in all probability they would have filled his eyes with pepper and thus had him at their mercy.

### Ridgefield's Historical Relics.

The good people of Ridgefield, this state, are justly proud of the historic associations of their old town. , They stoutly maintain that the Revolutionary war was fought in Ridgefield, and if any evidence of skepticism is detected on the countenance of the wayfarer, they promptly trot out their meadows and pastures and orchards to prove the claim by the bullet holes in the turf or the mounds and depressions of the ground where the war left its scars. Proofs are still accumulating to establish the historic claim. Some workmen last week, on one of the historic farms, dug up a lot of bones, which were promptly conveyed to the village historian and "laid on his table." He adjusted his spectacles, asked as to the precise location where the relics were found, put on his thinking cap and immediately proceeded to remember. After remembering for a few minutes, he distinctly recalled the fact that General Benedict Arnold's horse was shot under him while the Revolutionary war was being fought, at that identical spot, and were buried where it fell. The bones now occupy a show case in the local museum of history in the rear of the village store. But the horns, which were dug up in the same place, were hurriedly buried again.-New Haven Palladium.

### Not Ex-Commissioner Seymour.

The New York papers this morning contained an account of the drowning of William H. Phillips while yachting in Washington yesterday. The account says he was on ex-Commissioner of Patents John S. Seymour's yacht, and that Mr. Seymour was with him.

As Mr. Seymour has no yacht in Washington, and was at his home in this city yesterday, the party referred to is probably Henry A. Seymour, excommodore of the New Haven Yacht club.

### The Mission Closed.

For the past two weeks Mission meetings have been held at St. Mary's church. The first week was devoted to the women members and the last to the men. The Jesuit priests who have had charge of the services have met with a cordial reception and it is fair to say that their visit has proved of great benefit to the society as represented by the large congregations who assembled at the church daily. The mission closed yesterday afternoon.

### A JANUARY WEDDING. A MERCHANT TALKS.

the Happy Event Made in the Month of May.

A Young Man and His Best Girl Surprise Their Friends.

For several months Ernest Knapp employed at the Fox cycle store had been very attentive to Miss Blanche Cavanagh, a daughter of Willis Cavanagh of this city, but no one hereabouts had the slightest suspicion that the twain were man and wife.

To a GAZETTE reporter this morning, the groom blushingly announced the fact that he and the young lady were married last January, "and we have been forgiven" he added.

Ernest is a bright young man although apparently yet in his teens. He seemed to be confident that his voyage on the sometimes tempestuous sea of matrimony, with his helpmeet would be calm and prosperous, and his friends will wish him much joy.

He declined to give the name of the minister who performed the ceremony with a "that don't make any difference to the public, so long as we know it is

### G. A R. ENCAMPMENT.

Colonel Bates Elected Commander at Waterbury Saturday.

The closing session of the Thirtieth annual encampment, department of Connecticut, Grand Army of the Republic was held in Waterbury on Saturday. A vast amount of routine business was transacted and the following officers for the ensuing year were elected:

Department commander, Colonel Gustavus D. Bates of Putnam; senior vice commander, W. C. Hillard of Bristol; junior vice commander, C. M. Scranton, of Derby; department chaplain, Rev. John L. Pitner of Norwich: medical director, Dr. C. H. Colgrove of Willimantic; council of administration, A. R. Crittenden of Middletown, Abel Griswold of Forestville, E. J. Steele of Torrington, W. S. Chase of Milford, E. N. Crocker of New London. Delegates to the national encampment:

Delegate at large, Simeon J. Fox of New Haven; delegates, William E. Quigley of Waterbury, H. F. McKinney of Hartford, N. B. Schenck of Meriden, I. R. Wildman of Derby, S. N. Wadsworth of Unionville and Caleb Wood of South Norwalk.

### Fell Under a Train.

Antonia Molenska, a Pole, living in Worcester, was taken to the New Haven hospital yesterday forenoon with his right leg crushed below the knee. The leg was amputated at the knee joint.

Molenska was walking on the railroad track at West Haven and tried to jump aboard a passing freight train about 6 p. m. He lost his hold on the car and fell under the wheels. The accident was seen by one of the brakemen and the train was backed into New Haven.

### Took Carbolic Acid.

Rose King, well-known in Hartford sporting circles as one of the most beautiful of the demi-mondaine in the state and the wife of a local sporting man, committed suicide last night by taking carbolic acid. She took a room at the Columbia house at 11 o'clock and was found soon after in an unconscious condition. She died in the ambulance on her way to the hospital. The desertion of her husband was the cause of her rash act.

### Their 25th Wedding Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. William E. Montgomery celebrated their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary Saturday evening with a family gathering at which there was almost as much joy as when the Rev. Dr. Mead tied the knot that bound together in a fruitful and prosperous life, Mr. Montgomery and his bride, Miss Maria Brady. The happy couple received many valuable souvenirs of the occasion from friends.

### Calico Ball.

The ladies' Auxiliary, A. O. H. will hold a Calico ball in Lockwood's hall, this evening, and a rich treat is in store for those who are lucky enough to be present. The committee of arrangements is composed of Miss M. E. Fahay, Mrs. J. Mc Namara, Miss A. McAuliffe, Mrs. H. McCarthy and Miss K. Gorman. The other committees are equally an assurance of an evening's pleasure.

-Live Merchants keep their names before the Public. An Advertisement in THE GAZETTE will be read.

The First Announcement of Tells Many Plain Truths About Norwalk Business Affairs.

A Story of a Piece of Dress Goods.

The GAZETTE reporter called on the Boston Store man, this morning, as requested, and obtained another inter-

Tell me the story of your own experience said the scribe.

"Well, one day the wife of a Connecticut statesman called at our store, and handing the clerk at the dress goods counter a sample, asked him if he had any goods that would go with it. 'I can give you the same thing,' replied the clerk. 'Oh no! she replied, 'I bought it in New York. The clerk then informed her that we had the same goods as soon, if not sooner, than the New York stores as it was made in Lawrence, Mass. The chances are we had the goods first.

Your opinion seems to be that if people patronize their own town, it will benefit the people at large. Is that it?

"There can be no doubt of it. If the people spent their money at home, we would have a respectable looking city. I am told that there has not been a business block built here in years. That is a bad record. When we first came here, one of our young lady clerks was away a great deal and I asked her the cause. She said she went to New York to have her teeth attended to. I asked why she did not have the work done here, and she replied that the dentists in Norwalk were not good enough to fill her teeth. It is unnecessary to say she is not employed at our store

Then you insist that your employees buy at home.

"Certainly I do. They get their living here and they must purchase at home else they can't work for us."

Would you discharge an employee that purchased clothing out of town?

"Yes sir, I would. We go farther than that sometimes. 'A party once had insurance on our stock whose wife insisted on purchasing in New York and other places. When the policy expired, we gave it to a more sensible business man. We make our money here and our employees get their living here. We spend our money at home and expect them to do the same."

Have you anything more to say on this question? "Not to-day, but come around again

and I may have something else to tell

### OYSTER "SET" DYING

New Haven Cultivators Very Doubtful of the Outcome.

New Haven oyster cultivators are feeling very doubtful of the outcome of the "set" of young oysters obtained on their beds last season. The "set" was one of the best ever known off New Haven and it was not until this spring that any doubts were entertained that it would yield an excellent crop. A large amount of oysters is now being handled in New Haven each year and therefore the "set" each year is

Within the last few days the oyster growers, or some of them at least, have been talking in a very discouraging manner about the young set. Several of them say it is dying in such numbers as to warrant grave fears if not of severe loss, that it will by no means reach the expectations of the cultivators.

### Postmasters Recommended.

Congressman Sperry has recommended the appointment of three fourthclass postmasters in the Second district as follows: Durham Center, Ernest L. Robinson; North Branford, Mrs. Ralph Beers: Higganum, Clement S. Hubbard. These are all small offices, and there was no special contest over them.

### Found Dead in Bed. -

Catherine Walters, of Bridgeport, wife of John Walters, driver of engine No. 4, was found dead in bed at her home in that city, yesterday morning. For some time, Mrs. Walters has been a sufferer from heart trouble, which no doubt resulted in her death.

### Editor Rodemeyer Apprehensive.

There is a new comet with a long, bushy tail, cavorting about in the heavens now, and no little apprehension is felt, lest it should come into collision with the mysterious air ship which has no tail at all, but gets there just the same.-New Haven Palladium.

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

### A NEW RECTOR.

ish To-night to Extend a Call to a New York Divine.

The Rev. Mr. Bellows of St. James' Parish Said to be the Favored One.

A week ago Sunday night, Rev. Mr. Baldwin, assistant to Bishop Potter, who has been occupying Grace church pulpit since Rev. Mr. Watkins' departure, brought Rev. Mr. Bellows of St. James' church, New York, with him to

At the evening service Mr. Bellows preached a sermon, which greatly pleased the congregation.

It is understood that at the parish meeting to-night it will be decided to extend to a six months call to him.

Mr. Bellows is a young man and reminds many of the Grace church people of their former beloved Rector Mr.

### **BISHOP WILLIAMS' ILLNESS**

Physically Prostrated at his Home in Middletown.

The people of the state and the country will learn with deep regret that Bishop Williams, the head of the Protestant Episcopal church in this state and the oldest Protestant Episcopal bishop in years of consecration, is ill at his home in Middletown, where he is confined to his bed. His condition is one of physical prostration. His mind is clear and he is able to transact diocesan business in his room, even instructing young men of the Berkeley Divinity school, which he founded, at his bedside. The organs of the body perform their regular functions, but he

s too weak to leave his bed. This condition is the cause of the diocesan letter which was read in all the Episcopal churches yesterday. The diocesan convention, which will meet at Waterbury June 8, will probably sit only that day and then adjourn to meet in Hartford or New Haven in about a month, and then choose a bishop-coadjutor as requested in Bishop Williams' letter.

### DOING GOOD WORK.

The Work on the Tunnel Covering Trends to Give Satisfaction.

The work on the new covering of the tunnel is progressing nicely and appartly is being well done. In reply to many questions asked, it may be well to state that the cover so far laid is to receive another covering of planks, laid diagonally over the present new work with a covering of paper between the two that will avert to a great extent the escape of steam and smoke through the seams as in the past. Such work is commemdable on the part of the railroad company.

All of the work so far has apparently been executed in a workmanlike man-

### PERSONAL NOTES.

Dr. J. T. Kennedy spent Sunday with

Fred Brower spent Sunday in New Milford.

his mother in Wallingford. Dr. and Mrs. George N. Miller of New

York city, were in town yesterday.

William Johnson has secured a situation at a summer resort in Danbury. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Force of South Main street, have returned from a visit

with relatives in Newburgh, N. Y. Mr. and Mrs. Nathan E. Peck will celebrate the thirteenth anniversary of their wedding at their home on Cross

street, Monday evening, May 17. Mrs. J. L. Stevens, Miss J. M. Hyatt, Miss Jennie L. Smith and Miss Emma Lynes will attend the State convention of the Daughters of the King in Hartford, on Wednesday.

Mrs. Robert Van Buren spent Sunday in Brooklyn for the purpose of attending the anniversary services at her old church, St. James, of which her father was formerly one of the pillars.

### Foresters' Convention. The grand court of Connecticut, For

esters of America, will hold their ninth annual convention Wednesday next in Allyn hall, New London. Over 170 delegates are expected to be present, and will come from all over the state. The convention will be called to order

### FOR A FIVE CENT FARE SLAVS ARE AT PEACE.

### Meeting of Grace Church Par- Westport People to Have a **Chance of Riding to Roton** Point for Five Cents.

Will the Street Railway Build.

Regular trips every forty minutes are being made to Westport on the new Tramway extension. Yesterday the road was well patronized by churchgoers and others on pleasure bent. Contractor Sheldon expects to finish his work of superintending the macadam work to-morrow. And to-day a person can ride on a car or drive to Westport on a better road than it was ever their fortune to find in past years.

Full connections with the Street Railway system on East avenue have not yet been reached but it is thought that an amicable agreement will soon be concluded, provided the Tramway company does not insist on charging a ten cent fare each way, in which event it is not impossible that the Street Railway will build a line on which the fare from Westport to Roton Point will be but five cents.

It is believed that the Tramway Company will fully appreciate the situation and give their patrons the benefit of low fares and excellent service.

### FRATERNAL NEWS.

Secretaries of fraternal, or secret societies are invited to send to the GAZETTE, the elections of officers and other news pertaining to their lodges to be printed in this column. The names of officers should be brought in on the evening of their election and all other news with equal promptness

The Good Templars met last evening in Cranbury.

Douglas Fowler Post, G. A. R., will meet to-night. Catholic Union Council, K. C. will

neet this evening. The Uncas tribe of Red Men will meet

o-morrow evening. Our Brothers' Lodge, I. O. O. F. will meet to-night for initiatory work.

Butler Chapter, R. A. M., will hold a regular convocation to-morrow evening, at which time the M. M. degree will be conferred.

There was a meeting of the directors of the Catholic club at the club headquarters, yesterday afternoon, at which time matters of importance to the club were discussed.

The Arion society of Bridgeport, will celebrate its second anniversary with a grand concert at its hall, Friday, May 21. The Arion society of New Haven and South Norwalk will assist in the celebration.

### CHURCH SOCIETIES.

There will be a meeting of the vestry of Trinity church to-night.

The annual meeting of the Grace society will take place to-day. The May festival of St. Mary's church

will be held the last of this month.

The Woman's Guild, of Trinity church will meet Tuesday evening. The Knights of the Cross, of Trinity

church, will meet Wednesday evening. There will be a meeting of Bethany

chapter, of Trinity church, on Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock. The Woman's Baptist Foreign Mis-

sionary conference, of southwestern Connecticut, will hold its May meeting with the Baptist church of South Norwalk, on Wednesday of this week.

### "Aunt Ann" Dead.

Aunt Ann L. Selleck a colored woman, known to Norwalk residents for the last half a century, having filled various positions in wealthy Norwalk families, died yesterday, in the 88th year of her

The funeral will be held to-morrow. It may be of interest to some that the cause of the "old lady's "death was senility. 

### Broke Her Arm.

An aged woman known as "Old Mary the good old soul," who has a room in the Dougherty building on Harbor avenue, and who exists by reason of the charity accorded her by the sympathetic neighbors, she having refused to go to the Town Farm, suffered a broken arm Saturday, by falling down a flight of steps. The fracture was reduced by Dr. Baldwin.

### Library Tax.

Those citizens who are said to be kicking against paying their library tax are just the ones to patronize it. A little learning would improve them.

## Priest and Parishioners Agree

### to Work in Harmony. Bridgeport's Church Trouble Over at Last

The trouble that has been going on in the St. John's Slavonian church in Bridgeport, for the past several months, was brought to a final end yesterday afternoon. The trustees of the church and their followers who have opposed Father Pribyl ever since his coming to that city, called on that gentleman yesterday and expressed a willingness to bury the hatchet. A long conference was held at which only the best of friendly feelings existed, and an understanding was arrived at, which will be lived up to, and if they are not, then the members opposed to Father Pribyl will leave the church and build one for .. themselves.

The books have been turned over to Father Pribyl and the same officers reinstated. The hand of good fellowship was extended all around, after which the meeting was adjourned and the men went away happy.

Services were held in the church yesterday and each was largely attended and although a squad of six policemen in citizen's clothes were present to preserve the peace and prevent any trouble that might happen their services were not needed.

Services will be held on the holy days during the week and all the members opposed to Father Pribyl will at-

### FOR SCHOOL CHILDREN.

### A Prize to the First Sending In the Largest Number of Correct Answers.

. Commencing with this issue of the EVENING GAZETTE, a series of rebuses and enigmas will be published each evening expressly for school children of the public and private schools of the

To the one first sending in the largest number of correct answers each week. A Lincoln Fountain Pen with a war ranted solid gold pen and beautiful chased holder will be given. Answers can be handed in at this of-

fice, at the branch office, 12 North Main street, South Norwalk, or sent through the mail.

The winner's name will be announced in the WEEKLY GAZETTE, each week.

### Rebus.

Guess the reason why a man that's old, Oft dons a wig to keep him from a cold: And what it was that Bacchus loved so well,

And fitting waiter had he, so they tell, To hand it round so sparkling, and so bright,
Three-fourths of this unto the first unite,

And you've a person 'neath our Northern clime, Whose feats made London wonder for a

time; Whole multitudes would watch with bated breath, His reckless daring as he challenged

### Enigma.

Death.

II I am a thing that all men know quite And yet my form famed Euclid ne'er could tell.

I, like an ostrich, swallow nails un-chewed, Tho, daily I am filled with flesh and blood.

How great my servitude! since, heavy or light, A load I'm doom'd to bear from morn till night. Nay, more than this, I do affirm 'tis

I bear the porter and his burden too; But when grown old, I am by him for-

saken, Yet go thro' thick and thin to save his bacon.
Thus to the living, I'm a constant slave,
And e'en the dead I bear to the cold

grave.

Of social nature surely you'll decide,

We go in pairs, whether we walk or

### Hung Himself in the Woodshed.

Frederick Shaw, aged sixty-eight, living in the old Shaw homestead on Noroton Heights, near the Soldiers' Home, committed suicide on Saturday, by hanging himself in the woodshed in the rear of his house. His suicide was the result of despondency, caused by poor health.

### Look at Your Tickets.

No. 49,085 is the lucky ticket which drew the bicycle at the Boston Store, Saturday night.

Another bicycle will be given away. next Saturday evening.

-A GAZETTE ad. will pay you.

THE WATCH A COMPASS.

### Way to Ascertain the Points of a Compass From a Timepiece.

Few of the many persons who carry watches are aware of the fact that they are always provided with a compass with which, when the sun is shining, they can determine a north and south line. All one has to do is to point the hour hand to the sun, and the south is exactly half way between the hour and the figure "12" on the watch. For example, suppose it is 9 o'clock in the morning. Follow the rule given above, and we find the south as is indicated below. Prolong this line along the face of the watch and you have a north and south line, and from this any point on the compass may be determined. This may seem strange, but the reason is plain. While the sun is passing over 180 degrees (from east to west) the hour hand of the watch passes over 360 degrees (from 6 o'clock to 6 o'clock). Consequentily the angular movement of the sun in one hour corresponds to the angular movement of the hour hand in half an hour; hence, if holding the watch horizontal, we point the hour hand toward the sun, the line from the pivot of the hands to the point midway between the hour hand and 12 o'clock will point to the south.—Baltimore American.

### New Use For Hemlock.

Last fall the Nekoosa Pulp & Paper Co. of Nekoosa, Wis., began experiments to test the value of hemlock timber for the manufacture of pulp, in contemplation of establishing a plant for the production of sulphite fiber wooden ware. The experiments proved satisfactory and the company began purchasing vast quantities of hemlock logs, paying as low as \$2.10 per 1,000 feet. As a thousand feet weighs about six tons, the material is very cheap. Fully one-half of the hemlock in the northwestern states has been hitherto worthless, but now an immense mar-ket is open for it. The factory is now making good print paper from shaky hemlock logs, which means cheaper paper, cheaper books, cheaper education, cheaper wooden ware, more employment for labor, more freight for railways and an increase of many millions of dollars in the value of timber in Michigan, Wisconsin and Minnesota.-American Agriculturist.

### Where Different Coins Are Made.

It is not generally known that all the minor coins of base metals, such as pennies and nickles, are made at the Philadelphia Mint, and that nearly 100,000,000 pennies are coined there every year. This large number is ocessioned by the fact that thousands of permies are lost annually, and the Government has some difficulty in maintaining a supply. The profit of the Government on their manufacture is large. The blanks for making them are purchased for \$1 a thousand from a Cincinnati firm that produces them by contract. Blanks for nickels are obtained in the same way, costing Uncle Sam only a cent and a half apiece. Gold is coined in Philadelphia and San Francisco. Not enough of it comes into the mint at New Orleans to make the coinage of it worth while. Gold pieces are the only coins of the United States which are worth their face value intrinsically. A double eagle contains \$20 worth of gold without counting the one-tenth part copper .--Scientific American.

### Died Standing.

The incident of Ratisbon—a French officer, though mortally wounded, rides back to Napoleon, reports the capture of the city, and then falls from his saddle, dead—is paralleled by a story of Getrysburg, told by General Dombleday and published in the Chimps Times-Herald:

An officer of the Sixth Wisconsin Regiment walked up to Colonel Bawes, who was in command—Colonel Bragg was in Washington on crutches. The officer was very erect and very pale. Dawes and Double-day both thought he was coming with a report or to receive orders. But he was not. He had a favor to ask.

You tell the folks at home I died as a man and a soldier should?" Then he unbuttened his coat His whole side was shot away. It was his last crefort. He died standing.

### A Surprised Man.

A man from the country was riding west on a Madison street cable car the other day. Pretty soon the conductor called out, "May," stopped the car, and a hady got off. A moment or two after be called "Ann," stopped the car, and two ladies gathered up their bundles and got off. Another block or two, and be called, "Elizabeth," and the same performance was repeated. Then came "Ada," and a woman and child alighted. After a few more blocks he sang out "Faulina," and three ladies left the

The stranger looked on openmonthed, but this was too much for Mim. Clutching the conductor's coat, Me asked:—

"Say, mister, do you know the name of every woman in Chicago and where she wants to get off?"

### In Doubt.

A certain minister who is not always so careful as he ought to be in anaking his teaching and his practice correspond was lately telling some friends a story of adventure. It was a pretty "tall" story, and the minister's ten-year-old little girl was observed to be listening to it very intently. When he finished she fastened her wide-open eyes upon her father's face, and said very gravely: "Is that true, or are you preaching now, papa?"—London Household Words.

### THEY WILL BOLT.

The People of the Norwalks are Vitally interested.

One Case, and There are Others.

There is a large body of bolters in the Norwalks and vicinity.

The movement has been gaining force for some time and has become so powerful that those interested are anxious to declare 'hemselves. They are bolting ancient and useless methods of t eating catairh and hay sever, and they have come over in full force for California Catairh Cure because they have tried it and know its worth. Here are the words from a Norwalk man who has tried many medicines and treatments before he got what he wanted California Catairh Cure he greatest and only known cure for

Mr. Alfrel Platt, 9 Maple street, Norwaik, says: "I have been a greatsufferer from catarrh for over thirty years, having contracted the disease during the war. My whole head seemed full of scabs, and the discharge from the nose and into the throat wassomething awful. My head ached almost continually, and I never got a good night's sleep. I procured a bottle of California Catarrh Cure at Plaisted's drug store, South Norwelk. It has given me more relief than I have had for years; my head is very much improved and I can now sleep all night. It is certainly a great releiver, and I am glad to recommend it Nothing among all the things I tried before helped me one quarter as much in months, as C. C. C. has in a few weeks."

You don't have to wait to find out if it will help you for it relieves at once. To avoid Hay Fever in its season, use G. C. C. now. It is a sure preventive of this and all mucous diseases. Use it to break up your colds, and to prevent colds "hanging on." Price, 50 cents; three times as much for one dollar.

### TARIFF COMMISSION IDEA.

Senator Cullom Gives His Indorsement to the Suggestion.

Washington, May 8.—In reply to inquiries as to his views on the question of creating a permanent tariff commission, Senator Cullom has written the following letter to Samuel B. Archer, secretary of the Tariff Commission league at Newark, N. J.:

"My Dear Sir—You have asked me two or three times whether I have been and am now in favor of a permanent tariff commission. I have for many years thought that there ought to be some means devised by which we could avoid these constant and extreme changes in tariff legislation—first going far in the direction of high tariff, and on the occasion of a change of politics

going as far the other way.

"I believe that through the judicious agency of a permanent tariff commission, composed of experts, statisticians and business men, such changes could be made from year to year by congress as might be indicated and clearly shown to be wise. This would save the necessity of requiring a change of the whole tariff system by whatever party came into power.

"Certainly we cannot continue indefinitely as we have been doing with reference to that subject, because the business of the country will not tolerate it. I hope sincerely that this congress may provide for some kind of a commission which will aid in changing the situation, and I should be glad if an amendment of the kind indicated were to be incorporated in the bill now before the senate, known as the Dingley bill."

Two Injured by a Vicious Horse.

Middletown, N. Y., May 8.—A vicious horse nearly killed Hostler James L. Mulligan of Dr. M. C. Connor's stables. Dr. W. J. Nelson, who ran to Mulligan's assistance, was also kicked in the stomach and back. When Mulligah was finally pulled from under the horse's feet, his leg was broken, and he was found to have sustained other injuries which probably will prove fatal. Dr. Nelson will recover.

Will Fight the L. A. W.

San Francisco, May 8.—The gauntlet thrown down by the national officers of the League of American Wheelmen to the California cyclists who have seceded to form an organization of their own has been taken up with a will, and hereafter it is to be war to the knife.

### Murdered by Tramps.

Milwaukee, May 8.—A farmer named Harris, living five miles south of Waukesha on the Mukwanago road, and his wife and hired girl were murdered by tramps. A hired man succeeded in escaping. The sheriff of Waukesha county has gone to the scene.

One Fireman Killed and Many Injured.
New York, May 8.—John Rheinhardt, a fireman, was suffocated last nightand nearly 50 of his comrades were more or less seriously affected by smoke in attempting to effect his rescue from the cellar of a burning building in Chambers street.

Rosebery's Horse Wins.

London, May 8.—Lord Rosebery's bay filly Chelaudry won the One Thousand Guineas Stakes at Newmarket today. His lordship was specially congratulated, on winning this classic event on the anniversary of his birth.

One Day's Government Receipts.

Washington, May 8. National bank notes received today for redemption, \$407,523; government receipts from internal revenue, \$359.944; customs, \$446,910; miscellaneous, \$29,107.

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 injury as well as the adult. All who try it like it. GRAIN-O has the rich seal brown of Mocha or Java, but it is made from pure grains, and the most delicate stomach receives it without distress. ¼ the price of coffee. 15c. and 25cts. per package. Sold by all grocers.

Jerome Must Pay One Farthing.

London, May 8.—The suit of Fox versus Jerome K. Jerome, the author, was tried and resulted in a verdict in favor of the plaintiff for 1 farthing damages.

## THE EVENING GAZETTE

### CHECKER-BOARD BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

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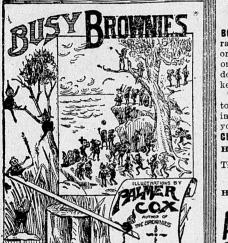
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End Was Hastened by the Death of the Duchesse d'Alencon.

HIS LONG CAREER OF HONOR.

He Was the Son of King Louis Philippe of France and Won Fame as Soldier, Author and Statesman-A Royal-

ist, Though a Patriot.

Paris, May 8 .- News was received here today that the Duc d'Aumale died at Zucco, Sicily, from the shock consequent upon learning of the death of the Duchesse d'Alencon in the Paris

fire. He was 75 years of age.

Sketch of the Duc d'Aumale. Henri Eugene Philippe d'Orleans, Duc d'Aumale, prince of the family of Orleans, was born in Paris on Jan. 16, 1822, and was the fourth son of the late King Louis Philippe and Queen Marie Amelie. He was educated for the army, and in 1840 he accompanied his brother, the Duc d'Orleans, to Algeria and took part in the campaign which From 1842 to 1843 he was again in Algeria, where, at the head of the subdivision of Medeah, he conducted one of the most brilliant campaigns of the war, capturing the camp and all the correspondence of the famous Arab leader, Abd el Kader, together with 3,600 prisoners and an immense amount of treasure, for which he was made a lieutenant general and was appointed to the command of the province of Constantine. He directed the expedition against Biskara in 1844, and in the same year married Marie Caroline Auguste de Bourbon, daughter of Prince Leo-pold of Salerno. She died at Twicken-

ham, England, in 1869. The Duc d'Aumale, in 1847, succeeded Marshal Bugeaud as governor general of Algeria. On receiving the news of the revolution of February, 1848, he resigned his command and joined the exroyal family in England. With his brother, the Prince de Joinville, he protested against the decree banishing his family from France, and afterward resided chiefly in England, devoting him-

self to literary pursuits.

A pamphlet addressed by him Prince Jerome Napoleon Bonaparte, at the beginning of 1861, caused a great sensation and led to a political prose-cution by the French authorities, who condemned the printer and publisher of the pamphlet to a fine and imprisonment. The duke also challenged Prince Napoleon to fight a duel, and the latter's refusal to meet him excited great indignation in France.

Bowed to National Will.

Shortly before the elections for the national assembly in February, 1871, the duke who, during the Franco-Ger-man war had in vain sought permission to serve in the French army, addressed from London a proclamation to the electors of the department of the Oise, in which, while declaring his preference for a constitutional monarchy, he stated his willingness to bow to the national will if a liberal republic were adopted as the form of government. He was successful in his candidature, but did not return to France until after the law banishing the members of the Orleans family was repealed on June 8 of the same year. He took his seat in the assembly on Dec. 19, 1871.

He was elected a member of the

French academy on Dec. 30, 1871, and was nominated a general of division on March 10, 1872. In this capacity he presided over the council of war before for surrendering Metz to the Germans. At the elections for the assembly in February, 1876, he declined to come forward again as a candidate, in order that he might devote his undivided attention to his military duties.

After the passing of the bill of expulsion against the head of his family, the Duc d'Aumale struck off the French army list by the then minister of war, General Boulanger, and he withdrew from France. Soon after he had left the country it was discovered that he had given his beautiful Chauteau de Chantilly, with all the priceless treasures it contained, to the Institute of France in trust for the French nation. The decree of banishment was revoked in March, 1889, and he returned to Chantilly, in which he had reserved a life interest for him-self. During the same month he was elected president of the French Academy for three months. He was elected a member of the Academy of Fine Arts in 1880 and in 1891 received the degree of D. C. L. from Oxford. The first two volumes of his "History of the Princes of the House of Conde" appeared in 1869, and the fifth volume appeared in

The Guileless Chartered Company. London, May 8.-The South African

committee of the house of commons, which is inquiring into the Transvaal raid, had another session today. The Duke of Abercorn, president of the Chartered Company of British South Africa, was examined. He said the board of directors of the company had no knowledge whatever of the raid before it occurred.

Holocaust Victims, Perhaps.

Easton, Pa., May 8.-The officials of the National Switch and Signal company, whose big works are located are clarmed for the safety of President Oakleigh Thorne and Mrs. Thorne, who have been in Europe for some time. They were due at Paris on Monday and were to have visited the charity bazaar.

A Murderer Hanged.

Indianapolis, May 8.—A special from Michigan City, Ind., says: Henry Jones, colored, a convict of the Indiana state prison, was hanged in the prison early today for the murder of a fellow convict named Thomas Jones, who tes-tified against him in the trial which resulted in his last sentence to prison.

London, May 8.-Thomas Wood was sentenced at the central criminal court fraudulently advertising loans. Wood, it was shown at the trial, has previously served ten years penal servitude in

Middletown, N. Y., May 8.-John Clark, formerly a prominent merchant at Port Jervis, was killed by a train at Pond Eddy.

### THERE ARE OTHERS,

Plenty of Them. But so different, I ocal Proof is What Norwalk People Want.

There are a great many of them. Every paper has its share. Statements hard to believe harder to

Statements from far away places. What people say in Maine. Public expression from California. Oft-times good indorsement there. But of little service bere at home. Norwalk people want local proof The sayings of neighbors, friends and

itizens. Home indorsement counts. It disarms the skeptic; is beyond dis-

This is the backing that stands behind. Every box of Doan's Kidney Pills;

here is a case of it. Mr. Daniel S. Osterbank, No. 23 Bel-den Avenue says: "I am seventy-seven years old and a mill wright by trade. In my vounger days I worked very bard and for years I have been troubled

with kidney and bladder complaint. My back ached so severely at times I could not move and I was compelled to get up often at night to urinate and lost a great deal of sleep. I tried medicines and plasters but they would not cure me. I saw Doan's Kidney Pills ad-vertised and I got a box at Hale's. They were just the thing for my trouble. I have every reason to think that they are just what the manufacturers claim for them. They have made me sound and well."

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The Terror In Collision.

Washington, May 8. — Commander Harrington of the monitor Terror has notified the navy department that his vessel was in collision Wednesday with the steam yacht Penelope in New York harbor. The damages to the Terror were insignificant.

MOTHERS FIND NOTHING EQUAL

TO DR. HAND'S COLIC CURE. Waterbury, 4-2-'97—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 it. 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." All druggists, 25c.

Weyler at Manicaragua.

Havana, May 8.—Captain General Weyler arrived at Manicaragua, prov-ince of Santa Clara, from San Juan de Las Yeras, having left the latter place yesterday by special train with a small

MOTHER, HAVE YOU A BABY? If so, get from your druggist to-day for 25c., a bottle of Dr. Hand's Colic Cure. Every baby often has distressing colic. Dr. Hand's Colic Cure gives immediate relief by removing wind from the stomach and quieting the nerves, giving restful sleep. Mother, think of the worry and anxiety this saves you. If your baby is teething, Dr. Hand's Teething Lotion for 25c. soothes and relieves all pain. Sold by

For the Postal Congress.

Washington, May 8.-The president today approved the joint resolution of congress appropriating \$50,000 for the expenses of the congress of the Universal Postal union.

GREAT TRIUMPH.

Instant relief and a permanent cure by the great remedy, OTTO'S CURE for Throat and Lung diseases. Why will you irritate 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. Sample free. Large bottles 50c and 25c.

Fatal Fall From a Window.

Portland, Me., May 8.—Charles A. Brown, president of the Umbagog and Androscoggin Pulp company and a prominent business man, fell from a second story window at his home today and was killed.

GLAD TIDINGS.

The grand specific for dyspepsia, liver complaint, rheumatism, costiveness, general debility, etc., is BACON'S CELERY KING, for the nerves. This great herbal tonic stimulates the digestive organs, regulates the liver and restores the system to vigorous health and energies. Sample free. Large packages 50c and 25c. Sold only by Edward P. Weed. Norwalk, and Geo. C. Stillson, South Norwalk.

Gold For Europe,

New York, May 8.-Lazard, Freres & Co. have ordered gold bars from the assay office for their \$1,000,000 shipment.

Albany, May 8.—The governor has signed the bill for a graded reduction in the price of gas in New York city.

SAVE YOUR LIFE. By using "THE NEW GREAT SOUTH AMERICAN KIDNEY CURE." new remedy is a great surprise on account of its exceeding promptness in relieving pain in the Kidneys, Bladder and Back in male or female. It reliewes retention of water, and pain in passing it almost immediately. Save yourself 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. Weed, Druggist, Norwalk, Conn.

London, May 8. - James Theodore Bent, the well known traveler and author of works of travel, is dead.

New York's Canals Open. Albany, May 8.—The entire system of state canals will be opened for traffic ESTIMATES OF REVENUE.

Republicans of the Senate Furnish Fig-

ures to the Democrats. Washington, May 10 .- The Republican members of the senate committee on finance has furnished the Demo cratic members of the committee with estimates of the committee with estimates of the revenue to be derived from the tariff bill as prepared by them and as compared with the house bill and the McKiniey and Wilson laws together, with statements showing a comparison of rates of duty reduced to

ad valorem figures.

The estimates of revenue and importations are given on each item separately, but no computation as to the general volume is made either for the entire bill or for the individual sched ules. A rough calculation of the esti mates given on the importations sugar indicates a probable total about \$90,000,000 of duty as compared with a probable total of about \$50,000 000 as provided by the house bill. There is no estimate of the amount of dutto be derived from either tea or hides or wool as a whole, all of which are taken from the free liss.

In the metal schedule there is a reduction on beams, girders, etc., the sen-ate rate being 37.36 per cent against 45.44 in the house and McKinley bills and 50 per cent in the Wilson law. The rate on penknives valued more than 50 cents per dozen and not more than \$1 per dozen is 111 per cent as compared to 54.60 per cent under the Wilson law and 69.17 per cent under the McKinley law; railway wheels, senate bill, 41.40; house bill, 53.33; Wilson bill, 41.40; McKinley law, 83.73.

A Religo-Scientific Congress. Chicago, May 10 .- The Hon. Charles

C. Bonney, who was president of the World's Fair Religious congress, has received a formal invitation to a ligo-scientific congress to be held at Stockholm from Aug. 31 to Sept. 4 in connection with the exhibition of art and industry in celebration of the twenty-fifth anniversary of the reign of King Oscar.

Big Strike Probable.

McKeesport, Pa., May 10.—The strik-ers of the finishing and puddling de-partments of the National Tube works have been strengthened by the Amai gamated Association of Iron and Stee Workers. During the past week more than 1,000 of the 2,500 men have been got into the association, and a general strike of the employees may take place.

Cincinnati, May 10 .- A special to Time Commercial-Tribune from Jacksonville, Fla., says: "The legislative investigating committee has found State Treasurer Collins short \$50,000 and has demanded his impeachment and immediate retirement from office. prominent people are mixed up in this

Lost Fishermen Rescued.

Gloucester, Mass., May 10.-Captain Henry A. Calder of the schooner Edward A. Perkins, who has arrived here from the grand banks, reports that he picked up George Frost and Cornelius Murphy of the crew of the fishing schooner Mystery. The men went astray in their dory and had been afloat 72 hours without food or water.

Lambeth Rope Company Solvent.

New Bedford, Mass., May 10.-A meeting of the creditors of the Lambeth Rope company was held at the office of Knowlton & Perry, and the affairs of the corporation as shown by the expert. Mr. Parker, who has been looking into the books, were fully discussed. The officials stated that the corporation was fully solvent.

Governor Wolcott Criticised.

Boston, May 10.-The Dorchester Ministers' union has prepared a letter addressed to Governor Wolcott, in which they not only criticise his recent decision in regard to the removal of Genpolice commission of Boston, but also vigorously dissent from his findings in

Pennsylvania and Harvard Draw.

Cambridge, Mass., May 10.—Pennsylvania and Harvard fought each other to a tie on Holmes' field in their annual athletic games, each team scor ing a total of 56 points. Although there were no records broken, the marks were fast almost without exception, and ev ery event was very closely contested.

Rochester, May 10.—A receiver was appointed to settle the affairs of the Rochester Dental Manufacturing company. The company's capital stock is \$30,000. Besides manufacturing dental and surgical supplies the company publishes The Odentographic Dental Jour-

Despondency and Suicide.

Noroton, Conn., May 10.—Frederick Shaw, aged 68, who lived all his life in the old Shaw homestead on Noroton heights, committed suicide by hanging himself in a woodshed in the rear of his house. He had been despondent of late because of poor health.

King of Siam Makes a Precedent.

Washington, May 10.—Minister Bar-rett has informed the department of state that the king of Siam has appointed the queen to act as regent during his absence, assisted by a council of regency, a step unprecedented under the present dynasty.

Carriage Builders Assign.

New Haven, May 10 .- The firm of E. Manville & Co., well known carriage manufacturers of this city, has made an assignment. J. B. Manville, one of the partners, said that the failure was virtually due to their Chicago venture.

A Crevasse Near Baton Rouge. New Orleans, May 10.-A crevasse is

reported at Burton's sawmills, below Baton Rouge, and the break is now 30 feet wide. It is thought the crevasse will be closed.

Frank Pierce a Suicide.

Honeoye Falls, N. Y., May 10.— Frank K. Pierce, aged 50, of North Bloomfield, committed suicide by hanging himself in the garret of a nour

The Yantic Coming Home.

Washington, May 10.-The Yantic has arrived at Bahai, Brazil, home ward bound.



Many a nervous woman sits up all the night and tries to read herself sleepy. Nine to one she don't accomplish her purpose. Nine to one, she gets more and more nervous. The slightest sound strikes terror to her heart. The dark corners of the room contain a thousand frights. She doesn't know what she is afraid of, but she is afraid, actually, honestly, nervously, abjectly afraid. Healthy women are not cowards. If a woman is nervous and sleepless and afraid of the rustle of her own dress, there is something the matter with her. The most delicate nerves in her body are set on edge by weakness or disease. Nine-tenths of the nervousness, irritability and bad temper is women is merely a symptom of ill healthill health of the delicate and sensitive organism that makes her a woman. If she is overworked, or over-worried, the effect will show itself there first. There is no use taking harmful and deadly narcotics for nervousness and sleeplessness. It will leave the body in a worse condition than it was before. The way to effect a cure is to cure the cause. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription will do it. It has cured tens of thousands of cases of female weakness and nervousness. It is a most wonderful invigorating nervine or nerve food. It brings sound healthy sleep and restores the glow and bloom of health. It is the only medicine ing nervine or nerve food. It brings sound healthy sleep and restores the glow and bloom of health. It is the only medicine now before the public for woman's peculiar ailments, adapted to her delicate organization by a regularly graduated physician—an experienced and skilled specialist in these maladies. It cannot do harm in any condition of the system. Its sales exceed the combined sales of all other medicines for women.

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MONDAY, MAY 10, 1897.

### Ourselves.

THE EVENING GAZETTE appears to day in a new dress of type, and its makeup somewhat changed from the former style. Hereafter news items will be classified under "Personal Notes," "Church Societies," "Fraternal News," etc., and the old method of running all the local news in headless paragraphs will be discontinued.

A directory of "Societies," "Associations," etc., "Churches," "Physicians and Surgeons," "Norwalk and South Norwalk Police and Fire Departments' has also been compiled and inserted on another page, which will be found of value to patrons and visitors in town.

Another important feature is a "School Children's" column, in which will be published rebuses and enigmas, for which a prize is offered for the first and largest number of correct solutions. This, too, will no doubt prove interesting to the children and assist them in passing a pleasant evening at home.

In addition to the above, an East Norwalk correspondent has been added to the force and another at South Norwalk, thus giving greater facilities for

From time to time new and interesting features will be added, thus keeping the Evening Gazette always at the

### Altgeld's Legacy - A Bankrupt State.

A pretty legacy, says the New York Herald, the recent Altgeld administration has bequeathed to the people of Illinois—a bankrupt Commonwealth. In debt up to the constitutional limit, it can legally borrow no more, and after the middle of July it will have no funds until it collects the taxes in April, 1898. Thus the regime of the free silver Governor-"the people's friend"bids fair to leave the luckless creditors of the state and a vast army of unfortunate employees without their pay for three-quarters of a year. Probably some of the hated "goldbugs," however, will display sufficient public spirit to advance the needed money, or some bank which refused to lend its funds to the free coinage Governor and kept itself solvent. The people of Illinois are not so well off as they were before they put Altgeld and his associates in control, but they know more.

### The Grape Seed Scare.

In conversation with a GAZETTE representative some time since, Medical Examiner, Dr. W. C. Burke, Jr., of South Norwalk, stated that in all of Danbury Trust company, and his bride, were in town yesterday receiving consisted in for appendicitis, he had never yet found a grape or other seed.

The idea that fruit seeds are the cause of appendicitis is also thoroughly exploded by Dr. George E. Abbott of California, in a letter to The New York Medical Record. Dr. Abbott while in the El Cajon valley, which is noted for its graperies, gave special attention to the town tax for the next year ought the effect of grape seeds on those who eat them freely and daily during their season. In this valley of 2,000 people and 150 school children he found that all children and all adults for three months of the year eat grapes and guavas by the pound and they eat them many times a day. They constitute a staple article of food at the table and they are taken for lunch. Dr. Abbott selected an average sized bunch of the Muscat grapes, found by actual count that the average number of seeds in each grape was three or four, and ninety-five grapes in a bunch.

In an examination of a saucer of gauvas he found 433 seeds, varying from the size of a pin head to the size of a grape seed and all as hard as a stone. Nobody in El Cajon valley was ever silly enough to stop and extract the seeds of the grape or gauva before played an exciting game of ball on Satswallowing the pulp. He talked with urday, the latter winning by a score of school boys and school girls, and they acknowledged with a twinkle in their eyes that they are grapes until they could not "get another one down," and they never heard of extracting the seeds. It is the doctor's conviction that every school child in the valley he visited swallows from 100 to 300 grape seed daily for at least three months in the year.

In a conversation with Dr. C. M. Johnson, formerly a New York state physician, who has been practicing his profession in the El Cajon valley for years, he learned that there had never been a case of appendicitis in that valley. Thinking that possibly the doctor had treated the disease under some other name, he asked him if there had ever been a case of peritonitis, and also

received a negative reply. This demonstrates that the stories told as to small fruit seeds being the cause of appendicitis, so prejudical to the fruit business, were pure inventions, without a reliable fact to rest upon. The lovers of such fruit need not avoid eating it for fear of consequences. Grapes and other hard seeded fruits are nourishing and healthy, and properly used in no way contribute to the distress of the human family.

### PROPHET IN TOWN.

He Writes a Letter Containing Happenings in Norwalk in 1907.

The GAZETTE is in receipt of the fol lowing letter written by "Prophet" in 1907, which contains happenings in town copied from the GAZETTE published at that time. As the events which are to occur ten years hence will no doubt prove interesting at the present time, we take pleasure in publishing

NORWALK, CONN., MAY 10, 1907. DEAR LEO:—Your letter asking me to tell about Norwalk and its people, was received. Since you went away things have changed here very much and for the better, not because you left town but because the repressibles died and gave way to irrepressibles. Today's GAZETTE gives a good deal of news and I have clipped out a lot of items and paste them on this, as they tell the story better than I can. I omit the

headlines and enclose the following: Frank Merrill and his bride, who left town yesterday on the airship "Flying Cloud," reached Chicago this noon.

The elevator in the City Hall has

The Weston Motor Wagon line has added a freight wagon to its equipment. Through the generosity of an anonymous donor, 10,000 volumes will soon be added to the Public Library.

The Norwalk Manufacturing company shipped away ten car loads of goods this week. Their pay roll carries nine hundred and forty-two names. It was a great day for Norwalk when the establishment bought the Fair

Fred Ambler rode to Bridgeport yesterday inside of twenty-three minutes on his new electric bicycle.

Grounds.

Two track repairers were badly shocked yesterday by coming in contact with the third rail on the Consolidated

Samuel Lynes and wife will spend the summer at Lake Waramaug.

We learn with pleasure that our old friend, ex-Judge James T. Hubbell, will receive the nomination for Congress-man in the Seventh California district, on a sound money platform, at the coming convention.

The motor on the drawbridge be-ween Dorlon Point and Peach Island broke down yesterday, delaying the electric cars two hours.

Attorney John J. Walsh went out on his yacht, "Bertha Blackstone," and caught a five floot shark, yesterday.

John Rodemeyer, president of the gratulations of old friends.

Henry Goldman, a New York banker, is to build a \$50,000 residence on the

Lawyer George A. Honnecker succeeds John H. Light as City Attorney of South Norwalk.

The last lot on the "Elephant Barn" lot was sold yesterday. Over six houses have been built on this tract.

Selectman Selleck announces that not to exceed three mills, as the revenue from license, broken stone and rem of the road roller will be larger han ever before.

Hon. James W. Maples and the member from Barkhamstead had a spirited colloquy in the legislature yesterday. The member from Norwalk was opportunity no the anti-cartoon bill which Barkhampsted man thought ought to pass, as he claimed that poor pictures were worse than bad English and poor grammar. Mr. Maples, senior, was seated close to his son and handed him a written suggestion which the honora ble member used to advantage.

These are about all the items I thought might interest you. From them you will see that the old town is not standing still. I will try and see that you get the papers more frequently. Yours truly,

PROPHET. To the Hon. Leo Davis, Governor of Alaska.

### SILVER MINE.

The Silver Mines and Broad Rivers 9 to 7. Batteries Clune and James, Mc-Quillan and Bedell.

About \$30 has been subscribed for the Silver Mine ball club and new uniforms and players will be secured.

Henry F. Guthrie is very ill at his home here. A specialist came up from New York last week to attend him.

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

' NANSEN'S ENDURANCE.

Seemingly a Man of Iron Constitution and Born to bo an Arctic Explorer.

Dr. Nansen seems to have been born and bred for arctic exploration. The strength and hardihood which were his by birth were developed and confirmed by the robust austerity of his early training. One reads of his habit of swimming in the evening in the coldest pools of the Froguer River that ran by the door of his father's house, and is no less astonished at the story of his plunge in the sea in pursuit of his kayaks in the extreme north, and of his endurance of the various cold baths he got in fights with bears and walruses. The man who put his wet and frozen foot-coverings in his bosom to thaw out and dry at night while he slept with his companion in a bag was an extraordinarily tough person, with an astonishing physique hardened by Spartan exercises. In his teens, he says, he used to go off on lonely expeditions in the great Frogner woods, and be gone alone for weeks at a time. "I disliked," he says, "to have any equipment for my expeditions. I managed with a crust of bread, and broiled my fish on the embers. I loved to live like Robinson Crusoe there in the wilderness."

### John Reid's Office Boy.

When John C. Reid was managing editor of the New York Times he had an office boy whore nerve was colossal. One day the boy entertained in the reception room a waiting visitor whose patronizing way nettled him. All kinds of questions were fired at him, and, finally, he was asked how much he earned a week. His reply was "\$50."

At that moment the visitor was summoned by Reid, to whom he related his experience with an office boy who said he made \$50 a week.

Reid rang bell. Enter boy. "Did you tell this gentleman that you made \$50 a week here?"

"I did not tell him any such thing." "What!" exclaimed the gentleman. "You mean to say you didn't tell me a moment or two ago that you made \$50 a week?"

"Never said any such thing." "Why, you little liar! You-"

"What did you tell the gentleman?" put in Reid.

"I told him I earned \$50 a week, but you pay me only \$3."

When the visitor had taken leave of the office, Reid raised the boy's salary to \$6.-New York Press.

Mr. Toole, the English comedian, whose love of a joke is known to every. body, went recently into a barber's shop to get shaved, and, finding the barber out, he determined to have a little fun before his return. So he took off his coat, put on a thinner one and quietly waited for a customer. An old gentleman came in soon.

"Shave, sir?" said our pretended barber.

The old gentleman took a chair, and Toole began to lather, expecting every moment the barber would appear.

Five minutes passed, and no barber. Five more, still no barber. The joker began to get desperate, and conceived a bright idea. Putting up his brush, he quickly changed his coat again, took his hat, and was about to quietly slip out behind the gentleman's back, when that worthy turned his head and ex-

"Here, sir, aren't you going to shave

"No, sir," promptly replied Toole "The fact is, we only lather here, sir, They shave four doors below."

### Taking Him Down.

Mr. Irving tells a good story of his early days-albeit at his own expense. He was playing "Hamlet" one evening, when he observed in the front row of the pit, an old lady dissolved in tears. Highly flattered, he sent an attendant to say that he would like to see her after the performance. When they met, Mr. Irving was graciousness itself.

"Madame," he said, "I perceive that my acting moved you?"

"It did that, sir," said the old woman. 'You see, sir, I've got a young son myself play-acting somewhere up in the North an' it broke me all up to think that maybe he wasn't no better at it than you, sir."

### Two Women Ph. D.'s.

Two American women, Miss Alice Luce, of Maine, and Miss Ida J. Hyde, of Chicago, have conferred a benefit upon their sisters by opening another foreign university to them. They have AT HOME. recently received the degree of Ph. D., each magnum cum laude, from the University of Heidelberg.—American Woman's Home Journal.

### A Palatable Medicine.

A lady has been lecturing in Boston in favor of a larger consumption of onions, taking as a motto the saying: Tat onions in May, and all the year atter physicians may play." It is a inple remedy, and the lecturer adsed its use, through all the other enths, regardless of odoriferous comeations.-New Haven Union.

### Doubtless.

Tempuppe-Dear me! That medicine akes me feel horrible. Vrs. Jumpuppe-Don't think of it.

". Cet it off your mind. impurpe-I think it would make . f(ei more comfortable to get it off

y stonach.—Truth. ink and Vinegar from Banana Peel.

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LOUNSBURY. In Stamford, May 7, Seth H. Lounsbury, aged 75 years. NOONAN. In Stamford, May 8, Ellen Noonan, aged 50 years.

SULLIVAN. In Bridgeport, May 9, Mary Sullivan, aged 57 years

WALTERS. In Bridgeport, May 9, Mrs. John Walters, aged 49 years.

BASSETT. In Danbury, May 8, Mary J., wife of John Basset, aged 45 years. SELLECK. In Norwalk, May 9th, Ann L Selleck, in the 88th year of her

### TO RENT.

Mrs. Frederick Delden, on the Green.
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SOUTH NORWALK FIRE DEPART-MENT.

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ton, S. N.

### LOCAL AND OTHER NEWS.

Mrs. James Mitchell is seriously ill at her home on Cliff street.

The Criminal Common Pleas court will open in Danbury to-morrow and probably adjourn to Bridgeport.

The funeral of the late John Jarvis was attended this afternoon at 3 o'clock from his late home on upper Main

Councilman E. L. Boyer has leased a house in Ridgefield and will remove his family to that healthful locality this

The funeral of Helen Augusta, widow of the late Hon. David M. Read will take place at the family residence in Bridgeport this afternoon.

The road roller will be set at work on Newtown avenue to-morrow and kept there until such time as the work on the same is completed.

The sign on the corner drug store which for some months has been mistaken for a picture of a local and popular physician has been removed.

The funeral of Hazel Viola Paul, the 16 months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Paul was attended in New Canaan yesterday, Norwalk relatives being present.

Having severed my connection with A. Goldberg, I am prepared to furnish my old customers with the latest styles in spring millinery. Mrs. Fawcett, 115

A water pipe burst in the kitchen of A. H. Camp's residence, on North avenue, Saturday night, and considerable water was wasted on the floor before being shut off.

The Pioneers and Hope Hose will play their annual game of ball on Decoration Day. The Hopes will hold a special meeting to-morrow night to arrange for the game and their team.

### -Advertise in THE GAZETTE.

-Prof. M. S. Rosen, the well-known oculist optician, can be consulted at his office in the parlor of the City Hotel, South Norwalk, Tuesdays, from 9 a. m. to 8 p.m. Eyes examined free.

Deputy Sheriff Lyon was in this city this morning with "papers to serve," but concluded there was nothing to be gained and let the parties upon whom the papers were issued severely alone.

Thomas F. Clune of this city will be in the pitchers box for the Victors of Bridgeport in the base ball game at that city. Thursday between the Victors and Derby's. It will be his first base-ball work of the season.

Coroner Doten went to Danbury Saturday and held an inquest on the death of H. W. Sturges the bicyclist who was accidentally killed there the night previous in a collision. The coroner found that death was due to accident.

In yesterday's base ball match between members of Co. F and the Arctics, the latter won by a score of 15 to 3. The batteries were Buttery and and McKay for the former and Dowd and Whitlock for the Arctics. The Arctics made six home runs.

### -Advertise in THE GAZETTE.

A number from Grace church went to New York on Saturday, to see Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Watkins depart on their long journey abroad. A committee from St. Andrews Brotherhood presented Mrs. Watkins with a floral tribute of a basket of beautiful flowers.

Members of the firm of E. S. Greeley & Co., assigned, manufacturers of railroad and telegraph supplies, of New York city, of which firm General E. S. Greeley of New Haven is the senior partner, have discovered indications that a defalcation has been committed.

At one time this morning there were twenty-seven men, three women, two dogs and a cat standing on the Wall street bridge watching Commodore Charles Riley who was swung in a boatswain's chair over the rapids that rushed under the bridge, placing a sign on the west wall of the corner drug store.

Never before has the pigments as laid on with plastic brush in deft hands created such a change in the appearance of a building as at the residence of Major G. M. Holmes on Main street. White and green predominate, and the "metamorphosis" is as startling as it is pleasing.

### Tobacco Goes Up In Smoke.

Wilson, N. C., May 10.-Fire destroy-Flemming, destroying \$70,000 worth of tobacco. The loss on the building is \$15,000. The stock and building were partially insured.

### State Treasurer's Son Weds.

New York, May 10.—George Randall Swain, son of State Treasurer Swain of New Jersey, and Miss Florence Harriet Joy were married at Newark, N. J., Rev. Dr. Baker of Wilmington, Del., officiating.

### Fatal Jump From a Train.

Amherst, Mass., May 10.-William Planker of Northampton jumped from a freight train at the Boston and Maine depot and was instantly killed. The body was frightfully mangled.

### SOUTH NORWALK.

Branch Office of GAZETTE No. 12 North Main Street

-Lane's ice cream is pure. a 2 tf. The interior of the residence of Mrs. Sarah Selleck is being repainted.

Water and a telephone have been placed in the Knob club house.

The employees at the Norwalk Iron Works are taking a vacation. The bids for the new post office in

this city will be opened to-morrow. Max Krause, the janitor at Arion

hall, will be given a benefit on the 24th. The Crofut & Knapp upper hat manifactory will not re-open until Wednes-

William Armstrong took a trolley ride to Stamford in uniform yesterday, and felt as proud as a new trunk check.

The concert given in Arion hall last evening was chock full of melody and the music was well selected for the oc-

The town road roller will probably again be brought into service on the city streets next week, at a cost of \$12 per day.

John Toothill "subbed" for Captain Gladstone Saturday night, while the latter was arresting a squall on Wood-

□-Full line of Fish, Fruit and Vegetables, and free delivery at Frye's Washington bridge market.

The work on the Trowbridge box factory is progressing rapidly, and ere many weeks the employees will be back in their old quarters.

Watch for Frye the butcher's new advertisement. The prices announced will startle and surprise you, and at the same time give you great pleasure.

Rev. Dr. Beard's subject at the Congregational church yesterday was Backbone." A feature of the service was the rendition of two violin solos by Mr. Jesse Hopson and Miss Agnes Littlejohn.

Dr. D. W. Hart preached in the Baptist church, yesterday. Mr. Hart is located in Wilton and that place is to be congratulated on the fact of having so able a gentleman within its environments. Our Baptist minister preached in that place yesterday and it is safe to say gave eminent satisfaction.

Captain Gladstone appeared on duty vesterday looking as fine as silk. He had a neat fitting new summer uniform that set his figure off to perfection. This was not all that made the Captain look so happy, however, as he had been presented by Mrs. Gladstone on Saturday evening with a bright little daughter weighing nearly eleven pounds.

-Special sale of corned beef this week, and a special sale of chickens and lambs at Frye's Washington street bridge and Railroad Place markets.

Annie, the wife of Henry McKeever, became intoxicated Saturday afternoon and going to the home of her parents in the vicinity of Whistleville proceeded to make things lively. An officer was sent for and Constable Goodwin responding the rum-crazed woman was, after some difficulty, the use of handcuffs and a horse and wagon being found necessary, landed in the station-house. Her clothing was somewhat torn in the scuffle of her arrest, but whole garments were provided and this morning she appeared in court in quite a presentable

The new soldiers monument to be placed in the triangular park near the Congregational church will be seven feet square at its base, above the base will be a column of highly polished granite, with the inscription, "Erected by Douglas Fowler Post, No. 48, G. A. R., and the citizens of South Norwalk, in memory of her loyal sons, 1861-1865. This will be surmounted with the lifesize figure of a soldier. The monument will be about eighteen feet high. It will be a very attractive addition to the park, and a credit to the G. A. R.

-H. C. Frye will open a branch market on Washington street bridge, May 11th. A New York meat cutter will be in charge. Frank Hanford the cele-brated fish handler has also been en-

At Trinity church yesterday the pastor, Rev. Frederick W. Norris conducted the services. In the morning a large number of the parishioners were in attendance and a letter from the Rt. Rev. John Williams bishop of the Connecticut diocese was read. In it, the bishop expressed his regret that he could no longer attend to the arduous duties of his office, owing to failing health, and laid the situation plainly before the people. The bishop desires a conference of the clergy to be held in the near future at which time a selection of a coadjutor will be made. After the reading of the bishop's letter Mr. Norris preached an eloquent sermon taking for his text "I am the Good Shepherd, I lay down my life for my Sheep." There is a sweet and tender lesson always to be drawn from this passage and it is needless to say that Mr. Norris extracted some of the most touching illustrations of the life of the Divine Master. The music was exceptionally good.

Jonunarum. Why are chickens invariably liberal? -Because they give a peck when they

take a grain.

### What the GAZETTE Would Like to See.

Landlord Walz shoot a pistol. The street commissioners ride over the city streets of South Norwalk on

The red cars run to Roton Point.

The people of Norwalk buy at home. The paving of Wall street com-

A new hotel and opera house in Nor-

A yellow journalism editor tell the truth.

Chief Vollmer capture the South Norwalk burglars. Company A the finest organization in

More industries brought into town.

A good base ball club in town. A grand firemens' parade when the Pioneer boys get their new truck.

Merchants place their advertisements in the GAZETTE where they will be

No license saloons closed.

The white cars washed or painted. The throwing of papers into the treet stopped.

New hose purchased for the South Norwalk fire department. More hustle and less talk about hard

The gang of loafers infesting Adams Bros. market corner at night driven off by the police.

Readers of the GAZETTE are invited to offer suggestions for this column.

### FEMININE CHAT.

The postal card may be a convenience but it is certainly very bad form.

Crying never does a bit of good, but it seems to be a great relief at times. Bright red neckties with white polka dots are much beloved by the summer

Why is it you always expect a stout person to be good natured?

The apple orchards are like gorgeous bridal bouquets.

The summer girl's belt gives her more worry than any other portion of

The caterpillar will soon be making its furry presence known, to the anguish of the gentle summer maiden.

The woman who goes to market without buying at least one bunch of posies can be said to have a soul above temp-

Afternoon card parties at the Knob, followed by a planked shad dinner, would be especially delightful functions at this season.

Lilies of the valley are in high favor with brides and debutantes. The front porch will soon be the ren-

dezvous for youthful lovers. The woman who desires to keep her

neck plump should not wear too tight a Do not kiss any one through a veil. It is said to be a sure sign of a deceitful

The fashion of the smooth face continues to increase, and moustaches are daily sacrificed to a fad which is not so well adapted to every man as a great many men evidently think. The style came from England which may account for its seeming popularity.

### Bicycle Tires.

Never of a Sunday were there more wheelmen out than yesterday.

P. Skidd met with an accident on his wheel yesterday and was towed home by "Billy" Gunther.

There were several bicycles wrecked yesterday, and the unfortunates found relief in many cases at the Saunders'

J. L. Wallace and George A. Mc-Guery wheeled from Danbury to South Norwalk yesterday and remained over night in that city.

Thirty-five wheelmen from Stamford passed through South Norwalk en route to Bridgeport yesterday. Several of the members met with severe accidents, in some cases the services of a physi- | found its way to the merchant's countcian being necessary to dress the

Thomas O'Brien received a badly scraped arm and face by being thrown advertising of this curious luxury. from a bicycle while wheeling to

### EAST NORWALK.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert V. Carr spent Sunday in Stamford with Mrs. Carr's brother, Edward Tichenor, of that place.

The services in the East avenue M.E. church yesterday were well attended. The new order of worship adopted by the last general conference made a slight change in the services. In the evening the pastor, Rev. A. J. Smith, exchanged pulpits with Rev. F. E. Robbins of the Norwalk Baptist church.

The frame of Platt Beers new house on Cottage avenue is being raised today. L. W. Doty has the contract for the carpenter work.

The Epworth League prayer and praise meeting of the M. E. church, will be led this evening by Frank Merriam. After the meeting a short business session will be held.

along Riverside avenue, Saturday afternoon punctured the tire of his bicycle. Mrs. E. W. Godfry of Rowayton, is visiting Mrs. Charles L. Ainsworth of

Harry Ainsworth while wheeling

Cottage avenue. TACOMA'S EARLY MONEY. Money that Passed as Well as Though

Stamped with Uncle Sam's Fiat. Tacoma once had a mint that coined all of the money in circulation where the City of Destiny now stands.

Back in the early seventies the Ta coma Mill Company, not being able to handily secure gold and silver for use in trading with and paying off the Indian laborers and early settlers, hi upon the novel plan of issuing their own currency, and to this end set their blacksmith to work to fashion for them, out of scraps of iron and brass pieces of money, or rather tokens which could be used as a circulating medium. The pieces consisted of 40 and 45 cent iron tokens and brass \$1 pieces. The 40 cent pieces were about an inch in diameter, and the 45 cent pieces were about the size of the pres ent silver half-dollar. The \$1 pieces were oval in shape, about an inch and a quarter long, an inch wide and s sixteenth of an inch in thickness These pieces were stamped with the figures showing their value, and read ily passed current all over the country tributary to the mill.

Nearly all of this old "mill" coir

has passed away. The coins which are still preserved are roughly made, just such as any blacksmith with ordinary tools might make, and as a matter of fact during the early years of the mill company's existence formed practically the local circulating medium of exchange When the Indians who were employed in the mill were payed for their labor this coin sufficed, as all the trading they did was with the little store run in connection with the mill. The iron and brass pieces, were, of course passed among the Indians in trading with each other, and as anything in the way of supplies was purchased by them at the mill store, the pieces were fully as good to them as if they had borne the stamp of the Government .-Tacoma Ledger.

Chewing Gum in Other Countries. Chewing gum now forms an important article in commerce. It was first used in America, but the habit of chewing it has rapidly spread in European and Oriental countries, and a busy industry has been called into existence and rapidly developed till it has now attained astonishing dimensions. It is used by all classes and is equally in demand among athletes and sedentary, workers and in hot or cold climates. It is chewed with avidity at the gold and diamond mines, and has ing house, the clerk's desk and the office boy's pocket. Somewhere about thirty-five thousand people are engaged in the preparation, selling and

### Do vou want a Lincoln Fountain Pen with a warranted

solid gold pen and beautiful chased bolder? If you do, read the notice "For School Children" in another column. 

\_TO SCHOOL CHILDREN.\_\_

Bridgeport with a friend on a tandem yesterday. A broken pedal was the only damage done to the tandem which was secured at the Saunders' agency.

About twenty members of the Twin City Wheel club took a run to Tarrytown and back yesterday. A report that several of them were badly bunched and mixed up coming down a hill is denied by a member of the party. "There was a cloud of dust that might have led up to such an accident" he re-

### Cadet Runs In Record Time.

Annapolis, May 10.—In the annual day sports of the United States naval academy here Cadet Henderson, a third year man, ran 220 yards in 21 1-5 seconds, equaling the intercollegiate and amateur records held by Bernard Wefers of Georgetown university.

### Four Children Cremated.

Charleston, May 10 .- A special to The News and Courier from Laurens, S. C., says the cabin of Laurens Tucker, white, on the plantation of W. S. Gray, was burned, and four children were cremated. The father and mother had gone fishing.

### . The Home of Dyspepsia.

San Francisco seems to be the nat ural home of dyspepsia. Physicians there say that ten out of twelve of the inhabitants suffer from indigestion. The only explanation suggested is the fact that the climate allows fruit and vegetables to be had almost the year around, so that there is not the enforced change of diet that residents of other regions have.-New York Jour-

His Point of View.

Jack Dashing-Why do you refuse to marry me?

Penelope-Because, Jack dear, know your failing, and I fear you will never be able to get the best of whiskey.

Jack Dashing-I ought to, anyhow; I pay enough for it.

### A Question of Priority.

Simonsbee-I have a chance to marry two girls; one is pretty but a mere butterfly, as it were, and the other, though plain, is an excellent house-

Mr. Russell of Chicago-Take the pretty one first.

### Luther M. Wright,

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MADISON AND FRANKLIN STREETS. SOUTH NORWALK.

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Pierce. Rochester. Buffalo, Lenape Black Diamond and Northhampton BICYCLES.

Prices from \$37.50 to \$100.

### OLD MOTHER HUBBARD SHE WENT TO THE CUPBOARD

But not after bones, Ever since she began trading with us her meat has been sent home without any bones in it. Not even the liver. She felt terribly cut up (so did the sausare) because she wasn't quicker in putting in her guess. Might have had that turkey just as well as not. Never mind, try again. The customer who can guess nearest to the number of Steaks and Chops we sell out of our show case next Thursday will be presented with a six pound Roe Shad and a bunch of Lettuce. The next nearest, a six pound Blue Fish and two Cucumbers. The winners will receive their prizes Friday morning, without notice. Hurry up with your guesses. The first one received that's nearest is a winner. Frank Hanford says he wishes he had a hammock, then he'd sleep here; the store looks so nice and tidy he hates to go home nights. Have you seen it?

### E. J. WADHAMS. PEOPLE'S MARKET,

13 North Main Street.

Free and prompt delivery.

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Telephone call 18 2. Use it.

\$100 FOR \$75!

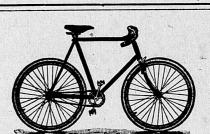
That is what I am doing, by selling \$100 No. 7 Orient Wheels for \$75.

### Also selling \$75 Saracens for \$60 REPAIRING AND RENTING.

A large assortment of first-class second-hand Wheels from \$20 up.

Yours Until Death,

H. A. SAUNDERS, Expert in Bicycles, 12 North Main Street, South Norwalk.



Fambler Bicycles, popular list price, \$80.

Stormer Bicycles, reduced to \$50. Unequalled by any medium priced

Ideal Bicycles, \$50. 26 inch Stormers, \$45. 24 inch Stormers, \$40.

THE J. T. PROWITT CO.

SPECIAL CASH RATES.

Made the Following Gains in the Year 1896:

Increase in Income,

\$1,057,816.28. Increase in Assets,

\$1,997,234,42.

Increase in Surplus, \$198,816,81,

Increase in New Life Business,

\$1,598,668,00. Increase in Life Insurance in Force,

\$5,608,680.00.

Increase in Accident Insurance in Force,

\$21,736.500.00 Increase in Accident Premiums,

\$175.086.72—or 62 per cent. Increase in New Life Insurance Written in Connecticut.

\$310,642.00. Increase in total Life Insurance in Connecticut.

\$472,569.00.

From the increased Surplus the usual increase of dividends to policy-holderswill be paid in 1897, making the Twenty-Fifth Regular Annual Increase of Dividends to the insured, and a record unparalleled in the history of life insurance.

Notwithstanding the material increase of new business on which the expense in Life Insurance is chiefly incurred, the ratio of expense to income on the Life business of this company, excluding the Accident business, is somewhat lower than last year, and is 23 per cent. less than the average expense of the ten leading "purely mutual" companies for the Year 1895.

Their figures for 1896 have not been published.

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### BERLIN CABLE LETTER

Matters Which Engage Attention In the German Capital.

TALK OF A CABINET CRISIS.

Resignations of Hohenlohe and Bieber stein Has Been In the Emperor's Hands For Some Time-Tariff Retaliation Urged.

Berlin, May 10.-Throughout the week the entire press has been full of rumors of a cabinet crisis, and the wildest and most conflicting statements have been published on the subject. Your correspendent here learns on reliable au thority that the facts in the case are as

The resignation of the imperial chancellor, Prince Hohenlohe, and the minister for foreign affairs, Baron Marschall von Bieberstein, have been in the hands of the emperor for weeks, but no action has yet been taken. On Wednesday his majesty had a long conversation with Prince Hohenlohe, and later he received Baron Marschall von Bieberstein. Upon this occasion the foreign, domestic and political situation was discussed. Regarding the internal troubles, the Prussian law of asociations and the military trials bills were discussed, and no agreement was reached. The emperor also spoke of the determined opposition to the policy of Baron Marschall von Bieberstein upon the part of the Agrarians, Conservatives and even the National Liberals and quoted the interpellation of the government on the subject of the Dinbill in support of his remarks. Just for the moment it is certain the present cabinet will retain their posts. Both Prince Hohenlohe and Baron Marschall von Bieberstein will wait for a more opportune moment to press their resignations. Waldersce Not the Coming Man.

The statement made in several German newspapers that General Count von Waldersee, the military governor of Berlin, is the coming man and that he has already worked out the programme for his future administration, which has been approved by the emperor, is pure fiction. His majesty thus far has not offered the chancellorship to any one, but in case of Prince Ho henlohe, who is thoroughly tired of of-fice, actually leaving his post, his most likely successor is Count Philip zu Eulenberg, the German embassador at Vi-enna. Von Waldersee was pushed for the office by the Prince Bismarck opposition, but he has no chance what-

The Dingley bill debate in the reichstag has attracted much attention throughout the empire, and the newspapers are full of it. The whole Agrarian party still urges the government to declare a tariff war against the United States before or immediately after the Dingley bill becomes law. Even a considerable portion of the industrial classes of Germany favors such a plan. The government has received memorials from the chambers of commerce of Dusseldorf, Crefeld, Aix-la-Chapelle and Mayence protesting against the Dingley bill and urging retaliation.

The government, however, will not yield to this pressure, especially as it is doubtful whether the reichstag will sanction such a violent policy, the center being thus far noncommittal and the Liberals, Radicals and Socialists being opposed to any tariff war with the United States. This fact, however, adds fresh fuel to the Agrarians' keen hostility to the present cabinet and especially to their hostility against Baron Marschall von Bieberstein, and they are using their means to hasten the fall of the latter, though the emperor and

Prince Hohenlohe support him. Emperor William has been unu reviewing troops and assisting at the test exercises with the view of introducing the quick fire cannon into the army. This will be done very secretly and cautiously for fear of arousing France and Russia. The new field guns have been thoroughly tested in three artillery regiments in this vicinity, another in Silesia and one in Bavaria, and they have proved emi-nently successful. They are of Krupp's make and are lighter and of smaller caliber than the old guns.

### William's Speechmaking Again.

On Wednesday, after the maneuvers on the Bornstedt fields, near Potsdam, in which five regiments of the guard took part, the emperor had the troops form a square and addressed them, expressing his satisfaction at their ficiency and equipment and his indignant regret at the fact that the reich stag would not grant the means for rendering the German navy as formidable. On Tuesday, after reviewing the entire garrison of Stettin, the emperor made a similar address to the troops, sharply rebuking the reichstag for its unpatriotic conduct.

Emperor William has in no way abandoned his naval plans. On May 20 Admiral Tirpitz, the author of the oft quoted naval memorial and the prospective successor of Admiral von Hollmann as chief of the naval department, will arrive in Berlin from Japan and will at once have an audience with the emperor, who hopes Admiral Tir-pitz will be better able to induce the reichstag to grant the sum necessary to carry out the naval scheme.

A new military march by Bizet, presented to Emperor William by the French general, Boisdeffre, has at once been adopted for the German army by his majesty.

While visiting the industrial school of Berlin last week the emperor presented a, number of books to the school library and inscribed on a flyleaf the

"My strength belongs to the world

and to the Fatherland.' The emperor's recent address to minimize duels in the army has just been enforced for the first time in the case of Landrath and Von Roell in Posen, and the two officers settled their dispute amicable by a council of honor. The emperor and empress left Berlin

for the chateau Urville. Walter Damrosch has engaged Gad-Brener and Fried, the latter an orchestra leader, for next season.

A New Bank For Phillipsburg, Pa. Washington, May 10 .- The Moshannon National bank of Phillipsburg, Pa., has been authorized to begin business, capital being \$50,000.

SAYS FATHER KILLED MOTHER.

Parent Accused of Wife Murder by His 5-year-old Son.

Brooklyn, May 10 .- Daniel Kane, aged 5 years, the son of Daniel Kane, a butcher, says that his father threw his mother out of the third story window of their home at 269 Pacific street.

The woman was found dead in the courtyard. Her head was split open She had struck the picket of an iron ence in her fall. The body was nude. The boy stood in the crowd about the oody as it lay on the pavement, crying bitterly. Between his sobs he said, "Papa threw mamma out of the window." His sister, 10 years old, could tell nothing about her mother's death.

Daniel Kane, the husband, was arrested and held for examination. In

the police court Kane said:
"I came home about 1 o'clock in the morning, and my wife began to scold me. We had some words, and then I went into the bedroom and tried to go to sleep with my children. My wife still scolded me, and I finally slapped her face, making her nose bleed. Then she tried to jump out of the window. She did this several times, but each time I caught her. After awhile I lay down with my children. Presently I missed my wife and went to the window. There she lay on the sidewalk. I had torn off her nightdress in trying to keep her from jumping out of the win-

Patrolman Callan said that he saw no signs of a struggle in the room. A nightdress stained with blood lay on the floor. Kane was not drunk.

Kane, who is a butcher, is a small man. His wife weighed more than 200 pounds. The couple quarreled frequently. The family is poor. Kane's relatives spent the day in trying to raise enough money for the funeral expenses.

### Postmasters Appointed.

Washington, May 10.-The following fourth class postmasters have been appointed:

New York-Wendelville, John Wurtenberger.

Pennsylvania-Aiken, P. S. Kepler; Albion, E. J. McCracken; Cranesville, Daniel Roberts; Gelatt, R. Stone; Limerick, H. F. Stauffer; Lundys Lane, A. W. Matthews; Orson, A. F. Hine; Pont, M. E. O'Brien; Tompkins, W. D. Mc-Naughton; Uswick, J. S. Pennell.

### Buffalo Courier Sold.

Buffalo, May 10 .- The Courier publishes the following announcement: "The Courier company, having decided to retire from the publishing of a newspaper in connection with the large and growing printing establishment, has sold The Courier newspaper to Mr. W. J. Conners, the proprietor of the Buffalo Enquirer and the Buffalo Record, and The Courier will temorrow be issued from the office of The Record."

### The Newark Strike Begins.

Newark, N. J., May 10 .- Nine hundred and sixty carpenters, lathers, tinners and laborers have been ordered on strike by A. R. Wyatt, business agent of the United Building Trades council. This was the first step to stop all building in this city because of the strike of the plumbers, steamfitters, tin-smiths and painters. Work on 100 houses has been stopped, and altogether there are about 1,500 men out.

### · Successful Armor Test.

Bethlehem, Pa., May 10.-The government test at the Bethlehem Iron company's proving grounds of ten inch plate representing side armor for the cruisers Kearsarge and Kentucky was successful in every respect. The penetration shot projectile entered only three inches and was then shattered, while the cracking shot failed to make

### Sunday Ball In Cleveland.

Cleveland, May 10 .- President Robinson declares that he will start playing baseball at League park next Sunday and leave the verdict to the people. phatic statement of his position. state law is there," he said, "and citizens have demanded that I enforce it. Under my oath of office I have no op-

### A Student Fatally Shot.

Princeton, N. J., May 10.-Rowley Shepardson of Richmond, a Princeton student, with two companions, went for a row on the Raritan canal. In pushing the boat from the bank a gun was accidentally discharged, and the bullet entered Shepardson's side, inflicting a wound from which the physician says the young man cannot recover.

Officers of Princeton's Musical Clubs. Princeton, N. J., May 10.-At a meeting of the university musical clubs the following officers were elected: Leader of the Glee club, Raleigh C. Thomas of Baltimore; leader of Banjo club, C. G. Wills; leader of Mandolin club, James H. Caldwell of Titusville, Pa; manager, Paul D. Stockley of Lakewood,

### Fatal Fall From a Bicycle.

Philadelphia, May 10.—Mrs. Lizzie Wolbert, aged 62 years, a boarding house keeper, fell from her bicycle directly in front of a moving trolley car at Tenth and Spruce streets. She was struck by the car and received injuries which the physicians at the Pennsylvania hospital believe will prove fatal.

### Mrs. Matthew Francis Dead.

Altoona, Pa., May 10.-Private information has been received here that Mrs. Matthew Francis, formerly Miss Minnie May of this city, died at Freetown, Sierre Leone, West Africa, April Miss May was married to Missionary Francis in New York in January

### A Cheap Railroad.

Salt Lake City, May 10.—The Utah Central railway, which runs from Salt Lake to Park City, was sold at foreclosure sale in this city for \$227,000 to Graff & Dittmeyer, representing the New York bondholders.

### Former Letter Carrier's Suicide.

Newark, N. J., May 10.-James Kelly, a former letter carrier, killed himself with morphine in police headquarters. It is believed that Kelly intended to kill Internal Revenue Collector Rutan and then end his own life.

### Voter Wins the Metropolitan.

New York, May 10.-The big Metropolitan Handicap at Morris Park was won in a driving finish by J. R. & F. P Keene's colt Voter, with The Winner second.

Merits of the Quarrel Between Burghers and Uitlanders.

### THE VIEWS OF AN AMERICAN

Taxation Without Representation the Burden of the Plaint of Foreigners-The Boers Have Been Preparing Steadily For War.

Washington, May 10.-Joseph Story Curtis, an American citizen who has lived for several years in Johannesburg and has mining interests there, is spending a few days in Washington. Discussing the apparently hostile attitude of the Boer government toward Great Britain and the grievances of the uitlanders in the Johannesburg district. Mr. Curtis said:

"There is a treaty between England and the Transvaal, comonly called the convention. If the Transvaal has broken that convention. England is excusable for taking measures looking to war. Recently under the press law The African Gritic was suppresed. Then followed the supression of The Star, which is now being issued as The Comet. This press law is stringent and arbitrary and allows the suppression of papers for criticisms of the government or for political offenses. Then there is the alien expulsion law, which allows aliens to be expelled for political offenses without trial.

"The government has recently purchased many arms for the ostensible purpose of preventing another Jameson raid. Don't for one moment suppose that is so. It was done for fear of an attack from England. It has been the desire among the Boers for a long time to break the treaty and declare complete independence. I see in a morning paper that the postmaster general of the Transvaal, who is now in this country, says the standing army is composed of 400 artillerymen. There are, however, about 23,000 fighting burghers, boys from 12 years old up to men of 60, thoroughly armed with improved rifles. If a breach is coming, it will come soon. This breach could easily be avoided by recognizing the necessities and right of the foreign population, commonly called the utilanders.
To these people are due entirely the development of the mining industry in the Transyaal and the present wealth

### Uitlanders Don't Count.

"Although there are now in the Transvaal more male uitlanders than burghers, they are allowed to have no voice in the management of the government of the country. They pay almost all the taxes, but are allowed no representation, with the exception of a partial representation in the sanitary board, the governing body of the town of Johannesburg.

"The mining industry turns out annually £9,000,000. The government revenue, which is derived almost entirely from this source, is about £4,500,000. This leaves the mining companies about £4,500,000 with which to pay dividends and work the mines. The deep level companies, which have been incorporated to work the main reef outside of and below the bounds of the outcrop companies, have expended a great deal of money in sinking shafts some of which have already reached gold deposits, but most of them have still to continue hundreds of feet deeper before they can reach the reefs. The present state of uncertainty in the Transvaal has entirely demoralized the market for deep level stock. The grievances of the foreigners in the Transvaal are no sham, and any one who visits that country and sees the disabilities under which the mining industry suffers must admit that it is almost impossible at the present time to carry on the process of the development of the country with profit to those who are the chief workers. It is all well enough for the Boers to say that the country belongs to those who took it from the Kaffirs and that foreigners have no rights whatever. It must be remembered, nevertheless, that to the foreigners alone is due the present prosperity of the Transvaal, and that these same foreigners are entitled to consideration and fair treatment.'

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### A Wedding In Naval Circles.

Newport News, Va., May 10 .- Mr. Charles C. Marsh, aid to Rear Admiral Sicard, and Miss Charlotte Evans, daughter of Commodore Evans, were married in the post chapel at Fortress Monroe. Many distinguished officers of the army and navy were present.

### SUBSTITUTION

the FRAUD of the day. See you get Carter's,

Ask for Carters, Insist and demand

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The only perfect Liver Pill. Take no other, Even if Solicited to do so. Beware of imitations of Same Color Wrapper,

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OF NEW YORK.

RICHARD A. McCURDY, President.

### Statement for the Year Ending December 31st,

According to the Standard of the Insurance Department of the State of New York.

### INCOME,

eceived for Premiums -		- ,	\$ 39,93,4
rom all Other Sources	-	-	10,109,281 07
			\$ 49,702,695 27

### DISBURSEMENT,

To Policy-holders for Endowments, Dividen	ds, etc.			12,842,456 51
For all Other Accounts		-	_	10,781,005 64
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\$ 918,698,338<u>7</u>45 Insurance and Annuities in force 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

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To Policy-holders for Claims by Death

### 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 below 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. conferred, the Committee have at various dates between the date of 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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He is now Cured, and He Thanks God and P. P. P., Lippman's Great Rem-edy, For It.

Mr. George Briggs, of Moore, Okla., suffered almost indescribable torment for three long years. Neuralgia held him captive. The right side of his face was so badly affected that the slightest touch would cause the unfortunate man intense agony. For several weeks he could open his mouth just wide enough to be fed with liquid nourishment, and in this manner life was sustained. Read the following extract from his letter: "Truth is stranger than Fiction."

NEURALGIA, CATARRH AND RHEUMA-TISM COMPLETELY CURED.

George Briggs, of Moore, Oklahoma, writes that P. P. P., Lippman's Great Remedy, cured him of catarrh, facial neuralgia and rheumatism, after three years of intense suffering. The pain lay in his cheek bone and temple, down the right side of his face, along his upper lip, and from the slightest touch he suffered agonies for weeks at a time. Could only open his mouth wide enough to admit a teaspoon, and any acid in his food would put him in torture. He had a consultation of the best physicians in Texas, but all to no purpose. Catarrh and rheumatism were also

causing him much trouble, until he tried P. P. P. He says he is well and will swear that there are no cases of neuralgia, catarrh and rheumatism, no matter how chronic or how old the cases are, that P. P. P. will not make a total cure of.

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They Didn't Play.

Frank Daniels and Burt Havenly are successful actors, but their theatrical paths have not always been rose strewn.

Several years ago they were traveling together with a company in North Carolina, and hard luck had followed them everywhere they went. Paying engagements were scarce, and finally the members of the company began to clamor for their pay, already long past due.

"Let's disband," they suggested. "Wait until we get to Raleigh," pleaded Haverly. "We always play to a big business there."

And he exhibited a telegram which informed them that every seat in the house had been sold.

This cheered the disheartened ac tors, and they went to Raleigh with light hearts. When they arrived they scrambled into an omnibus and started for a hotel. Daniels and Haverly mounted the seat with the driver and gazed on the landscape that was presented as the old vehicle rattled up the

"Beautiful, isn't it?" Daniels exclaimed, and his companion smiled as he nodded his head.

"And the sunset-it's simply grand," he continued.

The two men gazed entranced at a red glare in the horizon. They called to those in the 'bus, and all climbed out to witness the rare sight.

"Sunset!" exclaimed the man who drove the 'bus. "Where's any sunset?" "Why, over there," and Haverly pointed to the glare.
"That's no sunset," said the man,

with a look of disgust on his face. "That's the opry house burnin' down." The company walked home.-Chicage Journal.

A Remarkable Cat.

A gentleman of Mount Vernon sitting in his library one evening heard a curious sound in the parlor below. The rest of the family had gone to bed. The sound was rather musical, being a humming in various notes, broken by little twangs, he concluded to go down stairs softly and peered into the parlor. There in the moonlight which shone on the piano top he saw the house cat, a big black tom, called Steal.

Steal was sitting on his haunches beside the banjo which Bob, the son of the house, usually plays. Steal had learned that by touching the strings with his paws he could make them sound. It was remembered afterward that the cat always came into the room when Bob played, but that was supposed to have been because the boy made a great pet of him.-New York

The Old Lady in "American Notes."

Mrs. Mary Ann Reed, who died at the Hartford Retreat for the Insane the other day, at the age of ninety-two, had been in the institution for fifty-two years. She was the "little lady" referred to by Charles Dickens in his "American Notes." The passage relating to her is as follows: "'I am an antediluvian, sir.' I thought the best thing to say was that I had suspected as much from the first. Therefore I said so. 'It is an extremely proud and pleasant thing, sir to be an antediluvian,' said the old lady. 'I should think it was, ma'am,' I rejoined. The old lady kissed her hand, gave another skip, smirked, and sidled down the gallery in a most extraordinary manner. Her delusion was a pleasant one. and she was always amiable and do cile.-New York Tribune.

### No Market for Them.

Patrick O'Farrell, an attorney of Washington, D. C., is something of a raconteur. One of his stories is worth repeating. "It was during Cleveland's first Administration," says he. "The horsecars had just been replaced by systems of trolleys and cable-cars. A Texan wrote to the Representative in Congress from his district asking about the market for horses. The constituent said the street-car companies should need horses, which were being killed and fed to the hogs in Texas. they were so cheap. 'There is no market for horses in Washington,' wrote back the Congressman. 'Horse-cars have just been replaced by trolleys and cable-cars. The trolleys are run by electricity, the cable-cars by steam. and the government is being run by a jackass. There is no market here for horses."-New Orleans Times-Demo-

Refused a Certificate

Mrs Louise Pitt Yocum, superintendent of schools in Dolores county, Col., has refused a teacher's certificate to Professor Victor C. McGirr, principal of the Rico Public School, because he smokes. Her position is that a person who smokes is disqualified from teaching in the public schools of Colorado, because teachers in that State are required by law to instruct the children against the use of tobacco. Mr. McGirr, who is a graduate of Toronto University, will, it is said, appeal to the State Board of Education. -New York Tribune.

### A Peculiar Business Deal.

Warren E. Burton has sold the Burton House, Hurley, Wis., for \$30,000, of which \$7,000 was paid in cash and the balance in postage stamps, the number being 8,000,000. This is probably one of the most remarkable business transactions ever recorded in the West, and will call renewed attention to the widespread interest in philately.-New York Tribune.

Very Reprehensible.

Wiggins: "I suppose you've heard poor Good fellow died suddenly last

Jiggins: "Good gracious, no! Well, t's too bad of him; why, he promised o lend me a fiver to-day, faithfully." -Tid-Bits.

**PENNY OF 1856.** 

Story that Gold Was Used in Place o Nickel Has Enhanced its Value.

"Though the penny of 1856," ob served a numismatist, "was issued in great sufficiency, the coins soon disar peared from circulation and are held as rarities. They are seldom offered for sale, but those which have been offered brought a large price. There are several theories existing amon; coin experts as to the disappearance o this penny, being of the older style and large, but the one most generally ac cepted is that the penny was gobbled up in consequence of a rumor which was started on the authority of an em ploye of the United States mint when the pennies are made. This rumor was that in making the composition of the metals for the coin, a bar of gold was melted up by mistake for a bar of nickel, and that the reason why the penny disappeared was in consequence of its intrinsic value. The result of this and other stories about the 1850 penny is that though there were just as many coined as there were of '54 '55 or '57 pennies, one of the '56 pen nies will to-day bring nearly one hun dred times as much money as those of the other years mentioned. Some nu mismatists have even gone so far as to test the composition. They found no trace of gold. It is one of the many peculiar things about the scarcity of some coins."-Washington Star.

Mr. Beecher's First Church.

It has been determined that the church in which Henry Ward Beecher began his ministry shall be torn down to make room for buildings of up-todate design. When Mr. Beecher became the pastor the church was the finest in Indiana. His salary was \$800, but at the same time the Governor received only \$1,500, which included pay for his private secretary. Beecher is remembered by members of his first congregation for his wit, popularity and sociability, and as a lecturer to young men.

"Some persons were inclined to believe that Mr. Beecher was a little too exuberant and fond of fun," said a member of the church. "I remember that it was said that at a lawn party he took off his coat and rolled down hill. Once, in coming from Terre Haute in a stage at night, he found an elder of his church in the stage. He disguised his voice and inquired what people thought of Beecher's church and about Beecher. All this was done in pure fun."

Mr. Beecher was twenty-six years of age when he came here, and remained for eight years. In 1847 he left to go to Brooklyn.

### The Tallest Steel Chimney.

Just south of the low brick structures that mark the presence of the pumping station at Ridgewood, which supplies the city of Brooklyn, N. Y., with the greater part of its water, stands the tallest steel chimney which was ever built.

The chimney is made up of 137 steel plates. These masses of steel weigh from 800 to 1,400 pounds each and vary in thickness from a quarter to a half inch. Such a thing as a break in the chimney is well nigh impossible, and that it should burn out at all the brick lining which extends one-half the distance from the ground to the top is improbable.-New York Journal.

### The Student Had Him.

At a restaurant some gentlemen were discussing politics, when a young student entered and joined in the conversation. His arguments did not please the others, and one of them said to him: "Be quiet. At your age was an ass myself."

"You are wonderfully well preserved. sir," was the reply of the student.-Scottish Nights.

### Non-Committal.

Mrs. Brown-Have you met Mrs. Smith, your next door neighbor, yet? Mrs. Jones-Oh, yes, indeed, often. Mrs. Brown-What de you think of her?

Mrs. Jones-You know I never critiicise my neighbors, and I would be the last to speak ill of any one, but I will go so far as to say that I am sorry for Mr. Smith.-New York Journal.

### He Spoke the Truth.

Magistrate (to new member of force). 'Did you not notice any suspicious persons on your beat last night?' Constable: "No. ver honor. I say

but one man, and I axed him what he was doing there that toime o' noight: and says he: 'I am going to open a jewelry-store in the vicinity later on.' Magistrate: "What did you say to him?"

Constable: "Sure, I wished him suc cess, your honor."

Magistrate: "He did have success. too. He broke into a shop and stole a large amount of fewelry."

gorra, your honor, the man moight horse is Episcopalian." have been a thief, but he was no loiar!"-Arswers.

### Heaviest Girl in New Jersey.

Nineteen-year-old Maggie Hires, of Vineland, N. J., who tips the scales at 265 pounds, is said to be the heaviest girl in New Jersey .- New York Jour-

A teacher, observing one boy com-

ing 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.

A Fine Arrangement-"See here, young man," said the stern father, "if you don't come home earlier after this, I'll know the reason why." "Glad to hear it, governor; that will

Detroit Free Press.

One of Depew's Best.

Doctor Depew, in speaking of the many requests he received for passes said:-

A man whom I had not seen since we were boys together called on me one morning and introduced himself. He looked rather seedy, and he told me he wasn't prosperous. We talked about the days when we were boys to gether, and the little red schoolhouse and how the years had dealt with each of us.

"I am glad to see you are getting along nicely, Chauncey," he said.

"Thank you," I replied, "and how have you prospered?"

"I have not prospered at all," he said, wiping a tear from the corner of his eye, "but I am on the eve of suc cess if you'll give me a little aid Chauncey."

"What can I do for you?" "Well, I want a pass to Wappinger

Falls. "What are you going to do there to

bring you success?" I asked. "I'm going to deliver a lecture. It's a good lecture, and it will bring me

fame and money." "And what are you going to lecture about?" I asked. "I'll tell you, Chauncey, after I ge

the pass." I wanted to aid my old friend, and I had a pass made out for him. Giving it to him, I said with some curiosity,-

this lecture of yours?" John braced up, threw back his shoulders, and proudly answered,-"I am going to lecture on how t

'Now, John, what is the subject of

### AN UNUSUAL CALL.

Incident in a Country Doctor's Life-Hi

make money."

Trust Not Betrayed. "The life of a country doctor is no one of ease and luxury," commented an old practitioner. "A call at night and then a drive, perhaps of five or six miles, uphill and down dell in the darkness of the forest. One night received a call from a distant farm house. Upon arriving there I found: lad of about eighteen with a bulle wound in his shoulder. I dressed the wound with much care, and then the lad with much anxiety observed:

"'You won't say anything about this. doctor?'

"'Why not, my lad?' I pitied hin in a way, for his eyes had a hunted look and he appeared half famished and half dead.

"'Because I received this wound in escaping from the Sheriff.'

"'You needn't tell me.'

"'I must. I couldn't get work, sir and not able to resist temptation, l stole. It was for the first time. thought you might speak of dressing a wourd and then they would know where to find me. If you say nothing I may be able to leave the country You have been kind to me, doctor. Do this and-'

"'On one condition, my lad.'

"'And that is?'

"'You will not steal again.'

"'Would you believe a-a thief?" "'I will believe you.'

"'I promise.'

"Many years afterward I received a box of good things for Christmas from California. The next year an other box came, and so for many years. The only cue I ever had to the sender were a few words in the first box: 'I have kept the promise I made you, doctor."—Detroit Free Press.

Powerful Persussion. A lady took her four-year-old girl to a photographer. The child couldn't be made to sit still. He of the camera was as suave as he could be, and worked every device of gentle persuasion to make the little wriggler keep still. Finally he said to the despairing mother: "Madam, if you leave the little dear alone with me a few minutes I think I can succeed." The mother had scarcely withdrawn when she was summoned back by the triumphant photographer, who exhibited a satisfactory negative. When they reached home the mother asked: "Nellie, what did the man say to you when I left you alone with him?" thaid,," lisped Nellie, "thit thtill, you little rathcall, or I'll thake you."-Boston Post.

The Horse was All Right. It is told of an old Baptist parson famous in Virginia that he once visited a plantation where the colored servant who met him at the gate asked which barn he would have his horse put in. "Have you two barns?" asked the doctor. "Yes, sah," replied the servant; "dar's de ole barn and Mas'r Wales has jes' built a new one." Where do you usually put the horses of clergymen who come to see your master?" "Well, sah, if dey's Methdist or Baptist we gen'ally puts 'em in de ole barn, but if dey's 'Piacopals we puts 'em in de new one." "Well, Bob, you can put my horse in Constable (scratching his head) "Be the new barn; I'm a Baptist, but my

Hopeful.

The dry goods merchant was explaining the situation to the new drummer he had just employed. "Your predecessor," he said, "hay

got his business all tangled up, and if you take his place you will have a difficult task getting order out of chaos." "I don't know who Chaos is," cheerfully replied the drummer, "but I bet I'll sell him a bill of goods if I have to hang on him a week."-Dry Cards Chronicle.

A Slur On His Phiz.

"Oi do not mind the threats av 'im," Mr. Hogan explained, "as much as th' insultin' style av his remarks.' "And flawat did he say?" asked Mr.

Grogan. "He says to me, 'Hogan,' says he, save all explanations on my part."-"tis a great notion I have to jump on you and knock your face into shape."

## Washing ~

CAKE OF TOILET SOAP IN EVERY PACKAGE.

WAR THE PANACEA.

But Perhaps Major Wagner is Moved by Professional Prejudice.

Major Arthur L. Wagner, U. S. 🏖 one of the most distinguished military students in America in answer to question, said:

"The Cretan embroglio seems full ca war. It is high time that Europe had a blood-letting. War will clear up con ditions like a thunderstorm clears the atmosphere."

"What do you think of war for America?"

"America has needed a war for some time," replied Major Wagner. "A for eign war a few years ago would have prevented the so-called hard times and the discontent of this recent period."

"And a war now?" "An act of war by Spain would be a

godsend." "War," added the soldier, "not only clears up the political and national atmosphere, but it purges the moral atmosphere.

"The loss of life and horrors of fire and blood seem beyond being condoned; nevertheless, as the greatest good for the greatest number, war is the heroic but the only remedy for evils of long peace.

"The American people are for war right now. These peculiar outbreaks are the symptoms of a demand for

"The inevitable result of unbroken peace is what we see in China to-day." Major Wagner's mission in Kansas City was not to consult about war with Colonel Hariman, the Cuban fire eater. but to take dinner.

The Fork is 900 Years Old. 1. By the way, it is just about 900 years ago since the fork made its appearance in Europe. In 955 A. D. a son of the Doge, Pietro Orsolo, had wedded in Venice the Brizzantine Princess Argila, who produced at the wedding breakfast a silver fork and gold spoon. Then the high Venetian families followed suit, and these martyrs to fashion pricked their lips with the new instrument. The fork prospered, however, and spread over Italy. In 1379 it had travelled as far as

France, and in 1608 a traveller brought it direct to England.

Couldn't Catch Pat. Lately, while an auctioneer was disposing of a bankrupt tobacconist's stock, he was interrupted by a half tipsy Irishman with,—

"Oi bought a poipe from yez last night for a shilling that's worth only sixpence." "I believe that, Pat," replied the auc-

tioneer, who fancied himself witty, "If you tell me who my father is, I will give you back the shilling." "The father of loies, you ch'ating

spalpeen," readily exclaimed Pat. Old Zimmerhackie's Observations.

A stern reality-A ship's rudder. The vowels are A, E, I, O, U. Principally the last three. The biggest fool is he who fools him-

fool others. It is an open question whether the brewery or the torpid liver is responsible for the most headaches.

The man who hopes to get into

self, and he does that who attempts to

heaven by proxy will find himself on the wrong side of the door when it closes for the last time. Black eyes are all right, (except the left ones) and so are the blue ones, but it is a combination of the two that

calls for an explanation. Why, no. my son, you wouldn't go to a collar factory to get cholera any more than you would go to a vestry to get a vest or a pantry to get pants.-

The Kick of the Camel.

Dansville Breeze.

Most of us are familiar with the way in which a horse or a mule kicks, but few of us know how a camel expresses his anger. The camel doesn't seem to be out of temper. He lazily chews his cud, with his eyes half closed, and those not familiar with his ways might fancy that he is half asleep. But directly be draws one of his hind legs un under him, and then, as soon as the object of his wrath is in range, he sends his boof straight back like a shot. A writer says that he has seen a heavy man sent whirling several yards in a dense crowd by the kick of

A jar containing \$16,000 in gold was ploughed up in a field near Hogansville, Ga., the other day, by a negro farmer. The treasure was under an you plate flanked by two big stones. ind the spot was marked by a circle f rocks.

Jones: "Brown is very careful about s children, isn't he?"

Jonkins: "Yes; he's trying to bring on up in the way he should have

A Loyal Servant.

In spite of the inherent capacity for treachery and deceit we are accustomed to associate with the natives of India, one comes across wonderful and touching evidences of loyalty and devotion. Witness the devotion and faithfulness of our Goorha regiments during the terrible mutiny, and the thrilling stories of wonderful escapes entirely due to the loyalty of personal servants.

The following true incident happened lately in Madras: An Indian Colonel had a "boy" for eighteen years. Having to go home on furlough, he pensioned him and let him return to his family, to do nothing for the rest of his life. Returning to Madras, he was informed by a brother officer that his "boy" was as fit as ever, and only too anxious to return to duty. Almost before it seemed that a letter could have had time to reach him, the "boy" was back in his accustomed place.

For two years he waited on his master as of yore, though his hair was silvered and his back bent. One day the colonel returned from parade and had his wants supplied as usual. His servant, on leaving him, salaamed low, remarking, "Should the sahib want anything more and call, his faithful slave will hear. He berry tired-sleep." When the "sahib" called there was no answer. They found him curled on his mat. He had lain down-"tired." He would never be "tired" again. Uncomplainingly he had followed his sahib. Long marches, want of food, sickness and privation had never aroused a complaint. When death came he lay down without a murmur.-From the Gentlewoman.

Opposed to Schools. "Have you good schools in this neighborhood?" I asked a farmer with whom I stopped in West Virginia.

"Good as any, I reckon," was the re-"They air all frauds." ply. "Why, you have children, have you

not?" "Ten o' em."

"Don't any of them go to school?" "Nary school. I don't believe in eddycation, 'cept for preachers and lawvers an' doctors."

"Why not?" "Waal, I went ter school fer two y'ar when I war a boy, an' I thought I knowed it all, thar wan't no mo' ter learn. I took th' county paper an' 'lowed I'd hev what chillun I hed, all eddycated. I hed a good farm an' plenty o' stock. One day I got some circulars from a feller in Noo York, sayin' he would give me good paper money fer fifty cents fer a dollar in gol'. I kin use paper money es well es gol' hvar, so hit war a good trade. I war too sharp ter be cotched, so I sen' fer a sample dollar an' tuk it ter bank when it come. It war all right an' I mor'gaged everything I hed an' sen' th' feller th' money. I got a box o' sawdust and it busted me. Ef I hadn't learned ter read I'd never knowed what ther circular said an' I 'low thet no boys o' mine shall ever larn ter read, so as they kin keep

Accepted Her Suggestion. She looked up into his eyes pleading-

what they git."

"Algernon," she said, "I've a little favor that I should like to ask of you. I'm sure you will grant it, won't you, dear? It's about your farewell bachelor dinner.'

"Certainly," replied Algernon Winebiddle. "You won't think me silly, will you?

Well, then, Algie, won't you please

have it after we are married? The in-

dictment of the prospective bride-

groom after the dinner always takes

up so much room that the papers say

hardly anything about the wedding at

all."-New York Herald.

NO DANGER OF BUNCO.

irns out not to be real gold I kin allus bring It back ter him. I got his address all safe— No. 33. New York, B'gosh! I know some-thin'erbout business of I am from th'country!

## THE ORIGINAL BOSS" Always the Same

### TURKISH LOSS HEAVY.

The Total In the Present Campaign Will Reach 38,000 Men.

### THE RUMORS OF MEDIATION.

Triple Alliance Wfll Not Control Arrangements - Smolenski's Heroism at the Battle of Velestino. Troops Leave Salonika.

London, May 10.-A dispatch to The Observer says that the officials and consuls at Salonika report that the Turkish losses in killed, wounded and sick during the campaign will reach 38.000.

A dispatch to The Observer from Rome says that Germany unreservedly supports the demands made by Turkey upon Greece.

The correspondent of The Observer

at Athens says:
"I am assured that the Greeks still occupy Ismaret and Salagora, in Epi-

### Greeks Pursue Turks.

Athens, May 10.-Dispatches received here from Domokos, the headquarters of the Greek army, say that the Turkish cavalry, in making a reconnoissance, approached within two hours of Domokos, but retreated on the appreach of the Greeks, who were ordered to pursue the enemy. The Greeks, it is further stated, followed the Turkish cavalry to the advance posts of the enemy's lines.

Prince Constantine's forces occupy all the passes through which the Turkish troops must pass when they advance, notably those of Agoriani and

The inhabitants of Domokos are going into the interior.

The admiral in command of the Greek squadron at Volo telegraphed that the French and British consuls at Volo, accompanied by the commanders of the French, British and Italian warships, have had a conference at Velestino with Edhem Pasha, the Turkish commander. The latter promised to respect the inhabitants and property at Volo provided the Greek squadron engaged to refrain from hostilities and retire beyond range. The Greek admiral accepted these terms.

All the foreigners at Volo have embarked for other ports, and the town is now empty.

The government has informed the ministers of the powers verbally that following the recall from Crete of Colonel Vassos, 25 officers and two companies of sappers the gradual withdrawal of troops from the island will take place. After a brief delay the powers offer to mediate between Greece and Turkey. The powers will insist, however, that Greece shall confide her interests unreservedly to their hands. Negotiations have commenced, and mediation is regarded as imminent.

### A Stirring Incident.

Volo, May 10.—A stirring incident in connection with the battle at Velestino has just been recorded. General Smolenski, with something of the magnetic enthusiasm attributed to Skobeloff, rode along the lines addressing the soldiers and imploring them to remember the traditions of their race and fight, if need be, till the sacred soil of Thesally should be saturated with their blood. It was like an inspiration. Both uniformed soldiers and men with only bandoliers filled with cartridges, the belts around their native attire, cheered and gripped their rifles more firm-ly. They gave another shout of determination and indulged in reckless, wild, but sometimes searching shell The Turks fired volley after volley steadily on their intrepid enemy. Then the Greeks left the shelter of the trenches and charged with wild shouts. The Turks quivered for a moment and retired in confusion to the shelter of the mountain ridges. It was a brilliant Greek success.

### The News Via Washington.

Washington, May 10.-The Turkish legation received the following cable-gram from Constantinople: "Edhem Pasha, who is now at Velestino, telegraphs that the French and British consuls of Volo called upon him in order to state in their own names and these of their colleagues that the Greek troops had evacuated the place after having released the convicts, and they requested him to send at once forces to occupy the town and preserve the public order and safety. Ten battalions sent for that purpose to Volo entered and occupied the city.

Embassadors Discuss Mediation. Constantinople, May 10.-The embassadors met and discussed mediation by the powers between Turkey and Greece. czar has informed the sultan of the dispatch of an ambulance corps of surgeons, Red Cross nurses and 500 beds for the Turkish wounded.

Triple Alliance Not In It.

Rome, May 10.—Opinione denies the report to the effect that the exchange of views of Italy, Germany and Austria in regard to Turkey and Greece is subject to the arrangements, of the triple alliance.

Troops Leave Salonika.

Salonika, May 10.—Sixteen battallons from the Adrianople army, a regiment of cavalry and three field batteries have been sent to Janina via Mon-

Stevens Lacrosse Team Vanquished.

Baltimore, May 10.-Johns Hopkins university lacrosse team defeated the Stevens university team of Hoboken in the first game of the triangular championship series in which Lehigh university is the other contestant.

### He Used a Wheat Tester.

Springfield, O., May 10.-An indictment has been returned against Jacob W. Yeazell, a prominent miller, for using a wheat tester. The case has been watched with interest, and, it is stated, it will be made a test case under the recent law.

### Illinois Bank Examiner Indicted.

Chicago, May 10.—The grand jury voted to indict Bank Examiner George R. Hayden for failing to report on the condition of the Globe Savings bank for over two months after he knew it to be in an insolvent condition.

THE DEATH OF DR. RUIZ.

Commissioner Calhoun Starts For Havana to Investigate the Matter.

Washington, May 10.-W. J. Calhoun of Illinois, special counsel for the United States government in the Ruiz case, has left Washington for Tampa, where he will take the steamer for Havana. He was accompanied by Mr. Fishback, who goes in the capacity of his secretary. Mr. Calhoun expects to spend a day or two after his arrival in Havana in consultation with Consul General Les before undertaking the formal beginning of the inquiry. He says that his functions are strictly limited to the investigation of the conditions under which Dr. Ruiz met his death in the jail at Guanabacoa. The proceedings are not to be in the nature of a legal trial, for, so far at least, there is no accused person. They will be rather in the line of a close and thorough investigation, which is to be held with the consent of and by the invitation of the Spanish government, and the United States will be represented by special counsel, also by its invitation, in order to offer every assurance that the proceedings are fair and complete. It is expected that the investigation will be initiated by the Spanish authorities just as soon as Mr. Calhoun indicates that he is ready to begin. As the death of Dr. Ruiz took place in the jail at Guanabacoa, a suburb within the corporate limits of Havana, it will not be necessary to go outside of the city to make the inquiry.

No official notice has been had from Consul General Lee that the Competitor cases have been transferred to civil courts, but assurances have been had that Melton, the newspaper correspendent, will at least be treated with all the consideration that his noncombatant connection with the expedition warrants. As for the other American prisoners, all of the privileges guaran-

teed by treaty are to be extended.

The state department has taken the position that the crew of the ill fated Competitor, which was an American vessel, are to be held for all legal pur-poses to be American citizens. This covers not only the case of Leavitt, who is set down in the records as a British subject, but also Alfred Laborde, the captain of the vessel, as to whose nativity or naturalization some doubt has arisen, but who, as sailing under the American flag on an American vessel, will have all of the protection that any full blooded American could claim under the treaty.

### A Miraculous Escape.

Albany, May 10.-Two men and a boy escaped death in the vicinity of this city in a most miraculous manner. The fortunate individuals were bringing milk to the city. While crossing a bridge over a 90 foot precipice their team took fright and bolted the precipice. The occupants of the wagon dropped off at the edge. All escaped injury, but the horses were instantly

### Gunboat Nashville Sails.

Newport News Va., May 10,-The Nashville, the third of a trio of gunboats built by the Newport News Shipbuilding and Drydock company, eft here under her own steam for New London, Conn., where on next Wednesday she will make her official trial trip over a fifteen mile course. This is the last craft on which the government will allow a premium for excess speed.

### Want Chapman Pardoned.

Washington, May 10.-The friends of Elverton R. Chapman of New York, the recalcitrant witness in the Sugar trust investigation, have submitted to the president a request for his pardon. president in turn has indicated a course of action which should be followed preliminary to any executive action. It is understood that this is in the nature of an apology or retraction.

### Pryor Files an Appeal.

Frankfort, Ky., May 10.—Ex-Chief Justice Pryor, counsel for several prom-inent banks of the state, has filed in the United States circuit court an appeal from the recent sensational decision of the state court of appeals, which reversed itself in holding that all banks of the state must pay taxes, state, county and municipal, the same as other property.

### Railroad Improvements In Texas.

Austin, Tex., May 10.-According to the testimony adduced before the railroad commissioners in the investigation which has just closed, the railroads of Texas expect in the very near future to make improvements, the aggregate cost of which, taking their own statements and figures, will be about \$4,000,000.

### The Pinta Ordered Home.

Washington, May 10.-The Pinta, which has served for many years as a gunboat in Alaskan waters, has been ordered home to Mare island. She has outlived her usefullness, and to insure her a safe voyage down the coast the Alert has been ordered from San Francisco to Sitka to convoy her.

### To Honor Talbot's Memory.

Kansas City, May 10.—The International Association of Machinists continued the consideration of the law and resolutions committee report. It was decided to appropriate \$2,500 toward the erection of a monument to the memory of the late E. W. Talbot, the originator of the machinists' order.

### Smothered Under Iron Ore.

Tonawanda, N. Y., May 10.—John Bif, a laborer, was smothered to death at the Tonawanda Iron and Steel works. Bif was shoveling fine ore, when the pile gave way and buried him. When pulled out, his mouth, eyes and nos-trils were filled with the fine dust, a. 1 he was dead.

### In Memory of Daniel O'Connell.

London, May 10.-Services in memory of Daniel O'Connell, the Irish leader, have been arranged for May 15. Bishop Keane will pronounce the oration. The Catholic press is at present filled with many eulogistic articles in honor of O'Connell.

### A Little Girl's Mysterious Death,

Tweed, Ont., May 10.-Bessie, the -year-old adopted daughter of Mrs. Jane Jennings of this place, was found dead hanging to a tree. No explanation of the fatality has been given, and the authorities are making an investiga-

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