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WASHINGTON NEWS.

Send the Currency Message to Congress To-day.

Great Anxiety in Both Houses to Adjourn on Saturday.

> GAZETTE BUREAU, 1235 NEW YORK AVENUE, WASHINGTON July 22.

President McKinley caused it to be officially made public to-day that the currency message will be sent to Congress to-morrow. It is not expected by the President that the bill that will accompany the message will delay the adjournment of Congress. The President expects the House to pass the bill immediately and that the Senate will refer it to a committee where it will remain until next December.

In anticipation of this program being carried out, and that Congress will adjourn Saturday, the President is arranging his personal and public matters so as to be able to leave Washington next Wednesday for Lake Champlain for a month's vacation there.

0 0 0 Secretary Sherman had a fifteen minute talk with the President, during which time he announced his determination to leave the city to-morrow for Amagansett, L. I., to remain until cool weather comes.

Col. Robert G. Ingersoll, after awaiting an hour, had a talk with Mr. Me-Kinley. The distinguished orator desirous of having the President appoint to office a friend of his.

0 0 0 Senators Platt and Hawley talked to the President about Connecticut matters, among them being the Bridgeport collectorship.

Notwithstanding the near approach of the close of the session, the House met at noon to-day, with an attendance of over 200 members and with many more within close call had they been needed to make a quorum.

0 0 0 Representative Simpson could not resist the inclination to remark that he feared the great abundance of gold now being found in Alaska would have a tendency to make cheap gold dollars, to balance the present cheap silver dol-

0 0 Senator Wellington of Maryland is reported dangerously ill.

In the Senate to-day Mr. Bate introduced his new colleague, Mr. Turley, Senator Harris' successor from Tenessee. His credentials were read.

Mr. Turley was escorted to the Vice President and sworn in. Mr. Turley has a very kindly face, and they say he is a good orator.

0 0 There is great anxiety in both branches of Congress to adjourn not later than Saturday.

Narragansett Pier.

The N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. Co., will run one Grand Excursion to Narragansett Pier this season, at the popular rate of \$1.50, for the round trip. Special train service through to the Pier, without change of cars. Train will leave So. Norwalk, Friday, July 30th, at 8:00 a.m., and will be due at Narragansett Pier at 12.00 noon, leaving for return at 4.00 p. m.

This Watering place is famous for its unsurpassed bathing beach, more than a mile in length, .ts magnificent and impressive ocean views, and its beautiful drives, in the enjoyment of which the time allowed the Excursionists can be profitably utilized.

Bicycle Dealers Fail.

Seeley & Adams, bicycle dealers of Stamford, have to-day made an assignment with liabilities between \$4,000 and \$5,000, and the assets unknown. The firm kept two stores, one in Stamford and one in Portchester. The cause of the failure is said to be due to spoor collections at the Portchester branch.

Time Extended.

A circular which was issued yesterday from the highway commission states that the time allowed selectmen of towns to apply for their share of the appropriation made by the last legislaure has been extended until July 31.

-EASTMAN'S POCKET KODAK'S reduced from \$5 to \$2.50, at Riggs' Drug

The President Expected to Cold Blooded Butchery By Entries for the Bieycle Events Spontaneous Combus. Burglars at Daniel's Farms.

> George M. Nichols Killed and His Sister Seriously Wounded.

> The most brutal murder which occurred in this state for many years was perpetrated about 2 o'clock yesterday morning at the hamlet known as Daniel's farm in the town of Trumbull, when masked burglars shot and killed George Marcus Nichols and seriously wounded his sister.

> Mr. Nichols is a farmer and lived in an old farm house in a lonely spot some distance from any neighbors. Mr. Nichols and his sister were awakened in the night by noises about the house. They arose and dressed and Mr. Nichols made a tour of the the premises, going to the barn and the chicken house. He attributed the noise to chicken thieves. Both he and his sister decided to remain down stairs for a time and await developments.

> They had not yet retired when the noises were repeated, this time at one of the windows. They again descended when the door was burst in and two men rushed in and commenced an indiscriminate fusilade with revolvers.

> The aged man fell forward, with a bullet in his breast, just over the heart. His sister sank to the floor with a bullet in her side. One of the burglars stepped forward, according to Miss Nichols, who had not lost consciousness, and lifting the unconscious body of her brother to a chair, placed in his mouth some liquor, in which he placed some sort of a powder. A few seconds later the old man slipped off the chair, fell on his knees, dropped forward and

> The burglars then removed Miss Nichols to the kitchen and began to search the house. Miss Nichols, left alone, decided as to the best plan of action. Wounded though she was, she decided to undertake to reach the neighbors, and had started for the door, when one of the men heard her He summoned his companions and covering the woman with their revolvers, the spokesman announced their intentions of killing her if she attempted to leave the house, and they also demanded that she disclose the whereabouts of her money and that of her brother.

She told them of the hiding place of her funds, and also disclosed the spot where some of her brother's money would be found.

The burglars continued the search and succeeded in finding about \$200 in

They left strewn all over the house, certificates of stocks, bonds and other papers, valued at about \$75,000.

Some time after they left, Miss Nichols gave the alarm. Dr. Hill, of Trumbull, was summoned, and he found the woman to be seriously wounded. The injury, however, will not necessarily prove fatal.

There is absolutely no clue to the perpetrators of this dastardly act. On the suggestion offered by the Bridgeport police, the Trumbull officers began a plan of investigation which will make it difficult for the murderers to escape

if they are anywhere in the vicinity. Coroner Doten visited the scene of the murder yesterday afternoon and heard the testimony of Miss Nichols and the neighbors. His investigation resulted in no developments. In his opinion the murderers are not residents of the immediate vicinity although they exhibited an astonishing familiar-

ity with the vicinity. The examination will be continued

Took a Slide.

"Art" Wheater took an impromptu slide into the sound last evening. He was at Gregory's Point with a friend and stepped on the runway at the pier which was quite damp. As he did so his feet slipped from under him and he sat squarely down, and gracefully glided into the water. He lost no time in getting ashore but his face wore a look of woe as he all-dripping wet attempted to explain the cause of the accident to his friend.

Engine Hits a Trolley Car.

The 9:20 south bound passenger train on the Housatonic branch of the Consolidated road struck a car of the Bridgeport Traction company, yesterday morning, at the East Washington little damage was done.

FOULLY MURDERED. BUTCHERS BARBECUE

at the B. B. B. at the Fair Grounds.

The List Contains a Number of Fast Riders

The following are the entries for the picycle events to be held at the Butchers Barbecue at the Fair Grounds on Wednesday, July 28th. There are 47 entries in the 1-mile handicap; 45 in the ½ mile bandicap; 25 in the mile open and 27 in the 1 mile open. ONE MILE HANDICAP.

W. B. Parks, Norwalk; C. W. Clark, Altair Wheel club: F. A. Temple, of Stamford; H. Y. Bedell, Riverside; A. G. Relyea, Kings County W.; W Grigsby, Montclair, N. J., E. Bouton, Danbury; W. Weed, East Norwalk; W. S. Persons, T. C. W.; C. S. Trowbridge, Jr., Norwalk; C. C. Flagg, Stamford; C. Swenson, Jr., Stamford; A. Welsing, Harlem; H. N. Hall, Columbia University; Saxon Williams, Meriden; E. S. Collett, Meriden; A. Offen, Arthur Dow and R. R. Cole, New Canaan; E. R. Chattleton and J. F. Broderick of Waterbury; C. M. Wong and C. S. Burnham, of Yonkers; F. H. Berger, Bridgeport; W. W. Shepard, T. C. W.; N. Roberts, Brooklyn; H. L. Williams, N. Y .; F. Fullerton, Harlem: A. Knor, Alpha W. C.

John Ruel, Vim B. C.; M. W. Mix Stamford; F. L. Mills and E. G. Oakley of Southport; A. Ghiotto, T. C. W .: George Reith, Harlem: Oscar Rracke, Triumph Wheelmen; R. F. Hoffman, American W. C.; Charles M. Ertz, Riverside W.; D. G. Flynn, Triumph W.; J. Szparodski, Union City; Robert A. Miller, Greenwich W.; E. C. Hoss man, and P. B. Miles of Harlem W.; R. E. Curtis, T. C. W.; S. Wilson, Jr., Newark; H. M. Stivers, Riverside: E. N. Bean, New Haven; R. F. Cotter, T.

HALF-MILE HANDICAP.

W. B. Parks, Norwalk; C. W. Clark, Altair; F. A. Temple, Stamford; A. G. Relyea, Kings County W.; W. Gregsby Montclair: E. Bouton, Danbury: W. Weed, East Norwalk; W. S. Persons, T. C. W.; C. S. Trowbridge, Jr., Norwalk; T. C. Flagg, C. Swenson, Stamford; Saxon Williams, E. S. Collett. Meriden; A Offen, A. Dow and R. R. Cole, New Canaan; C. M. Williamson, New York; Percy Baker, Southport; E. R. Chattleton and J. F. Broderick, Waterbury; C. M. Wing and C. S. Burnham, Yonkers; F. H. Berger, Am. W. club; W. W. Shepard, T. C. W.; H. L. Williams, New York; F. Fullerton, Harlem; John Ruel, Vim B. C.; M. Mix, Stamford; Carl Werz, Darien; F. L. Mills, Southport; J. T. Alexander, Wilton; A. Ghiotto, T. C. W .: George Reith, Harlem; Oscar Kracke, Triumph W.; R. F. Hoffman, Am. W C.; Charles M. Ertz, Riverside W.; D. G. Flynn, Triumph W.; S. Szparodski, Union City; E. C. Hossman and P. B. Miles, Harlem; R. E. Curtis, T. C. W.: S. Wilson, Jr., Newark: M. Stevens, Riverside W.; E. N. Bean, New Haven; R. F. Cotter, T. C. W.; A.Knor, Alpha W. C.; F. Kelley, New Canaan.

ONE MILE OPEN.

H. T. Bedell, Riverside, W.; A. G. Relyea, Kings County W.; W. S. Persons T. C. W.; A. Wellsing, Harlem; H. N. Hall, Columbia W.: Saxon Williams, Meriden; E. S. Collett, Meriden; C. M. Williamson, N. Y.; J. F. Broderick, Waterbury; C. M. Wing, Yonkers; F. H. Berger, A. W. C.; W. W. Shepard, T. C. W.; F. Fullerton Harlem W.; John Ruel, Vim B. C.; F. L. Mills, Southport; J. T. Alexander, Wilton; George Reith, Harlem W.; C. M. Ertz, Riverside W.: J. Szparodski, Union City; Robert A. Miller Greenwich W.; E. C. Hossman, Harlem W.; R. E. Curtis, T. C. W.; S. Wilson, Jr., Newark; H. M. Stivers, Riverside W.; E. N. Bean, New Ha ven; O. V. Babcock Harlem W.

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AFTERNOON FIRE.

tion Starts a Blaze in a Bouten Street Barn.

The Flames Extinguished Before the Fire Department Arrived.

Yesterday afternoon at 4:40 o'clock fire was discovered in a barn on Bouton street, South Norwalk, owned by Louis Quittman.

An alarm of fire was at once turned in and Driver McGowan promptly responded with the Putnam Hose wagon, but his services were not required as Joseph Somers had succeeded in subduing the flames by means of a small garden hose before the arrival of the department.

The origin of the fire, which was confined to the hay mow, is unknown but as a quantity of new hay had just been placed in the barn, it is believed that spontaneous combustion started the

The prompt action of Somers in playing upon the fire with the garden hose prevented what might have been quite a fire and severe loss to Mr. Quittman. As it was there was scarcely any damage done so prompt was the action of

THE GAZETTE WOULD LIKE TO SEE

A thousand summer visitors in Nor-

The small army of mosquitoes now infesting the town migrate to Winni-

Nomad of the Sentinel rest on Sunday if she desires, but allow other people to do as they please.

Kickers understand that they don't have to close their stores but that the butchers have the right to make the

by the Cineograph. The people look out for another Yellow Kid " next Tuesday.

The Slattery-White fight reproduced

HartWeeks grow Klondyke whiskers. An explanation of the difference between the deliberate suicide and the one who monkeys with a gasoline stove.

Hon. William Jennings Bryan furnished a free pass to the Klondyke gold is visiting her sister, Mrs. Alfred Har-

A letter from Judge Hubbell on the gentlemen of the South.

The wheelmen turn out for the wheel-

The man who is not willing to receive prosperity with open arms. Jim Corbett lure Bob Fitzsimmons

into a game of ball and spike him. Captain Smith hustle around and

procure ingredients for a chowder. A six days talking match between

Captain Charles Riley and "Oats"

Brotherton. Jake Schaub's outing cap enlarged.

A game of water polo between Sheriff Lyon and Dr. Kennedy.

Hammock osculation exercises barred on Elm street.

That East avenue engagement announced before cold weather sets in. Olden Time Root Beer put up in

stone bottles only. Harry Leobold give up those Klondyke longings.

Those fish yarners in front of George Allen's provided with easy chairs. That Council red rag removed from

before the eyes of the Isaacs street Jerome May's Banjo club at Dorlon's

every Saturday night. That mud hole in front of the Wilson building on Wall street filled up.

Band Concert.

The City of Norwalk band will give an open air concert on the Green tonight. An excellent programme has been provided for the occasion.

To Picnic at Compo.

The Children of Mary of St. Mary's church, to the number of nearly fifty propose holding a picnic at Compo tomorrow afternoon.

-Wheat and Gold.

That you may be ready for the prosperity boom, the Boston Store, Norwalk, will give away a handsome seal leather pocket book, lined with ten crispy greenbacks, to-morrow night. Save your duplicate checks.

HIS NATAL DAY.

The Editor of the Gazette Celebrates the 71st Anniversary of His Birth.

To-day is the 71st anniversary of the birth of Mr. A. Homer Byington, Editor of the GAZETTE, he having been born July 23, 1826.

Mr. Byington first became acquainted with the printer's art in the office of Mr. Benham, the Yale College printer, in 1838. In 1840 he entered the office of the NORWALK GAZETTE as an apprentice and after three years service during which time he did in addition to the mechanical a good share of the editorial work, he purchased his unexpired term of apprenticeship and returned to college in New Haven and from where he was employed by Babcock & Wildman to report the Legislative proceedings for the Palladium. He soon afterwards joined a syndicate headed by Thomas G. Woodward, and started the New Haven Journal which subsequently purchased the Courier.

In 1847 Mr. Byington returned to Norwalk and purchased the GAZETTE, and has been its guiding and controlling spirit up to date.

Comforted at Compo.

Last evening John Girsch hitched ip his big bay team to a carryall and in company with John Manning, Harry Bennett, Charles Johnson, Fred Betts, Thomas McGann, John Russell, E. A. Phelps and Charles Payne, drove to Compo Beach where the party had a frolic in the inviting water and otherwise enjoyed themselves. They report several cloudbursts of mosquitoes which were decidedly active and bloodthirsty. The party returned home at a seasonable hour feeling much the better for their outing.

PERSONAL NOTES.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McCammon sailed for Europe yesterday.

Mrs. J. P. Zeluff is home from Ocean

H. Levy of New York is a guest of Sigmund Gusowski.

Rev. John T. Winters paid a visit to Granby, yesterday.

Benjamin Taylor of Boston is visiting friends in Boston.

Col. "Hod" Saunders spent the major part of the day yesterday, in New York. Patrick Dowd of Brooklyn who has been visiting his brother, John Dowd,

on Main street, returned home to-day. Louis Verlin was in town to-day. Miss Jennie McNichol of Bridgepor

ris in this city. Alfred Harris who is conducting the rifle range at Pleasure Beach is in town

Mr. and Mrs. William Brown are

visiting friends in New York. Theodore Elwood formerly a clerk in this city, but now located in Bridgeport, was in town yesterday.

Mrs. Stebbins Aams of Academy street is visiting friends in Danbury. E. S. Allen of Tonawanda, was in town to-day.

Benjamin Cooke and G. M. Henderson of Brooklyn, were guests at the Mahackemo last night.

Prosperity Boom.

Read the Boston Store's great prosperity boom on the last page of to-day's issue. Here will be found numerous reasons why prosperity has come, and as a fitting close to the argument this great emporium announces a series of prices that will make the heart of everylady who reads it happy. Hurrah for prosperity and the Boston Store.

The Wet Weather.

The continued wet weather is caus ing a rot among potatoes and other vegetables yet in the ground hereabouts. It has also seriously injured late haymaking and the harvesting of oats and

Mosquitoes.

The mosquitoes were so thick about town last night that they drove the people off their porches into the house At Dorlon's they were so fierce in their attack that they drove many people to seek the shelter of the hotel.

Crack-a-Jacks.

"There will be some fast finishes at the B. B. B. bicycle races," said a bi cyclist this morning who claims to know. Among the crack-a-jacks are C. M. Ertz and E. C. Hausman.

His Fifth Anniversary.

George Allen, Jr., is celebrating his fifth birthday anniversary to-day. He expects as a leading present a pony from Charley Schroeder.

EAST NORWALK

The regular Thursday evening prayer meeting was held in the lecture room last night.

Mrs. Ellsworth, of New York state and Mr. Ellsworth, of New York City, returned home last night after a short visit with Mrs. George Rose, of Cottage avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Seaman expect to occupy their new house on Cottage avenue, by the first of August.

The Ninth's Reunion.

The Ninth Regiment, Connecticut Volunteers, will hold the annual reunion at Hills' Homestead, Savin Rock, Thursday August 5. The date selected is the anniversary of the battle of Baton Rouge, in which the regiment par ticipated, and where the killing of General Williams occurred.

Norwalk Holds the Record.

Norwalk holds the record for furnishing examples of non-commissioned officers in the state militia, with good records of long and satisfactory service, being "discharged for the benefit of the service" after examination for promotion. There is grim irony in the fact that the latest example of this military sacrifice bears the illustrious name of Winfield Scott.-New Haven Palla-

Has He Gone to Alaska.

It is stated that Samuel Storey has again suddenly left town and that his whereabouts are unknown to his friends. "Sam" is a young man of a roving disposition, and it is not his first sudden disappearance from home, and no apprehension is felt but that he is all right wherever he may be.

MARRIAGES.

SHEPARD-REILLY.—In Bridgeport, July 22, by Rev. Father Rogers,, Julius Shepard and Miss Ella Reilly.

DEATHS.

BOOTH-In Stratford, July 18, Harmon S. Booth, aged 23 years.

DUNLAVEY—In Danbury, July 22, Anna, infant daughter of Thomas and Margaret Dunlavey, aged 7 months. FORSYTH-In Fairfield, July 16, John

FENNELL. — In Danbury, July 19, Lizzie, infant daughter of Patrick Fennell, aged 1 year.

Forsyth, aged 71 years.

FERRIS.-In Stamford, July 18, Silas H. Ferris, aged 53 years. HALL-In Easton, July 21, Delia,

widow of the late Philo Hall, aged 80 HUBBELL.-In Norwalk, July 18, Mary B., daughter of the late Mathies

Hubbell, aged 79 years. HOWARD—In Bridgeport, July 18, William S., son of Harry and Harriet

Howard, aged 24 years. Hubbard—In Bridgeport, July 18 Dr. Robert Hubbard, aged 71 years. KELLY.-In Danbury, July 20, Mrs

LATHROP-In Danbury, July 21, Vic tor L., son of Fred W. and Daisy Lath rop, aged 8 months. LIEBSCHER-In Bridgeport, July 21 John William, infant son of John C.

Ellen Kelley, aged 66 years.

and Elizabeth Liebscher, aged 1 month. Lane.—In Norwalk, July 18, Mary J., wife of David M. Lane aged 68

LACEY.—In Danbury, July 19, Lucy Frances, infant daughter of Frank and Adele Lacey aged 9 months.

LINEHAN-In Bridgeport, July 21, Daniel Linehan, aged 65 years. LAWRENCE. - In South Norwalk, July

19, Mary, wife of Stiles Lawrence, aged 24 years. MUNGER-In Goshen, N. Y., July 22,

Grace Lunsford, widow of Calvin A. Munger and daughter of the late Wyllys Stillman.

MILLER.—In Stamford, July 18, Frank Miller, aged 54 years.

M'NEIL.—In Bridgeport, July 19, Kenneth, son of Walter S. and Sarah A. M'Neil, aged I year.

M'COURT. — In Danbury, July 20, James E. McCourt, aged 18 years. MURRAY.— In Bridgeport, July 20, John son of Hugh and Margaret Mur-

ray aged 26 years. PARDEE.—In Bridgeport, July 20, Harold A., son of Julia Pardee, aged 1

PARROTT.—In Bridgeport, July 19, John Parrott, aged 79 years. PARKER-In Bridgeport, July 16, Pauline A., wife of Edwin M. Parker

aged 49 years. RYLEY-In Stratford, July 22, Jane, widow of William Ryley, aged 46 years. STEWART-In Bridgeport July 17.

Mary, widow of George Stewart, aged 74 years. STERLING.—In Bridgeport, July 20, Charles Sherwood. son of Charles S. and Mary L. Sterling, aged 4 years.

TUTTLE.-In South Norwalk, July 18, Mrs. Lewis Tuttle aged 83 years.

WALSH.-In Danbury, July 20, Howard Edward, infant son of John P. and Elizabeth Walsh, aged 9 months.

HON. A. J. MUNDELLA DEAD.

He Originated Arbitration For the Settlement of Trades Disputes.

London, July 22.—The Right Hon. Anthony J. Mundella, member of parliafor the Brightside division of Sheffield and twice president of the board of trade, with a seat in the cabinet, died today of paralysis. He was stricken Tuesday of last week.

Mr. Mundella, who belonged to the radical wing of the Liberal party, was born in 1825. On his father's side he was of Italian descent. He received a liberal education and was subsequently engaged in the staple trade at Nottingwhere he became sheriff in 1852 In 1859 he organized the first courts of arbitration for the settlement of trade disputes, and this was the most impor-



tant incident of his career, though he subsequently occupied a large place in the public eye in the development of public education and British commerce. In 1868 he entered parliament as an advanced Liberal, representing Sheffield until 1885, when he was returned by the Brightside division of Sheffield. From 1880 to 1885 he was vice president of the council of education and a charity commissioner. In 1886 Mr. Gladstone offered him the portfolio of president of the board of trade, with a seat in the cabinet, a post which he resigned, of course, when the Gladstone ministry went out of office over the home rule question. When Mr. Gladstone returned to power in 1892, he offered Mr. Mundella the same portfolio, which was accepted and held until 1894. Mr. Mundella established the labor department of the board of trade and founded The Board of Trade Journal and The Labor Gaette. He was president of the British and Foreign School society, the National Education association and the Association of Technical Institutes. During his parliamentary career he was a leading member of several royal commissions on labor, education of the blind and the poor law school. He was a fluent and forceful speaker, equally effective in the house of commons, on the hustings and in public meetings of a nonpolitical character. His addresses on labor, conciliation and arbitration, education, economics and his statistical publications have long held an enviable rank. He was a man of fine presence and polished manners, traveled extensively and was a liberal patron of the fine arts. He enjoyed the personal friendship of Mr. Gladstone.

To Retain Japan's Friendship.

Vancouver, B. C., July 22 .- According to the Japanese papers of Kokumin, just received here, Mr. Buck, the new United States minister, has brought with him instructions to maintain as pacific an attitude as possible between Japan and the United States. The paper remarks that this is as it should be and that it would be a great pity to interrupt the friendly relations which have hitherto prevailed between America and Japan, especially over such a paltry thing as Hawaii.

A Stay For Dr. Swallow.

Philadelphia. July 22.—The appeal of the Rev. Dr. Silas C. Swallow from the \$500 fine imposed upon him upon conviction of criminal libel came up in the superior court. Judge Rice asked counsuperior court. Stage rate asked court set to present to the court in writing the points raised in the application for the supersedeas. This was done, and the court handed down an order allowing the supersedeas and directing a

Electricity In a Canyon.

Canon City, Colo., July 22.-The officials of the Denver and Rio Grande Railroad company have decided to illuminate the famous Royal gorge with electricity, the lighting fluid being furnished from the city. This is to be done for the benefit of travelers whose business makes it necessary for them to pass through the gorge at night.

Mrs. Maffitt's Will.

St. Louis, July 22.-The will of Mrs. Julia C. Maffitt, reputed to have been the righest woman in St. Louis, has been filed for probate. The estate is valued at \$3,000,000 and consists largely of personal property, which is divided among six children, share and share Charitable bequests amounting to \$30,000 are made.

Selma Larson Buried.

New York, July 22.-The funeral of Selma Larson, the girl whose death in the hospital at Fishkill Landing last Sunday is surrounded with mystery, was held today at 164 East Ninety-second street, the home of Mrs. Charles Wichstrom, a sister. Rev. Mr. Stolphie officiated. Interment was at St. Mi-

Harris Will Leave the Navy.

Annapolis, July 22.-Naval Cadet George S. Harris of Georgia, who was involved in the Fourth of July fireeracker explosion, has resigned from the navy. He is still on the Santee, but his resignation will probably be accepted. He had the alternative, it is said, of resigning his cadetship or dis-

A Belgian Steamer Sunk.

Southampton, July 22.—The British steamer St. Fillans, Captain Stabb, which sailed from Rotterdam on July 19 for New York, has arrived here with bows badly damaged. Yesterday, off the isle of Wight, she ran into and sank the Belgian steamer Concha. Nine of the erew of the Concha were drowned.

A Peculiar Cause of Death

London, July 22 .- Mrs. Frances Samuelson of Breckenbrough Hall, York-shire, died at the home of her father-inlaw, the Right Hon. Sir Bernhard Samuelson, Bart., Prince's Gate, London, from injuries received while her hair was being dressed with a petroleum hair wash which ignited.

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When your poor back still aches. Because you don't get down to

Try Doan's Kidney Pills. The unexpected always happens. If you toss all night racked with back pain.

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This is their mission they fulfil it. No need to read statements from people in Norwalk, Ohio, Norwalk, Ct., turnishes enough of proof. Read this case. Mrs. Clune, of 58 Belden avenue, says: "My daughter is an employee at Hutchinson, Cole & company's and lately her work has told upon her physically, the trouble manifesting it-self in pain in the small of the back, and a weary and tired feeling. We thought Doan's Kidney Pills might help her and I got a box at Hale's drug store. They cured her. I have no hesitation in heartily recommending

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SALOON FOR BICYCLE GIRLS.

A Place Where They Put Their Feet on the Rod and Act Like Men.

"The Sergeant's," in big, bold black letters, over the door of a little building at 287 Pennsylvania avenue northwest, is the somewhat unusual sign which has attracted attention. A peep through the open doors at the interior, which is fitted up with a handsome oak bar, with the usual amount of looking-glass and shelves full of bottles, would strengthen the first impression, but for the fact that almost at any time in the day trim young ladies in bicycle costumes may be seen. their dainty feet resting on the rod in front of the bar, holding a glass full of sparkling liquid, and gazing at their reflections in the bevelled mirror. The place is unique in every respect. It is a saloon in reality, and fitted up just as the average saloon is fitted up, but it is a temperance saloon. The proprietor is James H. McChesney, who was formerly a sergeant in the regular army. It is the only saloon in the United States, he says, which is conducted as a saloon and yet at which only temperance drinks are sold. He decided that there was a certain fascination about a saloon which had as much charm for the average young man as the liquor he drank.

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SHE SAVED THE EMPEROR'S LIFE.

ager-Empress of Russia saved her husband's life on two occasions. One day, when in the Emperor's dressing room, she observed that on his dressing-table lay a curious-looking little jewel case; something about its appearance aroused her curiosity, and, taking it up, she became aware that it was extremely heavy. Without saying a word she went into her room, and placed it carefully in a basin of water, then sending for the Prefect of Police, whose duties kept him much about the place, she begged him to have it examined, and it was discovered to be one of the most marvellous infernal machines ever invented by the ingenuity of man. The second oceasion on which the Empress was directly instrumental in stopping murder occurred in the Winter Palace, when she heard a slight noise which indicated the presence of some stranger in the Czar's study. Without betraying the slightest anxiety, she begged her husband to come and speak to one of the children, He did so. She locked the door, and only gave up the key to a party of soldiers, who found, when they entered the apartment, that someone had just escaped through the win-

Are Trusted for Their Car Fare,

It is perhaps not generally known, even in Brooklyn, that persons of respectable appearance may travel on the street cars of that city when they have no money. A woman who has left her purse at home, or a man who has spent all his change speculating in stocks, if ordinarily dressed, has only to tell the conductor the condition of affairs, on boarding the car, to get carried to any desired point.

The conductor gives the penniless passingers an envelope addressed to the office of the company, in which to forward later the lacking nickel. This is done as a matter of course, and only a passenger who locks disreputable

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THE LOGAN MONUMENT

Statue In Honor of the "Black Eagle' Unveiled In Chicago.

THE NOTABLE MEN PRESENT

Secretary of War Represented the Government In Absence of the President-The Warrior's Grandson Pulled the Silken Cords.

Chicago, July 23.-The John A. Logan monument in Lake Front park was dedicated with much pomp this afternoon. A few minutes past 1 o'clock John A. Logan III, the 5-year-old grandson of the "Black Eagle," pulled the silken cord which parted the veils concealing the magnificent likeness of the great commander as he rallied the broken ranks of the Federal troops and led them on to victory before the city of Atlanta July 22, 1864.

Crowds began assembling along Michigan avenue at an early hour, anticipating the crush which was to follow, and proceeded to establish themselves in position for a day of sightseeing. Reviewing stands lined the broad thor-



LOGAN MONUMENT.

oughfare facing the monument. Window space was at a premium. As 1 o'clock, the hour set for the unveiling, drew near the jam became almost unbearable, but police precautions were timely and the crowds good natured.

The work of the committees in charge of the dedication was perfect. President McKinley was unable to leave Washington, but the government was represented by Secretary of War Russell A. Alger.

Shortly before 1 o'clock the reviewing stand at the monument began filling with distinguished personages. Seats were provided for 5,000.

Distinguished Guests.

Governor Tanner and suit of Illinois, Governor Schofield and suit of Wisconsin, Governor Mount and suit of Indiana and Governor Holcomb and staff of Nebraska were among the first to enter, following immediately after the presentation committee. Secretary of War Alger and the judges of the supreme and circuit courts came next, escorted by Chairman W. H. Harper of the executive committee and George R. Peck, the orator of the day. Sculptor St. Gau-dens followed. The Logan family-Mrs. John A. Logan, Major and Mrs. W. F. Tucker and Captain and Mrs. John A. Logan—were almost the last to

enter the stands. The boom of cannon on board the revenue cutters Gresham, Fessenden and Calumet, anchored in the bay, announced the hour of 1. The Rev. Dr. Arthur Edwards in an eloquent prayer

opened the ceremonies. Henry W. Blodgett, chairman of the presentation committee, on behalf of the commissioners, presented the monument to the state, and amid the rat-tle of artillery "little Jack III" tugged at the silken cord, the veils fell from the statue and the thousands applauded. Again the artillery salute rent the air as the United States band struck up the stirring "Battle Scenes of the War."

Governor John R. Tanner in a short speech accepted the monument on behalf of Illinois and gave way to the orator of the day, George R. Peck. Mr. Peck paid an eloquent tribute to the soldier statesman with whom he served as a comrade in arms.

The programme was completed short ly after 3 o'clock. The parade and re-view followed. The troops, falling in line in Twelfth street, at the command of Grand Marshal General Brooke o the department of Missouri, marched north on Michigan avenue past the re-viewing stand. Over 20,000 men were in line, headed by a squad of police or foot. The survivors of General Logan's old regiment, the Thirty-first Illinois volunteers, led the van, proudly bearing the old regimental flag, tattered and torn by 200 Confederate bullets.

Description of the Monument.

The statue of General Logan dedicat ed this afternoon was designed by St Gaudens and is the largest equestrian statue in America. The figure of General Logan as it stands on its granite pedestal is dressed in the uniform of a major general. He sits erect and bareheaded, with his left hand grasping the bridle rein, while with his right hand he bears aloft the flag. The endeavor of the sculptor was to reproduce as nearly as possible the scene presented as Logan rallied the troops before At-lanta after General McPherson's death

From the base to the top of the horse's withers is 11 feet 3 inches and to the top of Logan's head is 15 feet 11 inches. The entire weight is 14,200 pounds. The statue stands 24 feet above Lake Michigan. Through the center of the mound a foundation of brick has been built, within which is a crypt for the reception of General Lo-

gan's remains. The approach leading up to the mon ument is by a series of steps and ter-races 96 feet long. The statue faces Eldredge court, in the center of Lake Front park, and in full view of General Logan's old home in Park row. The entire expense of erection and unveiling was \$80,000, of which the state appropriated \$50,000.

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Almost everything for the table but hot biscuit and a few other dishes is the better for being served in cracked ice these days.

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To be on the sick list these days is to have to endure a lot of privation, for nature is making out-door life a continual joy to those in good health and who care to indulge in it.

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THE OLDEST PRIEST DEAD.

Rev. Father Havermans of Troy Passes Away In His 92d Year.

Troy, N. Y., July 23 .- The Rev. Father Havermans, who had been a priest in America longer than any other now liv-



ing, died at his home in this city today. He had been a priest 67 years, and was 91 years old. When he came to this country there were but 20 priests in the whole state of

New York and about 200 in all the United States. They now number over 8,000.

All the Catholic clergymen who lived in this country when Father Haver-mans came here have since died with the exception of the Rev. Father Durben of Kentucky. Father Durben is believed to have retired from the performance of his duties, so that Father Havermans was the oldest Catholic

priest in active duty in this country.

There are now living two older priests than Father Havermans, the Rev. Father Carrol of Chicago and another priest at South Bend, Ind., but they came to this country long after Father Havermans. He came to Troy 55 years ago. Then the Roman Catholics of Troy had but one institution. Now they have eight churches, two large orphan asylums, a home for the aged poor, a home for the reformation of unfortunate women, an imposing and well managed theological seminary, an academy which is taking rank with the principal educational institutions of the country, a parochial school and numerous minor schools and buildings. Father Havermans commenced his

ninety-second year on March 23, and he began the sixty-eighth year of his priesthood on Jan. 6.

A GEORGIA LYNCHING.

A Negro Hanged by a Mob Forty Miles From Atlanta.

Atlanta, July 23.—Oscar Williams, the negro who committed an assault on the daughter of a Henry county farmer last week and was transferred to the Macon jail for safe keeping, was taken from the Central railroad train, on which he was being brought to Atlanta, at Griffin today and lynched. Williams was pursued through four counties by hundreds of armed men immediately after committing his crime, but managed to escape. He was finally captured by a farmer at Barnesville and hurred off to Macon. thought he would be safe in the jail

Excitement in the case was supposed to have subsided until last night, when rumors reached Macon that an effort would be made by a mob from the neighborhood of the scene of the crime to take the negro out of the jail, and the police reserve and military were called out to protect him. To make sure of his safety, however, the officials de-cided to take their prisoner to Atlanta. They started with him on the Central train leaving Macon at 4:20 o'clock. At Griffin, 40 miles from Atlanta, near the scene of Williams' crime, a mob boarded the train, took the negro from his guards and marched him through the principal business street of the town to a point 200 yards outside the corporation limits and hanged him to a tree. His body was riddled with bullets.

The members of the mob made no

attempt at disguise, and their names are known in Griffin, which is a town of 5,000 inhabitants. Several of them were heard to declare that if they had Mayor Huguely of Barnesville, who, by calling out the militia, saved Williams from being lynched when first captured, they would hang him by the negro's side. Williams confessed to his captors before they hanged him.

A Schooner Sunk.

Boston, July 23 .- A dispatch from Nobska, Vineyard sound, says that an unknown three masted schooner was unk on Hedge Fence shoal. The same dispatch says that an unknown two masted schooner is ashore on the middle ground near that port.

The Weather.

Fair; stationary temperature; south-erly to southwesterly winds.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

Closing Quotations of the New York Stock Exchange.

General Markets.

New York, July 22.—FLOUR—State and western quiet and a shrzle easier; city mills patents, \$5a5.10; winter patents, \$4.40a4.70; city mills clears, \$4.70a4.85; winter straights

WHEAT-No. 2 red opened easier under weak cables and declined all the morning of long selling; July, 851/a863/sc.; September, 75/4a

RYE-Steady; No. 2 western, 40c., c. i. f.. Buffalo. CORN—No. 2 dull and easier with wheat; September, 31½a31½c.; December, 33½c. OATS—No. 2 neglected and nominal; track, OATS—No. 2 neglected and nominal; track,

white, state, 2312a30c.; track, white, western. PORK-Quiet; mess, \$7.75a8.25; family, \$9.25a LARD-Dull; prime western steam, \$4.35,

BUTTER-Dull; state dairy, 10alic.; state creámery, 11a15c. CHEESE — Quiet; state, large, 71/4a7%c.; small, 7a74c. EGGS—Quiet; state and Pennsylvania, 12½a

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New England's Good Fortune.

It is the happy fortune of New England to be gratefully remembered by the descendants of many of her sons and daughters who went West years ago and grew up with that imperial section of the republic. Although each successive decennial census has reduced the political importance of the six little States which in the early years of our national history were a mighty force; although the West, largely the creation of those States, is now in the saddle and compels New England to swallow such bitter pills as taxed hides, taxed wool, and taxed coal; although wonderful social and industrial changes have been wrought in those States by the emigration of native and the immigration of alien stock; although the primacy of New England in manufactures is challenged by rivals in many States and various sections, and her metropolis is no longer the undisputed literary center-in spite of all this she has a warm place in the affections of those citizens of the West whose lineage leads towards Plymouth Rock.

And this is not only honorable but

profitable. Endowments for New Eng. land colleges, libraries, and other public institutions have been for many decades flowing in from the West. Manchester, Vt., is the latest recipient of a gift of this kind. That typical and therefore necessarily beautiful little New England town is having a library bestowed upon it by Mrs. Henry J. Willing, of Chicago. Many years ago Richard Skinner was governor of Vermont and subsequently Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of that state. To this eminent citizen was born a son, to whom the name of Mark was given. Mark Skinner appears to have anticipated a sentiment uttered by Stephen A. Douglas in his memoriable Presidential campaign. The "Little Giant,", facing an audience of Green Mountaineers, blandly remarked: "Vermont is a glorious state to be born inprovided one emigrates young." Prior to that Mark Skinner had emigrated to Chicago, where he became a leading citizen, universally respected. Mrs. Henry J. Willing is a daughter of the late Judge Mark Skinner, and fittingly honors her father in the gift of a library to Manchester, which was dedicated last week. The building is architecturally beautiful and cost \$50,000. This seems a small sum to Washingtonians, in view of the new building on Capitol Hill that has cost six or seven millions, but when we remember that one of these structures stands for the nation and the other for a little rural town the case assumes a different as pect. Fifty thousand dollars for Mane lester is greater than seven million dollars for the United States. It is stated that already 10,000 well selected volumes are on the shelves, many of them coming from Judge Skinner's ample collection of books. The walls of the building are hung with views of Damascus, Beirut, Jerusalem, and other cities, secured by Mrs. Willing in her trip to the Holy Land.

in libraries that be This city long to the United States, but very poor in free public libraries for its own people. It has never had a Peabody, a Pratt, a Cooper, or any other philanthropist whose benevolence took that shape. Perhaps some wealthy citizen will some time do for literature and the education that comes of books what the late W. W. Corcoran did for art. But it is not best to wait for what may come in that way. "Heaven helps those who help themselves." If we prove our interest in the matter by doing what we can we shall not be less worthy of benevolent assistance nor less likely to get it.

May we not hope that some true lover of Norwalk will yet remember to provide a legacy for a public library worthy the town and the memory of the donor.

FEMININE CHAT.

The end seat in the open cars is not so desirable when it pours.

A double frill of ribbon in contrasting colors is used advantageously on many of the summer frocks.

No dish appeals to the adult palate like the bread and butter and brown sugar combination of childhood days.

Plants that are neglected appeal to the tender-hearted with almost as much force as though they were human beings.

It is said that the summer girl to be thoroughly au fait in the matter of dress should own at least sixteen pairs

Some women do not appear to consider it bad form to wear as much jewelry with a shirt waist as they would with a ball gown.

Our duty when it seems the hardest is certain to be the line of action we ought to pursue.

A picnic party will never be quite perfection until the black ants become convinced that their society is not a necessary adjunct to the happiness of those participating in the al fresco ensertainment.

A Novel Communication.

An Arkansas lawyer, who was a naave of North Carolina, not long ago wanted to inform a juror, also a native of North Carolina, that they both hailed from the same state. So he dropped some chewing gum, stepped upon it, and pretended that his heel had stuck to the floor. This gave him an opportunity to say that he was a "tar heel" and that the warmth of the room had made the tar run. The verdict proved that the tar heels stuck together.-New York Tribune.

Landseer Ambidextrous.

Landseer was once present at a party when the conversation turned upon feats of dexterity, and a lady exclaimed: "Well, there is one thing nobody has ever done, and that is to lraw two things at once!" "Oh, yes, I think I can do that," returded Landseer; and, with a pencil in each hand, he drew rapidly and simultaneously the profile of a stag's head, with all its intlers complete, and the perfect proile of a horse's head. Both drawings were full of energy.-Philadelphia ledger.

----An Uprising in His Midst.

"Speaking of Cuban uprisings and insurrections," said Wallace, "I shall never forget one that occurred twenty years ago."

"Were you present?" asked Ferry. "Very much so. It happened about five minutes after I had lighted one of my father's big. black Havana cigars.' -Cincinnati Enquirer.

An Applied Axiom.

"My erring brother," said the Salvation Army worker, "do you not know that it is just as great a sin to steal a pin as to steal a dollar?"

"Guess you got it about right," said Billy the Dil. "After this I ain't goin' to steal nothin' that ain't worth nothin'."-Cincinnati Enquirer.

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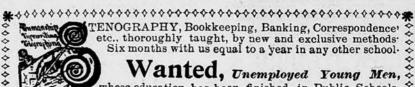
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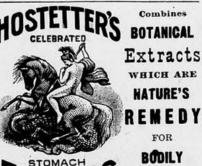
NOTICE is hereby given to all persons liable to pay taxes to the city of Norwalk, in the County of Fairfield and State of Connecticut, that the undersigned, Collector of Taxes for said City, on the list of 1896, has received a warrant from the Mayor for the collec tion of the tax laid by said city, March 1, 1897, on the ratable estate liable to taxation therein; that

Said Tax is Payable July 15,

And that he will be present at the Water Commissioners' Room in the Fairfield County National Bank Building, every week day from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and from 2 to 5 p. m.. and evenings from 7:30 to 9 o'clock, from July 15, 1897 until September 1, 1897.

Also, that upon all of said taxes remaining unpaid after the 15th day of August, 1897, interest at the rate of (9) per cent per annum will be charged from the 15th day of July, 1897 until the same is paid. Addison A. Betts

Collector of City Taxes, List of 1896.



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ton, S. N.

SOUTH NORWALK.

Branch Office of GAZETTE No. 12 North Main Street

The steamer Belle Horton will make an excursion to Pleasure Beach next Sunday.

There was a very unpleasant if not unhealthy odor on South Main street, this morning.

Arthur L. Miller who has been staying at the City Hotel for several days, has returned to his home in Hancock,

The mosquitoes drove nearly every one into the house last night. They came in swarms and appeared to enjoy themselves.

Orderly Robert G. Mitchell of Gen. Frost's staff will take his first lesson in equestrianship to-night, preparatory to the duties of his new position at Camp Cooke.

"Jake" Schaub has the choice of fifty steeds upon which to ride in the butchers parade next Wednesday among the number being four Shetland ponies.

The J. M. Layton agency sold tickets to Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Syring who have sailed for Bremen on the steamship Trave.

Work was resumed this morning on the Methodist church, the bank building and the post office building.

Mrs. John F. Golden and her daugh ter Mrs. Julia Lester were among the passengers on the steamer Belle Horton, this morning. There was a fairly good number of passengers.

A special meeting of the City Council has been called for this evening. The Crescent Terrace wall collapse will probably be discussed.

Ex-baggage-master "Larry" Cavan augh went to New York on the steamer Belle Horton this morning. It is Mr. Cavanaugh's first visit to the metropolis in over nine years.

How few of us realize anything of the undercurrent in the lives about us.

Many a woman takes a parasol out with her, but forgets all about putting it up until she wonders why on earth she is so warm.

-\$10 given away at the Boston Store, Norwalk, to-morrow July 24, at 10

It may be a pleasing bit of news to be informed that the fashions in furs for next season have been decided up-

The individual on a wheel who insists upon passing another on the right side will some day pass over to the other side from which there will be no com-

If one is rich and has hay fever the doctor says go away at once; if poor, the victim can stay at home and sneeze it out on that line if it takes all sum-

The rumble of the ice wagon is music to the housewife's ear when the butter has started on a running match and the other contents of the refrigerator are being overcome with the heat.

Men ought never to growl about the weather-they know nothing of its discomfort, not having to worry over tresses that will not stay curled, though tongs and papers are in constant re-

A vote will be taken at the police headquarters Monday evening on the matter of accepting or rejecting the new city charter.

Youngsters are smoking glass to the more thoroughly witness the eclipse of the sun to-morrow morning.

Two out of town warblers sang for nickels and pennies about this city yesterday afternoon. They had excellent voices and gathered quite a harvest of pennies.

A large proportion of the Adams factory store-house has been razed to make room for the march of improve ment on Railroad place.

Judge Frost sentenced Lewis Chatosh to ten days in jail, yesterday. The accused had assaulted his wife.

Examinations of applicants for admission to the State Normal school will be held at the Franklin street school

Captain Henry Decker has leased the sloop Surprise.

The sun putting in an appearance this morning the employees at the Old Well Cigar factory assembled for the purpose of going, but the rain clouds put in an appearance and the men returned home.

Several pedestrians had narrow escapes from being run down by bicycle riders on Riverside avenue last evening. The practice riders have of propelling their wheels on the sidewalks of that avenue is unlawful and the nuisance ought to be abated at once.

E. A. Woodward gave his annual shore dinner to the members of Putnam Hose company and a few invited guests at Roton Point last evening. Among the guests were J. D. Kimmey, R. H. Golden, Matthew Corbett and J. A. Volk. About forty persons sat down to the feast. John Wehle acted as toast master. The speeches abounded in wit and the gathering was altogether a merry one.

-Advertise in THE GAZETTE.

LOCAL AND OTHER NEWS.

M. Sheedy is suffering from injuries given him by a fractious cow one day this week.

—Flour, 65c per bag; granulated sugar, 20 lbs. for \$1.00; best creamery butter, 20c lb.; full cream cheese, 14c lb. W. R. Bates' Cash Grocery, 47 Main street.

The A. M. E. church lawn festival last evening was fully up to the expec tations of those who engineered it.

—\$75 in gold free, Aug. 23. Best shoes; Lowest prices and chance at the gold. A. H. Hoyt & Son, 37 Wall street. J. 23-lwk.

Captain Parkington will take a party out on a clamming expedition on his yacht "Conductor" to-morrow.

-Buy one of the new lawn wrappers at the Boston Store, Norwalk, and get the \$10 to-morrow night.

Greatly to the surprise of their friends Smith Northrop, W. R. Bates and Josiah Dodge are not entered in the bicycle events at the Butchers' Barbecue.

The Weather.

Showers this afternoon and to-night. Probably fair Saturday.

Body Found.

The body of Elmer Pearce who was drowned at Balls Pond near Danbury was recovered yesterday in one of the deepest parts of the pond.

Agreed to Return Home.

The young Bigden boy, who ran away from Stamford and joined the Salvation Army, was discharged by Bridgeport court yesterday on his agreeing to return home.

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

Swindled Many.

It has since been learned that the sawdust swindler" not only worked Danbury and Redding farmers, but quite a few in Wilton, Branchville and Ridgefield, with the fake mosquito cure. One farmer bought a large supply and sold it to his neighbors. Now he is settling up and taking back the sawdust.

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.

Sherman Council, R. A. did degree work last night. The officers of Kabaosa Encampment

I. O. O. F., were installed last night.

The Daughters of Erin held a regular meeting last night.

Sherman Commandery, U. O. G. C. has objected to the five-franc piece. will entertain leading officers of the order to-night.

FOUND HIS WIFE AFTER 47 YEARS. 1 Tale That Proves Fiction is no Stranger Than Truth.

A romantic story developed recently at Wilder's, Ind., by the arrival of William Easley, living near Elkton, Ky., to claim his wife after an absence

of nearly forty eight years. Easley left his wife, a bride of fifteen months, and a babe in the cradle in 1849 to seek a fortune for his family. He sold his property, and with \$1,000 started overland for the Pacific coast to prospect in the mines. He took up a claim, and letters to his wife told of promised success. He was gone a year when his letters stopped. The wife did not despair, but months lapsed into years, and still Easley was not heard from. Mrs. Easley, after ten years of waiting, concluded that her husband was dead, and five years later she again married and moved to Indiana. Her second husband died in 1896, leaving the widow in indigent circumstances.

Easley having learned that his wife, whom he believed dead, was living, and the sequel was that he found the bride of his youth in Wilder. Easley said he received advices in California that his wife was dead. He went from California to Todd county, Ky., where he is the owner of a large farm, and where the aged couple will spend their declining years.

A Curious Post-Office.

The smallest, simplest ,and best-proected post-office in the world is in the straits of Magellan, and has been there or many years. It consists of a small painted keg or cask, and is chained to he rocks of the extreme cape, in a nanner so that it floats free, opposite l'erra del Fuego. Each passing ship sends a boat to take letters out and put others in. This curious post-oface is unprovided with a postmaster, and is, therefore, under the protection of all the navies of the world. Never in the history of this unique office has ts privilege been abused.

A-Well, and how did you sleep last aight? Did you follow my advice and begin counting?

B-Yes. I counted up to 18,000. A-And then you fell asleep? B-No, then it was time to get up .-

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The difference between these pills and all other medicines is told in the following statement of facts:

1st. They have been in active demand in the markets of the world since 1770, or for nearly one hundred and thirty years.

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3d. They are kept for two years in our storehouses after being made, and no pills are sold until they are TWO YEARS old. This allows them to become thoroughly mellowed and makes of them the very best and safest cathartic medicine that it is possible to procure.

4th. They never become inured to the system; that is, the same dose will always produce the same effect. This cannot truthfully be said of any other medicine. There are others who claim it, but demonstrations show it to be true only of BRANDRETH'S PILLS.

5th. They never produce griping or pain unless the stomach is in a very acid condition, and then only if the dose is a large one. In doses of one or two pills they never cause pain or other inconvenience.

6th. One pill taken after a heavy meal will relieve distress immediately.

7th. Brandreth's Pills are composed one-third of the best extract of sarsaparilla that can be made. It is highly concentrated and it makes of these pills the best blood purifiers that you can get, one 25-cent box containing more of the active blood-purifying principle of sarsaparilla than a dollar's worth of any liquid preparation in the market.

8th. One or two, taken every night, will cure rheumatism in almost every

9th. They are a positive and effective remedy for constipation and for all the long list of ills that follow in its wake-such as dyspepsia, dizziness, drowsiness, coated tongue, foul breath, headache, pain in the stomach, etc. Take one or two pills every night-one is usually enough-and be certain that a cure will follow.

10th. They are the best complexion pills. After you have taken them for a few nights, your skin will assume a wholesome, healthful color, your eye a brilliant lustre, and sallowness and pimples will disappear.

11th. BRANDRETH'S PILLS NEVER injure—you are always in better health after taking a dose-they are the safest medicine to give children and women in delicate health. One pill is usually sufficient.

12th. No medicine is made with such infinite care as BRANDRETH'S PILLS -no medicine but Brandreth's Pills is kept for two years before they are boxed to be sold.

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14th. BRANDRETH'S PILLS are sold throughout the world, with and without sugar coating. They never fail to do their work.

The Value of Nuts as Food.

Didden Treasure. It is asserted by the Industrielle Echo, a reputable German paper, that auts and raisins after a full meal, or thousands of five-franc pieces are split into two halves by their French owners every year, in the hope of "discovering" an immense hidden treasure. This treasure, according to the legend | nasticated, and eaten not as a dessert, firmly believed in France, is an order out in place of other food, are more to pay the holder 100,000 francs in silver five-franc coins. When Napoleon Bonaparte first set the five-franc pieces in circulation the conservative mind of the French revolted against the numismatic revolution, and it was very difficult to induce a Frenchman to receive or proffer the new coin.

Hence, according to the story, Napoleon gave it to be understood that he had ordered a check for 100,000 francs, written upon asbestos paper, to be concealed in one of the new silver pieces. From that day to this nobody

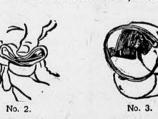
TIRES THAT LEAK.

The Morgan & Wright single-tube quick-repair tire must be regarded as a tely carried her to a suggeon, who a distinct improvement in bicycle tire | imputated her leg above the first joint. construction. It has the following advantages:

While punctures in it can be repaired with plugs, or semi-liquid in | and Mr. Raymond had a cork leg made jections, as well as in any other single-tube tire, it can be permanently repaired by using the quick-repair strip inside the tire. See cut No. 1.



By injecting M. & W. quick-repair cement through the puncture, and then pressing down on the tire with the thumb, as in cut No. 2, the repair





strip inside is picked up by the cement, thus closing the puncture, as in cut

The Morgan & Wright single-tube quick-repair tire is guaranteed not porous. This is on account of the way in which it is made. Nearly every rider has heard of tires that "leak like a sieve."

Many tires rot, because water gets into the fabric between the two layers of rubber. The Morgan & Wright fabric is proof against moisture. Everybody knows how comfortable

Morgan & Wright tires are, and yet how seldom they puncture. This is due to the fabric. Ask any bicycle dealer whether

other tires last as long as Morgan & Wright tires. Ask, also, what the Morgan & Wright guarantee means. Morgan & Wright tires are repaired free of charge, at the factory in Chicago or at any of the Morgan & Wright free repair shops, located in the principal cities.

N. B.—When you have a puncture,

get right off. Riding a tire flat, when it has a tack or nail in it, may famage it considerably.

It is popularly believed that nuts are indigestible, and doctors agree that rich nut cakes, puddings or fritters, cause dyspepsia; but this is because they are eaten as luxuries after the appetite has been satisfied. Nuts, if well autritious and sustaining than many fruits and vegetables, and are said to be specially valuable as brain and nerve builders. They may be eaten ancooked, in the usual way, or in soups, sandwiches, salads, or cooked with vegetables; for instance, egg plant with nut stuffing. Peanut or chestnut sandwiches are an approved delicacy.

Dog With a Cork Leg.

Lady Nell, a beautiful white fox terier, was injured by a coal wagon while chasing a rat. The wheels passed over one of her slender paws, crushing it to a jelly, but the plucky ittle creature held on to the rat and shook the life out of it before she crep moaning to her master. He immedi-For days the little creature's sufferings were intense, and she was nursed like i baby. Gradually the wound healed, for her, which she soon used with ease and pegged around like a veteran .-Chicago News.

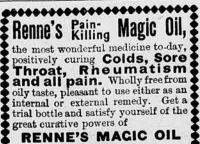
"You are wasting your time, old man," said Fred to George. "You are courting the wrong girl." "No; she's the right girl; I'm afraid the trouble is I'm the wrong man."

"Do you know a good tonic for ner-

yous people, Simpkins?' "No. What I want to find is a good tonic for people who have to live with them."-Chicago Record.

She It was just three years ago tonight that you proposed. He Now, what did you want to oring that up for, on the only night of the week that I have away from busi-

1ess?-Indianapolis Journal.





Dr. Herrick's Liver Pills

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the old reliable and sure cure.

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ORIENT TANDEM. - \$85

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SECOND-HAND WHEELS AT A BARGAIN.

Talk quick while I am in humor.

Yours Until Death.

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A first class high grade wheel, large tubing and all 1897 improvements. Made by the Acme Mfg. Co., makers of the celebrated Stormer bicycle. A chance to get a fine wheel for Itle money.

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You may think it cannot possess merit or durability, the price is so low; but the "Lincoln" is a \$2.50 pen reduced to \$1 00. It is durable, always ready to "go" but never drips, the ink flowing steadily and uniformly. They are in use in this office, giving the best of satisfaction, and they are in use in the bas, insurance and business offices and among all classes of users of pens in Norwalk and vicinity. Orders are received from all parts of the country.

Samples to be seen and orders received at the GAZETTE OFFICE.

Stock and Mutual Management.

TEN YEARS' BUSINESS

IN THE

ÆTNA LIFE AND CONNECTICUT MUTUAL COMPARED.

New Insur	ance Issued	Year.	Amount of Insurance in Force at End of Year			
ÆTNA LIFE.	CONN. MUTUAL.		ÆTNA LIFE.	CONN. MUTUAL		
,		1886	\$92,262,969	\$150,528,923		
\$14,486,886	\$9,369,874	1887	97,372,334	150,992,498		
16,233,553	9,068,990	1888	102,904,303	151,361,913		
20,399,689	9,245,204	1889	110,669,719	151,739,494		
21,406,821	10,620,245	1800	117,656,382	153,234,742		
23,370,242	11,811,087	1801	124,907,218	155,043,055		
25,471,105	12,291,824	1802	132,778,466	157,737,302		
23,381,374	10,649,485	1803	135,450,723	156,994,498		
17,956,460	10,331,207	1804	135,907,796	156,686,871		
20,744,280	11,518,525	1805	140,027,261	158,042,056		
22,342,948	10,355,237	1806	145,635,941	157,422,626		

TOTAL NEW INSURANCE ISSUED IN 10 YEARS

ÆTNA LIFE, - - \$205,793,358 Connecticut Mutual, -

105,261,678

ÆTNA LIFE over Connecticut \$100,531,680 Mutual

GAIN IN INSURANCE IN FORCE.

ÆTNA LIFE, - \$53,372,972 or $57\frac{34}{100}$ Conn. Mutual, 6,893,703 or 457 p

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The fine office formerly occupied by Police Headquarters. Suitable for Insurance, Real Estate, &c. Possession July 1. Terms moderate. Apply at

GAZETTE OFFICE.

MORE HUNTERS OF GOLD

Steamer Portland Carries 140 Passengers From Seattle.

PROMINENT CITIZENS GO.

One of the Fortune Hunters Is an Ex-Governor of Washington-Police Force Demoralized—A Daily at 50 Cents

a Copy For the Yukon.

Seattle, Wash., July 23.-The steamship Portland of the North American Transportation and Trading company steamed out of the local harbor at 2 o'clock this afternoon bound for St. Michael's, 2,000 miles away. She will reach there in two weeks, and three steamboats of the company will meet her and carry her passengers and provisions to the Klondike goldfields. They will have traveled almost 3,000 miles when they reach the arctic El Dorado. It is expected that the entire trip will

Charles H. Hamilton, secretary of the company, said today: "The Portland will return and be ready for another trip north in August. We will start at once to book passengers. We could have filled her up for the second trip, but refused to take any names until the steamship left today. We do not expect to encounter ice in the Yukon until October, so that the journey in August will not be interfered with, and passengers will be landed safely close to the Klondike."

The cargo of men and provisions which the Portland took out is the largest she ever carried, and at the same time she has obeyed the law. It is not generally known that the Portland was formerly the Haytian Republic, the greatest smuggling craft that ever plied on the waters of the Pacific. She smuggled thousands of pounds of opium and hundreds of Chinamen into the United States, and was finally captured, confiscated and sold by the government. The Portland was involved in the arrest and imprisonment of ex-Special Treasury Agent Mulkey of Tacoma and ex-Collector of Customs Jim Lotan of Portland, and a half dozen or more other notorious smugglers. Once she landed 400 Chinamen in the United

Portland Had 140 Passengers.

When the Portland sailed for the north today, she had about 140 passengers, all that were allowed by law. Fifty traveled first class, the rest steerage, though the difference in fare was but \$25. She carried 1,000 tons of pro-

One thing is certain-in the entire history of gold excitement in Alaska n steamship carried so many distinguished men bound for Yukon as does the Portland. Among them are representatives of the highest walks of life on the Pacific coast. Some are men who have been active in commercial and industrial development of the state and have suffered reverses during the recent hard

Others are men already blessed with fortune, but who see in the placer de posits of the Klondike opportunities for amassing immense fortunes such as will never be in reach again. Exemplifying the former class is John H. Mc-Graw, ex-governor of the state, until recently president of the First Nationa bank of this city, and not long ago rated at nearly \$1,000,000. Had Washington gone Republican McGraw would now be in the United States senate There is something romantic about this man's quest for gold in the icy north after years of honored residence in this

A representative of the second class spoken of is George E. M. Carr, senior member of one of the most prominent and wealthy law firms on the Pacific coast. Carr is a college man and is independently rich. Thirteen years ago he was in the Yukon basin in search of fortune, when placer mining was in its infancy.

On a rugged mountain pass one stormy night Carr ran across three prospectors and trappers nearly perished for want of food and with cold. With his Indian guide Carr rescued the men and supplied them out of his stores of whisky and provisions. One of them was so nearly gone that Carr had to carry him out on his back while the Indian drew the sled.

These men are still in the Yukon and have rich claims staked on Bonanza creek. It is in response to letters from them that Carr leaves, for he is assured of a chance to make a great fortune.

Newspaper Men, Too, of Course.

Six of the Portland's passengers ar newspaper correspondents. They go to obtain matter with which to supply the enormous demand for news concerning

One of the correspondents carries a dozen homing pigeons, which will be re leased at St. Michael's and other points on the Yukon, including Dawson City The weather, it is believed, will be safe passage home

Mail Carrier Jack Carr and John Scott, a practical printer, are taking a complete call t for printing a newspaper. The area copy will be issued in about set a weeks. It will be called the Yukon Lugget and will sell for 50

In addition to the men are a number of women who go north-some to join friends and relatives at Klondike, others who propose to work in restaurants and a few to prospect.

They are from Seattle, and give their names as follows: Mrs. Thomas Urquhart, whose husband goes north with her; Miss Rose Kenna, Mrs. William Clark, Mrs. S. Lychtenstadter, Mrs. J. D. Barnes, Mrs. Ernest Maynard, Mrs. E. Hopkins, Miss S. Beaseley, Mrs. J. Mulligan, Mrs. Chaput, Miss Esther Loiselle, Mrs. A. B. Llewellyn, Mrs. J. Williams and Mrs. Tyler.

To show the truth of the stories sent out that this town is Klendike crazy

an instance may be cited. Chief of Police Reed last night called upon Mayor Wood and told him that unless steps were taken to keep the policemen from going to Alaska the force would be completely wrecked. The chief said that at least 20 men were de-termined to go and that five would leave on the Portland. He advised a special meeting of the city council for the pur-pose of passing an ordinance increasing

Chief Reed says that even if the saiaries are raised he will not Le ab'n to hold the men now ready to go, but he takes this step to prevent the entire

San Francisco, July 23 .- The steamship Excelsior leaves for Alaska on July 28. When she returns, she will bring between \$5,000,000 and \$6,000,000 in gold dust. This amount has been con-signed to the Wells-Fargo Express company, as was learned yesterday through advices received from St. Michael's.

This sum represents the clean up of the miners who remain on the Yukon instead of returning home. None of it has been counted in with the fortunes recently brought to this country by successful miners. The Excelsior is expected to reach here about Sept. 5, and the present excitement is mild compared with the craze which will follow the arrival of all this gold.

By the steamship Umatilla, which arrived here yesterday from Puget sound ports, came about \$200,000 worth of Alaska gold. Most of this was from Seattle and was consigned to the Wells-Fargo company.

Returning miners declare that startling discoveries of gold may shortly be looked for in Alaska in territory which belongs unquestionably to the United States. A report is received from St. Michael's of two very recent discoveries below Forty Mile, in Alaska territory. Many miners are going to these places in preference to the Klondike.

These two discoveries were made on American and Minook creeks. It is believed that since the last news was received from these points much greater developments have been made. Information may yet be received from there which will cause a great portion of the rush northward to be diverted to American rather than to British territory.

Mutton For the Miners.

Port Townshend, Wash., July 23.-A company has been formed here which will send a buyer at once to the sheep ranges of eastern Washington and Oregon to purchase 1,000 head of sheep, which will be shipped north and driven to Dawson City to supply mutton to the

Surveyor General For Alaska.

Washington, July 23 .- Mr. Lacey in the house today asked unanimous consent for the consideration of a bill creating the office of surveyor general for Alaska at a salary of \$2,000 and giving the president the discretion of dividing the territory into two land districts. Consent was given, and Mr. Shafroth of Colorado explained that under present conditions many miners must travel from 800 to 1,000 miles to Sitka to make entries of their claims. The new office will doubtless be located in the Yukon district, in the vicinity of the goldfields. The bill was passed.

A NEWARK MURDER.

Mrs. Michael Kmentz, the Wife of a Saloon Keeper, Shot In Bed.

Newark, N. J., July 23.-Mrs. Michael Kmentz, the wife of a saloon keeper at 31 Broome street, was murdered in her bed early today, according to the story told by her husband and her eldest boy. They say that the murder was committed by Andrew Manalak, a man who formerly boarded at 'their place. Kmentz went to police headquarters and told this story. He was taken to the Fourth precinct police station and

placed under arrest. Detectives and special police were sent out at once in search of Manalak. Kmentz says that Manalak came into the house in his bare feet, and, going to the room where he and his wife were sleeping, placed a revolver against the woman's breast and shot her through the heart. Kmentz declares that he was awakened by the report and sprang at Manalak, whom he recognized, but was knocked down by blows with the butt of the revolver in Manalak's hand.

Manalak is alleged to have threatened to shoot the Kmentz woman. She is said to have gone to Brooklyn last Saturday night to escape him and to have been brought back by her husband yesterday.

The Supposed Polar Pigeon.

Stockholm, July 23.-Dr. Ekhola, who was associated with Andree in the projected balloon expedition of last year, does not believe that the carrier pigeon caught on Tuesday in the neighborhood of Scevda, in Rifylke, with a silver ring on one of its feet and the message "North Pole 142 W. 47.52" on its wings is one of Andree's pigeons. He says that Andree's pigeons do not wear silver rings on their legs.

London, July 22 .- A special dispatch from Copenhagen says that a carrier pigeon has been caught in the vicinity of Tromsoe island, near the north Ernes point of Norway, with the following Field. stamped on its wing: "North pole pass-

A Dishonest Broker.

Ottawa, Ont., July 23.-E. T. Habbell of Rogers & Hubbell, brokers in this city, has absconded, leaving his partner short by about \$10,000. Hubbell had previously spent two years in the penitentiary for speculating with the funds of a bank in which he was employed Rogers took hold of him after his sentence expired and put him in business

Talmage Will Stay In Washington. Des Moines, July 23 .- Rev. T. De Witt Talmage was asked today, "Is the report true that you are dissatisfied with Washington and that you will not return in the autumn, and that you will probably go to Chicago?" Dr. Talmage replied, "No; that story from top to oottom and from stem to stem is a

Senator Turley Sworn In.

Washington, July 23 .- The credentials of the new senator from Tennessee Thomas B. Turley, who succeeds the late Senator Harris, were presented to the senate today by his associate, Mr Bate. Mr. Turley was then escorted to the vice president's desk, where the oath of office was duly administered.

Furniture Factory Burned.

Cambridge, Mass., July 23 .- The fur niture factory of Keeler & Co., corner of Thorndyke and Second streets, East Cambridge, was partly burned last night, the loss being about \$25,000; full; insured.

One Day's Government Receipts.

Washington, July 23.-National bank notes received for redemption, \$388,811; government receipts from internal rev-+nue, \$846,335; customs, \$1,153,890; misellaneous, \$22,079.

THE SULTAN YIELDS.

Sublime Porte Concludes That It Cannot Fight All Europe.

Constantinople, July 22.-The sultan has issued an irade sanctioning the set-tlement of the frontier question in accordance with the wishes of the powers

The original demand of the Turkish government, submitted June 29, was for all the northern portion of Thessaly down to the river Penoios and to a point approximately 12 kilometers beyond the line of the Penoios (Salambria), in the district of Larissa. As the Salambria rises in Mount Dhobimi, a western peak of the Khassias, and extends across the whole of Thessaly eastward to the gulf of Salonika, a concession of this demand would have meant an important increase in Ottoman territory. This proposal the powers have unitedly refused to consider for a moment as practicable. In reply they informed the Turkish government that all that Turkey could hope for was a rectification of the existing mountain frontier for strategic purposes only, and the European military attaches submitted a line drawn just south of the Khassia mountain, which includes one or two small villages inhabited by Greeks, intimating to the Turkish government that on its acceptance of this line the Greek inhabitants affected would be transferred at the expense of the Greek government and under the protection of the powers to Greek territory beyond the line.

On July 5, in reply to the note of the embassadors containing this proposal, a special council of the Turkish ministry drafted a mazbata stating that the porte could not consider the frontier proposed by the powers nor any other line north of the Peneios, the natural boundary. This attitude of the porte was firmly maintained for some time, but the powers would not give in, and the sultan has now been compelled to

TARIFF BILL PROSPECTS.

An Effort May Be Made to Cause Indefinite Postponement.

Washington, July 22.-The outlook for the early adoption of the conference report on the tariff bill is not quite so promising today as the friends of the bill would like, but there is still every probability that the report will be disposed of before the end of the week. The opposition leaders admit that such is liable to be the result, but they are considering a course of action which, if adopted, possibly might have the effect of causing indefinite postponement The suggestion has been made that the Democrats could probably yet secure the restoration of cotton bagging, bur laps, paris green, etc., to the free list by frankly taking the position that if the restoration is not made they will block final action for an indefinite period. The suggestion is receiving some consideration at the hands of the Democratic members of the finance committee, but the indications are against its adoption.

Senator Turley En Route.

Washington, July 22.-Senator Bate of Tennessee received a telegram today from his new colleague, Mr. Turley saying that he would arrive in Washington in time to take his seat in the senate at the opening of the session to

Spain Wants More Ships.

Madrid, July 22 .- It is said that the government is negotiating for the construction of four large warships. Senor Canovas del Castillo, the prime minister, denies the statement that an alliance has been effected between Spain and Japan, and declares that the only bonds between the two countries are their cordial relations. With reference to the situation in Cuba, the prime minister says the necessity is now more rgent than ever for the government to consider what reforms shall be effected on the island.

Another Lee Ivy Planted at Yale.

New Haven, July 22.-The class of '96, who last year planted an ivy from the grave of the late Robert E. Lee and had it torn up, have planted another piece from the same spot. The ceremony was quietly performed without giving public notice, and the new ivy is now growing beautifully on the site selected by the class. It is not thought that another attempt will be made to destroy

Postmasters Appointed.

Washington, July 22. - The fourth class postmasters appointed today

York-Eden, Harrison Parker; Eden Valley, A. J. Horton; Freetown Corners, J. M. Davis; Jamison Road, Ernest Bleeck; North Wolcott, N. J.

New Jersey - Flatbrookville, Eugene Rosenkrans; Oakland, W. C. Stout.

Brazil amports Our Wheat.

San Francisco, July 22.-That there is an actual shortage of wheat in the Argentine Republic has been demonstrated by the chartering of two big ships to carry wheat to Brazil, one of them, the Comliebank, 2,179 tons register, being already loaded and ready for sea. The other, the Cressington, 2,000 tons, is ready to begin loading at once.

Small Boy Burglars.

Mount Vernon, N. Y., July 22.-Willie Kruetzberg, 12, and Gustav Borck, 11, were arraigned in the court of special sessions today charged with burglary. C. O. Borne, a grocer of South Railroad avenue, was the complainant. He alleged that the boys broke into his store on Sunday night and stole some goods and \$5. The boys were held.

John B. Martin's Estate.

London, July 22.-Under the will of her late husband, John Biddulph Martin, the well known banker, who died of pneumonia at Las Palmas, Grand last March, Mrs. Victoria Canary, last March, Mrs. Victoria Claffin Woodhull Martin will receive the entire estate, which is probated at £147,000 net.

Where Our Fighting Ships Are.

Washington, July 22. - The United States steamship Adams has arrived at San Francisco, the Yorktown has sailed from Kobe for Nagasaki and the Concord has sailed from Port Angeles for Sitka.

Death of General Caldwell.

Cleveland, July 22.-General D. W. Caldwell died here today. He was unconscious when the end came. His two nieces and his physicians were at the

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OF NEW YORK.

RICHARD A. McCURDY, President.

Statement for the Year Ending December 31st, 189,

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

INCOME,

Received for Premiums -		•	-	\$ 39,593,414 20
From all Other Sources	-			10,108,281 07
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DISBUR	SEME	ENT	S,	
To Policy-holders for Claims by Death	-		-	\$ 12,595,113 39
To Policy-holders for Endowments, Divid	ends, etc.	•	-	12,842,456 11
For all Other Accounts			-	10,781,005 64
ASS	SETS			\$ 36,218,575 14
United States Bonds and other Securitie	-			\$ 1 1 0,125,082 14
First lien Loans on Bond and Mortgage				71,543,929
Loans on Stocks and Bonds -	-	-		11,091,52
Real Estate	-		-	22,767,666 60
Gash in Banks and Trust Companies		-		12,680,390 00
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Reserve for Policies and other Liabilities		• •		- 205,010.633 72

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

Surplus

Insurance and Annuities in force

THE MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW YORK

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

REPORT

That, pursuant to the power and authority thereby conferred, the Committee have at various dates between said reference and the date of this Report attended at the office of the Company, and have been waited on by the freasurer, the Comptoller, the Auditor and and the Cashier, together with the the respective assistants of such officers, and have carethe 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 rea! property held by the Company, and find the same to be as stated. They have also verified the valuations of the Company's holdings of real estate and have verified the deposits of money in the various banks and trust companies, and have counted the cash on hand held by the Cashier.

And the Committee certify that all the books, papers, documents and evidences of title of every description necessary in such examination have been freely submitted to the Committee by the said officers and their assistants, and that the same are

accurate, in good order and well kept.

And the Committee further certify that the investments of the Company are of a high order, and that the system and methods adopted by the Company in recording its transactions and caring for the assets are entitled to commendation

All of which is respectfully submitted

NEW YORK. JANUARY 25, 1897.

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\$ 29,733,514 70

\$ 918,698,338 45

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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P. E. CALLAHAN, Awning Maker, 53 Cross St., Norwalk. SHERMAN'S BAD MEMORY OF FACES. An Amusing Incident Due to His Forgetfulness.

Secretary Sherman is making himself talked about a good deal by his inability to recognize his former colleagues when they call to see him. The dignity of two distinguished mem bers of the United States Senate sus tained a severe shock during the last few days, when they called upon Sec retary Sherman, and were obliged to introduce themselves to him. Mr. Babcock, who has served as Mr. Sherman's secretary for neary twenty-five years, usually whispers the names of best of health and has been cognizant the callers in the ear of his chief when he gets an opportunity to do so, but same as when the disease afflicted him, when Mr. Sherman has no prompter he makes a mess of it. He never does know the members of the diplomatic corps apart, and when they are introduced to him he cannot pronounce their names. It is quite painful on diplomatic day to see him struggle with the tongue-tangling titles of the Ambassadors and Ministers from

abroad. It is even whispered that the vener able Senator did not recognize one of his colleagues in the Cabinet when they met at the residence of a friend the other day, but this is an old failing of his.

Some evidence of Sherman's preoc cupation had recent exhibition when Newlands, of Nevada, called to make a play for a consulship for which it seems a constituent was suffering. It was the day Voorhees died. Newlands and Sherman shook hands.

"That was sad news," quoth Sher-man, with a look full of the sympathetic, yet far away. "That was very sad about Newlands dying."

"What!" said Newlands, a bit dis concerted to be thus suddenly thrust into Summerland.

"Newlands, Newlands," repeated Sherman in tones of vague official grief; "the news of Newlands' death.

He was a worthy Senator." "You mean Senator Voorhees," cor

rected Newlands. "No, Newlands," repeated Sherman, still vague, yet still tenacious. Newlands came away. He did not press for a consulship. Newlands said that to be thus cut down like a flower was too much for him. Nor did he think the Administration would heed a cry from the tombs in disposing of consul- liquid mingles with the butter, formskips. So Newlands filed sadly forth, and was dumb, opening not his mouth | The octopus is even more repulsive. It further.

BARLEY-RAISING A SIN IN MAINE.

The Farmers will not Grow It to Sell for the Manufacture of Malt.

The brewing of malt and distillation of alcohol are and long have been regarded as very wicked by many people in Maine. But down in the big Aroostook country the farmers, or a portion of them, are actually up in arms against a proposition to increase their prosperity by the cultivation of barley as a crep. Frank Jones of Portsmouth, N. H., who uses a vast amount of barley in his breweries and who is also very largely interested in Maine, conceived the idea that it would be a good plan to have enough barley for his use produced on the fertile plains of Aroostook instead of sending to Canada for most of what he uses, as he does now. The Secretary of the State Board of Agriculture and the State land agent thought the idea a most admirable one. An arrangement was made whereby Mr. Jones, at his own expense, sent Aroostook region, and Land Agent Oak undertook to supervise its distribution among the farmers.

One would have supposed that the tillers of the soil would have been as were thus gratuitously offered to them. But they were not. Far from it. Instead of meeting with gratitude and commendation, the State's agent has had to face what is described as "a storm of opposition." The Aroostook grangers are up in arms against barley and barley-raising. The members of the Houlton Grange have formally condemned barley-raising for beer-making purposes, and as no farmer can be absolutely certain that, if he raises barley and sells it, it will not be used for the manufacture of malt, it is obvious that they have practically pledged themselves not to raise any barley, except for their own use. It is asserted that the grangers in every town in the county have joined the county temperance league in a "crusade" against what was intended to be a beneficent project. The clergymen have joined in the hue and cry against the grain.-Hartford Times.

AN APPLICATION FOR A POSTOFFICE. A Happy Idea for Husband and Wife not to be of the Same Politics.

About four years ago a Republican in a Western town, who kept a general store, helped his wife, who is a strong Democrat, to get the appointment as postmaster. The office was in his store, of course, and naturally stimulated trade. But, as a Republican is now likely to be appointed in her place, the husband thinks he might as well be that Republican, and so has written a letter to his Congressman, in which he says: "I suppose there will be several applicants for the post office here. I think that a change should be made here at once. I have them right here at nothing to say against the character of the present incumbent and no charges to make against her. But, George, as you well know, she is one of the most bitter Democrats in this county. She talked and worked for Bryan so openly and persistently that I think it would be well to have her fired at once, and I want the place. I don't send you a petition in my behalf | Refusal-You will be a sister to me! A because the folks here don't seem to think it would be proper, under all the | box at the opera to-night, supper at circumstances. I rely on our old friendship to secure your hearty indorsement.-New York Tribune.

NATURE'S QUEER FREAK.

Growth Stunted by Disease-Man of Thirty-Seven with the Body of a Child.

There has been brought to the country farm of Dickinson county, Kan., a human being that is in many ways a freak without parallel. It is a man who has the body of a child, yet the intelligence of maturity. Newton Reed was born about thirty-seven years ago in the East, but came here with his parents. When between 5 and 6 years old he had inflammatory rheumatism, and his body stopped growing. In all the years since he has had the of all about him. His body is the about the size of a 6-year-old child. It is smooth, weak, and the tiny limbs are practically useless, though he does use his arms for some things. But the curious fact is that his head has grown normally. It is as large as that of the average man, a thick beard grows on it, requiring frequent shaving to keep it down to the dark mustache that adorns his face. The features are regular and his mind is bright and quick. He can read and write and talks of the current events of the day intelligently. He takes the county paper and reads it regularly. But all through the years he has lain in a crib or little bed and is unable to raise himself. The physicians think he will never improve, but that he will live to old age. He is cheerful and pleasant, never repining at his fate. For many years the county has supported him, allowing him to live with relatives. The removal of his relatives from the county made it necessary to care for him at the poor farm. -St. Louis Globe Democrat.

QUEER FOOD IN CRETE.

The Octopus and Cuttlefish Considered as Delicacies

The octopus and cuttlefish are Cretan delicacies, according to the story of a traveler in that country. Brown mussels and a small pink fish served in olive oil and lemon juice constitute the principal sea food. The cuttlefish is cooked in the most abominable butter to be found anywhere on the globe. When it is to be eaten the one bone of oval shape is removed and the creature collapses, and its sepia-colored ing an indescribably nasty compound. is cooked in the same way as the cuttlefish. Its flesh is a smooth, whitey brown material, closer than a lobster's. It has all the elasticity, toughness and capacity of resistance of a piece of India rubber and is quite as tasteless. Sea urchins about as large as one's fist, the shell covered with spines, are also a favorite comestible. The flesh is hardly more delicate than that of the

His Picture for the "Widder."

He evidently was from the rural districts, and therefore his uneasiness upon what presumably was his first visit to a photographer could easily be overlooked. At last, when he was summoned to the operating-room and caught a whiff of the chemicals from the "dark-room," he hesitated on the threshold, half-suspiciously. "Come in; come right in," said the camera man reassuringly. "Do you want a vignette?" "N-no, I guess not," replied the old man. "I guess I can stand it without taking anything." several carloads of barley into the "Would you like a photograph of your head only? Or would you prefer onehalf length or full length?" inquired the photographer. "Well, now, I'll tell you how it is, mister." remarked the old granger, confidently. "This picter grateful for such aid and opportunity | if for a widder in Nebraska who's been writin' to me considerably about gettin' spliced. I reckon she'd ruther have a picter of my whole system if it don't make any difference to you." It didn't .- Chicago Times-Herald.

The Origin of Pitching Curves. The inventor of curve-pitching is said to be quietly living in Athol, Massachusetts, selling wall-paper. The Phillipian is authority for the statement that years ago, while throwing clam shells on the beach, he wondered at the curves in their flight, and determined to see if he could not make a baseball do the same thing. After a year of practice he found himself enabled one day, when pitching for a Brooklyn baseball club, to throw two successive out-curves, and from that time on he controlled the ball in the modern way. He then gave lessons to a Princeton pitcher and to Avery of Yale, with the result that in 1874, with Avery in the box, Yale succeeded for the first time in the history of two colleges in winning a game of baseball from Harvard.

Cou'dn't Locate the Yelling.

"Do my vocal lessons disturb you?" asked the young woman with musical ambition. "Not that I know of," replied the

young man.

"Why, I should think you'd know if they did."

"No. Since the dentist took the front room on the first floor, I can't tell whether you're practising music or he's practising on his patients."

One peculiar trait of persons who are blind is that there are scarcely any smokers among them. Soldiers and sailors who lose their sight while in action sometimes continue to smoke for a short time after that great calamity overtakes them; but, as a rule, they soon give up the habit altogether.

The Rejected Cornelius, After the ten-dollar sleighride this afternoon, a Del's, and a cab home. A sister to me? Great Scott! What sort of a fool human being do you take a brother to

WORK OF THE G. A. R. After the Veterans Have Passed Away

Who will Perform Their Labors? The question as to who should carry on the noble and patriotic ceremony of Memorial Day when the surviving veterans of the Civil War shall become too feeble or too few to assume such duties and responsibilities has often been raised, and the usual answer in this section has been that the Sons of Vet erans organization would continue and carry it on. The ceremonies have been conducted in a way to have become most valuable in their patriotic lessons, not equalled in this respect by any other observance. In one way and another they have developed until they have become most impressive The Fourth of July oration has as a rule become a thing of the past, but nearly every town has its Memorial Day address and for the purpose the best public speakers obtainable are engaged. The exercises in the public schools have become systematic and the arrangement of music and responses is most entertaining and instructive. The Chicago Times-Herald takes up the question and suggests that when the time shall come that the G. A. R. veleians can not well carry on the work, that they have instituted and conducted so well for quarter of a century, that its direction be turned over to the National Guard and that the pupils of the public schools should be called upon to aid them to the largest extent possible. These are bodies that

THE GERMAN GENERAL.

will surely be continued for all time,

for the nation will have fallen when

the public schools and the National

Guard in some form shall have disap-

Bigel's Promotion Due to His Successful Retreats.

"You fights mit Sigel? D. n you drinks mit me."

Up in Mott Haven, just out of New York, lives a little, old man, who did more than any other person to keep Missouri in the Union during the Civil War. He isn't imposing looking-no one would take him for a commander of corps. He is small, wrinkled and gray, for Franz Sigel is nearing his seventy-second birthday. It's queer to reflect that he was against the government in Germany and for it in the United States. On the other side he was a Radical, but a Radical Republican, not a Socialist.

The most notable phase in Franz Sigel's military career has been his masterly retreats. This doesn't detract from his fame as a fighter-the battle of Pea Ridge proves that. But Sigel could conduct a retreat in the face of overwhelming odds so neatly as to enrage the enemy afterward when it was seen what he had done, and to win for himself stars of glory and promotion. Had he fought first Bull Run, the name of that battle probably would not have gone into history as the synonym of an utterly routed army. Sigel began to retreat before he left Germany for America. He saved his army of the Neckar by a backward guide right march.

In our Civil War Sigel retreated at Carthage, July 5, 1861, at or before Pea Ridge on March 5, 1862, and at Newmarket, May 15, 1864. In all cases Sigel was outnumbered, yet manocuvred so as to save his command

BIRDS' CURIOUS PRISON.

Supposed to Have Been Enclosed in the Branch of a Tree About Two Years.

In chopping down a tree the other day a Sherman county farmer noticed a-limb with a cavity some two feet in length and three or four inches in diameter, in which were two large, fullgrown birds. There was a small opening, through which the birds received food from their mates. The limb was cut and the birds liberated." Neither was able to fly, having never been out of its place of imprisonment.

It is probable that the mother bird was small, and, though able to make her nest in the bollow of the tree and rear her young, could not extricate them, as they did not have strength enough to help themselves until the hollow so closed as to make escape impossible. These who have examined the birds think they are about two years old.

They have been fed from their birth by their bird fellows through the aperture in the limb of the tree.-Cor. New York Press.

Why is the Sky Blue?

Did it ever strike you to inquire why the cloudless depths of the sky above us are so delicately blue? It isn't that the gas we call air is in itself blue:

As far as we know, it is quite transparent and absolutely colorless. No; the blue comes from reflected light. Air is never pure. You couldn't live in it if it was. Countless millions of tiny particles, chiefly of water, are always suspended in it, and these arrest the free passage of light. Each particle has a double reflection-one internal, the other external-and so the reflected rays suffer the usual result of what is called "interference," and show color. You will notice that the sky appears much bluer if you look straight up than if you look across towards the horizon. The reason is that, in the first instance, you are naturally looking through a much thinner layer of air than in the second.

If there were no air, and consequently no watery vapor and nothing to interfere with the free passage of light, even at midday the sky above would look perfectly black, and all the stars plainer than at present they do at midnight.

"Our cook is crazy about bleyeling." "Does she ride much?"

"Ride! She gets on her wheel to hang out the washing."--Detroit Free CHINESE DRINKS.

Queer Beverages Used in the Celestial

Kingdem. There are no drunkards in China, neither is there an excise law. And yet it is as easy to get intoxicated in China as elsewhere, and perhaps easier, for drinks are cheaper. Wine of all kinds has been known and drunk in the Celestial kingdom since the days of the Chau dynasty, some 2,000 years B. C. Everybody drank the fermented grape juice in those days, and a gold cure establishment would have coined money had it existed.

Things went from bad to worse, until one of the emperors of the Chau dynasty went upon a protracted spree. When he began to "see things" stopped short and reformed, and demanded reformation on the part of all his subjects. He decreed the instant destruction of all wine cellars, distilleries and saloons. Since then wine made of the grape has been unfashionable in China, and scarcely any is made there or used.

Sherry, port and whiskey have become rather popular in China during the last half century, but they are considered as food, and only taken at and with meals. Among the native beverages is shoa-shing, a palish brown mixture, the taste of which suggests ripe hickory nuts. It is served at all state banquets and also at private dinners. When cold it is cloudy; when warm it grows clear, emitting a peculiarly pleasant odor.

What shoa-shing is to the upper classes, sam-shul is to the masses. It is made from rice and is its triple distillate. Old sam-shui is very expensive and tastes like old sherry.

Koa-ling is made from Mongolian millet, and bears a family resemblance to rye whiskey. It is drunk only in Northern China, but has a large use in the making of liqueurs. Of these latter, ung-kapeh, or wo-shia-pi is the best known. It is thick, oily and yellow, and is a cross between yellow Chartreuse and Benedictine. Its taste is sweetish and aromatic, and it has a great reputation as an appetizer. Other liqueurs made from koa-ling are moo-qua, made of kao-ling and melon; meu-kwai-loo, ying-toa, and hundreds of other drinks.

Then there is fun-chin, or raw alcohol, used for medicinal purposes. Fermented fruit juices and flower wine, made by steeping petals or leaves, are also common beverages. Geranium wine is a herrible concoction, while bayleaf wine is the equivalent of the bay rum used by our barbers. All told, there are some 2,000 distinct drinks in China, yet drunkards are almest unknown.-New York Journal.

PENNY MACHINES.

Earnings of Each Average About Three Dollars a Month.

According to the Chicago Record. there are in that town more than 500 one-cent weighing machines, 300 of which are owned by one firm, and the average earnings of each machine are 83 a month. Eighteen thousand dollars a year, all in pennies, are paid by the people for the satisfaction of knowing whether they have "fallen off" or gained, and how much since they were weighed last.

Once a month the collector goes to each machine and robs it of its last cent and last slug-for the weighing machine still has an appetite for a particular seed die that is a part of the waste around bicycle works. The collector tests and adjusts the machine, percentage of the pennies, and goes on to the next. He often comes in from a circuit with fifty or sixty pounds of copper cents.

A Great Artist.

He-They tell me your husband is a

great artist. She-That he is. He painted a picture of some onions for the last exhibition, and they were so natural that the committee put them on the top line, so that people wouldn't smell them.-Yonkers Statesman.

The Oldest Love Letter.

The oldest love letter in the world is in the British Museum. It is a proposal of marriage for the hand of an Egyptian princess, and it-was made 3500 years ago. It is in the form of an inscribed brick.

AN ARAB COOK.

An Experience of a New York Man which Proved Satisfactory.

"When I was in Syria," said a New York physician who lived in that country for several years, "I had an Arab boy for a groom and he became very much attached to me. I could talk to him in his own language, and he knew that I was aware when he was lying. Arabs of that class are not truthful, you know. It was nearly a year ago that I returned to New York leaving my Arab behind. Imagine my surprise when he turned up here just a month later and looked me up. He had no money and he could speak no English, and at first I didn't know what to do with him. I didn't want a groom, but I did need a cook. Every Arab is something of a cook and I decided that I would try this boy as a cook. He learned readily, and for the past six or seven months he has been doing all of our cooking, and doing it well. My wife and I are the only ones in our household who can talk Arabic with him, and he is very grateful. He has become a very superior cook, and I think that there is very little danger of his leaving us. This is a solution of the domestic problem that never had occurred to me until this boy followed me to New York, and then I wondered why I hadn't thought of it before leaving Syria. I might have brought over half a dozen Arab cooks for my friends."-New York Sun.

AN AMERICAN MANNERISM. Of Which Kaplon, a Russian Traveler

Does Not Approve. "This is a curious custom you Amer-

icans have of referring to your wives by their husband's names," observed Glanvock Kaplon, an intelligent Russian traveller. "I suppose the American holds his wife in as high esteem as the Russian holds his, but if at home I should speak of my better half as Mrs. Kaplon my friends would at once conclude that my domestic relations were not as pleasant as they should be, and that I was thinking of a legal separation. When I first heard an American speak of his wife as Mrs. Jones, for example, I felt almost like presuming on my acquaintance by intruding into his private affairs and asking him what the trouble was at home. Yet I soon learned that the custom was universal over here, but still I cannot get used to it. 'My wife' is the plain, blunt way I speak in Russia of the lady who, I suppose, I would have to call Mrs. Kaplon in polite society in America. In some of the more fashionable circles of St. Petersburg this American social custom has been adopted, though I was told by a prominent Government official not long ago that the Czar aisapproved of it."-S: Louis Republic.

Daredevils.

In ring the Peninsular war two English soldiers were standing together when their attention was suddenly arrested by a bomb-shell thrown near them from the enemy's camp. This was a moment to show "cool courage." One, therefore, knocked the ashes from his pipe, refilled it, and exclaimed "Jack, I bet thee a ration that I light my pipe at that fuse," pointing at the same time to the shell, the fuse of which was evidently far spent.

"Done," cried the other; "I bet

The challenger, accordingly, walked up to the shell, lighted his pipe, and then deliberately stamped his foot upon the fuse to extinguish it. rade, who was close at his elbow, burst into an amazing fit of passion, blaming him by all the saints in the calendar-not for winning the wager but for putting out the fuse before he had lighted his own pipe.-Londor Telegraph.

Not an Angel.

You think your son would make us a satisfactory errand boy, do you?" inquired the merchant.

"Whatever he does, sor, he does very quick," replied Mrs. Moriarty.

"James," replied the merchant, turning to the boy, "take this note up to the centre at the football ground, and be back in twenty minutes.'

"Niver moind, Jimmy! Come on home! It's not a bye they're wanting; it's an angel."-Pearson's Weekly.





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THE STRIKE SITUATION

President Ratchford Joins Eugene V. Debs at Fairmont.

SHORT OF COAL IN CHICAGO.

A Large Sugar Refinery Has Already Closed and Many Other Manufacturing Establishments May Soon Follow Suit.

Wheeling, July 23.—The arrival of President Ratchford at Fairmont is the most important occurrence of today in West Virginia. It is not likely that Ratchford will be able to do anything which Debs could not do. Debs, Ratch-ford and the other organizers held a conference today at Fairmont to devise plans for future work. They favor the commissioning of all the strikers as missionaries, to work from man to man among the miners in their homes. The great trouble has been to get them out to big meetings on account of the surveillance of the operators. All of the soft coal miners did not go out in Kanawha today as provided by the Montgomery meeting last night, but most of them did. They are asking for increased pay, rather than striking for

Coal Scarce In Chicago.

Chicago, July 23.-A shortage of coal has begun to make itself felt in the Chicago market. The Chicago Sugar refinery, which uses 400 tons of bitumious coal daily, has suspended operations in view of the high prices obtaining for fuel. Local coal men believe that the sugar refinery suspension is a forerunner of a number of similar cases when large consumers attempt to replenish their stock.

Governor George W. Atkinson of West Virginia, who is here attending the Logan day ceremonies, believes that the miners will eventually win in the great coal strike. He says: "All the indications in West Virginia point to the success of the miners. I believe that the miners in West Virginia will leave their work. They have nothing to complain of, but they are in sympathy with the suffering miners outside. So am I. and so is everybody else I know anything about. There are 25,000 miners in the state, and of course it will take time to reach them all and perfect organization, but there is no reason for the discouragement of the strikers."

The Projected Descent on Pano

Pittsburg, July 23 .- The threatened descent of strikers upon the Boone and Allison mines at Canonsburg did not take place yesterday on account of a heavy rain which fell all the afternoon. The two mines resumed work. Then the strikers gathered in large numbers at Bridgeville, and their leaders announced that the march to Canonsburg would

There were said to be 600 men in the army at Bridgeville, and it was exthat re-enforcements from the Toms Run mines would double the number. The strikers' talk has been peaceful, but it is known that many of them have been buying cartridges for

The sheriff of Washington county had made extraordinary precautions to quell possible disorder.

Three hundred deputies had been sworn in, and many of these were placed on guard at the threatened mines. The strikers' demonstration is aimed at the Enterprise mine as well, where the men went out on Monday and have since been talking of return-

The strikers carry rations for several days, and if they stay about the mines trouble is almost sure to break out between them and the deputies.

President W. P. De Armitt last night became apprehensive that an attack would be made on his mines today and appealed to Sheriff Richards of this county for protection. The sheriff immediately swore in 50 deputies, and they spent the night in two cars lying in the passenger yards of the Pennsylvania railroad. They will be held there to await orders from the New York and Cleveland Gas Coal company.

What gave rise to Mr. De Armitt's apprehensions of trouble was a big mass meeting of strikers at Bower Hill, in the Panhandle district, 12 miles from his mines.

The Mitchell Coal and Coke company at Gallitzin, in Cambria county, secured from the courts of that county an injunction restraining the striking miners from acts of violence. The com-pany also demanded compensation in money for the outlay made to defend its property and employees.

Easier Feeling In Cleveland. Cleveland, July 23 .- The failure of the

miners to make any headway in West Virginia has had the effect of causing a much easier feeling in the local market. Local operators today regard the strike as more complicated than ever and a long way from a settlement.

Lady Brassey Hurt In a Runaway.

Melbourne, July 23 .- Lady Thomas Brassey, wife of the governor of Victoria, today met with a serious acci-While out driving her horses took fright and ran away, and she was thrown out and two of her ribs were broken. In February last Baron Brassey was the wn from his horse and

To Sing Before the Czar.

London, July 23.-Discussing his plans for the coming year, Jean de Beszke said today that he had been asked to take the parts of Tristan and Parsifal in a special performance of Wagner's operas which it is proposed to hold at Baireuth next year. Jean de Reszke will sing before the czar in Warsaw on

Decline In Sugar Stock. New York, July 23.—American Sugar Refining company certificates sold today on the Stock Exchange at the lowest price since the recent big advance. They opened at 142¼ against 143½, yesterday's close, and then quickly declined under active trading to 140. A rally and partial recovery followed to

Death of a War Veteran.

Rochester, July 23 .- The commander of "Mack's Black Horse Battery," who is said to have fired the last shot in the war, died here today.

"TERRIBLE PETE" EXECUTED.

He Had an Awful Record as a Desperade on Two Continents.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., July 23 - Peter Wassil, known as "Terrible Pete," was hanged here today.

Wassil was a desperado of the worst ype, and for years he was to be found identified with much of the disorder that occurred from time to time in Georgetown, an unruly suburb of Wilkesbarre. Wassil was an outlaw before he came to America. When he was being tried for the murder which the law today avenged, he was wanted by the Russian government for the murder of his wife in Russia several

vears before. The Russian police department communicated with the state department at Washington and stated that it had been searching for Wassil for years and had only succeeded in locating him. There is also good reason to think that Wassil killed a man in the north end of this city two years ago by striking him down and beating out his brains with a stone. The evidence against him, however, was not clear, and he was let off.

The crime for which he suffered today was the murder of Joseph Kupersavage in Georgetown on the night of Jan. 14, 1896. A gang had been drinking in Laphey's saloon. They became drunk enough to be quarrelsome, and Wassil began to indulge in threats. Wassil was finally ejected, muttering revenge. His cronies knew that to go home the usual way meant trouble, and so they

escaped from the saloon by the rear. Wassil walked a few feet along the road and saw Joseph Kupersavage sitting in his house near the window. The light was bright enough for one outside to see within, and as Wassil was making plenty of noise and threats some of the timid ones who had slunk away came back to see what he was going to do. They had not long to wait. Drawing a revolver from his pocket, he aimed it carefully and shot Kupersavage through the head.

Another thing that has made this

case sensational was the disclosure some weeks ago of a well laid plot to liberate Wassil and to effect a general jail delivery. The plan was detailed to one Shaffer, a boy of 19, in jail for bur-glary. He had a handy knowledge of But when the time came the scheme was blocked through the clumsiness of one of the prisoners, and Shaffer was the only one who escaped. This made Wassil's accomplices so crazy with rage that they conceived a plan of blowing up one of the wings of the prison with dynamite. There is no doubt that Warden Boland feels much relieved to get well rid of Wassil, for he has been concerned ever since the big conspiracy was revealed. After the plans at release had failed Wassil was urged by a system of signals from his friends to commit suicide.

"Terrible Pete," during the fortnight preceding his execution, grew very mild. He became an injured innocent and talked glibly about himself and the hereafter. Desperate attempts were made this week to induce Governor Hastings to commute the sentence, but the governor has learned one or two lessons of this kind, and they have had their effect.

THE TROUBLES IN INDIA.

era and the Bubonic Plague.

Bombay, July 23.-The government has decided to prosecute some of the editors of the newspapers in the Poona district which have been most con-spicuous of late in the publication of seditious articles calculated to stir up the natives against British rule. The articles chiefly complained of are those that have put a false construction upon the efforts of the officials to check the spread of the plague. These endeavors have been represented as made in utter defiance of the native religions, customs and prejudices, the sanitary purpose of the regulations being absolutely, and, it appears, willfully ignored. The publications are believed to have been largely responsible for the recen outbreaks in the Poona district and along the Hugli, including the disturbances in Calcutta.

There has been during the last ten days an alarming increase of death from cholera in the Bombay presidency and some recrudescence of the buboniplague. On the other hand, as a result of the plentiful rainfall, the crop pros pects throughout the presidency are improving.

Postmasters Appointed.

Washington, July 23. - The fourth class postmasters appointed

Pennsylvania-Addison, S. A. Dean Berkley, W. W. Shumaker; Floradale, M. K. Cook; Glenville, C. W. Gibbs; Inez, B. L. Baker; Woodbury, Frank Bolger.

New Jersey-Pennington, J. L. Allen Center Berlin, M. W. Chapman; Garri son, Edward Cole; Lakeville, G. F Rose; Leptondale, G. G. Griffin; Man ning, C. M. Dawton; Townshendville F. C. Townshend; Woodstock, G. W Elwyn.

Delaware—Summit Bridge, P. B. Alrichs; Thompsonville, B. A. Thompson.

No Sugar Investigation.

Washington, July 23.-The resolution offered by Senator Tillman on May 28 quoting charges made by newspapers that senators had speculated in sugar stock and that they were influenced unduly in making up the sugar schedule of the tariff bill now under consideration, was reported back from the com mittee on contingent expenses today with the unanimous recommendation that the investigation proposed by the resolution should not be entered upon.

Lady Brassey Injured.

Melbourne, July 23. - Lady Thoma Brassey, wife of the governor of Vic toria, met with a serious accident While out driving today her horses tool fright and ran away, and she was thrown out and severely injured, two of her ribs being broken.

Brayhead Winner of the Liverpool Cup London, July 23 .- At the second day' racing of the Liverpool July meeting oday Mr. Jersey's chestnut colt Bray-head won the seventieth Liverpool cup 1,200 sovereigns. Clwyde was second and Labrador third.

McKinley's Currency Message.

Washington, July 23. - It is under stood at the capitol today that the president will send in his currency com mission message immediately after the tariff bill is signed.

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Ladies' white fancy hemstitched neatly emb. 5c. Ladies' all linen white and fancy Hemstitched, worth 19c, this sale 121.

Ladies' Swiss Emb. Hemstitched, regular value 19 and 25c this sale 121c.

50 doz. Men's Turkey Red Handkerchiefs, extra large best made, worth $12\frac{1}{2}$ for this sale, 3 for 25c. 25 doz. Men's pure linen hemstitched full size, regular value 15c, for this sale 9c.

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It is late in the season, but we bought a case of 121c Lawns that we will sell Saturday and Monday for

1 case of 12½c Gingham, in short lengths for 6½c. 1 case of 10c striped outings for skirt or wrappers, 6c. All of our 25c organdies, Lappet Mulls etc. all at 121.

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Genuine granite Iron tea pots, 25c. Genuine " coffee " 25c. Wash basin, granite Iron, 10c. 3 qt. pudding pans, 10c. Large size water pail, 50c. Mason's fruit jars, qts. and pts. 52c. Lightning Jars. pts, 115, qts. \$1.25. Porch Screens, 39c to \$1.98. Window Screens, 17 to 39c.

LINEN.

Buy before the tariff sends linens higher than a kite. 371c Half Bleached Damask, 29c. 69c Full Bleached Damask, 50c. $87\frac{1}{2}$ Full Bleached, 72 in. wide, 50c.

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Large Turkish Bath towels, 12 1-2, 19c Damask towel, knotted fringes for this sale, 12½.3

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49c Cambric Emb. trimmed drawers, 25. \$1.25 Crash Skirts, 98c. Duck Skirts, 98c. 98c Shirt Waists, 50c. \$1.93 Shirt Waists, \$1.25. Children's Dresses 50c. Crash Suits, \$3.50 to \$6.50. Bicycle Skirts, \$1.25.

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A Fall While Entering His Office Proves Fatal.

Dr. Robert Hubbard, one of the oldest, best known and most talented physicians and surgeons in New England, died at the residence of his daughterin-law, Mrs. Charles Stead, at the Broad street entrance to Seaside park Bridgeport, shortly after 2 o'clock Sunday morning from injuries sustained in a fall the night previous. Deceased

was 71 years of age. Dr. Hubbard's office was located at 248 State street. Leading up to the entrance is a long flight of steps. The physician returned from calls about 10:30 o'clock Saturday night. He had reached the top of the steps when, it is supposed, he was attacked with vertigo rom loss of sleep, and losing his balance, he tumbled backward, falling the entire length of the steps and striking the back of his head on the pavement. When assistance reached the physician he was unconscious. The ambulance was called and Drs. Osborn, Gilhuley and Hair responded. The patient was hurried to the Emergency hospital, where it required three stitches to close the scalp wound in the head. The physician was then removed to the home of his daughter-in-law, Mrs. C. E. Stead, No. 3 Broad street. At this time his condition seemed to be favorable to recovery, but later he relapsed into unconsciousness, from which he never revived, and passed away at 2 'clock Sun day morning.

Dr. Robert Hubbard was born in upper Middletown, now the town of Cromwell, Conn., April 27 1826, being the son of Jeremiah and Elizabeth Hubbard.

Dr. Hubbard graduated from Yale in 1851 as valedictorian of the class. The same year he commenced practice in Bridgeport. On April 25, 1855, he married Cornelia Boardman, youngest daughter of Sherman and Sophia Hartwell.

Tne couple reared three children, Nellie, Sophia and Sherman. The first married Charles M. Everett and is now living in Rochester, N. Y. Nellie is now Mrs. Courtland Trowbridge. Sherman, the only son, died in 1891 and left his father disconsolate for his beloved wife had been laid away in 1871.

In 1861 upon the recommendation of the State Medical society Dr. Hubbard was appointed by Gov. Buckingham, one of eight medical examiners of surgeons and assistant surgeons for regiments raised in the state throughout the war of the rebellion. In 1862 Dr. Hubbard was commissioned surgeon of the Seventeenth regiment, Conn. Volunteer infantry. After a few months service in this capacity he was promoted to be surgeon of brigade under Gen. Howard and shortly before the battle of Chancellorsville was promoted to be surgeon of Gen. Devens' division. For meritorious conduct at the battle of Chancellorsville Dr. Hubbard was promoted to be medical inspector—assistant medical director-on his staff. At the battle of Gettysburg he served as medical director in charge of the Eleventh corps, after which he joined his regiment at Collett's Station, Va. When the Eleventh corps was ordered to Lookout Mountain he again served as medical director under.Gen. Hooker and in that capacity took part in the battles of Lookout Mountain and Missionary Ridge and Ringgold. Shortly after this campaign he was forced to resign his commission on account of ill health and return to Bridgeport where he has since resided.

He represented Bridgeport in the general assembly in 1874 and again in 1876 and was twice nominated for Congressman on the Fourth District Republican ticket. In 1879 he was elected president of the Connecticut Medical Society, in recognition of his ability and services as a physician.

The light has gone out of a life which has been singularly devoted to others. In every home where he was known the name of Dr. Hubbard is a household word and a synonym of kindness and ability. He counted his friends by the thousand and he had not an enemy in the length and breadth of the land. The kindly face and courtly manner of the old school were his, and his absence from many a bedside will be noted with sorrow.

The announcement of the marriage of Frederick Elson Sitts to Mrs. Adelaide Ames Oliver was published for the first time Tuesday. They were married on June 30 at the rectory of the church of the Transfiguration, on East Twenty-ninth street, New York city, by the Rev. Dr. Houghton, the rector.

Sitts is an Englishman by birth, born in Liverpool thirty-three years ago. He belongs in South Norwalk where his parents now reside.

The bride is a native of Syracuse, N. Y. Her parents live in Fulton, that state. At the rectory yesterday no further information could be obtained about the wedding.

It is proposed to call a Town Meeting for the purpose of setting a price per day for the use of the Town Road roller by either of the Twin Cities, and to consider the matter of establishing a town high school. The petition is largely signed by residents of South Norwalk.

LOCAL NEWS.

The thirtiet's annual reunion of the Connecticut Cavalry association will be held at Brown & Patten's hall, South Manchester, Wednesday, August 18.

From all over the state comes news of approaching prosperity. Industries of the state are starting up and in many places plants are being enlarged on account of the expected boom in

The Southern New England Telephone Co. has sent out a directory that is up to July 1. The directory is most carefully compiled and is supplemented with a map of the lines and metallic circuits of the American Telephone and Telegraph Co., extending from the middle of Maine to Nebraska.

The thirty-first annual reunion of the Fifth regiment, C. V., will be held at Middletown on Monday, August 9, the anniversary of the battle of Cedar Mountain where the regiment was so badly cut up. The reunion being on Monday, the usual previous evening camp fire will not be held.

The peach crop in Connecticut for 1897 is likely to break the record. J. H. Hale, an authority in such matters, says that, unless something new utterly unforeseen should develop, the yield this year in this state would be immense. His own orchard in South Glastonbury gives promise of a splendid crop of fine peaches. From all over the state he hears of the same state of things, and he thinks Connecticut will have all the fine peaches it wants this year. The Jersey crop which ripens about the same time, will also be large, and will probably make prices rather

William E. Sidney who is charged with the murder of Edward Long at Greenwich on June 6 last, was a free man for a brief time Monday morning. Judge Wheeler, after hearing the case on the writ of habeas corpus secured by Sidney's counsel, ordered that he be discharged, on the ground that he had not had an opportunity to be heard. Sidney was arrested on a bench warrant and taken to Bridgeport and confined in the county jail without a hearing. He has been detained there for more than a month. Judge Wheeler, in giving his decision, said:

"The liberty of a citizen is of too great importance to warrant imprisonment without first giving the accused an opportunity to be heard."

After the order of discharge was signed, Sidney started to walk away with his attorneys. He had been a free man about a minute, and had reached the steps of the County Court House, when Deputy Sheriff Fitzroy of Greenwich stepped up to him and placed him under arrest. Sidney was taken to Greenwich, and will have a hearing at once. The evidence the State has to connect him with the murder has not been disclosed.

Frothing at the mouth and with actions similar to those of a canine su-j fering with the rabies, Patrick Maloney, a farm hand employed by Augustus Jinks, of Georgetown, ran about the farm on Saturday night and attacked several of the neighbors, atempting to bite them. He was captured after a terrible struggle.

The patient thus transformed from a quiet, unassuming workman into sa demon by this terrible disease probably cannot live longer than a few days.

About a year ago, while working in the fields, Maloney was bitten by a dog suffering with the rabies. He took prompt measures with the wound and it healed nicely, the patient feeling no bad effects until last week.

It was on Saturday that the bad results first became apparent, Maloney was at work in the hay field, when he began to act decidedly queer. It was at first feared that he was affected by the heat, but towards night the man began to froth at the mouth and commenced running about the farm.

Every attention possible is paid to the sick man, but his violent demonstrations are beginning to tell upon him and he is rapidly growing weaker.

The raving man's sufferings are terrible to witness, and the greatest sympathy is expressed in the case.

Mrs. Ann Blackwell lives on Harriet street and has a family of seven children, among the number being a daughter aged about 23 years. The latter has developed signs of insanity, and she was some months ago placed under restraint, in fact was arrested.

Physicians were summoned to act on the question of her sanity but failed to agree and she was discharged from custody.

For two or three days Mrs. Blackwell has observed that her daughter was exhibiting signs of a return of her complaint and kept an extra close watch on her movements. Monday her apprehensions were fully realized when the daughter drove the younger members of the family out of the house, and then made a spring and attempted to clutch

her mother by the throat. Mrs. Blackwell managed to elude her daughter, and ran to the home of Charles A. Burr near by, and asked for assistance. She told her story and Mrs. Burr offered to provide for the chil-

dren for the night. Mr. Burr had retired to his sleepingroom but arose and dressing himself, secured the aid of Captain Dann, and maniacs can was lodged in the station-

An examination as to her sanity and the result it is believed will be that she will be ordered sent to the asylum for the insane at Middletown.

Her previous actions have, it is alleged, certainly entitled her to a much earlier confinement in that institution. Unless something of the kind is done the lives of the members of the family seem certainly to be in danger.

The publication of a marriage notice yesterday led to the discovery of an elopement, followed by forgiveness. Early on the morning of Sunday, July 4, Miss Pearle E. Sears, appeared at the house of the Rev. S. L. Hillier, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Morrisania, in company with Charles A. Nichols, of New York and the couple asked the clergyman to perform a marriage ceremony then and there. Mr. Hillier asked some questions and discovered that the couple had run away to get married, but he performed the ceremony.

Miss Sears who is the daughter of Fred W. Sears, a surveyor, residing at 25 Isaacs Place, is nineteen years of age and has been employed in a New York Art studio for the past ten months. While in New York she became acquainted with Mr. Nichols, a tenor singer, who was formerly a member of the Old Homestead quartet. Nichols, who is 48 years old, boarded in the house in which Miss Sears boarded.

The couple became attached to each other, and, recently, when Miss Sears visited her parents in this city, she informed her mother that she was in love with Mr. Nichols. Her mother tried to discourage the match, and advised the girl to give up her newly-formed acquaintance. This she promised to

When she returned to New York she continued to meet Mr. Nichols frequently. After her marriage on July 4 the bride sent a letter to her mother asking forgiveness, but not saying what she wanted to be forgiven for. As she The available balance for continuing signed her name Nichols, that explained.

The bride's uncle, Dr. W. H. Baldwin, said that, while she had got mar ried without her parents' consent, she had been forgiven, and was now living happily with her husband in Harlem, where Mr. Nichols had an engagement. When Mrs. Nichols notified her mother of her marriage her father went to New York and saw the minister who married the couple. He did this to satisfy himself that they had been married. The couple spent their honeymoon with the bride's grandparents in Hackensack, N. J.

Governor Cooke yesterday received the following letter:-

Abbeville, S. C., July 16, 1897. Dear Sir-I send by this mail a copy of "Medium," containing notice of book once the property of James I. Walker Company I, 15th C. V. If he or any of his friends are alive, the Bible will be sent to them by Mr. Du Pre, if they will address me. I send you a clipping of the notice so that you may see it if the newspaper does not reach you.

Yours truly,

ROBERT R. HEMPHILL. The clipping from the paper is as fol-

Our esteemed fellow citizen, J.N. Du-Pre, who now holds an important pos-ition with the Seaboard Air Line, has shown us a Bible which he found neas the body of a Federal soldier on the battlefield near Kinston, N. C., during the late war. The book is nicely bound and well preserved. On the inside of the front cover appears the name of "James Walker, Company I, 15 C. V." and in indistinct writing is the following "May God speed the right." "Trust in the Lord and He will fight your battles." The first leaves are missing up to the 22 chapter of Genesis. The book is of convenient size for the pocket and must have belonged to some Covenanter for it contains in addition to the old and new testaments, "The Psalms of David in Metre" (Rouse's Version), also sixty-seven paraphrases and five hymns and also the notes of forty-five of the most "popular and approved psalm and hymn tunes in use." Mr. DuPre was a gallant soldier of Company B, 27th S. C. V., Hagood's Brigade, Hoke's Division, when he captured the book. He was quite a youth, but did a man's part.

James Walker was a private in Company I, Fifteenth Regiment, Connecticut Volunteers, and enlisted from New Haven August 20, 1862. He was killed March 8, 1855, at the battle of Kinston, N. C. Captain Minot A. Buttricks, who commanded the company, was captured in the same battle.

The following are the dates of the agricultural fairs, so far as arranged, which are to be held in the state this fall, together with the secretary of each association:

New London county, Norwich, September 21-23, T. W. Yerrington, secre-

Windham county, Brooklyn, September 13-15, J. B. Stetson, secretary. Tolland county, Rockville, Septem-

ber George C. Filton, secretary. Berlin, Berlin, September, G. E. Hall, Secretary.

Branford, Branford, September, G. P. Callahan, secretary. Bristol Fair corporation, Bristol,

September 29-30, M. L. Norton, secre-Chester, Chester, September 22-23, C. E. Perkins, secretary.

Danbury, Danbury, October 4-9, G M. Rundle, secretary.

East Granby, East Granby, October, the woman who was acting as only W. H. Gay, secretary.

Farmington Valley, Collinsville, Sep tember 8-9, E. A. Hought, secretary. Granby, Granby, September 28-29,

Guilford, Guilford, September 29, A. H. Phelps, secretary.

Charles Coffey, secretary.

Harwinton, Harwinton, October 5, A. W. Buell, secretary.

Killingworth, Killingworth, October L. D. Parmelee, secretary.

Meriden, Meriden, September 15-17, George W. Fairchild, secretary. New Milford, New Milford, Septem-

per 14-16, J. H. Cochrane, secretary. Newton, Newton, September 28-30, P. H. McCarthy, sccretary. Simsbury, Simsbury, October, George

Eno, secretary. Stafford Springs, Stafford Springs, October 5-7, C. F. Beckwith, secretary.

Egerton Hemenway, secretary. Union (Monroe, etc.), Huntington, eptember 23-24, S. T. Palmer, secre

Suffield, Suffield, September 21-22,

Union (Somers, etc.), Broad Brook, September 29, M. Hamilton, secretary.

Wallingford, Wallingford, September 8-9, George T. Jones, secretary. Willimantic, Willimantic, September 28-30, A. L. French, secretary.

Windsor, Windsor, September, E. S. Hough, secretary. Woodstock, South Woodstock, Sep-

ember 13-14, H. W. Hibbard, secreury. Wolcott, Wolcott, October 13, E. M.

pson, secretary. Connecticut Horticultural society Hartford, T. J. McRonald, secretary. *April, June 10-11, about September and about November 8-10

Major S. S. Leach, in charge of river and harbor improvements in Connecticut, has submitted his annual report to the war department.

The jetties at the mouth of the Connecticut river below Hartford, the report says, have not been completed, and the deterioriation by settlement of wave attack has injured them. The channel is in a satisfactory condition as a result of the annual dredging. the improvements is \$10,821.

The project for a sixteen-foot channel at New Haven harbor lacks only the widening of the Fort Hale cut from 100 to 400 feet to complete it. A resurvey shows no impairment in the cut made through the bar nearly in the axis of the natural channel in 1895. The bed of the harbor generally appears to be of an exceedingly stable haracter.

The commerce of the port of New Haven in 1896 was three and a quarter millions of tons, and so far as tonnage is an index of commercial importance, the report says, New Haven deserves to rank with Charleston. The west breakwater was extended 1,490 feet.

The breakwater in the Housatonic river was placed in satisfactory condition by repairs to the amount of 6,652 tons of material. No work was done at Bridgeport

harbor, but under contract, dredging will be applied to widening to 200 feet the 15-foot channel on its east side from the sound to the outer beacon, and to extending the 15-foot channel from the outer to the inner beacon. The available balance is \$12,044.

Attention was given to widening the channel at close points at Norwalk harbor rather than to securing greater draught throughout.

Work on a contract to extend the channel at Stamford was begun.

EASTN ORWALK.

Miss Ida Howell, of Setankel, L. I. s visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. Jackson, of Seaside place.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brundage, of Bridgeport, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Townsend of Cove

Willie, the son of William G. Le-Count is ill with the mumps at his home on East avenue.

While Samuel Benedict and wife of Redding, were driving through Hill street Sunday, the wheel of the wagon caught in a rut in the road throwing Mr. Benedict on his head and shoulder, rendering him uncouscious. He was taken to the home of his brother-in-law, Charles Bates on East avenue, and Dr. Baker was called.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Bogart and son Albert, of Osborn avenue, are boarding with Mrs. Aisthorpe of Riverside ave-

Mrs. Sylvester Selleck and daughter Ethel, of Bellport, L. I., are visiting her daughter, Mrs. John L'Hommedieu. The East Norwalk high school is beng repainted and cleaned.

Mrs. Charles Jimmerson of Cottage evenue, is visiting her brother, Charles Bruce, of High Ridge. Miss Edith Youngs, of East avenue,

started to-day for a few weeks' visit with her aunt, Mrs. Pierson, of Springfield, Mass. Mrs. Henry Jimmerson, who has been

visiting her brother, of High Ridge, eturned home yesterday.

Miss Hattie Rider, of Cottage avenue, started to-day to spend a few weeks with Miss Carry C. Seeley, of Scottsville, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. William Benedict and children have returned home, after

pending a few weeks in Ridgefield. A. Stull's new grocery store on Cottage avenue will be ready for occupancy in about two weeks.

WILTON.

Miss Bessie Keeler of North Wilton,

has been on the sick list. Mrs. Frank S. Weston spent Sunday with Mrs. Frederick Lockwood, of

Stamford. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Easton, of New York, are guests of Miss Helen Middle-

brook at Sunnyside. Miss Annie Canfield is entertaining

a party of friends from Danbury. Miss Hattie Olmstead was the guest

of Miss Mary Gregory over Sunday. A ride to Lake Waccubuc is in anticipation by a number of our young

people before the month closes. Mrs. Daniel Davenport and Miss Beatrice, who have been visiting in Wilton, returned to Bridgeport on

Monday. Mrs. H. A. Gregory has returned from a visit with relatives ln New Mil-

A little son has recently arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Chichester.

Frank Berry, of Boston, is stopping at F. D. Benedict's. Mr. Berry has become a member of the Wilton Golf

Miss Gertrude and Miss Grace Turner will be guests of Wilton friends on

Mr. and Mrs. William Crossley and Master Tennyson, of New York, are guests of H. L. Sturges at Elmwood.

The youngest Belden Hill boy is a son at Selectman Josiah Gilbert's. Congratulations.

Benjamin Davenport and family, of Minnesota, are stopping for the summer with Miss Sarah Davenport. The school house of the Center dis-

trict presents a very attractive appear ance with its fresh coat of paint. Miss Folsom will entertain the Reading Circle to-morrow morning, at

Ridgely farm. Miss Kate Keeler is the guest of Mrs. A. W. Merwin on Bridge street.

Mrs. John Cummings and little son, of Goshen, are visiting Mrs. Henry

Mr. and Mrs. Evans, of Brooklyn, with their little grandson Clifford, are visiting their son, David Evans on Drum Hill. The Golf club seems growing in favor

and it is hoped that the club house will be improved and repaired before the season closes.

We regret to report that the Clarence Berry, who recently struck gold in of full, hot or cold. Alaska, is not our Wilton friend as was widely reported.

The funeral of John Thompson, who dropped dead in the hay field last week, was held from St. Matthew's on Friday. Mr. Thompson was an English man and at one time in the employ of William Sturges.

The ladies of St. Matthew's will hold

a sale and supper on the church green on the evening of Wednesday, July 28, from six to ten o'clock. The bill of fare given is a most tempting one, and supper will be served promptly to all-Another attraction will be the booths, attended by charming maidens, where fancy and useful articles can be purchased at moderate prices. The proceeds of the sale will go toward repairs on the horse sheds. It being the wise policy of the officers of the church to incur no indebtedness, it is sincerely hoped the sale will be well patronized.

DARIEN.

Eagle Hook and Ladder Co. No. 1, is arranging for a ladies fair, August 12,

13 and 14. The Volunteer Hook and Ladder Co. has postponed its practice run until

Friday night. Miss Foote and Miss Stella Foote are anticipating a trip to Greenacre, Me., for the remainder of the summer.

The Dariens defeated the Bells of Shandon of Stamford in a game of ball Saturday afternoon by a score of 7 to 2. Next Saturday they will play a team from Company F, Norwalk.

All but one of the business places were closed Sunday. Chadderton's barber shop remained open, while Silliman's drug store, Koch's barber shop, Northrop's ice cream parlors and Fancher's confectionery store were closed

Miss Julia Reitzel, Mrs. Reitzel, her mother and her sister are stopping at Mrs. C. A. White's. Mrs. Reitzel is the widow of a well-known flutist who was a member of Thomas's orchestra for several years and later of the Symphony orchestra.

The Chaucer club took an outing Thursday afternoon, driving to Mrs. Samuel Watkins' house at Ox Ridge and spending the closing hours of the afternoon. Several of the stories of Wagner's operas were read for the en: tertainment of all, including "Tristan" 'Isolde " and " Lohengrin. "

The impression among many Darienites is that Noroton is too grasping. They say that Noroton has recently had \$5,000 for bridges, and has now obtained an expression of opinion to build the next macadamized road through their village. In regard to the top dressing of the newly gravelled road in the center, which was indefinitely postponed on F. W. Bruggerhoff's motion, at Saturday's town meeting, some voted for the postponement believing that they were voting in favor of the dressing. They were suprised when informed as to what they had been voting for. They evidently thought they were voting on the original motion to put on crushed stone, of which the motion to postpone took precedence.

BROAD RIVER.

It is a hustle for blackberries these days, and there are lots of them.

The hay crop is exceptionally heavy and large quantities are being stacked and "mowed."

A dance is held every Wednesday evening in the blacksmith shop. Lots Charles E. Brown who has been il

for some months has gone to Meriden hoping to be benefitted in health. The Thursday evening dances at St. John & Fiedler's hall every Thursday evening are well attended, and are a

source of much pleasure. The chiefs of the several fire departments will convene in New Haven, the 17th of next month. Chief Prowitt expects to be present. The new truck of local fire department will it is expected be on exhibit at the meeting. Oddly enough it will be the chief's first sight

Diphtheria is becoming prevalent about Bridgeport, although no epidemic is expected by the board of health. The board is preparing to take steps towards preventing the disease from spreading.

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Rock a bye, baby; in the tree top. When the wind blows the cradle will rock; When the bough breaks, the cradle will fall, Down tumble baby, and cradle, and all.

Rock a bye, baby; the meadows in bloom; Laugh at the sunbeams that dance in the room Echo the birds with your own baby tune, Coo in the sunshine and flowe s of June,

Rock a bye, baby: as softly it swings, Over thy cradle the mother love sings; Brooding or cooing at even or dawn, What will it do when the mother is gone?

Rock a bye, baby: so cloudless the skies. Blue as the depths of your own laughing eyes Sweet is the lullaby over your nest, That tenderly sings little baby to rest.

Rock a bye, baby; the blue eyes will dream Sweetest when mamma's eyes over them beau Never again will the world seem so fair— Sleep, little bird, there are clouds in the air.

Rock a bye, haby; the blue eyes will burn, And ache with that your manhood will learn Swiftly the years come with sorrow and care With burdens the wes dimpled shoulders

Rock a bye, baby; there's coming a day Whose sorrow a mother's lips can't kiss away Days when its song will change to a moan: Crosses that baby must bear all alone.

Rock a bye, baby: the meadow's in bloom. May never the frosts pall the beauty in gloom Be thy world ever bright as to-day it is seen. Rock a bye, baby; "thy cradle is green -R. J. Burdette, in Hawkeye.

NELL'S GUARANTEE.

BY LEIGH FORD.

"A disappointment connected with something near your heart, and-let me see.'

She turned the cards up meditatively on the shining oak table and put her hands to her head in a pretty offectation of wisdom.

"That means love," laying her finger on the five of hearts, "eternal love-the love of some woman. It looks like an old friend, and she runs in hearts. I think. Yes, she is quite light; can you place her?"

"As far as coloring goes," he laughed, "I know any number of light women; yourself, for instance."

"Oh! I'm not in it; my hair is too yellow. This one is more of a demiblonde, something like Miss Maitland, bronze hair and blue eyes."

"My dear girl, Miss Maitland isn't blonde at all; if you can't do better than that for me, I'll throw up the whole concern."

She smiled and ran off a few more cards, counting every third one in quite a professional manner.

Well, if it's not Miss Maitland," shaking her head, "you will have to fill in the name yourself. There is the ace of spades; that's bad luck, and a death, and-oh! there's your wish. Have you made a wish?"

He shook his head. "You didn't tell me."

"Well, I tell you now; make it right away, and a good one too, for I believe it's going to come true."

"But," he protested, leaning forward and resting his arms on the table, "if I make such an important one, I want a guarantee; are you prepared to give it

"Don't be absurd, Jack; this is serious; now wish something good."

"Must I tell you what it is?" "No," doubtfully. "You won't have

to, but you can if you want to." "Well-I will tell you if I get it; now, mind, this is very important."

"Select three cards then. Does it concern a woman?"

"I might have known it. Is she light

"That would be telling." "Oh! You are too provoking," petu-

lantly picking up the cards. "It would serve you right if I said you didn't get your old wish at all." "But you won't do that?"

"Be still. I will if you don't let go of my hands. See! You are making

me drop all the cards." "Nonsense! I'll help you pick them

up. Just tell me if I get my wish." 'Well, I'll see. There's that ten of diamonds and the deuce, and-ah! the ace of hearts. You will have it sure; but there is a little disappointment just at first. I see-dear me, Jack! What are you doing? Let go my hands."

"Not until you have given me a guarantee for my wish."

"What do you mean?"

"I mean-oh! well, you have known it all along. You are my wish. No, no, don't move. Come, dear, be serious with me for once."

"But I don't want to be serious," she cried, trying to draw away from him; "you have spoiled all my fortune. Look! Here I see a gift coming."

"What do I care for the cards, or anything else in the world but you? Come. Nell! Give me an answer. You must have some kindness in your heart for me, your old friend."

"That's it," she whispered falteringly, for the first time letting her eyes meet his. "We are such friends. I have known you all my life-I-" rubbing her hand on the table nervously, "I am fonder of you than almost any one; but how can I tell if that is love? Jack, dear, can't we go on in the old way? I don't want to marry." Her fingers closed pleadingly. "Why should we spoil it by getting married?"

He made a quick, impatient gesture. "Oh, yes! I know it is different with men, but I would be contented to live on just as we are for years. Why, see? We would never know what it was to tire of each other. We would not have all the romance brushed off our love by the monotonous intimacy of married life. We would have all of the delight with none of the despair. I don't know why marriage should be regarded as the height and pinnacle of earthly bliss. It seems to me it is the one great institution that destroys

She gave a restless sigh, and let her chin sink into the soft palms of her

hands. He stood looking at her a monion' his heart smothered with pain a. longings and love. Then he leane. slowly forward, and took both her hands from her face, and held them ir the firm clasp of his.

"Nell, dear," he said, softly. "You talk this way because you don't know what love is. Why, do you suppose for a moment that mere pleasant companionship would satisfy a man who loved you? He would only be half a man to accept what you suggest. As for me, I cannot go on with our friendship. I will not take a crust when I have asked for bread. You cannot help it, dear, and I must drop out of your life and live my own as best I may.'

He dropped her hands, and turning away began to finger mechanically the little string that regulated the lamp, until the flame began to flicker and finally went out.

"I beg your pardon-I have a match -I can light it again," he muttered, hastily.

She watched him in silence as he struck a light, and with a steady hand once more sent a soft glow over the room.

Her eyes traveled to his face, with the light shining full upon it. It was strangely still. She felt a peculiar little fluttering sensation in her throat. "Jack," she whispered, falteringly.

He turned in a sudden passion, and, catching both her hands, drew her to him-so near that his white face was almost touching hers.

She did not move, but a deep flush crept over his tanned cheeks, and his arms tightened convulsively. The force of his clasp crushed and hurt her. His face came nearer, nearer; their breaths mingled; then, with a sharp exclamation he loosened his hold (eldest brother, John B. Atkinson, who -so quickly, so suddenly, that she almost fell backward.

"Forgive me," he muttered hoarsely; "don't speak to me. Good-night. Say good-night to your mother, too."

He pulled aside the curtain with a rough hand, and stepped into the hall. She could hear him getting into his coat. Her hands were still fingering the cards. From the force of habit she turned three up. Her eyes fell upon them as they lay under the lamp-light. A mistake-he was getting his cane

now. A-the door was opening-a heartache. She felt the cool night wind on her neck and turned slightly; then there was the sound of the closing door echoing through the silent house-a mistake.

Her eyes clung to the cards. They seemed to mock her. She stretched her arms out blindly toward the door and tried to call his name; her lips did not move.

Then in a frenzy of pain she scattered the cards on the table. Her eyes fell suddenly upon one. She snatched it recklessly from the pack, and rushing into the hall, fiung the door wide

"Jack, Jack!" she panted.

He was half way down the steps, and as he paused and turned toward her, she impulsively turned and threw the card at his feet. He stooped wonderingly and, raising it, held it up to

It was the five of hearts. "Nell!" he cried, springing up the steps.

A sudden flutter of nervousness swept over her, and, with a throb of fear, she slammed the door tight; but he knocked heavily against the panels. "Nell-Nell, open! What do you

The door did not move. "Sweetheart!"

of the knob, and a crack of light ap- to 'im how bad hurt he was, an' peared. Crushing through it, he caught the slight, trembling form in his arms.

"Nell-Nell, open-what do you mean?"

"I mean," her words falling spasmodically from her lips, "I mean-that I want to give you my-guarantee."-New York Truth.

A Natural Remedy.

Yawning is one of Nature's remedies for a certain condition of internal affairs. Yawning exercises all the muscles of respiration and the lungs. Yawning is a natural massage for the organs of respiration. Yawning relieves pain caused by accumulations of wax in the ear. Yawning is about the only means of exercising those muscles over which the will has no control. It answers the same purpose for the muscles of the ear, throat, nose and chest that stretching does for the muscles of the legs.

Popular Sentiment.

English Traveller-Why did the Americans think so much of Grant, when he said "Let us have peace?" Cosmopolite-For the same reason that they thought so much of Cleveland when he said "Let us have war!" All you have to say to an American is "Let us have something"-no matter what-and he is right with you .-- New York Journal.

Not in The Dictionary.

Teacher. "What word are you looking for, Brown?"

Thad Brown. "Wby, teacher, you wanted to know what a woman would be called who performed a brave act. Now, a man who acts bravely is a hero, but I can't find the word for a brave woman."

Teacher. "What is the word?" Thad: "Shero; but it's not in the

Out of the Mouths of Babes. Mother (angrily)-Ethel, if you don't sit still I'll punish you. Why can't

you be patient? Ethel-'Cause 'I 'spects its just as hard for me to be patient, mamma, as it is for you.—Truth.

"nouise, two-thirds of every healthy infant's life should be spent in sleep." "Well, don't tell me about it; go talk to baby."-Chicago Record.

FAITHFUL UNCLE BOB.

Gov. Atkinson's Family Friend and the Story of the Friendship.

No official in the United States has a more faithful servitor than has W. Y. Atkinson, Governor of Georgia, in old Uncle Bob. The old negro is now over sixty years old, past the time when he can earn his living by hard work. So, when first elected Governor, three years ago, Gov. Atkinson wrote a letter to Uncle Bob, then living in Griffin, and offered him a place as janitor at the Capitol at a salary of \$20 a month, and the old darky gladly accepted the place. He stood sadly in need of assistance, for he had been turned out of his own domicile by a girl whom he had dopted when she was a little thing, and had reared and educated out of his own earnings.

When Gov. Atkinson was suffering with the attack of appendicitis that came near proving mortal last year Uncle Bob sat on the doorsteps in front of the sanitarium where the Governor was being treated night after night, and never left his post unless he was required to go on an errand for his sick master. When the operation was performed he sat up the whole night, and his was among the first voices to cheer the Governor in his convalescence. One day the Governor was indisposed and Uncle Bob heard of it and went to the mansion to spend the night with his master and to cheer his lonely hours. The Governor was restless. Uncle Bob began to recount the occurrences of his past life so as to help while away the hours, and for the first time related his war experience. He was sent to the front with Gov. Atkinson's was a member of the Seventh Georgia Regiment, and he recounted the story of his master's death and his own fidelity, apparently unconscious of his own heroism in the affair.

"Hit was on de mawnin' of de fus' Manassas," said he in his old plantation lingo, "an' we had stopped to get breakfus. I wus busy wid de camp fire tryin' to hurry up de breakfus, 'case dem wus sich squally times dat we didn't know w'at minit we'd hatter jump and run, w'en de Gin'l crdered de Sebent Geawgy to forrerd. I watch Mars' John as he lip to his feet

an' grab his musket an' fall inter line. "In er mighty few minits de ridgment come tearin' back, but Mars' John was slow 'bout comin', an' des fo' dey got to de camp de Eight' Geawgy wus ordered to forrerd, an' dey bein' er lot o' Mars' John's kinfolks 'mong dem Eight' Geawgy people, w'en he meet 'em he turned an' started back inter de fight. I wus whar I could keep my eye on 'im, 'case I done promus ol' Missis I gwine ter watch out fo' de young Marster, an' I seed 'im way in front er de flag des er chargin' an' er hurrayin', an' den dey wus er flash lack lightnin' in front an' he fall.

"I neber had such feelin's in all my borned days. De bullits wus er flyin' thick as hailstones, an' I seed de men waver an' fall back, an' I knowed dat dey'd done let dat po' boy all lone on de fiel', and I look roun' fo some way ter git to 'im. Dex wus er little ravine dat led off in erroun'erbout way, an' I slid inter dat an' crawled fo' er quarter uv er mile, tell I got nigh 'nough ter retch 'im 'dout 'sposin' myse'f ter de bullits. I crope up ter whar he laid, an' he wus er tryin' to load 'is muskit. Er great big ball done struck 'im in de side an' tore er hole w'at look lack I could ram my fis' in, but he wusn't payin' no 'tention to de woun', but wus There was a little uncertain turning | er tryin' to load de gun. I 'splained 'suaded 'im ter git on my back and hol' on ter me twel I could git out er dat blace. De bullits wus er singin' reun' my head, an' I had ter crawl back ter de ravine wid him on my back, an' den creep erlong twel I got over de

hill an' out er range er de bullits. "He was bleedin' tur'ble an' I knowed dat ef I didn't get he'p soon dat he'd bleed ter die. So I walked an' run as fas as I could go fo' six miles ter de station an' den I had ter wait eber so long fo' de train come gwine ter Richmon'. De ball wus lodged in 'is lef' side an' I des knowed dat 'is insides wus all tore up, an' I give 'im water an' sot an' fanned 'im an' bathed 'is face all dat long Sunday mawnin' twel de train come.

'Well, sah, at las' de train come an' I managed ter git de po' boy on boa'd an' we started on dat ride ter Richmon'. W'en we got dar de hospitals was so crowded dat I t'ought I'd never git er comfo'terble piace fo' Mars' John. He was out'n 'is head an' kep' er talkin' 'bout home and de home folks and hit almost bruk my heart to lis'n ter his child talk. Hit was late Monday night 'fo' I could git er surgeon to dress de woun' an' den hit was too late. Death done struck de po' boy w'en de doctor 'examined de woun' an' shuck 'is head an' said mortification done sot ip. All dat I could do wus ter set by de bed an' wet 'is lips an' for'ed an' bresh back de long ha'r dat looked so boyish an' cur'y as bo laid dar gaspin' fo' breath.

Hit wus 'way pas' midnight, an' I wus des drappin' inter a lil' doze, w'en he spoke ter me, an' he ax whar he wus, an' I tol' 'im dat he wus safe an' I wus dar to see dat he wus tuck good care uv, an' den he ax me w'at time hit wus, an' I tol' 'im hit's soon be daylight. I ax 'im ef he feel better, an' he sorter smile lack an' say he feel fus' rate. Den he 'gun ter tell me w'at to tell he maw w'en I git back ter Geawgy, an' I couldn' keep down de tears, an' he tol' me I mus' be er better sojer dan dat, an' ter tell de folks dat

he done 'is bes'. "I gin 'im some water an' he drink a sip an' den tell me ter tell all de folks good-by fo' he'd never see ol' Geawgy no mo', an' den I des bruk down. He beg me ter raise 'im up an' I lif' 'is head an' he fetch one long breff and was gone."-New York Sun.

TAFFETA SILK MUCH WORN. Gray a Popular Color for Those to Whom

it is Becoming. (By Special Arrangement with the N.Y. Sun.) The most interesting element in the

development of fashion is the fertile imagination of the dress designers. who meet the demands for variety in summer dresses with amazing abil ity. The results are more charming than ever this season, since there are no extreme exaggerations in the outlines, and anything in decoration which is becoming and in good taste is in order. Such a condition in the affairs of fashion helps out the scheme of individuality in dress, which is always one of the secrets of success. It is necessary that the cut and finish of



the skirt should give it the effect of radiating out from the waist, and essential that the sleeves should be close fitting, with some sort of small puff or narrow frills at the top, but the bodice will admit of every possible variation that fancy can devise, and still hold its own in the rank of fashion. Suit the style of costume to the figure is a safe rule when fashion furnishes such a variety in styles.



Taffeta silks are very much worn, and one of the fads of the season is to have a black taffeta skirt trimmed with lace-edged ruffles or rows of velvet ribbons, and two or three waists to make variety. One for evening may be made of black net or chiffon over a color, and another of the silk trimmed to match the skirt and brightened with color at the neck and vest. Sashes of the silk finished on the edges with a frill of lace or a ruffle of silk are worn with these gowns.

Harmonies in white and gray are very popular with those who find this delicate tint becoming, and a very pretty gown is made of pale gray canvas, lined with gray and trimmed with white satin, covered with yellow lace, arranged in the form of a vest, and narrow epaulette collar. Yellow Maltese lace is much used for this purpose.



The most fascinating gowns in the summer outfit are the muslins, and the daintiest sort of evening gowns, as well as those for afternoon, are made of organdie, especially in cream white, with plenty of cream lace for the trimming. The skirt is usually hung over a second one of the same muslin cut exactly like the outside one, and either plainly hemmed or finished with a lace edged ruffle. The silk underslip. which may be of color or plain white, is worn underneath this. One rather enticing advantage about the organdi: gown is that it may be constructed o. the most girlish and youthful princi ples, and still be quite suitable for ma tronly women. Pale yellow organdic trimmed with Valenciennes lace and made up over white is a charmin; dress for a pretty brunette. It is sometimes made very striking with : belt and bows of black satin ribbon.

Bertha effects are very popular en these thin gowns.

A FAMOUS EXCURSION RECALLED.

Given to Interest Capitalists in Northern Pacific Stock.

A Northwestern Congressman, who was on the famous excursion which Henry Villard gave to witness the driving of the golden spike of the Northern Pacific road, recalled some of its interesting features recently:

"It was the greatest junketing trip in the history of the United States, bar none," said he. "Villard had completed the road, putting an enormous amount of money in it, and he decided that he could interest English and German capital in the enterprise by taking the capitalists themselves out over the road. So he made up his party, including a large number of distinguished Americans-General Grant among them. I remember-and four trains of Pullman cars, each train hauled by two locomotives, started for the Northwest. You never saw such entertainment as was lavished on the party Champagne flowed like water, and no one was allowed to pay for anythingnot even for a shave or a newspaper. The trip altogether must have cost at least \$400,000, for there were 400 persons in the party, and \$1,000 per head is a low estimate. "Well, the tragic part of it was yet to

come. The sword of Damocles was hanging over Villard's head all the time, and he did not know it. He had invited the English and German capitalists to go out over the road. They had never seen anything except railroads between cities closely situated, and they could not appreciate transcontinental lines. They could not unferstand how a road could pay that ran through stretches of unsettled country, and while they were dining off Villard's terrapin and champagne, they were wiring back to New York and London to sell the Northern Pacific stock. The stock, which was worth 78 or thereabout when he left the East, kept dropping until it was down to 50. Villard could not account for the decline. Finally he was telegraphed to hasten to New York to bolster up his property. Hiring a special engine, he hurried East as fast as steam could carry him, leaving his guests to follow behind him, which they did, but marking every mile of the way with a drunken orgie. Champagne bottles were flung around the cars and out of the windows, and costly eigars were trampled under foot, just for the fun of crunching them.

"The sequel of that famous trip always reminded me of Napoleon's trip to and from Moscow. He went out in giory and hurried home on a sled to save his head and crown, while his army followed in a rout behind him. Villard traveling on a special engine to save himself from ruin, was history repeating itself."-Washington Post.

NOBLEMAN A POLICEMAN.

Must Serve Ten Years On the Force to Inherit a Fortune.

The strangest of all the many requests that have been made of Mr. Hanna since he took up his leadership in politics came to him when Baron von Muegge, a young German, solicited his influence to obtain an appointment as Deputy United States Marshal, at any place where the surroundings are agreeable, at any salary, or any amount of fees that might be offered.

The applicant, who is well vouched for and is undoubtedly all that he pretends to be, told a strange story of the will of his mother, a wealthy, but eccentric, German, who stipulated that he should serve ten years as a policeman before he should come into his fortune, her idea being to teach him seif-control, develop his character and convince him of the dignity of labor.

As he did not wish to serve in such an humble capacity among his former and future associates, Von Muegge came to the United States to serve his time. He has been on the force in several cities, and is now employed as a watchman by a railroad company in Cleveland.

The man is personally known to Mr. Hanna.

His term of servitude expires in November next, and the baron is anxious to spend the remainder of the period in surroundings which will be more agreeable than those in which he has been situated for the last nine years. He would like to be deputy to the United States Marshal of the District of Columbia for the next six months. and has asked Mr. Hanna's influence to secure that position.-Chicago Record.

Number of Mechanical Movements.

There are more than 310 mechanical movements known to mechanics today, and all of these are but modifications of those found in the human body. Here are found all the bars, levers, joints, pulleys, pumps, pipes, wheels and axles, ball-and-socket movements, beams, girders, trusses, buffers, arches, columns, cables, and supports known to science.

Well Named.

"The month of May is very appropriately named," remarked the youth to his friend."

"In what regard?" "Because its weather is so uncertain." "How does the name May apply to

uncertain weather?" "Well, it may be hot or n may be cold; it may be wet or it may be dry." -Pittsburg Chronicle.

Dusty Dan: "Wot's dis Spring fever dat you hear so much about?" Roving Rube: "I'll tell yer. De ignorant laboring classes has er follacy dat dere's a time of year dat er man hates ter work more'n udders-dat's Spring fever.-Twinkles.

"I second the motion," said the man on the rear of the tandem.

SEEMS A WEAKNESS OF GENERALS Cat It Always Excites the Envy of Younger Men.

Kissing pretty girls has been a fa verite occupation of nearly all great men of mature age, military men be ing particularly given to it. Gen Grant was perhaps the notable excep tion. This recalls an incident which came under the observation of the wri ter at Galena, Ill., shortly after the close of the war. Gen. Grant had returned on a short visit to his old home A great crowd was assembled at the railway station to welcome him. As the General alighted from the train he was greeted by a procession of a dozen or more young ladies. As the first blooming miss grasped the hand of the hero she held up her ruby lips-the lips of brave and tender girls like this are always ruby-with the firm but inex pressibly sweet compression which every experienced osculator recognizes at a glance as meaning business. The General seemed surprised, flushed slightly, glanced down the line of waiting beauties, drew a long breath, and then, with the resolute look of a man determined to fight it out on that line if it took all Summer, he deliberately and with praiseworthy impartiality kissed every girl in the procession. The General was a modest man, but he was never known to flinch in the face of his duty to his countrymen-or countrywomen.

Gen. R. E. Lee, notwithstanding the staid decorum of his ordinary demeanor, was ever ready, it is stated, to face an emergency of this kind. At Lexington, Va., in the closing years of his life, there were many pretty girls and many osculatory encounters, the girls being quite willing to "have it to say" that they had been so distinguished by the great commander. The college boys heard of it with mingled feelings of envy and emulation. To this day, it is said, the visitor at Lexington will be stopped at this or that turn of the road by his guide, with the remark: "Here, in 1860, I saw Gen. Lee kiss Miss Soand-So. They met; they chatted. At the parting the damsel would say, Why, General, aren't you going to kiss me?' and thereupon the General would respond with evident animation." A great number of spots at the Southern Mecca are decorated with similar legends-so many, in fact, that the tourist is inspired with regrets that he, too, was not a great General and strate-Gen. Sherman's exploits in this at-

tractive field are more widely known. Indeed, they were extended over a wider area and were performed with, perhaps, a trifle less discrimination. At every Grand Army reunion there would be found a number of blooming misses who aspired to kiss the General. Being a gallant man-every soldier must be gallant-Gen. Sherman responded to the seductive challenges with exemplary alacrity, to the sorrow of the young officers, who thought such sweetness wasted on an old man, and a married man at that. It does seem hard. Gen. Joseph E. Johnston, who opposed Gen. Sherman on so many fields, was in this line of operations also a rival worthy of his steel.

It was not the good fortune of Gen. Johnston to attend Grand Army reunions to any considerable extent, but in his limited sphere Gen. Johnston had in his last years a great many Confederate admirers of the charming sex. who with his ready sanction, testified their cordiality in the characteristic and always pleasant feminine manner. He was a handsome man, even in exreme old age so that there was no drawback to chill the fluttering heart of the impulsive feminine patriot.

It must not be assumed that the Generals that have been named are the only ones who have had the courage to meet their feminine admirers of the third generation half way. Their name is legion, so far, at least, as appreciation goes. It is noticeable, however, that the girls draw the osculatory line at Major Generals. They are severe in their requirements, exacting rank, fame, and an age few ordinary mortals can attain without falsifying the family records.

The kissing of great Generals is to be distinguished from that of great politicians. President Buchanan, it is true, was a truly fortunate man in this regard, but he was a President and a bachelor. He was, in fact, wholly outside of the category of ordinary politicians, whose kissing is commonly restricted to children and babies. Such osculation is useful in a campaign, but it is said not to be exhibarating.

A Friendly Critic. Sir John Millais was once attending

a celebrated case at Bow street, and was accommodated with a seat in the press box. In front of him sat a youthful new addition to the staff of a leading London illustrated paper. "Don't you think that would be an improvement?" suggested the great artist mildly, pointing out some technichal defect in the sketch the youngster was engaged on. The young fellow was highly indignant at first, but eventually adopted the alteration, which so improved the sketch that he turned round and inquired somewhat patronizingly, "Who may you be, sir, who presume to correct my work?" For answer he received a card, on which was inscribed, "John Miliais, R. A.," accompanied by the kindly remark, "We are never to old to learn. Perhaps you may be able to give me a timely wrinkle one of these

If Champaigne Flowed Like Beer.

"Oh, dear!" sighed Chollie. "I wish champagne was as common as beeah." "Then you would just float in it?" asked the common person.

"Deah me no! I would not dwink it at all. It goes to my head so."-Indianapolis Journal.

THE PROFESSIONAL REFORMER.

And so every day he gave the Almighty Advice which he deemed of great worth; And his wife took in sewing

To keep things a-going While be superintended the earth.

WINIFRED WARRE.

BY MRS. M. CORBET SLYMOUR.

The Grange was a large rambling old house. And it had need to be so, for the Marriots were a numerous family, and at Christmas or in the summer holiday season, when the married sons brought their wives, and the married daughters were accompanied by their husbands and children, every room was filled.

At such times, Mr. Marrist apreared to glance round him with mild astonishment that so many children and grandchildren really belonged to him. For six generations there had been Marriots at the Grange, eldest son generally succeeding eldest son. It was the proudest boast of each in his turn that the land had never decreased by one acre; that no mortgage had been raised upon it; and that none of the Marriots—man and woman—had ever

name.

One August the annual gathering was not to be so numerous as usual. The children of one of the married daughters were ill with scarlet fever; one of the unmarried sons had gone to

even remotely brought dishonor on the

So when Ursula Marriot, who had been at school in France by way of finishing her education, wrote for permission to bring a friend home with her. It was decided that there would be a room to put at the disposal of this

young lady.

A kindly letter of invitation was accordingly written by Mrs. Marriot to Miss Wimifred Warre, and enclosed in that which told Ursula that her school comrade would be made very welcome at the Grange.

"I am sure you will all be charmed with Winnie," the girl had written. She was right; the Marriots were all delighted with their guest as soon as she stepped inside the grand old entrance hall.

She was a tall, lovely creature, older certainly by a year or two than Ursula, who was just seventeen. She was dressed in sober brown, with a pink knot of ribbon at the throat; and the rose tint was in her cheek, and the brown eyes matched by the coils of her

abundant bair.

From the first evening Winnie Warre became as a queen among the younger party. And sometimes, when by knowing her better they grew more fond of her, Mr. and Mrs. Marriot would ask her to sit with them for a half hour in "the sanctum," as their children called it.

The girl's parents were dead, and she was quite without near relatives, or indeed any relatives at all. She

possessed a guardian whom she had only seen twice in her life, and who did not interest himself in her nor care to introduce her to his family. He advised, even after she came of age, that she should make her home as a "lady boarder" in the foreign school where she had been educated from quite a little child.

Louis Marriot, the only grown-up unmarried son, fell deeply in love with this lively, charming friend of his sister Ursula.

But neither his father nor his mother liked the idea of such a marriage. They wanted for Louis the daughter of a thoroughly English home; some one whose family was well known to them.

"You have not engaged yourself?" said Mrs. Marriot anxiously, when her son made his little confession of love for pretty Winnie Warre.

"I have not said a word; nor hinted to her what I feel for her," exclaimed Louis. "I would not, until I had spoken to you and to my father. But if I may not marry Winnie—and I shall never marry without your consent—I shall go through life as a single man."

And then he asked them not to oppose his going away for awhile; at least until the girl had finished her stay at the Grange.

"Do not notice his departure, or question him," said Mrs. Marriot to the rest of her family. "Louis is behaving manfully and honorably, just as I should expect him to do."

It was Christmas before he came back again. A long absence this for a home-loving Marriot. And he had changed, too; changed into a grave and thoughtful man.

He only referred to Winnie by begging his mother to let that be a sealed subject.

"But don't allow it to interfere with Ursula's friendship," he said. "Winifred is a very solitary girl. It will be kind of you to ask her now and then to the Grange, and at such times I will always go away—unless you and my father change your minds and tell me you can welcome her as my wife."

Several months passed by, during which Ursula exchanged several letters with her friend. She generally read Winnie's news aloud, for the benefit of the family, at the breakfast table; the impression of every one was that the girl seemed less happy at the French school after that one summer's stay in England.

"I know now what a home is like," she wrote once, "and I envy you, Ursula."

As August grew near it was evident that Louis grew restless. He wanted Winnie to be invited to the Grange even though the invitation would involve his own absence; but his parents said they could not spare him They begged him, for their sakes to remain for the family gatherings usual during the holiday months. By this time Mrs. Marriot would gladly have yield ad to Louis' wish: she could not bear

to see him so unhappy; but Mr. Marriot was immovable. He would not countenance an unequal marriage.

One day early in September a telegraph boy arrived at the Grange. He brought a message from the lady directress of the French school to the effect that Miss Warre was dangerously ill and not expected to live. But she had so earnestly begged that some one from the Grange would go over to her, that it was thought better to communicate this wish. If complied with, not an hour must be lost should her friends desire to see her in life.

"My poor boy!" said Mrs. Marriot, reading the telegram; and then she handed it to Louis, who turned white to the lips as he glauced toward his father.

"I must go," he said.

"Certainly. We will go together," said Mr. Marriot; he turned to a time-table which always had its place among his papers, and began studying it. "If one of the girls can pack a portmanteau in ten minutes," he added, "we shall be able to catch the next boat from Dover."

In a quarter of an hour father and son jumped into the dog-cart which waited to take them to the station.

Three days later, a letter bearing the French postmark was received at the Grange. It was from Mr. Marriot, and only consisted of a few lines. They had found Winifred extremely ill, he said, but so pleased to see them that he felt quite touched. She had asked for some one from the Grange because she had no other friends. Louis was behaving admirably in his calm self-control.

A second letter told rather more. It seemed that influenza had made its appearance in the school, and Winnie was not only one of the first, but one its worst victims. She had, however, got over the attack; but instead of becoming convalescent she grew alarmingly weak, and the doctor spoke frankly of her danger. Some mental trouble was preying on the girl's vitality, he decided, and her state was

When she heard that hope for her was very small she seemed rather glad than otherwise, and begged that some one from the Grange might be summoned by telegram. In this letter Mr. Marriot said that her life was still trembling in the balance. The mere fact of her surviving so long was a slightly hopeful sign, but he could speak with more confidence in a few days.

The next letter told that the corner was turned; Winnie would live unless any relapse occurred.

"We cannot of course leave her until her recovery is quite certain," said Louis's father this time. "It seems such a comfort to her to know that we are near. And in a private enclosure to his wife he added, "The poor child loves Louis as devotedly as he loves her. She does not dream that I surprised her secret. She, like our brave boy, has made a brave fight. But there

is a language of the eyes which is not

The fourth letter made a profound sensation at the Grange. It begged Mrs. Marriot to have everything ready to receive Winnie Warre as soon as she was able to travei—it might be in a fortnight's time, or at longest, three

weeks.

"We cannot leave her in a place of which she seems weary when the doctor declares that change of scene and a little cheerful society will do more now then medicire," wrote Mr. Marriot. "Communications have passed between the girl's guardian and myself, and as I have assured him that we shall treat her as one of our own daughters, he willingly consents to her leaving France."

her leaving France."

"We will soon make her strong at the Grange," cried Ursula, and she at once scribbled off a note to her friend, begging her to get well enough to travel as soon as possible.

But is was the last day of February whe that party of three reached Enggland.

Louis sprang joyfully out of the hired closed carriage which conveyed them from the station to the Grange. How very glad and bright he looked. How changed from the grave, depressed man he had been for more than a year. At the sight of him Mrs. Marriot asked herself again if her husband had yielded; but her knowledge of his character compelled her to decide no.

It was but a very white and feeble girl, looking like a bundle of shawls, who was helped into the hall and then from the hall to the drawing-r-oom—the "little sanctum" she remembered so well.

Nothing but the brown eyes remained of the once brilliant and lovely Winifred Warre, and yet her face was

Mrs. Marriot was an accomplished nurse, and the invalid was forced to rest on a couch and take some refreshment before she attempted to go upstairs to the room made ready for her.

Then Louis, standing behind her with a certain air of proprietorship which told everything laid his hand on her shoulder.

"Father has given in'!! cried Ursula.
"Yes," said Mr. Marriot, with a smile. "Triumph over me as you will; I have been convinced of my error, Ursie. Louis has deserved this happy ending to his lovestory, and now all we have to do is to get ready for the wedding.

By dint of care and nursing Winifred got well, but she was a long time about it—so long, that there was no marriage festivity until after midsummer.

And then the young couple settled down in the west wing of the roomy old Grange, and Winnie became one of the best loved of the numerous daughters-in-law, even though the neighbors always alluded to her as of

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MISS EVELYN LEASE.

THIS ACCOMPLISHED GIRL MAY ALSO BECOME A LECTURER.

When Nine Years Old She Spoke in Public on Woman's Suffrage—A Brahmin Priest Considers Her a Reincarnation on Ac-

Since her recent graduation from the Wichita high school, Miss Evelyn Louise Lease has been much talked of, for she bears a strong resemblance of her famous mother, Mrs. Mary E. Lease, and it is believed will some time be equally noted. She is pretty, bright and attractive in manner, and though

but 17 years old, is surprisingly well

informed.

When Miss Lease had finished her valedictory address, brief though it was, the vast audience that filled the auditorium was in her grasp. She held them just like Mrs. Lease lays hold of the passions and sympathies of human hearts when she addresses a great audience, and wins their homage, whether she convinces their understandings or not.

Miss Lease has not depended upon her mother to map out a career for her, but has already determined, somewhat against her mother's wishes, to enter a law school and become a full-fledged attorney. The literary and oratorical ability which the girl certainly possesses has led Mrs. Lease to dream of a different future for her. She sees alluring possibilities for her talented daughter in the field of literature.

She never cared for dolls, but has always been a great lover of books, and has made free use of the fine library of Mrs. Lease. She made her first debut as a public speaker rather early in life, and in a very unexpected manner. It was at the first People's party national conference in St. Louis, over eight years ago, in which her mother took an active part. There was an immense audience, and while the conference was waiting for a committee to report, the chairman asked little Louise to "speak a piece." The child gave a recitation from Gerald Massey, beginning:

Coming up the steps of time This old world is growing brighter.

She did it full justice, and the long-continued applause forced her to return. It happened that almost the entire day had been taken up with the discussions over the adoption of the suffrage plank, and Louise had become greatly wrought up over the question. Instead of reciting again, the nine-year-old child launched forth into a woman's suffrage speech. She spoke in ringing tones, and with dramatic gestures, and said:

"You men must keep your promises, and give us a suffrage plank. You've been telling us that 'the hand that rocks the cradle rules the world,' but I want to tell you, gentlemen, that un-

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less you make your promises good at this convention there will be no cradle to rock and no babies to put into them."

Mrs. Lease, who was on the platform, caught the last sentence, and in a horrified whisper said to the chair-

"For heaven's sake, call that child

The chairman only laughed, and reolled: "Let her alone; she's all right."

The applause when she had finished was deafening. At recess they took the little suffragist on their shoulders and carried her around the hall. She was the idol of the convention.

Miss Lease is a strict vegetarian, eschewing meat, eggs and milk. She thinks life sacred, and to destroy it a crime. During the World's Fair her mother introduced her to Perusha Tan Roa Telang, a high caste Brahmin priest, who was there as a delegate to the world's congress of religious. The priest became greatly interested in Louise and her views regarding the sacredness of animal life, and told Mrs. Lease that without a doubt the child was a reincarnation. That he was deeply impressed is proved by the fact that he came clear from Chicago to Wichita after the World's Fair for no other reason than to see the child He made a long visit at the Lease home. and when he left he predicted a great future for his young friend. In parting he gave her his blessing by repeating a Hindoo prayer.-Chicago Inter-Ocean.

A KETTLE-DRUMMER'S HARD TASK. To Has the Greatest Responsibility in the Matter of Keeping Time.

"I suppose few of the people who listen to the music of an orchestra," said a musician recently, "have any appreciation of the difficulty encountered in getting so many instruments to start precisely at the same instant. And do you know which player has the most critical of all positions in that respect? Why, the man at the kettle frum.

"You see, all the other players can be in a condition of absolute readiness while waiting for the signal from the conductor. Only the man at the drum is at a disadvantage. It will not do for him to keep his hand raised with the stick poised in the air, at the height from which he is to strike. If he did this the sound of the beat would be heard at such an appreciable interval after the notes of the other instruments that it would entirely fail to accord with them, and the effect would be absurd. So the only thing for the drummer to do is to anticipate the motion of the baton, beginning to strike just a shade before the signal. He actually plays out of time, you see, in order to be in time. That is why I always sympathize with his position, and look upon him as a genius in the matter of fine calculation."-New York Tribune.

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Speed the Wheel.

Written and Composed by BRANDON THOMAS.





THE NEW TARIFF BILL

The Report of the Conference Committee Read In the House.

MOST IMPORTANT CHANGES.

The Amended Sugar Schedule and Its Collateral Provisions-Cotton Ties Restored to the Dutiable List. Wool, Lumber, Etc.

Washington, July 20.-The revised tariff agreement was reported by Chairman Dingley to the house today.

The report proper is not yet printed, but the bill is printed with all the amendments as they will stand, together with notes explanatory of the house

The sugar schedule agreed upon is neither the house schedule nor the senate schedule, but an entirely new one. It will provide more revenue by from \$2,000,000 to \$3,000,000 than the schedule originally presented to the conference. It reads as follows:

"Sugars not above No. 16 Dutch standard in color, tank bottoms, sirups of cane juice, melada, concentrated melada, concrete and concentrated molasses, testing by the polariscope not above 75 degrees, ninety-five-one-hundredths of 1 cent per pound, and for every additional degree shown by the polariscopic test thirty-five-one-thousandths of 1 cent per pound additional, and fractions of a degree in proportion; and on sugar above No. 16 Dutch standard in color, and on all sugar which has gone through a process of refining, 1 cent and ninety-five-one-hundredths of 1 cent per pound; molasses testing above 40 degrees and not above 56 degrees, 3 cents per gallon; testing, 56 degrees and above, 6 cents per gallon; sugar drawings and sugar sweepings shall be subject to duty as molasses or sugar, as the case may be, according to polariscopic test.'

Tariff to Take Effect at Once.

The most important changes are as The bill is to take effect immediately

instead of on May 1. Barax, 5 cents per pound instead of 2

cents as under the present law and the Sodaash also takes the senate amendment of three-eighths of a cent per

pound. Arseniate of soda, 11/4 cents per White pine lumber, \$2 per 1,000.

The following provision is inserted as a senate amendment:

"Provided that if any country or dependency shall impose an export duty upon saw logs, round, unmanufactured timber, stave bolts, shingle bolts or heading bolts exported to the United States or a discriminating charge upon boom sticks or chains used by American citizens in towing logs, the amount of such export duty, tax or other charge, as the case may be, shall be added as an additional duty to the duties imposed upon the articles mentioned in this paragraph when imported from such country or dependency.'

On maple sugar and sirup the house rate of 4 cents per pound is retained, and on sugar cane the house rate of 20 per cent ad valorem.

Saccharine, \$1.50 and 10 per cent ad valorem.

Sugar candy and all confectionery not specially provided for in this act, valued at 15 cents per pound or less, and on sugars after being refined, when tinctured, colored or in any way adulterated, 4 cents per pound and 15 per cent ad valorem; valued at more than 15 cents per pound, 50 per cent ad valorem. The weight and the value of the immediate coverings, other than the outer package, case or other covering, shall be included in the dutiable weight and the value of the merchan-

The conference amendment changes the rate on unstemmed tobacco to \$1.85 per pound and adopts the senate amendment providing that the term wrapper tobacco means that quality of tobacco which is salable for cigar wrappers, and the term filler tobacco means all other leaf tobacco. The rate on all unspecified tobacco is 35 cents per pound. Snuff, 55 cents per pound; cigars, cig-

arettes and cheroots, \$4.50 per pound and 25 per cent ad valorem.

Wool, Wood Pulp and Coal,

First class wools, 11 cents per pound; second class, 12 cents; third class, the value of which shall be 12 cents or less per pound, 4 cents per pound.

Third class wool at a value exceeding 12 cents per pound, 7 cents per pound. The house made the dividing line 13 ents and senate 10 cents.

Mechanically ground wood pulp, onetwelfth cent per pound; chemically un-bleached, one-sixth cent; bleached, onefourth cent, dry weight, with a proviso for an additional duty equal to the export duty imposed by any country.

The duty on bituminous coal and all coal containing less than 92 per cent of fixed carbon, 67 cents, with a proviso that on all imported coal used on vessels of American register in trade with foreign countries a drawback shall be allowed equal to the amount of duty.

Hides 15 per cent ad valorem, with a proviso for a drawback equal to the amount of duty on all leather exported

made from imported hides.

Sugar and molasses: The house differential between raw and refined sugers and the general features of the house schedule are preserved, and the senate amendments increasing the dif-ferential to one-fifth and providing for a reduction of one-tenth of the duty on raw sugars not above 87 degrees, which would have given a duty of 1.3 on 88 degrees sugar and only 1.26 on 87 degrees sugar, are not adopted. In deference to the wishes of those interested in beet sugar production, that the senate rate of 1.95 on refined sugar might be retained as an increased encouragement to this industry, the duty on raw sugars is increased 71/2-100, so as to make the increase on them the same as the increase on refined sugar and thus leave the differential between raw sugar and refined the same as in the house

And to meet the objection which has been urged that the house rates on low grade raw sugar show a higher ad valorem than those on the higher grades the duty on 75 degree sugar is reduced 5-100 of a cent, and then the duty per degree increased regularly from 3-100 as proposed in the house bill, to 31/2-100, in order to raise the duty on raw sug-ars the same as on refined.

Cetton ties, which were placed on the

the dutiable list at a reduced duty of 5-10 of 1 cent.

The Effect on Sugar Stocks. New York, July 20 .- Another excited market for the certificates of the American Sugar Refineries company was witnessed on the Stock Exchange to-Under exceedingly large dealings the certificates made a new record, selling at 139, the previous highest price they had ever sold at having been 137% on Tuesday of last week. The news from Washington that the tariff bill conferees had reached an agreement was the stimulating influence.

LIEUTENANT PEARY SAILS.

Start of the Arctic Expedition on the Hope From Boston.

Boston, July 20.-The steam sealing bark Hope, with Lieutenant R. E. Peary and party on board, bound for northern Greenland, left this port today, fully equipped for the voyage. The work of provisioning the vessel was begun as soon as she arrived in port last Thursday, and, with the intermission of Sunday, when the religious scruples of the Canadian seamen who are employed were respected and operations were suspended, was completed only a short time before the vessel sailed.

The object of the voyage is to bring about the establishment of a settlement at a remote northern point in Greenland, which shall be used as a base of supplies for an expedition in search of the north pole under Lieutenant Peary in 1898. To this end a party of Eskimos will be located at the new settlement and will, during the next year, be engaged in making preparations for Lieutenant Peary's expedition.

In the party which left here today are 43 persons, including, besides Lieutenant and Mrs. Peary and their daughter, their servants and the crew, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Lee of Meriden, Conn., Robert Stein of the United States geological survey, Albert Operti, the scenic artist; J. D. Figgins of Falls Church, Va., taxidermist; Dr. Frederick Sohon, surgeon, Washington, and several investigating parties-one under the direction of Professor C. H. Hitchcock of Dartmouth, who will study glaciers and the relics of the old Norse colonists from Iceland, and another from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, under R. W. Porter, who will remain in the north through the next winter to hunt. There are also on board two representatives of the Na-

tional museum. The Hope will make direct for Sydney, C. B., where she will take in coal for the rest of the voyage. The ship will skirt the coast of Greenland, dropping the scientific party at various points, and taking Lieutenant Peary to Whale sound, where his plans for establishing a settlement will be carried out. The return voyage will be begun, it is expected, in about five weeks after the Hope arrives, and the parties will be picked up on the way back.

Lieutenant Murford Under Arrest.

St. Paul, July 20.—Second Lieutenant William H. Murford, Third infantry, United States army, is under arrest at Camp Lake View, near Lake City, Minn., where the Third infantry is Minn. spending its summer encampment, on a charge of conduct unbecoming an officer and a gentleman. The specifications are as yet unknown, but are reported to be in connection with money matters.

Bishop Butler's Funeral.

Rome, July 20 .- The funeral of Mgr. Butler, recently elevated to the see of Concordia, Kan., who died from intestinal paralysis on Friday, took place today. Among those present were a number of members of English and American sisterhoods and several American Roman Catholic women. The mass was conducted by Mgr. O'Connor, rector of the American college in Rome.

Disaster to French Cavalry.

Paris, July 20 .- At today's meeting of the cabinet M. Lebon, minister of the colonies, announced that a force of French cavalry from Timbuktu, while pursuing a band of robbers, met with a serious disaster. Two European officers, 2 noncommissioned officers and 29 native spahis were killed or are missing.

McDowell Wins a Heat.

London, July 20 .- The Metropolitan amateur regatta was rowed at Putney today. In the race for the London cup the first heat was won by Blackstaffe, who beat Whiting. The second heat was won by Dr. McDowell of Chicago, who led from the start and beat Everett in

Lorillard's Beryl Wins.

London, July 20.-At Leicester today the Wigston 2-year-old Selling Plate, five furlongs, was won by Mr. P. Lorillard's Beryl, by Sensation-Belphæbe Mr. J. L. Dugdale's Sheep, by The Lambkin-Kirtella, was second, and Desolee (pedigree not given) was third.

Rev. Dr. Swallow Sentenced.

Harrisburg, July 20.-Rev. Dr. Silas C. Swallow of this city, who was recently found guilty of libeling Captain John Delany, superintendent of public buildings and grounds, was today sentenced by Judge Simonton to pay a fine of \$500 and costs

El Paso Smelter Running Night and Day. El Paso, Tex., July 20.-The El Paso

smelter is running night and day to its full capacity and cannot begin to work the ores shipped to it. A company is talked of to build smelting works at Juarez, Mexico.

Sir E. Monson's Family Poisoned.

Paris, July 20 .- Sir Edmond Monson, the British embassador, Lady Monson and their whole household were seriously poisoned by a dish of shell fish served for dinner. All will recover.

Japan Will Arbitrate. Yokohama, July 20.-The official papers here say that Japan will probably

agree to the Hawaiian proposal to sub-

mit the immigration depute to arbi-

Famous Pleasure Resort Burned. Colorado Springs, July 20.-The famous Broadmoor casino, the \$100,000 pleasure resort of Colorado Springs, was burned to the ground today. Loss, \$110,

A Slugging Match For Troy. Troy, N. Y., July 20.-Larry Burns of Cohoes and Mike McManus of Albany will meet in a 20 round bout at the Manhattan Athletic club tomorrow night.

SEEKERS AFTER GOLD.

Not More Than One In Fifty Is Able to Get Transportation.

DANGERS OF A LATE START.

From September to May the Mining District Is thut Off From the World by Ice-A Railroad to the Klondike Region Suggested.

Seattle, Wash., July 21.-The feeling of exultation which followed the first reports about the great gold strikes has given place here to one of desperation, and it seems today as if not more than 1 in 50 of the men who are in the city and anxious to start north will be able to do so.

For the most part these men are young and ambitious, the victims of adversity and hard times, who saw this new El Dorado a place where they would no longer be failures in life. They are clamoring for a chance to reach the Klondike district, but today the outlook is dark for most of them.

The steamship Portland, which brought from \$1,000,000 to \$1,500,000 in gold dust, will sail for the diggings

Thursday morning.

The Portland's trip north will be the last this season—that is, it will be the last on which her owners will guarantee to put the passengers into the Klondike. The river freezes in September. From

St. Michael's passengers and their baggage are transferred to the river steamers of the company. Barges are placed in tow of the steamers, which are all of light draft, owing to the rapids of the Yukon. They are loaded with tons of provisions.

So great is the desire to get into the goldfields with the rush that all sorts of tricks have been resorted to, such as drugging a man and stealing his tickets on the steamer Alki, whose berths were all sold 48 hours before she sailed.

P. B. Weare, vice president of the North American Trading company, to which the steamship Portland belongs is receiving hundreds of letters asking for information regarding the goldfields. He said today:

"The boat which sails from Seattle this month is full-every passage taken That means that any one who wants to go to the Klondike must wait for the August boats.

A Long Journey.

"The journey is 7,000 miles, but people talk abroad as if it was walking across the street. They don't realize what Alaska is—what the Yukon is.

"They will need a map to convince them that the country of the Yukon and its tributaries in Alaska and Brit-America is as large as the whole United States east of the Mississippi that it is longer than a trip to Europe before they reach the Bering sea and the mouth of the Yukon, that by the time they strike the Yukon the Alaskan arctic winter will be upon them.

"By Sept. 25 the weather settles and the Yukon river is frozen solid until the following May.

'The expense of getting from Chicago to Seattle is \$60, and from Seattle to the Bering sea is \$150. Thousands of western men will go, but, of course, the coast people expect everything in their favor.

"One thing must be remembered, that the Klondike country is in British do-main, and will be governed accord-

C. B. McIntosh of the Northwest Territory, in which is included the Klondike gold district, is in Seattle. He freely subscribes to the truthfulness of the stories sent out as to the richness of the new diggings. He estimates that the Klondike and its tributaries yielded more than \$3,000,000 in gold last winter. Of this amount he says \$2,000,000 and upward came via the steamships Portland and Excelsior. More than \$1,000,000 in dust, he says, is now stored away in the cabins of miners along the

"The British Yukon yield of gold for 1897," the governor resumed, "will not be less than \$10,000,000." He says surveyors are at work trying to ascertain the feasibility of the construction of a railroad into the Yukon. One route contemplates a line of steamers from Fort Wrangel up the Styken river.

A Syracuse Paper Suspends.

Syracuse, July 21. - The Syracuse Evening News suspended publication today. The paper was started by a stock company about six years ago, controlled and backed by Thomas Ryan, brewer and Democratic politi-Three months ago the company went into the hands of a receiver.

Dr. Stokes Buried.

Ocean Grove, N. J., July 21.-The body of Dr. Elwood H. Stokes, the late president of the Ocean Grove Camp Meeting association, was today removed from the auditorium here and taken on a special train to Haddonfield. The body was interred in the Stokes plot there after a brief service at the grave.

St. Joseph, Mo., July 21.-The force of men in the tin department of the Burlington shops in this city has begun working ten hours a day, and all employees of that company are now working full time, for the first time in several years. The force has also been increased in all departments.

Salvationists Celebrate London, July 21.-The Salvation Army

celebrated its thirty-second anniversary at the Crystal palace today. An enor mous gathering was assembled, with delegates from all parts of the world. General Booth read a telegram he had received from the queen conveying her majesty's congratulations.

Direct Taxes Bill Passed.

Paris, July 21.-The chamber of deputies by a vote of 516 to 7 today passed the direct taxes bill, for which M. Cavaignac on Friday last endeavored to substitute an income tax proposal. which the chamber defeated by a vote of 282 to 249.

Hop. A. N. Curzon Married.

London, July 21.-The Hon. Ashetor Nathaniel Curzon, brother of the Right Hon. George N. Curzon, undersecretary of state for foreign affairs, was married this afternoon to Miss Mercy Lilian O'Keever.

SHERMAN AS A TAIL TWISTER.

England Believes the United States Is Trying to Ferce a War.

London, July 19 .- The Sunday papers review the letter of Secretary of State John Sherman and comment at length apon the Bering sea controversy. The

references of The Observer follow: "As couched, such terms could not be employed by any other civilized nation not determined upon war. If anything s meant by the letter it means a menace to Great Britain, and the combined hostility of the United States and Russia. Unfortunately, the party in power in the United States is under temptations to distract attention from the failure to dispel depression."

The weekly papers take virtually the

same wew as the dailies with reference to Secretary Sherman's dispatch on the sealing question. The Spectator says: "He scolds the British government as If ministers were a set of mean, underhand, thieving scoundrels. It is absolutely essential that Lord Salisbury should refuse to consider the question in any shape until he has received an apology for such wanton imputations. Speaker says: "Mr. Sherman is an old man. We hope for his sake that the dispatch was drafted by some insubordinate who was for the time be-ing oppressed by the heat. Its language is quite strong enough to justify the suspension of all diplomatic relations if that were worth while."

The Morning Post's editorial yester-day suggesting that the time would when a certain class of Americans would force a war, represents the true conviction of a majority of the English people, who firmly believe that the United States is seeking a war with Great Britain. An interesting correspondence confirming this view of the matter appears in The Morning Post.

One correspondent says: "History repeats itself. We should at once find that, as in 1812, our cruisers, though more numerous, would relatively be inferior for offensive and defensive operations against those opposed to them. Moreover, as regards familiarity in the use of high explosive shells, both at sea and on shore, we are not in it with the Americans. It seems to me that we are rapidly approaching the crisis in our history which will decide once for all our existence as an empire."

JAPAN AND SPAIN.

The Report of Their Alliance Against the United States Said to Have Been Confirmed.

London, July 19 .- A dispatch from Paris to a news association says that a continued investigation into the reports of the Spanish-Japanese alliance against the United States government indicates that, despite the repeated denials, there is reason to believe that early developments may prove that there is some truth in the information. The rumor of the Spanish-Japanese alliance against the government of the

United States came from Madrid. The report has been confirmed by certain members of interested embassies, who are likely to be acquainted with the subject.

THE BIG STRIKE.

West Virginia Miners In Line With Pennsylvania and Ohio.

Wheeling, July 19.-A few days ago the representatives of the national assembly of the United Mine Workers of America came into southwestern West Virginia. At that time the mines were in operation, and larger amounts of coal were being turned out daily than ever before in the history of this region.

Today the situation is entirely chang-Working with unceasing energy, the presentatives of the miners have turned the scale little by little, and now the miners in the Elkhorn, Logan, Thacker and Shamokin fields, along the Norfolk and Western, have laid down their picks and swore fealty to the cause of their Pennsylvania and Ohio breth-

They are 5,000 strong, and in addition to quitting work themselves the edict has gone forth from them that the mines in the Flat Top and Pocahontas fields must also close.

The agents of the strikers will leave for the last named fields at once, and there a new campaign will be opened in the expectation that it will be no less successful than here. It is believed that by tomorrow night not a miner in this region, outside of the Winnifrede mines, will be at work, and that in a short time the whole state will be tied up.

Durrant and the Stars. San Francisco, July 19.-The parents of Theodore Durrant, the condemned murderer, have been consulting astrologers to ascertain what the stars say about his fate. Derrant's father is trying to gain permission to photograph his son for animatascope purposes, but

it is doubtful whether the prison directors will permit this. Suicide Follows Sunstroke. Newark, N. J., July 19.-Richard Mc-Laughlin, who has been ill from the effects of a sunstroke on July 6, com mitted suicide here yesterday. He shot

himself in the heart and died soon afterward.

Killed by a Trolley Car. New Haven, July 19 .- Andrea Freda, an Italian boy 10 years of age, was killed by a tabley car yesterday. The boy jumped from a truck in front of a passing car. Both legs were cut off.

Bishop Elect Butler Dead.

Rome, July 19.-The Rev. Father Buter, bishop elect of Concordia, Kan. died here vesterday of intestinal paraly sis. He was to have been consecrated bishop by Cardinal Satolli today.

Cotton Mill Closed. Blackstone, Mass., July 19.—The Blackstone cotton mill has closed. The

shut down affects 460 employees and will take out of circulation \$3,000 a week in wages. Professor Goldschmidt Dead. Paris, July 19.—The death is announced here of Professor Goldschmidt,

the well known authority upon com-

Brakeman Guile Killed.

Susquehanna, Pa., July 19.-Brakeman Charles E. Guile of Corning, N. Y., was killed Friday night by a locomotive in the Eric railroad yard.

mercial law.

TARIFF IN THE SENATE.

Morgan Asked an Assurance Which Alls son Could Not Give.

Washington, July 21.-When the hour of noon arrived today there was a large attendance of spectators in the senate galleries, attracted by the fact that the closing sessions of the tariff bill were about to be initiated on that legislative stage. The approaching struggle was alluded to in the chaplain's opening prayer, asking for "an adjustment of difficulties where there are any questions that vex and disquiet; also that the councils of the senate may issue in such legislation as shall be for the best interests of the people in every commonwealth, so that every fear may be disappointed and every hope realized."

Mr. Morgan of Alabama offered a resolution, which was agreed to, asking the president to inform the senate whether any, and what, demand has been made on the government of Spain for indemnity to Samuel J. Tolan, a citizen of the United States, for arbitrary arrest and imprisonment in Cuba. A message having been received from the house as to the agreement to the tariff official report, Mr. Allison moved

Mr. Morgan (Ala.) asked Mr. Allison

to take it up.

what assurance he could give that after the tariff bill was disposed of an opportunity would be given for action on other questions. He said that he would want to discuss the political situation, the revenue situation and the situation as it related to the burdens of taxation; also the historical situation of the tariff measure in both houses. If assurance could not be given that there would be an opportunity for discussion during the present session, he would have to take advantage of the conference report and discuss those subjects in a disorderly way, perhaps, "but," said he, "when men have been tied up and laid on their backs, it is not expected that they should preserve their equanimity, and not make any grimaces or any kind of resistance. I will insist that it is as much the duty of the senate to save the government from the robbery of \$50, 000,000 (referring to the Union Pacific matter) as it is to pass a tariff bil which, I think, will also be a robbery of the people, and unless I get assurance that time will be allowed for discussing and acting on other questions after this bill has been disposed of I will be compelled, in self defense, to wander around a good deal (on this conference report) in the discussion of the general situa-

Mr. Allison said that it was impossible for him to give assurance what was to be done from day to day. Of course he did not want to cut off anybody, but this tariff conference report was now the most important matter before the senate, and he hoped that it would be proceeded with. The bill was then read.

Now Let Spain Beware.

Washington, July 21.-The senate has passed the joint resolution empowering the president to take steps for the release of Ona Melton and other Competitor prisoners held by Spain.

Dr. Parkhurst's Health.

London, July 21. - Reports having reached here that the condition of Dr. Parkhurst of New York was causing anxiety to his friends, a correspondent made inquiries as to the state of his health. Dr. Parkhurst elegraphed today from the Hotel Mooser, at Vevay, on the lake of Geneva, Switzerland, saying: "I am improving, though less rapidly than I expected. I am sorry that I will not return in time to register.'

"Parsifal" at Baireuth.

Baircuth, July 21 .- An ideal performance of "Parsifal" was given under the conductorship of Anton Seidl at the Wagner festival. This was the ninetythird performance of "Parsifal" at Baireuth. Van Dyck was in grand voice and made a splendid Parsifal. Mme. Brema made her first appearance as Kundry and scored a great success.

. Will Meet In Buffalo.

CARRIAGE MAKEF. Chattanooga, July 19.-At a meeting of the board of managers of the Baptist Young People's Union of America, Buffalo was selected as the next place of meeting, provided the Buffalo people give assurance that railroad rates and other minor details will be satis-

A Police Justice Accused.

Trov. N. Y., July 19.-Police Justice Barnes of Hoosick Falls has been arrested on a charge of bribery, and the case will come before the Rennselaer county grand jury. The complaint was made by Patrick J. Haren, proprietor of the Union House, Hoosick Falls.

The Welden House Burned.

St. Albans, Vt., July 19.-The Welden House, one of the best appointed hostelries in New England, was burned late last night. The Welden House was owned by John Greenway of Syracuse A number of guests were unable to secure any of their property.

Rescued From Death.

Boston, July 19.-John Foley, Harry Olsen, John Stone, William McKay and Arthur Glidred, the missing fishermen belonging to the Gloucester fishing schooner Golden Rule, who strayed from their vessel last Monday and were supposed to have been lost, have all been saved, after a terrible experience from hunger.

Shot the Thief.

Susquehanna, Pa., July 19.-The station of the Delawere and Hudson railroad at Lanesboro, was broken into late Friday night, and while the thief was engaged in looting the place he was fatally shot by Officer Lovelace. His identity is unknown, and he confessed to having committed several crimes.

Uncte Sam's Ships.

Washington, July 19 .- The Maine has arrived at New London. The Brooklyn has arrived at New York from Southampton. The Michigan Bas sailed from Mackinac for Detroit. The Alert and Pinta have arrived at Mare island.

Death From Wire Cutting.

City of Mexico, July 19 .- A few days ago a telephone wire was cut near Ta-The offender has been captured and will be shot, as the Mexican law prescribes that punishment for such offenses.

Dead and Unknown.

Natick, R. I., July 19.-The body of an unknown man was found floating in the Pawtuxet river at Pontiac yester-

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