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HIS SKULL CRUSHED.

John McManus Receives What Promises to be Fatal Injuries at Glenbrook.

Is in a Dying Condition at the Norwalk Hospital.

John McManus met with an accident near Glenbrook last night that will probably prove fatal.

McManus belongs in New Haven and was in New York in search of work, where he made the acquaintance of a man who gives his name as Michael McCormack. In company with two other men they boarded freight train No. 180 for the purpose of securing a ride to New Haven.

The first known of the accident was by one of the quartette telling McCormack that his friend had fallen from

To a reporter McCormack this morning gave the following story of the accident: "Me and McManus met each other in New York, and as he was going my way and I was willing to go his'n we jumped a freight for that city. I went to sleep on the bumpers and supposed that my pard did the same.

"I was woke up by one of the fellows who said there is one of us missing and that is your friend. I made up my mind that McManus had fell off and got the train stopped.

"I told the conductor and some one went back and found the man dead to the world beside the track. He was brought to the South Norwalk depot, and I stuck by him, and here I am in jail. No one was to blame but himself."

A telephone message brought the ambulance to the depot and the unfortunate man was taken to the hospital

It was seen that his injuries were of such a nature that there was hardly a possibility, of his living, and the chief of police at New Haven was asked to locate the young man's relatives, with the result that his sister and uncle reached here at an early hour this morning and are at the hospital.

His injuries so far as shown consist of a frightful fracture on the frontal part of his head. The nurse and her attendants with the aid of the attending physician have done all in their power to relieve the suffering if any of the poor fellow who seems to be unconsciously nearing his final dissolu-

He is about 18 years of age, and a member of a beneficent order in New

Changes of Military Officers.

The adjutant-general has placed Captain Albert J. Wilcoxson, Company D. Fourth Regiment, C. N.G., Norwalk, on the retired list upon his own request.

First Sergeant C. W. Bucklee, Company C. Fourth Regiment, Stamford, has been appointed first lieutenant with rank from September 17, 1897, vice Scofield resigned.

Town Clerks Should Destroy Envelopes.

Town clerks are continually sending back to the state secretary's office unused ballot envelopes from the recent election. This is unnecessary, as under Section 8, Chapter 213, of the Public Acts of 1897, town clerks are required to destroy all mutilated and unused envelopes and so certify to the state secretary under oath.-Hartford Courant.

NEW CANAAN.

Miss Mamie Pennoyer and Mr. Walter Barnes were married Wednesday night at eight o'clock at the bride's home on Main street. Mr. William Quigg has put an addi-

tion on his house. Mrs. Thomas Fairity and her mother

Mrs. Lockwood spent the day in Stamford on Wednesday.

A certain young man on Main street who was out for a lark one night, met a damsel fair, as he supposed, and took a stroll. When he neared the gas light he took a peep at the fair creature's face and to his great surprise he lady of color.

Sail for Home. (By Cable to GAZETTE.)

Naples, Italy, October 8.—Congressman and Mrs. E. J. Hill sail on the Steamship Werra to-day for home, all

POSTAL CLERK ARRESTED.

Charles E. Bill of New Haven Accused of Stealing.

Charles E. Bill of New Haven, a postal clerk on the Northampton division of the "Consolidated" road, was arrested yesterday afternoon by United States Post Office Inspector Bellman of Boston, on the charge of embezzling \$15 in money and a pension check. He was given a preliminary hearing before United States Commissioner William

A. Wright. He pleaded not guilty and a hearing will take place Saturday. It is alleged that Bill abstracted a letter addressed to Mrs. William Currie of Plainville. The money was in three \$5 bills and the check, which was made payable to William Currie, had been sent to him by his wife.

Information Wanted.

To any one who may be able to give information of the following:

Who can tell anything in regard to one John Stuart, who, in 1805, was living at New Canaan? He was Scotch descent and claimed lineage with the royal Stuarts of Scotland. His wife's name may have been Sally, but I imagine Sally was his sister. He had one sister, Abigail, who married first Ichabod Davis, presumably of Mass., and their daughter Martha was born in that state, July 1775. They removed to Pittston, Pa., in 1788.

This Abigail Stuart was my greatgreat-grandmother. Can anything be found on New Canaan records to prove that she was born there? If any record is found of John Stuart, cannot the record of his parents, brothers and sisters also be found? If this comes to the notice of any one of the descendants of this family, or to the minister or custodian of the church records, will they not carefully search out all possible dates for me, by visiting the old cemetery, etc. Any help that I may receive in this matter that will throw light on the subject I shall be most willing to remunerate for the trouble.

Almost all I know of this family is traditional, but sometimes a little clue unfolds a whole history. I have in my possession a letter written to a neice of John Stuart by her mother and father in 1805. This neice was Miss Laura Blanchard, and she was spending the winter with her uncle in New Canaan. An Aunt Sally is mentioned in the letter, and a visit that this young lady had previously made to relatives at Norwalk, Conn. Can anyone tell if these Stuarts belong to the Stuarts of Nor-

I copy the following from Savage's Geneological Dictionary: "Robert Stuart of Norwalk moved from Milford in 1650, 12th June; married Bethia Pambell of Stratford; had children, James, born 19th March, 1662; Abigail 6th Aug. 1666; John, March 1668.

It seems more than probable to me that there must have been the same family, but of course they were born too early for my Abigail and her brother John, but it could be that one of these men was their father.

I am greatly interested in this matter and am constantly endeavoring to find the lost link. Who will help me?

This is my line: Abigail Stuart Martha Davis, Ichabod Davis, Isaac Miles, Rebecca Miles L. A. Jones, Jacob Myers.

Mary Jones, Julia Myers, William Bacon. Abigail married second, Jeremiah Blanchard of Pennsylvania.

Trusting to receive an early response, Very truly, MRS. WILLIAM W. BACON, Corning, N. Y.

Darien Bird Did Not Come to Time.

A party of Norwalk sports came to Stamford last night with a suspiciouslooking basket, the contents of which were closely guarded. From part of their conversation which was overheard, it was taken that they came here by appointment to meet a Darien party with a similar basket. The latter party, however, did not put in appearance, and the disgusted sports returned home. The basket contained a game cock, and had the Darienites kept their part of the agreement there would have been a cock fight.-Advo-

Civil Service Examination.

There will be a civil service examination for the grade of carrier and clerk, discovered that the young lady was a at the South Norwalk post office, on Saturday, November 13.

UNION VETERANS UNION.

Norwalk Men Elected to Office at the

At its sixth annual encampment held in the rooms of the Alfred H. Terry command in New Haven, yesterday, the Connecticut and Rhode Island departments of the Union Veterans' union, elected the following officers for the ensuing year: Department commander, James L'Hommedieu of South Norwalk; assistant adjutant general, G. S. North of South Norwalk; assistant quartermaster sergeant; James L. Russell of South Norwalk; first deputy commander, G. S. Cleveland of Meriden; second deputy commander, W. H. Tyther of Shelton; surgeon general, J. W. Burns of Bridgeport; chaplain, T. J. Chadeayne of Shelton; executive committee Le Grand Bevins of Meriden, William Holmes of New Haven, J. D. Day of Shelton, James Johnson of Norwalk, G. S. North of South Norwalk, W. J. Meyers of Bridgeport.

In the evening a camp fire was held in the rooms of Alfred H. Terry command. A fine spread was served by the ladies of the Women's Veteran Relief union.

At the close of the feasting a fine program of music, speaking and singing was given.

-EASTMAN'S POCKET KODAK'S re duced from \$5 to \$2.50, at Riggs' Drus

PERSONAL NOTES.

Mrs. Louis Miessel, of Washington, Conn., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Albin

Mrs. Isaac Bouton, of High street, ttended the funeral of her uncle in New York, Tuesday. William T. Raymond spent yester-

day at the Danbury fair. He has not missed attending it in thirty years. Roy Jones spent yesterday in South

Norwalk with relatives. Miss Margaret Tammany, of Monroe street, went to Danbury, yesterday to

spend the remainder of the week. Mrs. W. Shelton Stevenson went to Bridgeport, and will attend the wedding of Miss Louie Stevenson, next

R. C. Woodruff, a representative of The Morse Plating company, of Pittsfield, Mass., is spending a few days in

Rev. F. Murray, of Norwich, is visiting his sister, Mrs. William H. Mc-Mahon, of West avenue, who is quite ill.

Conductor Milton Clark, Motorman Gilbert Horton and Book-keeper Ralph W. Bray, of the Norwalk Street Railway company, attended the Danbury fair yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bogardus are in Danbury, where they wili spend two or three days, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. VanScoy.

Mrs. M. L. Dean, of Brooklyn, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Milford A. Giffin. Mrs. J. S. Dunning, of Elmwood avenue, is visiting in Simsbury.

Edward C. Stuart, of West avenue, attended the Danbury fair, yesterday. Miss Nina A. Lewis of Norwalk visited Miss Lulu M. Sniffin of the Danbury News yesterday.

Fred. B. Grumman has returned from a few days' visit with his cousin, Howard Reed of Ridgefield.

Miss Lily Stichter of Reading, Pa., is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Treadwell, of North avenue.

Dr. and Mrs. Lorenzo N. Phinyey of West avenue, left Norwalk yesterday afternoon for a three weeks' outing in the White mountains and the mountains of New York state.

At Rest. Yesterday afternoon there sank to

final rest the embodiment of all that was grandly good in womankind in the person of Abigail Denison, relict of the late Captain Joseph J. Jennings of Southport, and mother of Funeral director James D. Jennings, of this city, with whom she had spent her final days. She was a daughter of James and Rebecca Denison and was born in Lansingburg, N. Y. She had long been a resident of Southport where she enjoyed the respect and esteem of all, as was indeed the case in her few years residence in Norwalk. Of a lovable nature she won the friendship of all with whom she came in contact. Truly God has called one of his own home to heaven. Her sands of life simply ran out and she passed from earth to heaven at a ripe old age. The funeral will take place from the home of her son on Elm street on Monday next, the interment being in Oak Lawn cemetery at Southport.

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25c Opaque Shades,19)
25c Floor Oil Cloth	,
25c Tap. Hassocks,	
25c Cocoa Mats,	,
2 yds. striped Nainsook,19	,
25c Japanese Matting,19)

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500 yds. all colors satin and gros grain ribbons, reg-

DRESS MAKERS' SUPPLIES AND SMALL WARES. 13c Stockinet shields, 2 pairs for......19

6 spools Clark's cotton Bik. or white
25c scissors this sale,
3 cards of patent hook and eyes,19
10c per doz. pearl buttons 3 doz19
10c Combination Waist steels, 3 sets,19
2 bot. best qual. Machine Oil,
2 Rolls Crepe paper,
3 Boxes writing paper,
15c Dressing Comb, 2 for
2 fifteen cent tooth brushes,
2 cakes White Castile soap,
4 cakes White Rose soap,19
1 Bot. 25c Royal tooth powder,
Special Cut Prices in Linings.

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	Silisia,
5 vds	Best Cambric,
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coffees imported china cups and saucer, 3 for19
3 Dec. China fruit plates,19
2 qt. tin tea pot with copper bottom, 19
29c Galvanized Iron coal hods,
29c Galvanized Iron chamber pails,19
Nest spice boxes, 5 in a nest,19
50 feet braided Clothes-line,
6 Kitchen knives,19
Large sizes Chambers,
Complete set of bottles for castors,19
Dec. China cake plates,19
Dec. China salad bowls,
1 qt. Glass water bottles,19
China bread and milk sets,19
VEILINGS.

150 yds. 18 in Blk. Silk Veiling, reg. 25c quality for

HANDKERCHIEFS.

50 doz. Ladies' Embroidered Handkerchiefs, regular 105 Ladies' and Gents' plain white and colored borders, regular price 5c, for this sale 6 for..........19

LACES AND HAMBURGS.

100 yds. white and Cream Oriental Laces, 3 to 5 in., reg. 12½c per yd., for this sale 2 yds. for.....19 100 yds. Blk. Chantilly lace, 4 inch wide, 15c per yd. 300 yds. Hamburg edging, 3 to 5 in. wide, price 8c,

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New seasonable Fall and Winter goods, at prices never equalled. We trust the people of Fairfield Co. will take advantage of this great Nineteen-Cent Sale. Men's Nat. Wool half hose, seamless double heel and toe, always sold at 19c a pair, now 2 pairs for....19 Men's fancy suspenders, patent cast of buckles, mohair ends, full 36 in. long, good webbing, always sold at 35c, now......19 Ladies' fleeced vest and pants, White and Ecru finished seams, sizes 4 to 9, regular prices 25 and 35c this sale,......19 Ladies' fine Hermsdorf winter weight cotton hose, the best 25c stocking made, many say 38c, for this sale......19 Men's 2 thread, double sole blk. cotton hose, regular Boys' and Girls' cotton ribbed stockings, 5 to 10 reg. 13c grade, now 2 pairs......19

IN THE GREAT SUIT AND CLOAK ROOM.

25c Childs' Silk car

oc Chius Sin cape,
25c Large size aprons,
25 New children's tam-o-shanters,
25c Ladies' Drawers,
9c Knit Bootees,19
5c Corset Covers,19
DALL DRESS GOODS

FALL DRESS GOODS. Nineteen Cents Yd. 10 pcs. all wool serge, all colors and Blk. 1 yd wide, . . 19

36 in. Blk. figured Dress Goods, this is great value, ... 19

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10 pes. Fancy Silk for waists and linings,19
LINENS, &c.
All linen tray cloths, come and see them, 3 for19
Face cloths, such value occur only at long intervals,
six for
Pillow Cases, great value compared with what you
can find at 12½c, two for
25c Table damask,
White Turkish towels, they cost more to manufac-
ture, two for
Table covers, they are better than you think, Che-
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THE BOSTON STORE, Cor. Main and Wall Sts.

Crowds of Spanish Volunteers Parading the Streets.

AMERICANS ALSO ALARMED

They Are Shouting "Death to the United States" and "Long Live Weyler"-Big Demonstration in Protest Against Weyler's Recall.

(Cable to the New York Sun.)

Havana, via Key West, Oct. 7.-At 10 p'clock yesterday morning the compronising Spanish merchants in Havana closed their stores and threatening groups of Spanish volunteers began to narch along the streets crying:

"Death to the United States! Long live Spain! Long live Gen. Weyler! Death to the traitors!"

The whole city is in a state of terror. A large mass meeting of Spaniards has been called to meet at the Casino Espanol to-night in honor of Gen. Weyler. Placards have been posted in all the streets summoning the loyal Spanlards to the Casino, and inciting them to firmly support Gen. Weyler, who is, the placards say "the savior of Spain."

long cable dispatch has been sent to Madrid, signed by all the most conspicuous irreconcilables of Havana, urging the Government to withdraw all steps for the recall of Gen. Weyler. which public opinion attributes to pressure from the United States.

The Spanish volunteers also threaten to throw down their arms if the Captain-General is recalled. The cable dispatches to the Government and the other manifestations in favor of Weyfer have been signed also by Senors Montero, Galvez, Cueto and Saladrigas, members of the Autonomist party.

The excitement against the United

States is so intense that an attack on the Americans is feared. The Cuban families are also in great danger. The city presents the same aspect of anarchy that it bore in 1869 and 1873. If the Government recalls Weyler, outrages upon American citizens and attacks upon the American Consulate are almost certain to occur.

The mobs that are parading the streets are also lifting their voices against autonomy, and the Autonomists themselves, led by Senor Montoro, declare that Weyler must not be recalled, and that it is a shame for Spain to grant "reforms" under pressure from the United States.

Gen. Weyler's factotum and favorite, Col. Escribano, chief of the staff of the Captain-General, is the man who started all this boom for Weyler through his agents, sent out to all the quarters of the city. Gen. Weyler himself has publicly declared that "he can neither resign nor accept a recall, because he is sure to end the revolution in a few weeks."

La Lucha publishes to-day a strong editorial in favor of Gen. Weyler, and inciting all loyal Spaniards "to do their

The demonstration to-night will be turbulent, and disturbance of peace is feared. The crowd proposes to call at the palace and salute Gen. Weyler.

The report, widely circulated this morning, that negotiations are going on between Madrid and Washington to establish home rule in Cuba, and that the American Government will make proposals to the revolutionary leaders to induce them to accept, has increased the indignation of the uncompromising

A report came also from Madrid this morning that the Government has asked Gen. Martinez Campos to come to Cuba. The name of Martinez Cam-pos is hissed by the uncompromising Spaniards in their meetings.

La Lucha asserts also that the Cabinet is in great difficulties because Ga-mazo and Maura, who have no portfolios, are beginning to attack Sagasta. Seventeen hundred Spanish residents left Havana yesterday for Spain, fearing that the recall of Weyler would be the certain end of Spain's rule in Cuba.

The war is raging more fiercely than ast week in Pinar del Rio province. At Llanadas Dolores, in that province, a remarkable victory was obtained on Monday by the insurgents. The Spanards had forty-one killed and twenty-nine wounded, and the Cubans only six killed and twelve wounded. The Cubans were commanded by Col. Serafin Garcia. The Spaniards retreated, leaving a valuable convoy of supplies in the

The town of Guayabas, also Pinar del Rio, has surrendered to the insurgents. Another important engagement s reported at Cumanayagua, Santa Clara province, with heavy losses on both sides.

The report comes from Madrid that the Government has pardoned Senor Alfredo Zayas, a Cuban who was ex-

EDITOR BEANS AGAIN.

Horsewhipped and Beaten in the Public Street in Waco, Tex.

Waco, Tex., Oct. 7.-Editor W. C. Brann published a card in which he disclaimed any intention to defame the young women pupils of Baylor University, but declared that the trustees and faculty were the objects of his attack, and insisted that they merited all he had said in the Iconoclast.

In consequence another attack was made on him this afternoon, and he was severely beaten. The persons attacking Brann were J. B. Scarborough. attorney and a trustee of Baylor University: George Scarborough, son of J. B. Scarborough, and R. H. Hamilton, another Baylor student.

They seized Brann in the Provident Building, took him to the middle of the street, and beat him with a cane and E buggy whip. It was done before the police could interfere.

The assailants were promptly ar-rested and refused to give bond for forcibly and illegally restraining Brann of his liberty and for aggravated assault.

Christian Endeavorers in Paterson, Paterson, N. J., Oct. 7.—The State Convention of the New Jersey Christian Endeavor societies opened at 3 o'clock yesterday afternon at the Hall of the Young Men's Christian Associa-There were upward of one thousand delegates present. The Rev. Dr. French, president of the union, presided. The principal event of the afternoon was an address on Sabbath observance by the Rev. Dr. David James Burrell, of New York.

LADIES, TOO.

They Know a Good Thing When They See It.

Many a woman has felt the depths of humiliation when her head, filled to suffocation, and matter running from it down her throat was causing intolerable nausea, she has been forced either to hawk and spit, or to swallow the disgust-ing matter she knew was causing the trouble. Many a woman can remember when, just as she was making a special effort to be entertaining and to please, her words were choked off by the same never ceasing dropping of matter down from her head into her throat. What's that? You've felt it? Of course you have; few in this climate escape. But though misery loves company, that doesn't make this cross much easier to bear.

But to bear it, to endure all the in-convenience, humiliation, actual misery resulting from the disease which caus this trouble, is not necessary. Not at all. You can check it at once, you can remove it in a week, you can cure it in a fortnight. And by the simplest means, with no trouble, and at an expense so trilling as to be almost nothing. Hundright with the string of the s dreds of women in Norwalk have tried it, and they know. Listen to what one of them say

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EXPORTS IN AUGUST LAST.

\$79,490,264 Greater than in Any Corresponding Month in Many Years.

Washington, Oct. 7.-Informatic lected by the Bureau of statistics, Treas ary Department, show that the value of the exports of domestic merchanfilse in August last was \$79,499, 1 greater than in any corresponding month for many years. The values of exports in August, 1896, was \$66,689,98. "lmost all of the staple articles of exort shared in the increase. The value of exported articles during the eight menths ended Aug. 30, was almost as creat as during the entire fiscal year 1395. Wheat was the greatest factor in the increased total shipments, the outit, under the condition of advanced prices, amounting to about \$9,000,000 in value more than in August of last car, and general breadstuffs were exorted in much larger quantities than usual and brought higher prices.

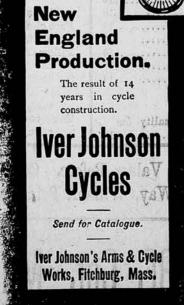
The articles which showed an increase of exports were: Animals, \$5'-538,286; wheat, \$13,211,662; other breadstuffs, \$26,317,219; carriages, \$215,187; clocks and watches, \$126,731; hops, \$27,-35; leather and leather goods, \$701,185; mineral oils, \$5,218,403; vegetable oils, \$!68,384; paper, \$420,830; provisions, \$12,-923,533; distilled spirits, \$59,785; sugar and molasses, \$195,946; tobacco, unmanufactured, \$3,437,951; lumber, \$775,700; woolen manufactures, \$129,766.

Proposed Armor Plant.

Washington, Oct. 7.—The board of naval officers appointed to gather information and prepare plans for the establishment of a Government armor plant were ordered by Secretary Long vesterday to visit Elizabethton, Tenn. on their trip through the South, to examine the facilities there for manufacturing armor. A committee of gentlemen who have interests in Elizabethton and its vicinity called on Secretary Long and urged him to send the board there. Among the members of the committee were John G. Carlisle, former Secretary of the Treasury; Senator Hansbrough of North Dakota, and Benjamin Butterworth, the Commissioner of Patents. The committee told the Secretary that all the places which the board will visit in the South obtain Bessemer from Carter County, Tenn., and Mitchell County, N. C. Elizabethtc.. is in Carter County.

e ple Cup Scries Goes to Baltimore.

Boston, Oct. 7.-Boston's hopes of vinning the Temple Cup grew beautiully less yesterday, when the chamions dropped another game to Baltire, more by wretched battery work and careless fielding. The general work he team was listless and indifferent d would not land the team high in second division if continued through season. The crowd was not backand in expressing its displeasure, and, in all, it cannot be said that the eball season in Boston came to a ant close yesterday. The score: imore 0 4 4 0 0 0 0-8 on 0 0 3 0 0 0 0-3



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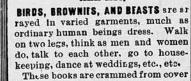
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He Got \$1,000 from Banker Henry Clews-A Cleveland Woman Swindled Out of \$6,000-Passed Bad

New York, Oct. 8 .- Chief of Detecives McClusky had at Police Headquarters this afternoon a man whom he charges with being one of the greatest swindlers ever known in this country. His operations, McClusky al-leges in his complaint, have covered period of years and have netted him at least \$400,000.

The man under arrest is Emmet C. Gibson, alias George A. Sherin. He said that he was 39 years old and lived at the Hotel Bartholdi. He was arrested at the Grand Hotel, at Thir-tieth street and Broadway, by De-

tectives Evanhoe and Connelly.
Gibson is a lawyer, and was, he says, once president of the Akron Street Railway in Ohio. He says that he is now vice-president of the road.

The specific charge against Gibson is that he passed a bogus check on Aug. 6, 1896, for \$620 on the manager of the Imperial Hotel. He tendered the check in payment for a board bill of \$265. That is one of his methods, Detective McClusky says. Another method is

selling bogus stocks and bonds.
Gibson had an office in the rear of Henry Clews' place in the Mills Building. He swindled Henry Clews, it is charged out of \$1,000.

A list of the hotels where he is said to have passed bad checks is as follows: Hotel Netherlands, Continental Hotel and the Fifth Avenue Hotel, of this city; the Cadillac and Lincoln hotels in Pittsburg, the Hollander Hotel, of Cleveland, Ohio; the Bristol Inn, of Akron, Ohio, and the Parker House, Boston.

He was arrested on Jan. 1, 1897, on the complaint of the proprietor of the Parker House in Boston for a board bill of \$400. He is said to have given a bad check for \$500 in payment and pocketed the change.

Gibson hired as his secretary W. H. Campbell, and is said to have swindled him out of \$350.

A widow in Cleveland, Ohio, is said to have lost \$6,000, which she was induced to invest in a motor at Gibson's

Examinations for Consuls.

Washington, Oct. 8.-The President has recently designated a number of persons to take examinations for appointments as United States Consuls, and if the requirements are met, the commissions will be soon made out. In the list are two men from Maryland, Howard Carroll, a nephew of ex-Gov. John Lee Carroll, who will be appointed Consul to Messina, and Talbott Albert, who will be sent to Brunswick Germany. Mr. Carroll is not satisfied with the small post given him, which pays only \$1,500 a year, and through members of the State delegation in Congress is endeavoring to secure some more important place.

The plan now pursued by the President in selecting Consuls is to order them to appear for examination and announces the appointments just before they are ready to sail for abroad.

Debs Campaigns in the East.

New York, Oct. 8.-Eugene V. Debs. the labor agitator, arrived in this city and addressed last night a meeting of the Social Democracy, of which he is the founder, in Brevoort Hall. Debs is going to remain in this section of the country for the next five or six weeks. He is here to boom his Social Democracy scheme. To-morrow night ie will address a meeting to the Grand Central Palace. He will be the guest of honor at a banquet at the Hotel Bartholdi on Sunday night. From this city he will go to Philadelphia, then to Pottstown, and afterward on a trip through New England.

Poughkeepsie, Oct. 8.-The mystery of the series of robberies at Vassar College that plagued the officials for several years has apparently been cleared up by the arrest in Kingston of a former servant at the college, known variously as Cora and Catherine Simmonds and Ruby Livingston, and the recovery of a gold watch stolen by her on May 6 last from the room of Miss H. Bickmore Long, of Tenant's Harbor,

Venezuela's Chief Dying.

New York, Oct. 8.-Gen. Joaquin Crespo, President of Venezuela, is said to be dangerously ill, and very little hope is entertained of his recovery. President Crespo is about 50 years

old and is a native of Barcelona, Venezuela. He is a shrewd, conservative business man, rich in lands and herds -a veritable cattle king of the South. He is also a successful soldier, whose iron nerve has endeared him to his fol-

Saratoga, Oct. 8.-Herbert F. Howe. of Cambridge, Mass., who was employed by George C. Howe, of the Mansion House, and recently disappeared with \$325 of his employer's money, has sent it back. The police were unable to locate the absconding

Sent Back the Money He Stole.

Mr. Dana Is Weaker.

New York, Oct. 8.-The chances are now against the recovery of the Hon. Charles A. Dana. He is gradually growing weaker. At no time during his present illness has so much anxiety as to his condition been expressed as this morning. Mr. Dana is at his Summer home in Roslyn, L. I.

Miss Cisneros Escapes.

Havana, Oct. 8.-Senorita Evangelina Cassio y Cisneros, the little Cuban patriot held a prisoner by Gen. Weyler, made her escape from the Casa de Recogidas in a mysterious manner last

Salem Cotton Mills on Full Time. Salem, Mass., Oct. 8.-The three Naumkeag steam cotton mills, which have been running on short time since July, began on a full-time schedule to-

PEOPLE WE KNOW.

They are Norwalk People and What They Say is of Local Interest.

When an incident like the following occurs right here at home it is bound to carry weight with our readers. When so many strange occurrences go the rounds of the press, are published as facts when the intelligent reader knows they cannot be true, there is no wonder that people become skeptical. On one subject skepticism is rapidly disappearing. This is due to the actual personal experience of our citizens, and their public utterances regarding them. The doubter must doubt no more in the face of such evidence as this. The public statement of a reputable citizen living right-here at home, one whom you can see every day, leaves no ground for the skeptic to stand on.

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

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Mails from the South these days have a strong smell of sulphur about them. which reveals the efforts made to prevent the spread of the yellow fever

BABY'S BEST FRIEND-MOTHER-NEXT, DR. HAND'S COLIC CURE! Hartford, Oct. 26, '96-The Hand Medicine Co.—"By request of my wife the undersigned writes you that 'baby's best friend is her mother,' and next best is Dr. Hand's Colic Cure. Used same for past months. It is impossible to write our appreciation of your preparation and do most cheerfully request all mothers to use same for their little ones. Our baby is now teething. W. Lincoln Barnard," Sold by all druggists, 25c.

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The woman who doesn't want at least half of the things she sees these days possesses a wonderfully well-balanced

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Mince pie, the autumn rival of the strawberry shortcake, is beginning to appear in the baker shops.

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Window dressing is not so easy as it seems. It means a combination of mechanical genius and high art, and that is a mighty hard coupling to

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If you have been deceived and tried one of the cheap bran substitutes now on the market, claiming to be the original and to have great food value and you got a pound of poor y roasted bran for your 25c. and a poor, weak, sickish drink (what can you expect from bran,) don't be discouraged but try GRAIN-O. It is made from solid grain, nicely browned and 2 pounds for 25c. Grain-O takes the place of coffer at 1 the price. Get a package of you grocer to-day.

FULL TAMMANY TICKET. Withdrawal of Ruppert, and Hes of Other Surprises

New York, Oct. 8.-The Tammany Hall Convention, to name ticket, was called to order at 2.33 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

It was a typical Tammany crowd, noisy and good-natured, and as the celebrities came in they were received

with cheers.
At 2.40 o'clock Maurice Holahan, who had been selected to preside at the convention, rapped for order, and then made a speech, roasting Mr. Platt's party with true Tammany vigor. He announced that the only issues of the campaign are "low taxes, home rule,

personal liberty, and the excise law."

John W. Keller was named for permanent chairman. He made a speech, the principal feature of which was that he voted for Bryan and helped nominate Judge Van Wyck.

After the reading of the platform John C. Sheehan came forward and presented a resolution directing the convention to proceed to the nomination of candidates for two Justices of the Supreme Court, two Judges of the City Court, a Sheriff, a County Clerk, a Register and four Coroners. The following is the full ticket nom-

For Justices of the Supreme Court-Charles H. Van Brunt and Francis M.

For Justices of the City Court-John Henry McCarthy and Edward F. O'Dwyer. For Sheriff-Thomas F. Dunn.

For County Clerk-William Sohmer. For Register-Isaac Fromme. For District Attorney—Asa Bird Gardiner.

For President of the Borough of Manhattan—Augustus W. Peters.
For Coroners—Edward T. Fitzpatrick, Jacob E. Bausch, Edward W. Hart and Antonio Zucca.

Grady, it will be observed, is not on the ticket. Another piece of news is the withdrawal of Jacob Ruppert, Jr., from the city ticket, on which he had been nominated for President of the

THE MYSTERIOUS WILSON MURDER. Titterman, the Suspect, Thought to be Demented and His Story Untrue.

Philadelphia, Oct. 8.-The man who surrendered himself to the police on Monday and said that he was one of the murderers of William C. Wilson, the librarian, giving his name as William Harris, has been identified as John Tittermary. He is well known to the authorities.

The police now believe that Tittermary is demented. In many particulars the story which he told when he surrendered himself seemed probable, but his alleged confession has been | Flavoring Extract,s Also the found to be untrue.

The man Monk, whom Tittermary described as one of his accomplices, was in prison at the time of the murder, where he was serving a sentence for robbing railroad cars. Tittermary was examined yesterday for the purpose of ascertaining his mental condition, but the result of the examination has not been made public.

MAIL TUBE SERVICE.

Dr. Depew Sends the First Parcel-A Cat Sent Through the Tube. New York, Oct. 8 .- At fifteen minutes

past noon yesterday Chauncey M. Depew wrapped a small silk American flag around a Bible and copies of the Constitution of the United States and President McKinley's inaugural address. He put them into a special "carrier," which he placed in the opening of the new pneumatic mail tube from the Post-Office to the Produce Exchange. One minute later the "carrier" was started for the Exchange Post-Office station. It arrived there in a second or two over a one minute. This was the inauguration of the Greater New York mail tube service. When completed next January, the tubes, two of which will connect the General Post-Office Building with the Produce Exchange, two with the branch station at Forty-fourth street and Lexington avenue, and two with the main office in Brooklyn.

After the sending of the first "carrier" others went and returned in rapid succession. The returning ones brought sorts of curious things, among others being a handsome, live, Angora

Hazleton Deputy Missing.

Hazleton, Pa., Oct. 8.—The where-abouts of Henry Diehl, one of Sheriff Martin's deputies, who disappeared on the day of the Lattimer shooting, is still a mystery, and efforts to find a trace of him are being made. The missing man is 42 years old.

His wife is prostrated. She and her

five children are in abject poverty. Diehl left without even telling his wife of the shooting. The theory that he has been murdered is not generally accepted.

Queen's View of Us.

London, Oct. 8.-Vanity Fair yesterday said:

"The Queen-Empress was very much grieved at the attitude of the United States eighteen months ago, and it is an open secret that Her Majesty, who has made a close study of the American people, holds almost pessimistic views in regard to the stability and fu-

"The Queen's long conversation with Sir Wilfrid Laurier, when that statesman was in England, would make most interesting reading."

Big Fire in Detroit.

Detroit, Oct. 8 .- Fire early yesterday morning destroyed five large buildings and two smaller ones, with all their contents, in the centre of the business part of this city. The total loss is close to \$700,000. The fire started on the stage of the Detroit Opera House, and was not discovered until the rear wall of the theatre had been blown out by the explosion of a calcium light. It was four hours from the time the fire started before it was under control.

Epidemic of Diphtheria.

New London, Oct. 8.-Diphtheria is epidemic in Montville. Fifteen cases are reported, and several deaths have occurred. Antitoxin does not prove effectual, and tracheotomy has been performed in several cases. Physicians from other towns are assisting in car-ing for the patients.

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Moore and His Poems.

The following is taken from the Philadelphia Times and perhaps will prove of interest to our readers:

"With all appreciation of the Irish Melodies, .the most of which, with much else of his verse, has the true lyric gift, one would hesitate to insist upon Tom Moore's enrollment among the world's great poets. It appears that he is not among those whose names are especially inscribed in the Congressional Library and that the Ancient Hibernians have taken umbrage at the omission.

"If the Hibernians want to commemorate Moore on what may be called polit ical grounds, as an Irish nationalist, it will become necessary to consider his attitude in American politics also, and the anthor of the 'Poems Relating to America' would not cut a very fortunate figure in our particular national pantheon. He was a sentimental patriot and a kind of theoretical humanitarian; but Tommy, as Byron observed of him, 'dearly loved a lord,' and was just a bit of a snob. And democracy did not please him.

"No doubt American society in 1803 was more disordered, the manners rougher, the politics more violent, than we can now imagine; yet even now there is something grotesque in the ravings of this dear little man against The ills, the vices of the land where first Those rebel fiends that wreck the world

were nursed.

"With the exception of 'the sacred few whom late by Delaware's green banks he knew,' and whose 'manly polish and illumin'à taste' alone consoled him 'mid the melancholy, heartless waste,' Moore found only vileness in America, 'the brute made ruler and the man made brute,' and he declared he'd 'rather hold his neck by doubtful tenure from a sultan's beck, ... than thus to live 'where bastard Freedom waves her fustian flag.' The evils that he found were not even such as time and experience might cure.

Ab, no; 'tis heartless, speculative ill, All youth's transgressions with all age's chill; The apathy of wrong, the bosom's ice, A slow and cold stagnation into vice.

"Moore was a gentle poet, but he employed all the strong language he could muster in his objurgation of this 'factious race.

Those vaunted demagogues who nobly rose From England's debtors to be England's

Who could their monarch in their purse for-

And break allegiance but to cancel debt, and boldly proclaimed his conviction that Columbia, 'blasted in her prime' was destined to calamitous decay. It is all rather amusing as we read it over now and perhaps not worth recalling seriously. No doubt Moore's Federalist friends in Philadelphia shared his feelings-or he theirs-and smiled at his picture of the new capital, where

-naught but woods and Jefferson they see, Wher streets should run and sages ought

"And perhaps his feelings were not without justification. For all that, his American record is not that of a man who need be especially commemorated in the American capital to-day. His harp may hang on, Tara's walls and he may be appreciatively remembered on the banks of the Schuylkill, but it was just as well to omit his name from the mosaics in the National Library."

We are inclined to agree with the Times, for while we admit that Moore wrote some of the sweetest, poems, and expressed some of the tenderest thoughts and by the beauty of his melodies and his exquisite lyrical style, has made his name immortal we cannot consistently admire Tom Moore from an American stand because of his avowed disapprobation and aversion to our dearly loved country, and his offen sive way of expressing it.

A War Upon Pennies.

The only places, where pennies are never unacceptable seems to be in the contribution boxes and in juvenile hands. In all other places sooner or later the copper falls into disrepute and becomes an unwelcome tender; and in some instances proves to be a source of distraction.

A trolley conductor got so wild concerning the disposition he should make of his pennies at Orange, N. J., the other day that he threw a fare given him by a lady into the street and her complaint cost him his place. The ler street; also house No. 5 Wilton avenue. Enquire of Burr Smith. 81 ti

trolley company of that town does not think that pennies were specially designed to pay street car fares with, and it declines to accept from conductors more than four separate cents in any one return of receipts.

This rule of the road forces the conductors to fight shy of pennies, and they become very expert in keeping down the supply; but the conductor who lost his place could't keep his pockets clear, and he had ninety-one in his pockets when the woman gave him five more. Between the patrons and the company the conducted did not know what to do, so he glared at the woman and threw her pennies into

Between the rule of the road and the prejudice of passengers against receiving many pennies at a time these Orange conductors are having a harrassing time, and if they are not skilled in the art of getting rid of them they would be obliged to abandon the busi-

Considering the situation perhaps the conductor was not to blame for reducing his stock of cents by a free distribution. The only trouble about that is that they are sure to return to harrass him.

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FEMININE CHAT.

The afternoon tea table is now getting dressed up in its prettiest china and naperv.

No matter how flattering a photograph may be, it never quite suits the one who sits for it.

The silk shirt waist yesterday did most active duty.

The plain skirt looks almost as remarkable as the parted coiffure.

Headaches may never kill us, but they can make a really interesting play appear as dull as ditch water.

Why is it we are so seldom thorough ly in love with the persons who are thoroughly in love with us?

Green seems to be the favorite tint in upholstery this autumn.

The all-fur jacket is not deemed half as modish as the cloth or velvet one trimmed fancifully with fur.

To find out just who are your friends needs only a long spell of illness or a

short spell of financial depression. With the rage for violet stationery there is a jarring note in the red stamp which has to be used on the envelope.

The autumn and winter modes are so lovely that not towant almost everything we see is to argue ourselves truly

unfeminine. One of the clever things said by De Angelis in "The Wedding Day" is this: There are three things I have always loved, but never understand girls' married women and widows."

There is no use talking. The woman who wears her hat flaring off her face has a sort of brazen look, though, on the other hand, the one wearing tip-tilted affair is undeniably flirtatious in appearance as she glances up from beneath the rim of it.

A woman at a Theatre one evening recently dropped her purse from her seat in the balcony onto the head of a man in the parquet. That individual, though just a wee bit startled at first, finally apparently regarded this as only a novelty in souvenir giving, and appeared much surprised when the usher arrived to claim it for the pertured loser overhead.

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All perssns who intend to continue in their business, must hand in the applications on that day.

WHITMAN S. MEAD.) County HENRY LEE, Commis-JAMES C. MILLER. | sioners.

We hereby give notice to all persons and corporations liable to pay taxes in the City of Norwalk, that they are required by law to deliver to the Asses sors or either of them a written or printed list, dated, signed and sworn to, of all the property owned by them on the first Monday of October, 1897, liable to taxation. Otherwise it will be the duty of the Assessors to make out such list according to law, to their best judgment and knowledge and adding 10 per cent thereto, which they by law, are compelled to do, and from which list so made there is no appeal.

Lists may be returned to the Assessors at the City Council room on the second loor of the Fairfield County National Bank building, from and including October 1st to and including October 30th. 1897, (Sundays excepted) from 10 o'clock a. m. to 12 o'clock noon and from o'clock to 5 p. m., and on Saturday evenings from 7 to 10 o'clock.

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In this distribution of Christmas gifts not only the boys, but the girls now selling the Ga-ZETTE may take part. Any bright lad or lass can compete for the prizes on the same terms offered to those already on the list. All that is necessary is to apply at the GAZETTE counting room, give the name of the applicant and receive a number.

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No. 3-A Complete Course [Instruction by Mail, without books] in Bookkeeping, at Eastman Business College.

No. 4-A Ten Weeks' Course [Instruction by Mail] in Shorthand, at Eastman Business College.

No. 5-A Complete Set of Shakespeare's Works, 8 volumes.

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No. 10-Silk Gloria Umbrella.

No. 11-Boy's Sled.

No. 12-Four-bladed Pocket Knife.

No. 13-Silver Dollar.

No. 14-One-half dozen Handkerchiefs.

No. 15-Boy's Windsor Tie.

No. 16-Half Dollar in Silver.

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SOUTH NORWALK.

Branch Office of GAZETTE No. 21 North Main Street.

Lars Johnson has gone to the Danbury

fa ir to-day. The Friday Afternoon club will meet

in the Colonial cottage this afternoon. Attention is again called to the

pestilential pond on Lexington avenue. Dont forget that to-morrow there will be a special sale of bicycle tires, at \$4.50 per pair at Saunders' No. 12 Main

Simeon Newman is "subbing" for Calvin Snyder who is at the Danbury

Philip Beins was arrested last night on the charge of vagrancy. The arrest was made by a special officer at the railroad station, and eye-witnesses say that it was uncalled for.

Twins sons were born to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Creamer of Spring street

Manuel T. Hatch and Attorney Jo seph R. Taylor have gone down the harbor in the yacht, "Catchfish" after blackfish to day.

The Ludlow monument at East Norwalk is being placed in better form.

Mrs. Ann Eliza Wilson has opened a home-made bread and pie bakery in the Austin building on Washington

Richard Fitzgerald has not yet severed his connection with the Coleman news agency, although it is understood that he is to be at the head of a similar agency in East Norwalk.

Expressman Thomas Cavanagh has purchased a new pair of black horses, which will be used on his best truck.

George Spicer was riding on his bicycle on Riverside avenue last evening, and coming from an opposite direction on her wheel was a Miss White. Spicer turned to the right to avoid a collision, but the lady seemed to be confused and a collision was imminent. Both riders swung their wheels into the center of the avenue and attempted to land on their feet, and succeeded in the attempt, but in landing Miss White struck one of her feet squarely on the rear wheel of Spicer's bicycle causing the wreckage of several of the spokes. She expressed herself as being sorry for the accident, and then mounting her wheel rode away. It is only a few days since that Spicer received a severe injury to one of his hands by colliding with a cat.

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

LOCAL AND OTHER NEWS.

Miss Ida E. Clarkson and Cornelius Pierce are to be married next Thurs day. Rev. T. K. Noble will officiate.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Johnson celebrated their golden wedding anniver-

Peter Smith who was injured by a fall from a hickory tree on Sunday, was taken to the Town Farm yesterday in the ambulance.

James S. Barbour, of Norwalk, has resigned his position as reporter on the Stamford Telegram.

-It is simply wonderful the amount of good things the Boston Store Norwalk is offering to-morrow, at 19c. Everybody should read their advertise ment printed to-day.

The Wall street improvements are being carried out according to plans went wild over its production. It bids and specifications, and it now looks as fair to rival in many respects "The Old if Thanksgiving turkeys would not be debarred the privilege of riding names are linked. It treats life on the through Wall street on brick.

the merchant tailor is reported as being | lyn bridge in the distance; widow Mc-

Contractor Malkin is fitting up the store in the Quintard building for Jones

Thomas Farr died at his home on Main street last night, aged 49 years.

The pink season has opened at H. H. Williams store on Main street.

A young man named Brown fell from a hickory-nut tree and received a shaking up as he proposed giving the tree.

John Mahoney and Margaret Barrett intend to soon drift out on the sea of matrimony. And may they encounter few storms and all their troubles be little ones.

Chief Bradley took a ride in the Danbury fair balloon yesterday, and claims to have seen from his elevated position two men and four boys stealing chestnuts in the woods first north of the city of Jerusalem.

a new pair that reached to the fourth a new pair that reached to the fourth sample bottle and pamphlet both sent button on his gaiters accompanied his free by mail. Mention THE GAZETTE, mother Mrs. Martin Kellogg to the Danbury fair. From this date his knee breeches are on the retired list.

Groceryman W. R. Bates and family are at the Danbury fair to-day.

Joseph Smith permitted the dropping of a plank on his foot yesterday afternoon, and is having that member cared for at the hospital.

The new board of city assessors met yesterday. They have an adv. of interest to tax payers in another column.

George W. Raymond and A. A. Betts are down the harbor to-day after the fish they failed to catch on Tuesday. They made a change of bait and ex-

Reporter Ezekiel had a lively experience with "Jim" Hubbell on Water street this morning, but "Zeke" got his item of news.

Joseph Sorendi born in Paris is a patient at the Norwalk hospital. The little fellow is assured of receiving splendid care at the hands of nurse

Off the Bridge.

"Pat" Hanlon's horse backed off the Wall street bridge into the creek this noon, ropes were secured around the animal, and a crowd of men landed him safely on terra firma.

Liquor Dealers Excluded.

The National Council, Knights of Columbus, at its session in New Haven, adopted a resolution excluding from membership in the order all persons engaged in the manufacture or sale of intoxicating beverages. The resolution was adopted by a large majority of the members.

AMUSEMENTS.

The Star Gazer.

"Joe" Ott, "Phil" Ott, "Matt" Ott, Tim Cronin, Alf. Hampton, W. A. Tetson, "Tom" Flennie, John St. George, Wm. Eustis, Misses Louise Montrose, Addie Grey, Alice Bonner and three Rosebud sisters, make up the personnel of the company that will present at Hoyt's Theatre Saturday, evening that ever welcome combination of absurdities known favorably as "The Star Gazer." There was never anything slow about "Joe" Ott. He is a natural born comedian, and in "The Star Gazer," the author has furnished the talented actor with a vehicle that gives him ample scope.

Northern Lights.

The attraction at Hoyt's Theatre next Tuesday evening will be"Northern Lights," one of the most successful of the few really meritorious plays written around and about the thrilling incidents attending the Indian uprising in 1876, which resulted in the death of the brave Custer. "Northern Lights," is a typical American drama of the military order, all the scenes being laid in Montana. The action takes place in the Little Big Horn Valley, in 1876, at the period when the United States troops, under Generals, Crook, Terry, and Gibbon, were, in June of that year to make a concerted attack upon Sitting Bull's encampment, and recalls that most gallant act of modern warfare, Custer's heroic charge.

Paradise Alley.

"The Sunshine of Paradise Alley," Denman Thompson and George W. Ryer's latest success, which recently closed a nine weeks' brilliant run at the Tremont Theatre, Boston, will have its first presentation at Hoyt's Theatre, Friday evening, October 15. Thompson and Ryer have certainly achieved a lasting success in their new production, it proved such an innovation in Boston that the Hubites could not get enough of it, the people there Homestead," with which these authors East Side of New York and is divided into scenes, or "pictures," an East The condition of Charles S. Lockwood | River dock scene with a view of Brook-Nally's apartment in Paradise Alley; the famous Paradise Alley itself, and an autumn scene in Bronx Park.

HOW TO FIND OUT.

Fill a bottle or common glass with urine and let it stand twenty-four hours: a sediment or settling indicates an unhealthy condition of the kidneys. When urine stains linen it is evidence of kidney trouble. Too frequent desire to urinate or pain in the back, is also convincing proof that the kidneys and bladder are out of order.

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FOUND IN THE CATHEDRAL

Not Ouly Lost Pocketbooks, but Bables re Picked Up in the Pews.

It is customary for searchers to go bout among the pews in St. Patrick's Cathedral, in New York, after each service, to rick up the articles that have been lost or forgotten. Scarcely a day passes that something of value is not turned over to the information bureau by the searchers, and there is always on display at this bureau an assortment of gloves, handkerchiefs, umbrellas, and books. The most notable 'finds" in this great church, however, are bables.

"There have been eighteen of twenty babies found here within my recollection," said Special Officer Rutledge at the cathedral the other day. "It is not an unusual thing to find one of them sleeping in a pew after everybody else has left the church. They are very young babies, as a rule, and are undoubtedly abandoned deliberately. I suppose that in most cases the parents are too poor to take care of the little ones, and leave them here because they don't know what else to do with them. Sometimes we take these deserted babies to the foundling asylum and sometimes to the police station. I do not recall an instance where the identity of any of these waifs has been discovered.

"A surprisingly large amount of money is found in this cathedral," continued Officer Rutledge. "Women who come here to meditate and pray frequently leave their purses on the kneeling benches. Only a fews days ago a little girl found \$75 in one of the chapels. She handed it to one of the church attendants, and it was restored to its owner. Pocketbooks are found scattered about the church after every big ceremony. A great variety of articles are picked up after the big crowds of Christians and Easter have

"I am sorry to say that some of the women that come here are not honest. Occasionally we find one whose mission is evidently to pick up something. Such persons are watched very closely, and we try to keep them out of the church entirely. One day last week a woman who had been at her devotions at one of the side altars went away and left her pocketbook on the bench. A scrubwoman saw it and started to pick it up, but before she could get there a well-dressed woman, in a pew near by, left her seat and went into the altar and knelt on the pocketbook. The cleaner waited a reasonable length of time, and then asked the strange woman to kindly move to one side, which she did without saying a word. In that way the pocketbook, which contained considerable money, was recovered."

EL CURIOSITIES IN GLASS. Made of Threads Spun as Delicate and Airy as the Finest Gauze,

When the story of Cinderella was first translated into our language and the slippers of vair, or fur, became slippers of verre, or glass, the translator would have been amazed to know that slippers of glass were not a fairy impossibility. But it is not a great while since in this country a patent was taken out upon glass slippers. That is really not extraordinary, since, in fact, the uses to which glass is now put are almost innumerable. There was exhibited, some years ago, a bonnet made of glass, with all its trimmings and furbelows, the flowers as natural as life, the ribbons with the luster of satin; and since then an actress added to her wardrobe the splential of south the splential of spl put are almost innumerable. There dors of a dress woven all of spun! glass. The glass thread is drawn out to a fineness that makes it perfectly pliable and elastic, it has no liability of breaking, and it can be almost as delicate, and as airy as the finest gauze, and can be given any color.

It is in curious contrast to this that another object has been made of glass -a coffin, whose inventor claims for it indestructibility. Of course, it is comparatively indestructible, but when we see the glass tear bottles in any collection of antiques, where decay has disintegrated the once pure white transparent glass, and rendered it a mass of splendid color, one can imagine the incongruous appearance of that article after some dozen centuries, holding its dead wrapped now in a sheet of flame, and now as if in the sapphire of the heart of the sky.

Meanwhile the more modest of us may content ourselves with the imitations of gems, wonderful and not to be detected, that are now made of glass and with strings of the lovely Venetian beads where a glass bubble coated within by a solution of certain fish-scales has the many-tinted softness of the pearl, and all of its beauty, except the romance and poetry and pathos of the sea, which clings to the real thing. The poet, talking about the fairy tales of science, may well have had some of these simple wonders in his fancy, for while a bit of quartz is a simple and primitive substance, it is as great a wonder as some more important things that such flinty stuff can be transformed into something as light as the haze that

Mr. Truly Rural-They do say your hotel be the puttiest in Ameriky. How much be your rates?

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you can put me down fer an hour and a half. And how be your dinner? Affable Hotel Clerk-We can give

you a first class dinner for \$5. Mr. Truly Rural-Gewhizz! Jest put me down for a toothpick.—(Judge.)

"My mudder was divorced this morn-

"And mine was married."
"Hully gee! I'll bet it's do same man."--Truth.

England Changes Front Again.

Washington, Oct. 7.-The final refusal of the British Government to take part n the approaching conference over the condition and prospects of the fur seals n the North Pacific Ocean, which was communicated to Ambassador Hay at programme outlined by President Mc-Kinley and Secretary Sherman. The conference will be held as arranged, and representatives of the United States, Russia and Japan will take

All Ocean Records Smashed.

New York, Oct. 7.-The Kaiser Wil-nelm der Grosse, that newest, largest and fleetest of all ocean thoroughbreds, as performed a wonderful recordmashing feat in her race against time cress the Atlantic. When she reached Plymouth she crossed the Atlantic cean in 5 days 13 hours 13 minutes. This not only breaks every record of rips across the ocean, either eastward westward, between New York and ymouth, but reduces her own superi.

naiden time by 7 hours and 22 min May Wed Helen Gould.

New York, Oct. 7 .- Society is discussng the reported engagement of Helen Gould, the daughter of the great captalist, and Alonzo Potter, eldest son of the Episcopal bishop of the metropolitan see. The engagement was whispered about in exclusive drawingcooms just before the bishop and his family went to the Lambeth conference in June, and, it was understood, would be announced just as soon as all the members of both families would meet after the Summer vacation. All are here now except Howard Gould, and he is on the Campania, which will arrive on Friday.

Perhaps Sometime.

Mrs. Bjones-Mrs. Brown is a very persistent woman.
Mrs. Bsmith—How so?"

Mrs. Bjones-For years she has been asking her dealer if his eggs are fresh, in the fond delusion that some day he will say no .- Philadelphia Record .

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BOTH WERE DRUGGED

The Food of Nack and Thorn Desed to Make Them Sick.

A CONFESSION EXPECTED

Strange Methods Adopted to "Break Down" the Prisoners-Man's Head Hung in Mrs. Nack's Cell at Night to Scare Her.

N. W York, Oct. 8. - It would ap war that Sheriff Doht and District Attorney Youngs have hopes of securing a con-fession from either Yrs. Nack or Martin Thorn, who are in the Queens County Jail at Long Island City awaiting trial for the murder of William

It is well known that both prisoners have been in a very excitable condition at different periods in the last few days. Sheriff Doht said yesterday he believed that had not the lawyers of both Mrs. Nack and Thorn called upon them late Wednesday afternoon both would have collapsed from nervous

Man's Head in Her Room.

As an indication of how the jail authorities are trying to work on the feelings of Mrs. Nack, the picture of a man's head was hung up in her room in plan view of the prisoner on Tuesday night after she had retired.

When she got a glimpse of the picture Wednesday morning she asked the matrons why it was put there, and they replied it was only a joke. She requested that the picture be removed. This was done.

A story was being circulated about the jail yesterday that on Tuesday food had been especially prepared for Mrs. Nack and Thorn in a way to cause them to have nausea. This was done, it is alleged, to help in breaking them

Sheriff Doht was asked about this, and he admitted that both Mrs. Nack and Thorn had been taken sick after partaking of some soup on Tuesday.

When asked if the soup had been "doctored" the Sheriff laughed and said he was not going to tell everything. On being further pressed for an answer, he said he supposed that the soup was "too rich" for the prisoners. He said that such diet was not usually given to ordinary prisoners in the Queens County Jail.

On the Verge of Madness.

Mrs. Nack is on the verge of a tragic breakdown. She is a haunted woman, starting at the least sound, shivering with fits of terror.

She fails to recognize familiar faces. She stares intently at the blank cell walls, and then recoils as though she beheld some one-Guldensuppe perhaps-standing there.

Sheriff Doht believes that Mrs. Nack is on the verge of madness. He says that Thorn, too, shows signs of losing his reason under the terrible strain. He mumbles to himself. He broods, with knitted brows and restless hands.

Mrs. Nack knows the details of the death that awaits her-this is the latest discovery. She has sat in the electric chair at Sing Sing Prison.

Sat in the Seat of Death.

Six months ago, when she and Thorn were planning the murder of Guldensuppe, she visted the prison for this She wanted to steel herself for any

ordeals of the future. She fitted her portly form in the chair; she had no fear; her superstitious nature told her this was a good omen.

Back she came to New York in an enthusiastic frame of mind. All scruples were thrown to the wind; she urged the killing of Guldensuppe.

The foul murder was committed. She was arrested; she saw the narrow road between prison walls that lay before her. Then she beheld the electric chair—at one end of the narrow road the dismembered bod Guldensuppe, at the other the electric chair, not harmless as when she sat in it before, but tingling with mysterious,

Showed Him Her Deformed Foot.

Baltimore, Oct. 8 .- Miss Carrie Shapiro, of Richmond, was a witness to-day in her own behalf in the suit brought by her against Nathan Roseu, of Harowith, Roseu & Co., cloakmakers, of Baltimore, for breach of prom-The case differs from any other ever brought here in that the defendant acknowledges that he was engaged, but says he declared the marriage off as the young woman had a flat and deformed foot. Miss Shapiro says that he was fully aware that her foot was not shapely, as he examined it soon after he became engaged to her, and then told her it made no difference to him. She also testified that he wanted her to elope soon after this, but she objected.

Col. G. H. North in Jail.

Philadelphia, Oct. 8 .- Col. George H. North the well-known stock broker and a prominent officer of the National Guard on Gen. Snowden's staff, is confined in Moyamensing prison under a commitment by Judge Ferguson, of the Orphan's Court, dated Oct. 5, 1987. Col. North was arrested on an attachment issued by Judge Hanna for contempt, dated Oct. 2. The contempt consisted of a failure to obey an order made upon him as executor of the estate of the late Mary S. Volans, to account for the payment of a legacy of \$2,000 bequeathed to the Woman's Christian Association, of Philadelphia.

More Gold Is Coming.

New York, Oct. 8 .- On the steamship Normannia, sailing from Hamburg today, will be shipped \$500,000 in gold. consigned to Kuhn, Loeb & Co., the New York bankers.

This will make \$1,000,000 en route to New York. The total amount which has been received here since the flow of the yellow metal turned to the United States is \$2,300,000.

A Spellbinder's Suicide.

New York, Oct. 8 .- J. L. Downs, a resident of Cleveland, O., until recently a wealthy business man of St. Louis, Mo., shot himself last night in Central Park. He was taken to the Presbyterian Hospital, where it was

said he could not live.

Downs was a friend of Senator Jones. of Nevada, and last year stumped the West for Bryan.

RIGHTS OF SALVATIONISTS.

Capt. Herdman Again Arrested in Trenton-Will Fight the Case.

Trenton, N. J., Oct. 8 .- Thomas Herdman, of the Salvation Army, was again arrested last evening while holding services in the streets in the centre of the town. He was released on bail for a hearing this morning. Announcement was made that the Army would hold street services, and a crowd collected, but there was no disorder. The charge made is obstructing the street. On last Sunday Capt. Herdman and five companions were arrested on a charge of disorderly conduct, and the Captain was sent to the county farm in default of a fine. Judge Woodruff ordered his discharge because of illegal commit-ment, but before the order was served on the workhouse keeper the fine was

paid by Trenton ministers. Capt. Herdman has been advised that the police have no right to interfere with him, and the street service was held last night with a view of making a test question. Citizens have procured counsel for him and will pay the expenses.

Gen. Woodford's Note.

Madrid, Oct. 8.—Premier Sagasta has declared that the note addressed to the Duke of Tetuan by United States Minister Woodford, concerning which there has been so much speculation as to its actual purport, was worded in the most polite terms. The note, he says, conveyed assurances of the highest regard on the part of the United States for Spain, and its purpose was to make inquiry at what period the Spanish Government thought it would be able to bring the war in Cuba to an end.

Gen. Woodford requested an answer to his note before the end of October, upon the pretext that the United States Government must report the matter to Congress at the earliest possible moment.

Debs Would Be a Railroad Contractor.

Chicago, Oct. 8.-Eugene V. Debs and other Social Democracy leaders have temporarily abandoned their cooperative colony scheme for the business of railroad contracting. Debs now desires to build a railroad for the city of Nashville, Tenn. He offers to supply bonds to any amount for the fulfill-ment of the contract. The contract price is \$300,000, for which amount he suggests that the city shall issue bonds in large and small denominations and turn them over to the Social Democracy in payment for the work on the installment plan.

Veterans Are Preferred.

Albany, Oct. 8. - Attorney-General Hancock has interpreted the civilservice law as it relates to veterans, at the request of the Civil-Service Commission of Rochester. His opinion says that all persons who have passed examinations for merit are to be certified to the appointing offices. That officer must hold examinations for fitness. If any veteran passes both of these ex-aminations, even though the percentages he receives are the minimums required by the examiners for passing, he is then entitled to preference for appointment under the Constitution.

\$7,500,000 for Famine Relief.

London, Oct. 8 .- The Lord Mayor's fund for the relief of the sufferers by the famine in India, which was opened last January, has been closed. The total collections amount to £549,300, which exceeds the record of any charity fund raised by popular contributions. Lord George Hamilton, Secretary of State for India, announced at a meet-ing that the aggregate collections the relief of the Indian fam-

ine sufferers, including the American, Colonial and others funds, amounted to £1,500,000, and said that the famine had caused a pecuniary loss of £10,-

New Big Glass Company.

Camden, N. J., Oct. 8.-The American Glass Company, with a capital stock of \$1,200,000, to-day filed articles of incorporation in this city. The incorporators are James A. Chambers, a prominent glass manufacturer of New Kensington, Pa.; Elmer I. Phillips, of New Castle, Pa., and S. Lawrence Bodine and William Bodine, glass manufacturers of Bridgton. Stock to the amount of \$300,000 will be issued at once, and additional stock will be issued from time to time until the limit, \$1,200,000, shall have been issued.

Baltimore and Boston Tied.

Worcester, Mass., Oct. 8 .- The Baltimore and Boston teams of the National League played an exhibition game here yesterday afternoon.

The town did justice to its first opportunity to witness a contest between League champions, and turned out royally, giving both teams a good recep-

tion. The score at the end of the sixth inning was 7 to 7.

The final score was: Baltimore, 11; Boston, 10.

A Mile in 1.36.

Philadelphia, Oct. 8.-Jimmy Michael lowered the world's one-mile record at Willow Grove yesterday, covering the distance in 1 minutes and 36 seconds Michael made two trials, failing on the first on account of the chain snapping on the "quad." He was forced to go the mile behind a sextet, his time being 1.38 4-5, one second better than the previous track record, made during the L. A. W. meet by Arthur Gardiner. After a rest of a half hour he made a second trial, having a sextet and quad" to pace him.

Miss Gould Will Not Marry.

New York, Oct. 8.-George Gould deies the report that his sister, Helen, s engaged to the son of Bishop Potter. Mr. Gould, in answer to inquiries, sent out a message that he had never heard the story before.

Pishop Potter also authorized a de-nial of the report that his son was engaged to Miss Gould.

Miss Gould's fortune is estimated at

Princess Kiulani to Go to Hawaii.

San Francisco, Oct. 8.-Princess Kiulani and her father, Mr. Cleghorne, have engaged passage from here on the steamship Australia for Honolulu on Nov. 2. The Princess will leave Eng-land on next Saturday, sailing from Liverpool for New York. It is expectd that she will spend a week in San

A Honeymoon at a Faim House. It is no longer fashionable for the oridal couples to go to large cities or on a trip to Europe for their wedding ourney, says the Indianapolis Journal. The sentimental period must be spent n some country place, a wayside inn or in some quiet old town. A couple who desired to go to a country place near by advertised in a paper that is listributed well over the state for just what they would like in the way of an deal resort for their honeymoon. Not nore than a week or ten days after the idvertisement appeared they received a lozen or more answers. Previous to he wedding the husband-to-be visited several of those whose letters read the nost invitingly and selected the place 1e liked the best. The four weeks they spent there were more like a story book than a reality. The rooms were large and airy, the table was exquisite in its cleanliness and the viands that were spread before them were deliciously tempting. A horse and carriage were at their disposal, the river not more than a mile away, and scenery and loafing spots were so plentiful :hat a new.one could be found every lay.

Eggs in Molasses.

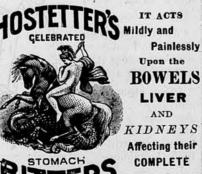
In Jamaica and other West India islands, they have a very curious way of preserving eggs fresh for a considerable time. A layer of eggs is placed at the bottom of a barrel, and ordinary black molasses is poured over in sufficient quantity to cover them. Then another layer is added, and more molasses, and os on till the barrel is full. The idea is that an egg can be kept good almost indefinitely if the air can be prevented penetrating the porous shell to the contents within. When the eggs have all been used, the molasses is given a fresh boil up and is thoroughly salable again. In Northern Russia the farmers use warm tallow in precisely the same way: but this is said to slightly affect the flavor of the eggs.

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LOCAL NEWS.

Yesterday, Philip Luther who lives on Taylor avenue had a narrow escape from being blown with little or no warning, into eternity.

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He sent a man to the store of Joseph Abrahams for a supply of oil, but in stead of oil the party who filled the ing. order gave gasoline.

All unmindful of the fact Luther filled the oven tanks and lighted the wicks as usual. And then there was an explosion. The oven was hurled to one side of the room and Luther was sent sprawling on the floor.

He, however, escaped serious injury, and regaining a standing position managed to quench the fire which threatened to destroy the building.

The damage done will probably not be in excess of \$50. It is understood that he will bring a suit for damages against the party who sold him the

Last evening Fred Thompson was speeding down West avenue on his bi cycle. To-day he is "laid up in bed" with injuries that may keep him there for several days.

He was following an electric car on his wheel and when near the Van Buren residence attempted to swing across the tracks to avoid another car. The wheel swerved and he was thrown on to the street, his head striking in such a manner that he was rendered unconscious.

He was taken into Dr. L. N. Phinney's office in a semi-conscious condition, and later to his home.

It was found that he had suffered a severe injury on his head and was otherwise considerably shaken up.

He is reported as being somewhat better to-day, and no serious results are anticipated.

Among suspensions announced in the last issue of the L. A. W. Bulletin are the following for this state: F. H. Burger of Bridgeport; W. W. Sheppard, South Norwalk; Cyrus D. Granger, Somerville; Freeman G. Hart, Southington; R. Kirmse, Westfield, and J. Szparadowski Union City, to Nov. 23, 1897, for false entry; Harry J. Bill, New Haven, to Jan. 1, 1898, unfair dealing in connection with cycle racing. George Siviter, Waterbury, to Jan. 1, 1898, false entry. Joseph N. Dick, East Haven, to Oct. 23, 1897; J. M. Weidenhammer, Bridgeport; E.W. Bean, New Haven, to Nov. 23, 1897, failure to ride.

This morning, in the Town Court W K. Maples of the Hour was fined \$5 for a too free disposition of his right foot on the anatomy of Eugene Benedict a compositor formerly in his employ.

Mr. Maples pleaded guilty to the charge of assault and received the above fine for which he receipted by the payment of five one dollar bills, and gained his discharge.

Neither are credited with having tipped their hats to each other since the verdict.

Miss Julia Sullivan of this city, and Michael Tierney of New York, were married last evening, at St. Mary's rectory, by Rev. Father Furlong. After the ceremony, the happy young couple, amid showers of rice, congratulations, etc. from several admiring and enthusiastic friends, boarded a train for New York city where they are soon to reside. Mr. and Mrs. Tierney were the recipients of a number of valuable, as well as useful presents.

Miss Bertha Seymour Coley, a well known young lady of Wilton, was united in marriage vesterday afternoon to Mr. Oliver Jennings, a popular member of the Norwalk Yacht club. The wedding took place at the Wilton Congregational church, the Rev. Mr. Hart officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Jennings will begin their residence in Greens Farms after a wedding tour South.

Mr. C. D. Hoyt was made secretary of the Hutchinson-Pierce Co.-the Star Shirt Co.-yesterday by vote of the directors at 836 Broadway, New died about a month ago. Mr. Hoyt Wait twenty-four hours and then, if was for a number of years the representative of the Hutchinson-Pierce Co. in San Francisco, where he was attached for 13 years.

Frank Ricconelli has paid into the town treasury the sum of \$182.88 as his share of the fines imposed upon himself and others in the "bloody riot" on Plymouth avenue. The others, thrée in number are in jail.

Stiles W. Curtis has taken his oath of office as constable and has already commenced business in the serving of subpoenas for witnesses in a trial be. fore the Common Pleas court.

Mrs. Harry Elwood who has been a guest at the home of her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Elwood on Orchard street, returned to her gal lore. home in Buffalo, this morning.

EAST NORWALK.

Mr. Bennett and family moved from Danbury to Osborn avenue.

The alarm bell placed on the Osborn avenue bridge by the Tramway Co. has been removed.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Apell of St. John avenue, have returned home from Sullivan county, N. Y.

John Quintard of Norwalk, and Miss Carrie Redman of Myrtle avenue will be married this afternoon at the home of the bride, Rev. A. J. Smith officiat-

The meeting of the Junior League, this week, will be omitted, Friday afternoon, because of the work on the walks. Instead the children will rehearse for their exhibition at the Christian Endeavor convention in the Arm-

John W. Banks has placed a roof over the cellar to the barn burned several weeks ago, on the property of Mr. and Mrs. David A. Rose in East ave-

DARIEN.

The new furniture purchased by the Middlesex club has arrived. There are two handsome Morris easy chairs and a library table.

One of the early cars on the South Norwalk trolley line was stopped in Noroton the other morning on account of a broken pole.

Miss Helen Morehouse spent Sunday with Mrs. F. V. Newman of Brooklyn, The Matinee Shakespeare club met Monday afternoon at the residence of Helen Scofield, when selections from Lowell were read. Next week they will meet at the home of Miss Addie Whitney.

NEW CANAAN.

The Grand Division S. of T. will meet Thursday Oct. 14, in the Masonic

Mr. Humphrey and family have returned to the city for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Benger and children are spending a few days with their parents in Vista.

The Arch bridge is complete at Mead's corners.

Mrs. Charles Smith is entertaining friends from Westport. Mrs. Robert Barker has ren oved to

Carl Schilcher and his sister wheeled

to New York, Sunday. Will Bartow had a new coat of rubber cement put on the building that

Gilbert and Lockwood occupy. Henry Banzhaf is working for his

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VALUABLE ADVICE FROM THE BENCH His Bluff Worked and the Legal Reputation of the Justice was Saved.

A country justice had been elected but a few days, when a young lawyer rushed in and demanded a capias. Now, that justice did not know a capias from a police cell, but he disliked to admit his ignorance. So he said .-

"Now, see here, my friend. You are a young lawyer, and, I fear, lack experience. I would advise you not to York, to succeed Dr. Hutchinson, who be too hasty. Don't be in a hurry. you think best, come to me, and I will give you a capias."

The young lawyer agreed and went away. The justice spent the remainder of the day getting acquainted with the writ called capias. When the limb of the law appeared the next morning, the court felt himself qualified to issue capiases by the bushel. Before he could speak, the young

lawver said .-"Mr. Justice, you were right. I was too hasty. I have that matter fixed up all right and do not need a capias. I have come to thank you for the good advice, and have also brought you the two dollars fee you would have re-

ceived for the capias, as I don't want you to lose by your good deed." He went away believing the justice to be a paragon of good sense and le-

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Although he has been dead for about forty years, his hospitality and prominence have survived him.

He frequently invited 1,000 of the most prominent people of New Orleans at a time to visit him, especially the young men and the young ladies.

Valcour Aine's plantation was about fifty miles up the Mississippi River from New Orleans. The place is now owned by Gen. Miles. The garden consisted of fifty acres, and had heating pipes four feet in diameter running two feet under the ground all over it. By this means he could give you in the dead of winter fruits from every clime taken fresh from the trees, and flowers in profusion. The walk from the mansion to the river was inlaid with imported Grecian marble, and to-day the gate columns, with lonic caps of the purest marble, can be seen still standing.

Going back to 1835, it is found that Dr. Antomarchi, Napoleon's last physician, was the guest of the mansion, and a short time afterward he accepted the position of Surgeon-General to the President of Mexico and lost his life. Before Dr. Antomarchi left for Mexico, Valcour Aine offered him \$10,-000 per year to become his family physician. This offer was rejected by the doctor, as it is understood, so that he could go to Mexico for the purpose of raising an army to again revolutionize France. Marshal Henri G. Bertrand and young Ney, son of the Marshal, came over to New Orleans as assistants and organizers of the new revolution of the French army. This fact is not generally known. Valcour Aine had agreed to advance \$1,000,000 to assist the project.

On the arrival of Marshal Bertrand and young Ney they immediately proceeded up the river to the mansion of Valcour Aine. They were received royally, and the evening on which they were about to return to lay new plans, having learned of the failure of Dr. Antomarchi, they decided to return to France and there report to their revo-

lutionary contemporaries. Tea was served at 10 o'clock at night in a set of enamelled and blue gold Sevres ware. The cups and saucers must have cost not less than \$20 each. After tea was over and just before the down steamer arrived the whole service was brought out on the balcony in trays by the servants and ordered to be thrown, each piece, down upon the marble walks as a memento of shattered hopes of the new revolution that was to come, and Valcour Aine himself, being remonstrated with by the Marshal, said: "I do this in order that, when you return to France, you may tell your committee that I, Valvour Aine, entertained you as royally as any Prince of Europe could have done. Take with you back to France one piece of it in its shattered condition as a memento of what is broken in hopes but not lost."

Frequently in this mansion receptions were given that far surpassed

anything of to-day The most romantic stories are told about the 10,000 pieces of porcelain that were painted by the best painters of the Sevres works. All had the appearance of being alike to the eye. Each garland of flowers around each piece and on the edge the initials "F. A.," those of Mrs. Aine, would to all appearances look as though they were uniform. But when closely examined no two plates were ever found to cor-

respond. Valcour Aine, the millionaire planter, had five daughters and they all became wives of prominent men in New Orleans. Valcour Aine was in the habit of coming to New Orleans usually in November, and there he would order his banker on each visit to pass to the credit of his daughters \$25,000 each, in order that they might have pin money for the winter season .- New York Sun.

A bishop of the Methodist church was preaching a sermon on the vanity of dress, and incidentally alluded to people who wore velvet and gold ornaments.

After the sermon a distinguished member of his conference approached him and said: "Now bishop, I know you were striking at me, for I have a velvet vest and a heavy watch chain." The bishop smiled, passed his hand

over the vest, touched the chain, and then said, with a merry twinkle in his eye: "No, really, Brother B., for the vest you wear is only a cotton velvet and I am half persuaded that your watch chain is brase."-Atlanta Constitution.

Chicken for Dinner Daily.

For twenty-five years chicken has been regularly served for dinner at a Weston, W. Va., hotel, and traveling men call it Chicken House, and ministers vote it a model inn. Few persons, however, are aware of the fact that a condition in the will which passed the title to the property a quarter of a century ago required the heirs to daily serve chicken for dinner so long as the property was used for botel purposes.-Philadelphia Record



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A MOORISH EXECUTION.

The Murderer of a Christian Regarded as a Martyr.

A correspondent at Tangler gives the following account of the execution of a native for the murder of Herr Hassner, a German banker. "The circumstances of the murder have remained entirely mysterious. The German legation here put pressure on the local authorities. After a short time a woman went over to Gibraltar for safety, and sent word from there that she could throw light on the affair. Upon her information three men-a Spaniard and two Moors-were arrested and thrown into the prison. Here they were tortured by the thumbscrew, and the Spaniard confessed. He, however, was claimed by the Spanish authorities, and what has become of him I do not know. The other two were kept in prison. They lay chained hand and foot by a heavy three-inch chain in a small dungeon, where they remained in almost pitch darkness, with nothing to eat but bread and water, and very little of that. Of course, had not the murdered man been a European, little would have been heard of the matter. A message then came from the Sultan that one of the men was to be shot. The Basha, who is an authority here, desired this to be carried out in private, but the German Minister insisted upon a public execution. On the day of the execution I went down to the soko (market place).

About a dozen Europeans only were present, and among them were two French ladies on horseback. A posse of soldiers soon marched through the gateway, having in their midst the condemned man himself, seated on a donkey, with his feet chained together. I think he was too much dazed to comprehend fully all that was passing. The prisoner was taken, unresisting, off the donkey, and made to kneel with his face away from the soldiers. Two of the men were told off to shoot him. They refused, upon which the Basha's head man, with asperity, repeated the order. Then they walked up to within five yards of the prisoner and fired two shots into his back. The corpse was buried in sacred ground. All the Moors, even the authorities, Basha included, looked upon the prisoner as a martyr. Why, they asked, should a good Mohammedan die for a dog of a Christian? The feeling is universal, and if it were not for the legations, Europeans would not be very safe .-London Times.

The Queen of England's decendants either now occupy or will in due course sit upon seven thrones-namely, those of the British Empire, the German Empire, the Russian Empire, the Kingdom of Greece, the Duchy of Saxe-Coburg and Gotha, the Grand Duchy of Hesse and the Duchy of Saxe-Meiningen-an amount of territory ruled by her descendants which must comprise at least half of the entire globe. Her Majesty is also a relative of the King of Hanover, the King of Denmark and the King of the Belgians. The Queen, it may be mentioned, became a grandmother when she was 40.

Young Chip.-"What's a grass widow, pa?'

Old Block .- "A lady that makes hay while the sun shines, my boy."-Town Topics.

Every man believes in himself up to a certain limit; but he thinks the world much more credulous .- Truth.

She .- "What is the fashionable color for young ladies?" He.-"I prefer white ones."

HAILSTORM DISSIPATED.

a foaming, sparkling, agree-

able draught that refreshes and strengthens while it

Grape Growers in Austria Bombard the Clouds in Order to Dispel Them.

The American rain-making experiments are sufficiently fresh in the memory to lend a peculiar interest to a report recently sumbitted to the State Department by the consul at Zurich regarding a curious practice that has grown up among the grape growers of certain sections of Austria. which is, in effect, the exact reverse of the rain-making theory. It is none other than the prevention of storms by aerial explosions.

The owner of extensive vineyards found that his profits were disappearing with the frequent destruction of his vines by hailstones. These storms are common, and severe in Austria, especially on the southern slopes of the Bacher Mountains, and as the soil is peculiarly adapted to the growth of the grape the question arose whether some means of preventing the falling of hail could not be devised. The explosion experiment was tried and to the date of the report it had met with unbroken success. The method is simple. On each side of the most prominent summits surrounding the vineyards the owner erected a station built of wood, for the shelter of a battery of heavy mortars, ten at each station. The neighboring peasantry, themselves small vineyard owners, have been trained to the duties of manning the batteries, and at the slightest sign of the approach of a storm fire all the mortars simultaneously. Each mortar is loaded with about four and a half ounces of nowder; the report makes no mention of a projectile. The bombardment of the clouds is continued until the moisture is scattered and the storm prevented. At the first trial of the system, after a few moments' firing the cloud wall opened up in the form of a funnel, the mouth rising in consecutive rings, gradually expanding until the clouds scattered and disappeared. This process was accompanied by no hail or

even rain. During the summer the firing was indertaken six times, and always with the same result. Thus it appears that while man may not be able to force nature to work at his bidding, he may at least compel her to remain idle for time.-Washington Star.

STRANGE AFRICAN RACE,

One Time Invaluable as Slaves and Could be Captured in Thousands.

Queer stories are told of the Dokos who live among the moist, warm, bam 500 woods to the south of Kaffa and Susa in Africa. But four feet high, of a dark olive color, savage and naked, they have neither houses, temples, fire, nor human food. They eat mice, and sempents, diversified by a few roots and fruits. They let their nails grow ong like talons, the better to dig for ints and the more easily to tear in pieces their favorite snakes.

The Dokos used to be invaluable as slaves, and they were taken in large numbers. The slave raiders used to aold up bright-colored cloths as they ame to the woods where these hunan monkeys still live, and the poor Dokos could not resist the attractions offered by such superior people. They crowded around them, and were taken n thousands.

These people have a queer habit of speaking to Yer with their heads on the ground and their heels in the air. Yer is their idea of a superior power, to whom they talk in this comical way when they are dispirited or vexed, or ired of ants and snakes. The Dokos seem to come nearest of all people yet discovered to that terrible cousin to humanity, the ape.





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EAST NORWALK.

The chorus of Junior League members will rehearse this afternoon at 3 o'clock under the direction of Miss Randall.

Rev. A. J. Smith led the prayer meeting at the East avenue Methodist FLAMES STILL SPREADING church last night.

Miss Maria Millspaugh of Rowayton, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Daniel L'Hom-

Samuel Joselovsky and Isaac Abrahams wheeled to the Danbury fair yes-

Miss Flossy Gilmore of Osborn avenue, is visiting in New York.

Mrs. Esther Wheeler of Henry street is visiting friends in Monroe.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Hanford spent yesterday afternoon at the Danbury

The Weather.

Fair to-night, Saturday cloudy and threatening in the morning, followed by fair warmer Saturday night.

BIRTHS.

CREAMER.—In South Norwalk, Oct. twin sons to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas C. Creamer of Spring street.

THOMPSON—In Winnipauk, Oct. 2, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. George E.

VEEDER-In South Norwalk, Oct. 3, a son to Mr. and Mrs. William S. Veeder of Washington street.

DRISCOLL—In Norwalk, Oct. 2, twin sons to Mr. and Mrs. J. Driscoll. STEVENS-In South Norwalk, Oct. 1, a son to Mr. and Mrs. William Ste-

RIORDAN-In Norwalk, Oct. 1, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Riordan.

MARRIAGES.

DAVIS-HENDRICK—In South Norwalk, Oct. 6, by Justice L. D. Keeler, Isaac Filmore Davis and Miss Fannie Isabelle Hendrick, both of South Nor-

FOX-HARRY—In Stamford, Oct. 7. by Rev. D. L. Ferris, G. H. Fox and Miss Lillian Clara Harry, both of Stam-

JENNINGS-COLEY-In Wilton, Oct. 6, by Rev. Mr. Hart, Oliver Jennings of Greens Farms and Miss Bertha Seymour Coley of Wilton.

LENT-FOLSOM-In Danbury, Sept 29, at the parsonage of the First Congregational church, by Rev. Albert F. Pierce, James S. Lent, of Albion, N.Y., and Miss Jessie L. Folsom, of Danbury.

Morgan.—In High Ridge, Oct. 6, Mrs Curtis Morgan, aged 76 years. PIERCE-THOMAS-In Danbury, Oct.

4, by Rev. A. C. Hubbard, George N. Pierce and Miss Jennie C. Thomas, both of Danbury. SCHNEYER-SCHULTZE-In Danbury, Oct. 3rd, by the Rev. W. A. Fischer,

pastor of the German Lutheran church, Herman A. W. Schneyer to Emma An na Louise Schulze, both of Danbury.

SCHNEYER-SCHULTZE—In Danbury, Oct. 3, by the Rev. W. A. Fisher, Her-man A. W. Schneyer and Emma Anna Louise Schultze, both of Danbury.

DEATHS.

ADAMS—Near Croton Falls, N. Y., Sept. 26, Mortimer Adams, aged 51 years, for merly of Danbury.

BANGS-In Bridgeport, Oc. C., son of Benjamin and Hattie C. Bangs, aged 16 years.

BURR-In Stepney-Monroe, Oct. 2, Annette J. Burr, widow of the late Joseph B. Burr, aged 52 years, formerly of Bridgeport.

BURNS-In Bridgeport, Oct. 3rd,

CORSON—In Bridgeport, Oct. 4th, Emma Henry, widow of the late George

CRAW-In Bridgeport, Oct. 4, Ashbel

FARR.-In Norwalk, Oct. 7, Thomas Farr, aged 49 years. FULLER.—In Bridgeport, October 6, Mary Ellen Fuller, wife of Amos Ful-

ler, aged 62 years 7 months.

FALLON—In Southport, Oct. 1st, Timothy J., son of Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Fallon, aged 24 years.

GLEASON.—In Southport, October 6, Thomas Gleason, aged 37 years. HITCHCOCK.—In Bridgeport, Oct. 6. Frank Hitchcock, aged 48 years.

HUTCHINSON-In Englewood, N. J. Oct. 1, Arianna Morison, wife of the late Gardiner Spring Hutchinson,

aged 56 years. JENNINGS-In Norwalk, Oct. 7, Abigail J., widow of the late Captain Jos-

eph J. Jennings. Friends are invited to attend the funeral from the residence of her son, James D. Jennings, 12 Elm street, Monday at 2 p. m.

NAGLE-In Bridgeport, Sept. 30, John Nagle.

NORDABY-In Bridgeport, Oct. 1. Milton H., son of Lewis H. and Jennette Nordaby, aged 6 months.

OGDEN—In Stamford, Oct. 3rd, Elenor E., widow of the late E. Dayton ROGERS—In Bridgeport, Oct. 5, Imogene J., wife of William A. Rogers,

aged 38 years. RUSSELL—In Stratford, Sept. 30, Hattie W., wife of William H. Russell,

aged 48 years. SCHROETER-In Bridgeport, Oct. 1 Wilhelm August Schroeter, aged 73

SEABURY—In Bridgeport, Oct. 3, Hannah Danks, widow of the late John Seabury, of Mill Plain, Danbury, aged

STEVENS.-In Danbury, October 5, Mrs. Clarissa Stevens, aged 82 years

WATERBURY-In Aurora, Ill., Oct. 2. Ann E., widow of the late James S. Waterbury, formerly of Norwalk, aged

FATAL FOREST

Ten Persons Thought to Have Perished in Manitoba.

Heavy Damage Done in Michigan and Indiana by Flames Sweeping Over Dried-Up Prairies-Potatoes Roasted in the Ground.

Winnipeg, Man., Oct. 8.-The forest fires that have been raging in Manitoba, close to the boundary line, for the past ten days, have broken out more furiously than ever. Ten or twelve persons are reported to have been burned to death, and the fire is rapidly spreading towards North Dakota. Hundreds of thousands of dollars worth of timber has been destroyed, besides grain and farm buildings. It is feared that the fires will get beyond

the control of the settlers.

At Beausejour, Man., seven persons are reported to have burned to death. Mrs. O. W. Thomas, her young son and a daughter, had a race with the flames for several miles. They lost a team of horses, which they kept on the run. Sparks from the burning timber were blown into the dry grass of a prairie which they were compelled to cross and soon they were surrounded by the flames. The frantic horses started to run straight ahead into the burning timber. Before they had gone far the carriage overturned and they were thrown down an embankment into a small creek. This probably saved their lives. They were badly burned.

A report from Morris, Man., says a prairie fire has been raging there and that one family of four persons is known to have perished. The fire is supposed to have been started by the

Potatoes Roasted in the Ground.

Niles, Mich., Oct. 8.-East and north of this city, marsh fires still continue. Farmers have fought the flames night and day for a week and are exhausted. They have moved their household goods to places of safety and have sacrificed their homes.

Near Berrien Springs, on what is known as the Big Meadow, hundreds of acres of potatoes have been roasted in the hills. The fire is the worst that has occurred in this vicinity since 1871.

Large Fires in Indiana.

Fort Wayne, Ind., Oct. 8.-Forest fires are raging in the eastern part of this county and farmers have organized to fight the flames. Last evening the little town of Edgerton and Baldwin were threatened with fire and were saved only after hard work. Barns, corn in shock, and acres of Winter wheat which was dried up, have been destroyed.

LUETGERT'S FATE NEAR. State Continues Its Attack in the Luetgert Trial.

Chicago, Ill., Oct. 8 .- The State yesterday continued its attack begun the day before on the defense set up by Adolph L. Luetgert to the charge that he murdered his wife and destroyed her body in a sausage vat.

The State's attorneys are at present

dealing with the allegation that Mrs. Luetgert is still alive, and they have brought out some damaging testimony against Matthew Scholey, who swore that he saw her in Kenosha, Wis., on May 4 and 5. Witnesses have now declared that they would not believe Scholey under oath, and two of them have sworn to conversations with which he said he "was satisfied with what he got for testifying," and that "Luetgert made a good job of it, any-

As to Luetgert's contention that he was making softsoap in the big at the time it is alleged he was boiling his wife's body, the State, through Frank Moan, custodian for the Sheriff, has shown that there were many cases of all kinds of soap in the factory when he took possession, so that Luetgert did not need to make any. Neither did

the factory need cleaning. So far as the evidence is concerned the famous Luetgert trial is nearing its close. It is expected that the rebuttal evidence of the prosecution will all be in by to-morrow night. Some rebuttal on the part of the defense will follow on Saturday and both sides are expected to rest their cases Saturday

afternoon. Never before in Chicago has the interest in a murder trial been sustained from start to finish as it has been in the Luetgert case.

Luetgert was moved to deep profanity in the county jail to-day by the visit of a professional hypnotist. The man of hypnotic science asked Luetgert's permission to hypnotize him. With a richly flavored German oath, Luetgert observed as he stood behind

"If I was out there in the corridor I'd hypnotize you with one poke on the I'd put you to sleep good and plenty, you humbug."

Blow to Silver,

London, Oct. 8.-Your correspondent is informed from a trustworthy source that the Indian Government, in reply to a further pressing invitation by the English Cabinet to consider Senator Wolcott's proposal, has answered that it cannot reopen the question of the Indian currency, and it will not be a party to the reopening of the mints for the free coinage of silver.

In well-informed English circles it is not believed that Lord Salisbury's Government will dare to override the decision of the Indian Government. Senator Wolcott's mission must thus

Postmasters Appointed.

Washington, Oct. 8.-Fourth-class postmasters were appointed yesterday as follows:

New Jersey - Hawthorne, Passaic, Charles S. Story; Millbrook, Warren, George R. Spaugenburg; Union, Edwin

W. Woolley.

New York — Moseow, Livingston,
Frank M. Tilton.

Pennsylvania — Belle Valley, Erie, Daniel Shuter; Glen Mills, Delaware, Newlin Mendenhall; Port Carbon, Schuylkill, Jacob L. Lurwick; Stonch-burg, Berks, Kate F. Searle; West Milton, Union, Ephraim Datesman.

TRYING TO COMBINE ON BLISS. The New York Situation at Washington.

Washington, Oct. 8.—Rumers have been revived in Washington connecting the name of Secretary Bliss with the Mayorality contest in Greater New York. Several Low people were in the Interior Department, and it is said that they repeated the overtures made to the Secretary some time ago to unite the warring factions of the Republican party in the city on himself.

department nothing can be learned as to the truth of the statements, but it is known that the Secretary does not intend to become involved in the contest; and it is believed, further, that the Administration will not take any part in the contest. The Low people in Washington seem

to be more anxious to effect a compromise with the Tracy people than do the latter. Another interesting piece of information is the statement that overtures are being made by the Low forces to the Tracy adherents to effect a compromise by uniting on Mayor Strong. Not much faith is placed in this rumor by New York Republicans in Washington. It was stated on good authority that

some agreement was not reached within a short time, Senator Platt would again visit this city for the purpose of further consulting with President and Secretary Bliss concerning the New York situation. It is feared that if the Administration does not soon take some action to effect a compromise between the two factions it may involve the Legislature. The loss of the seats in New York and Brooklyn would bring the Republican majority in the State Legislature down to a very small figure, and the turning over of a few additional districts in the State outside would give the Democrats an excellent chance for controlling the Legislature on joint ballot.

Salisbury's Poor Memory.

London, Oct. 8.-The misunderstand-Lord Salisbury's extraordinary freaks of memory. He does not now deny that Ambassador Hay verbally informed him in July last of the intention of the United States to invite Russia and Japan to participate in the conference, 'Oh, no; Great Britain will not participate on such conditions."

Ambassador Hay did not hear any such reply, and interpreted Lord Salistake part in the conference. Col. Hay had no intimation of the British objection to Russia and Japan until a few days ago. This is by no means the first time that Lord Sailsbury has affirmed that he had said what may have been in his mind, but which was not ex-

Canada and the United States.

London, England, Oct. 8.-Mr. W. S. Fielding, Minister of Finance of the Dominion of Canada, has arrived here to negotiate a loan of £2,000,000 to take up outstanding obligations of Canada. In an interview, Mr. Fielding said:

"The Canadian Government is well aware that a number of influential men in both parties of the United States are dissatisfied with the present state of trade between the United States and Canada, and it is quite possible this will lead to some action. If the United States approaches the Canadian Government on the subject ft will

be met in the right spirit.
"We strongly believe that it is for the advancement of Canadian as well as imperial interests that there should be friendly trade relations with our

Clark Howell Is for Van Wyck.

Atlanta, Ga., Oct. 8.-In the Conteeman from Georgia, will say that the newspapers of Greater New York are booming Henry George in the hope of splitting the Democratic vote. He says that Van Wyck is the "regular Democratic nominee for Mayor of Greater New York," that no national issues are at stake in this campaign, and that the organization which nominated Van Wyck "gave a hearty support to the Chicago platform and Mr. Bryan and the national campaign last

Lattimer Riot Cost the State \$95,000

Harrisburg, Pa., Oct. 8.-Gov. Hastings has issued a congratulatory order to the Third Brigade and Philadelphia City Troop for their work in the Hazleton riot cases. The cost of the troops at Hazleton, exclusive of transportation charges and supplies for the commissary and quartermaster departments, was \$95,000.

One of the Lattimer Deputies Missing.

Hazleton, Pa., vct. 8 .- No trace of the whereabouts of Henry Diehl, one of Sheriff Martin's deputies, who disappeared the day of the Lattimer shoot ing, can be found. He is 42 years old. His wife is prostrated. She and he: five children are in poverty. Diehl left home without even telling his wife of the shooting.

Dr. Jameson in Cape Colony Polities Cape Town, Oct. 8 .- Dr. Jameson, the leader of the raid into the Transvaal for which he served a term of im-prisonment in England, will be a candidate for the Legislative Assembly a the next election. His electoral platform will be the federation of South

NEWS IN BRIEF.

President McKinley will probably reorganize the Civil-Service Commission Three new cases and two death

from yellow fever were reported in New Orleans yesterday. The Secretary of State for India, ir London, says that the famine is nearly over and that it has cost \$50,000,000.

An Italian who was walking behind a stone wall near Mount Vernon, N. Y., was shot and killed yesterday by a hunter, who mistook his head and cap over the wall, for a woodchuck. Attorney-General Hancock has de-

cided that veterans who have passed examinations for merit and fitness with the minima of percentages are entitled to preference for appointment Ten or twelve people are thought to have perished in forest fires in Manitoba. Fires are also raging in Michigan and Indiana.

TEXAS OIL FIELDS.

OPERATIONS ON AN EXTENSIVE SCALE INAUGERATED.

An Apparently Unlimited Supply of Petroleum in Sight-How It Got There a 2 Geological Mystery - An Accidental

The development of the crude petroleum product in and around Corsicana is just now attracting a great deal of attention on account of the extensive scale upon which operations have recently been inaugurated. The existence of oil in this vicinity has been known for over two years, but little noise has been made about it, as it was feared that the find would prove limited and profitless. Now, however, investigations have progressed far enough to give reasonable assurance that the field is a very rich one, and, in consequence, there is a great deal of excitement and speculation. Four companies have been organized for the development of the field, with an aggregate capital of about \$240,000, two of them being capitalized at about \$100,000 each. These two companies are the pioneers, and have been in existence for some time having now, between them, seventeen wells, fourteen of which are flowing oil at a rate of from twenty to eighty barrels each per day, the average daily output being nearly thirty barrels per well, which is readily sold at 60c to 65c per barrel, and is used by mills and factories in this and surrounding cities for The discovery of oil in this terri-

tory was purely an accident, and came about through the efforts of the Coring that has arisen over the Behring sicana Water Development Company Sea conference is due entirely to one of to get a supply of water for the city. Somewhat over two years ago the supply of water began to run low, the city having for years drawn its supply from a large tank, formed by damming up a little stream, which began but declares that he instantly replied: to fall on account of encroachments upon the watershed by new settlements. A water famine was threatened. The progress of the city was bury's attitude as a tacit consent to checked, and serious loss of business was threatened. It was then that the Water Development Company was formed, and undertook by an artesian well to secure the needed supply. Efforts in this directon had been made before, but had proven fruitless, and the people placed little confidence in the scheme, particularly as the eminent geologist low was making big money smuggling for the state had said that no water would be found at less depth than 3500 feet, and when found it would prove useless. In face of these conditions, work was commenced late in ground in the southwestern part of the

The drill pounded its way through a monstrous formation known to geologists as Ponderosa marl, but familiar to every well-digger in Texas as "joint clay," to a depth of 1040 feet, when it seemed to enter a much softer formation, which, when brought to the surface, proved to be a bluish sandy shade saturated with a fine quality of petroleum. The drill quickly sank through this streak of shale, which was 20 feet thick, and from which oil flowed in large quantities. A halt was stitution to-morrow Editor Clark called and a consultation held. The Howell, National Democratic Commitdoubting Thomases, who had sturdily maintained that it was useless to bore for water, became more confirmed in their position and suggested that it would be better to stop the well where it was and sell the oil to pay expenses. The water-hunters, however, had started for water, and decided to go on. The oil was shut off as the piping was sunk and the drill in its downward journey encountered another streak of joint clay identical with that which extended 1040 feet down from the surface. This second streak proved to be about 500 feet thick, when a new formation was encountered. This is what is called "Austin and Dallas chalk," by the Texas Geological Department, and proved to be about 500 feet thick. Next came a streak of clay from 400 to 450 feet thick, and when the drill had penetrated this it tapped a subterranean water fountain and out gushed a magnificent stream of pure gallons daily. Water was found at a depth of 2500 feet; its temperature is 120 degrees Fahrenheit, and it has an

initial pressure of 56 pounds. The water problem was solved and at once attention was given to the oil discovery. The petroleum was found to be still forcing its way to the surface through the soil on the outside of the pipe in the water well. Samples were sent to various experts for opinions and in a few days the experts were wending toward Corsicana. The oil was found to be nearly equal in quality to the crude oil of Pennsylvania and several parties were anxious to develop it.

Right in the supposed track of the rich oil current lay a block of about 1000 acres of land, just out of town, owned by Senator R. Q. Mills, who was then at Washington wrestling with the sugar trust and other combines and monopolies.

He was too busy fighting the trusts of the country to lend a helping hand toward organizing or making himself part of one at his own home, and he warned his friends against becoming too enthusiastic over their oil fields, which could be rendered worthless to them in a moment by the Standard Oil Company, the greatest of all trusts. When he came home the siege upon him was renewed, and he repeated his warning, declining at first to do anything toward developing his land. Finally, he yielded and permitted his friend, Capt. James Garrity, a free silver president of a national bank, to bore for oil on the coveted tract.

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A SMUGGLER'S TRICK.

Paste Diamonds Made to Serve Many Val-

"All this talk about smuggling recalls some of the things I learned when I was in the service," announced a retired crook catcher the other day. "New ways of beating the government are being devised right along and many of the tricks I discovered are old now. There used to be more trouble with the diamond smugglers than there appears to be at present. I have found the sparklers in women's back hair, hat ornaments, hollowed shoe heels and sewed up in various articles of wear; in dog collars, in horses' hoofs, in fruits and vegetables, in trunks with false bottoms, in pipes and cigars, in canes, on the necks of carrier pigeons and even buried in men's flesh after the manner of the Kaffin diamond thieves.

"But the man who did the slickest business, without ever being suspected. told me about it afterwards. He was a retired detective who had served with great credit. Shortly before resigning he claimed to have received a beautiful diamond ring with three very large stones, from a New Yorker for whom he had been able to save a good deal of money. It was certainly a magnificent ring and the matter was duly exploited in the papers. He professed to be doing a private business, that took him across the river frequent ly, and he would often use the ferry three or four times a day. He always wore the dazzling ring and I looked at diamonds.

"How? Why, he had a paste ring made exactly like the genuine one. He would wear the paste one over, leave it to be set with diamonds, wear them 1894 upon a well in a low piece of back, have them replaced with paste, and thus carry on the game right before our admiring eyes. We never suspected the rascal."

HOW ONE WOMAN GREW RICH.

A Mere [Treasury Clerk, She Bought a Fine House and Rode in Her Carriage. The case of Thomas Martin, the Treasurer employee who was arrested on a charge of substituting lead slugs for silver in the Treasury's bullion, recalls that of a woman clerk years ago who became rich by theft and escaped punishment when detected. She was employed in counting bank notes

sent in for redemption and destruction. A bunch containing a certain number of bills of a given denomination all showing the effect of long and rough usage would be given her to count. She would begin at the top of the stack and, after turning over the first few would tear an inch or so off

In a few seconds she would tear two or three inches off another bill and paste on this the small piece torn from the first bill. By this process of tearing and pasting she would soon have a whole bill abstracted and in its place a number of shortened notes, but none so mutilated as to attract attention. The bunch as counted would be correct in every detail.

It was estimated that in this manner she abstracted one note in every ten that she handled. The woman became rich, bought a fine residence and drove to the department each morning in her private carriage. Her sumptuous mode of living was her undoing. Her house was searched and a large sum in bills found. However, all the bills she had mutilated had long before been macerated, and not the slightest bit of evidence could be found on which to base a criminal charge. After making restitution of what cash had been recovered she was permitted to go free.

The idea on which she based her thefts and the manner of its execution are to this day the admiration of Treasury officials and experts.-New York World.

EARLY AMERICAN BISHOPS. They Were Obliged to Travel to London

The London News, writing of the conference of the Anglican prelates recently held at Lambeth, says:

"Before the war of the American independence the American Episcopalians who were connected with the English church were never suffered to have a Bishop amongst them, but remained under the jurisdiction of the Bishop of London. The rite of confirmation was unknown, and every candidate for ordination was obliged to travel to England. Out of fifty-two candidates who came from America for ordination in 1767, ten died on the voyage. At length, after the United States had been declared independent. Dr. Seabury was ordained Bishop of Connecticut by the Primus and Bishops of Scotland, the prelates of the English church having refused to consecrate him."

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Ephraim Thomes, r 415 6 175 596

Frank H. Merrill, d 341 27 15 383

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TOWN CLERK. Herbert R. Smith, r 828 663 269 1760

Frank W. Perry, d 663 379 97 1139

TOWN TREASURER.

Samuel Lynes, r

FIRST SELECTMAN MERRILL

THE NEW BOARD WILL BE COMPOSED OF MERRILL THOMES AND LYNES.

TWIN CITIES ELECT DEMOCRATIC MAYORS.

Glover Defeats Hill by 284 Majority and Bohannan Reelected by 26

SCHOOL CONSOLIDATION AGAIN DEFEATED No.

South Norwalk Elects Republican Council and Norwalk Democratic Except Meeker.

CITY TREASURER PRICE WINS BY ONE VOTE.

The town and city elections Monday resulted in many surprises. Frank H. Merrill easily captured the office of first selectman owing to the first and second districts being at loggerheads over the placing of their candidates upon the ticket. Selectman Thomes made a splendid run, however, and lead both of the other candidates.

The entire Republican town ticket, with the exception of E. A. Woodward for school visitor to fill vacancy, was elected by a substantial majority.

License was not voted upon this time, probably owing to the large majority in favor thereof at the last year's election. The constitutional amendment received very little opposition, the vote being 1498 for and 77 against.

The question of school consolidation was overwhelmingly defeated, and shows that the people are decidedly opposed to the scheme. The vote last year was 755 for and 825 against, a ma jority of 70 against consolidation. This year, however, the voters were in earrest and the vote stood 1104 against to 372 for, a majority against consolidation of 732.

In the city Charles L. Glover, the Democratic candidate for mayor, was elected over Arthur B. Hill, Republican, by 284 majority. The entire Democratic board of councilmen were elected excepting James Sutherland, who was defeated by A. J. Meeker, the Republican candidate.

For city treasurer Henry P. Price Edward Barrett, d was elected by one vote over W. E. Montgomery, his Democratic opponent.

For city collector Addison A. Betts polled a large vote and defeated his Democratic opponent, O. E. Wilson, by 27 majority.

Edward P. Weed, whose name was placed on the Democratic city ticket by mistake for that of his brother, Samuel L. Weed, defeated Henry Chasmar for auditor by 41 majority.

Summerfield Tooker defeated Robert N. Morehouse, the Republican candidate for city sheriff, by a majority of

For water commissioner D. Warren Fitch, Republican, defeated Nicholas

Martin by 45 majority. In South Norwalk the Democrats reelected Dr. Charles G. Bohannan mayor over Frank A. Ferris by 26 majority.

The entire Republican council is elected as is the balance of the ticket. The GAZETTE announced the full re-

sult of the vote by bulletin as fast as the ballots were counted, its comtemporaries waiting until this morning to issue extras. Hundreds of people gathered in front of the GAZETTE office to watch the figures, and the sidewalk was impassbale at time, very few going home without knowing the result of the day's battle in Norwalk and surrounding towns.

10000	SELECTMEN.	
	Samuel Lynes, r	1259
	Ephriam Thomes, r	1490
	Frank H. Merrill, d	1443
	William B. Reed, d	1058
	TOWN CLERK.	
	Herbert R. Smith, r	1730
	Frank W. Perry, r	1139
	TOWN TREASURER AND TREASU	REROF
	THE TOWN DEPOSIT FUND A	
	SCHOOL FUND.	
	William A. Curtis, r	1765
	Oliver E. Wilson, d	1157
	COLLECTOR OF TOWN TAXE	s.
	George B. St. John, r	1606
	William S. Wilcox, d	1327
	CONSTABLES.	
	Robert N. Morehouse, r	1734
	Lewis D. Keeler, r	1722
	John J. Goodwin, r	1682
	Edward J. Ladrigan, r	1723
	Frank A. Honnecker, d	1114
	Stiles W. Curtis, d	1139
	Charles Lynch, d	1191
	James O. Jennings, d	1187
	GRAND JURORS.	
	George E. Curtis, r	1747
	James Wood, r	1751
	Charles F. Hallock, r	1742
	Daniel Hogan, d	1162
	William F. Mather, d	1167
	William F. Wardwell, d	1180
	ASSESSORS.	
	William H. Hendrick, r	1732
	Andrew J. Hutchinson, r	1698
	William Warden, d	1188
	James M. Lane, d	1175
	BOARD OF RELIEF.	AVA
	Bradley S. Keith, r	1748
	Henry Seymour, r	1733
	James Sutherland, d	1155

AUDITOR TOWN ACCOUNTS.

REGISTRARS OF VOTERS.

First Dist.-Francis Leonard, r 17

Second Dist.-Charles W. Stow, r 1

Third Dist .- Edward E. Gorham, r 17

First Dist.—Bernard C. Feeney, d 11

Second Dist.—Rufus J. Smith, d 11

SCHOOL VISITORS TO FILL VACANCIA

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT.

The vote on the Constitution

CONSOLIDATION OF SCHOOLS.

Vote By Districts.

SELECTMEN.

Samuel Lynes, r 818 292 149 1259

Ephraim Thomes, r 484 744 262 1490

Frank H.Merrill,d 1025 278 140 1443

William B. Reed, d 321 597 140 1058

FIRST SELECTMAN.

Samuel Lynes, r 697 11 114

William B. Reed, d 25 46 24

Ephraim Thomes, r 69 738

1st 2d 3d Total

Frank H. Merrill, d 684 251 125 1060 Charles F. Boutwell, r

Amendment was 1498 for and 77 again

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SCHOOL VISITORS.

Third Dist.-John Keogh, d

George F. Bearse, r

Wilfred Bodwell, d

Charles Olmstead, r

James W. Storey, d

Richard H. Golden, d

Marshall H. Tolles, r

Elbirt A. Woodward, r Augustus C. Golding, d

Charles G. Bohannan, d

Yes, 372. No, 1104.

its adoption.

John H. Light, r

155 153	William E. Montgomery, d	5
742 182	South Norwalk City Tic	k
	MAYOR.	
748	Frank A. Ferris, r	4
749	Charles G. Bohannan, d	4
751	CITY TREASURER.	
174	Matthew Corbett, r	5
176	Wilfred Bodwell, d	3
167	COLLECTOR.	
	James Paul, r	4
281	Robert G. Mitchell, d	4
277	CITY SHERIFF.	
074	John E. Paul, r	5
039	Richard Voight, d	3
ES	AUDITOR.	
323	George F. Bearse, r	5
038	William S. Wilcox, d	3
035 266	INSPECTOR OF ELECTIONS.	
200	John J. Goodwin, r	5
	Thomas C. Creamer, d	3
nal	REGISTRARS OF VOTERS.	
nst	William F. Tammany, r	5
	Royal L. Raymond, d	3
	WATER COMMISSIONERS.	
	Stephen S. Hatch, r	8
	Lewis H. Nash, r	8

Edwin Wilcox, r

Leslie Smith, d

95 Charles N. Smith, r

87 894 Stephen S. Hatch, r

Franklin A. Smith, r

Minot S. Smith, d

ELECTRIC LIGHT COMMISSIONER.

STREET COMMISSIONER.

COUNCILMEN.

Venancio	A. Scofield, r
Jesse M.	Ferris, r
Henry P.	Morgan, r
George S	. Trowbridge, d
George C	. Stillson, d
William !	H. Smith, d
Walter L	. Wilcox. d
William	B. Hubbell, d
William .	J. McHugh, d

TOWN TREASCREEM	
William A. Curtis, r 839 657 269 17	
Oliver E. Wilson, d 680 379 98 11	WESTON.
COLLECTOR OF TOWN TAXES.	
George B. St. John, r 843 503 260 16	06 SELECTMEN.
William S. Wilcox, d 668 555 104 13	James A. Smith, r
CONSTABLES.	Lloyd S. Godfrey, r
Rbt. N. Morehouse, r 805 661 268 17	
Lewis D. Keeler, r 805 649 268 17	
John J. Goodwin, r 786 631 265 16	
Edward J.Ladrigan,r 790 666 267 17	23
Frank A. Honnecker, d 639 382 93 11	Iverson C. Fanton, r Charles R. Morehouse, d
Stiles W. Curtis, d 659 386 94 11	39
Charles Lynch, d 671 420 100 11	91 TOWN TREASURER.
James O. Jennings, d 672 418 97 11	87 G. Warren Bradley, r
SCHOOL CONSOLIDATION.	David S. Parsons, d
No. 225 735 144 11	04 ASSESSOR.
	72 Arthur C. Bradley, r
CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT.	Moses D. Treadwell, d
	BOARD OF RELIEF.
Concerning an amendment to Artic	i Bochezer Treen, r
XI of the Amendments to the Cons	of William Coggowch, I
tution in relation to the qualification	Platt Keeler, d
The state of the s	Frederick Banks, d
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No, 41 21 9	
Last Year's Vote.	
	98 Frederick Banks, d COLLECTOR. Vanderbift Godfrey, r Oliver Perry, d

CONSTABLES.

GRAND JURORS.

REGISTRAR OF VOTERS.

SCHOOL VISITORS.

Burton P. Merwin, r

Last Year's Vote.

	SELECT	MEN.			Burton P. Merwin, r
	1st	2d	3d		William B. Osborn, r
Selleck, r	959	586	238	1783	James B. Dikeman, r
Thomes, r	767	671	291	1729	Loomis M. Gould, r
Merrill, d	819	491	159	1469	William H. Barrett, d
Parsons, d	444	501	92	1037	Frederick Kennell, d
Herbert R. S James T. Hu	bbell, d wn tre. Curtis, a Montgon COLLEC John,	ASURE hery, d eror.		2005 1181 2008 1204 1999 1186	Charles Glans, Jr., d Henry Sturges, d GRAND JUROR: Frank P. Lane, r DeWitt C. Bradley, r Thomas W. Treadwell, d Steven W. Godfrey, d Oscar Williams, d REGISTRAR OF VO
Noews	Ik C	tv T	icke	t.	John P. Fitch, d

N II CIA TIALA		John P. Fitch, d
Norwalk City Ticket		AUDITOR.
		Vanderbilt Godfrey, r
MAYOR.		William P. Lockwood, d
Arthur B. Hill, r	364	SCHOOL VISITO
Charles L. Glover, d	648	Ebenezer Fitch, r
CITY TREASURER.		Vanderbilt Godfrey, r,(to
Henry P. Price, r	508	Walter P. Rowland, d
William E. Montgomery, d	507	CONSTITUTIONAL AME
	00.	Yes,
COLLECTOR.	524	No,
Addison A. Betts, r	497	
Oliver E. Wilson, d	491	NEW CANA
AUDITOR.		NEW CANA
Henry Chasmar, r	482	- , -
Edward P. Weed, d	523	SELECTMEN
CITY SHERIFF.		Joseph F. Silliman, r
Robert N. Morehouse, r	502	George E. Raymond, r
Summerfield Tooker, d	518	John W. Buttery, d
COUNCILMEN.		Cornelius G. Taylor, d
Albert R. Malkin, r	453	TOWN CLERK
William M. Betts, r	484	A. F. Jones, r
William H. Smith, r	* 379	Christian H. Rover, d
William N. Simonds, r	472	TREASURER
Alfred A. Chinery, Jr., r	429	F. M. Bliss, r
Aurelius J. Meeker, r	526	E. E. Bunkerhoff, d
Charles A. Burr, d	583	ASSESSORS.
George B. Gregory, d	551	George M. Hanford, r
James Sutherland, d	473	F. E. Weed, r
Philo W. Bates, d	524	A. Fairty. d
John Cotter, d	523	Charles D. Weed, d
Walter R. Bates, d	538	
MEMBER OF BOARD OF REGISTRAT	CION	BOARD OF RELI
	484	Levi S. Weed, r
Alfred E. Austin, r	514	W. A. Smallhorn, r
Bernard Tully, d	014	Thomas M. Fairty, d
INSPECTOR OF ELECTIONS.		Edward Kelly, d
Edward M. Lockwood, r	491	GRAND JUROR
James P. Sheehan, d	515	Lewis Prevost, r
WATER COMMISSIONER.		Norbert Bossa, r
D. Warren Fitch, r	518	Lewis S. Olmstead, d
Nicholas Martin, d	473	Thaddeus B. Johnson, d
TREASURER OF WATER FUND.		CONSTABLES
Henry P. Price, r	516	John Davidson, r
William E. Montgomery, d	500	Charles Taylor, r
The state of the s	1016	Marvin S. Merrill, d
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		James E. Donnelly, J.
outh Norwalk City Tic	ket	COLLEC
AND AND A SECOND CONTRACTOR		Norbert Bossa, r
MAYOR.		George F. Geddis, d
rank A. Ferris, r	427	REGISTRAR OF
harles G. Bohannan, d	453	R. A. Hall, r
CITY TREASURER.		Joseph Cody, d
latthew Corbett, r	503	AUDITO
Vilfred Bodwell, d	376	L. C. Hall, r
COLLECTOR.		Robert C. Raymond, o
ames Paul, r	461	SCHOOL VIS
obert G. Mitchell, d	423	Dr. C. H. Scoville, r
	120	Rev. J. H. Hoyt, r
CITY SHERIFF.	519	George F. Lockwood,
ohn E. Paul, r	359	J. F. Bliss, d
ichard Voight, d	308	JUSTICES OF T
AUDITOR.	509	F. E. Weed, r
eorge F. Bearse, r	369	R. A. Hall, r
Villiam S. Wilcox, d	309	George M. Hanford, r
INSPECTOR OF ELECTIONS.		D. A. St. John, r
ohn J. Goodwin, r	505	Israel J. Jones, d
homas C. Creamer, d	367	Arthur W. Noble, d
REGISTRARS OF VOTERS.	124.9333.6	Hiram Wakeman, d
Villiam F. Tammany, r	512	Albert S. Weed, d
oyal L. Raymond, d	367	CONSTITUTIONAL
WATER COMMISSIONERS.		Yes, 424; No, 11.
tephen S. Hatch, r	880	LICENS
ewis H. Nash, r	884	Yes, 345; No. 214.
harles S. Trowbridge, d	882	
TREASURER WATER FUND.	Server	DANBU

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Vanderbilt Godfrey, r,(to fill vacancy 76 Walter P. Rowland, d CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT. lican ticket was also elected.

NEW CANAAN.	197
SELECTMEN.	
Joseph F. Silliman, r	23
George E. Raymond, r	33
John W. Buttery, d	38
Cornelius G. Taylor, d	21
TOWN CLERK.	
A. F. Jones, r	36
Christian H. Rover, d	19
TREASURER.	
F. M. Bliss, r	34
E. E. Bunkerhoff, d	21
ASSESSORS.	
George M. Hanford, r	34
F. E. Weed, r	33
A. Fairty. d	22
Charles D. Weed, d	,22
BOARD OF RELIEF.	
Levi S. Weed, r	34
W. A. Smallhorn, r	35
Thomas M. Fairty, d	21
Edward Kelly, d	21
GRAND JURORS.	- 3
Lewis Prevost, r	34
Norbert Bossa, r	34
Lewis S. Olmstead, d	21
Thaddeus B. Johnson, d	21
CONSTABLES.	
John Davidson, r	34
Charles Taylor, r	35
Marvin S. Merrill, d	22
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, 1.11100, 1	010	Charles Taulou v	350
am E. Montgomery, d	500	Charles Taylor, r	223
		Marvin S. Merrill, d	STATE OF STREET
th Norwalk City Tic	ket	James E. Donnelly, Jr., d COLLECTOR.	203
we all 3 # ordered to be suited		Norbert Bossa, r	313
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MAYOR.		A STATE OF THE PROPERTY OF THE	210
: A. Ferris, r	427	REGISTRAR OF VOTERS.	
es G. Bohannan, d	453	R. A. Hall, r	350
CITY TREASURER.		Joseph Cody, d	217
ew Corbett, r	503	AUDITOR	
ed Bodwell, d	376	L. C. Hall, r	351
COLLECTOR.		Robert C. Raymond, d	215
Paul, r	461	SCHOOL VISITORS.	E =0
t G. Mitchell, d	423	Dr. C. H. Scoville, r	269
	120	Rev. J. H. Hoyt, r	277
CITY SHERIFF.	519	George F. Lockwood, d	5
E. Paul, r	359	J. F. Bliss, d	243
rd Voight, d	359	JUSTICES OF THE PEACE.	1000
AUDITOR.		F. E. Weed, r	292
e F. Bearse, r	509	R. A. Hall, r	296
am S. Wilcox, d	369	George M. Hanford, r	301
INSPECTOR OF ELECTIONS.		D. A. St. John, r	297
J. Goodwin, r	505	. S. S. S. S. M. S. M. M. M. M. S. M. S. M. M. M. S. M. S. M.	126
as C. Creamer, d	367	Israel J. Jones, d	121
REGISTRARS OF VOTERS.		Arthur W. Noble, d Hiram Wakeman, d	127
m F. Tammany, r	512	Albert S. Weed, d	127
L. Raymond, d	367		121
TO THE STATE OF THE PARTY OF TH	001	CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS	
WATER COMMISSIONERS.	000	Yes, 424; No, 11.	
en S. Hatch, r	880	LICENSE.	

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URY.

The Republican candidate for town clerk was elected. The rest of the ticket, Democratic by a large majority.

STAMFORD.

Stamford gives an overwhelming Republican victory, the majority ranging from 250 to 400. It was also voted to have free text books for the schools.

DARIEN.

SELECTMEN.

SELECTMEN.		10
Charles W. Raymond, r	263	Joseph F. Hyat
Charles G. Waterbury, r	267	Owen F. Rice.
Andrew T. Waterbury, d	139	
Andrew S. Waterbury, d	146	Si
the state of the s	140	Lewis P. Wake
TOWN CLERK.		Oscar Smith, r
Thaddeus Bell, r	264	Robert H. Cole
J. Waterbury Smith, d	152	Thomas Quinla
TOWN TREASURER.		TI
Thaddeus Bell, r	266	Henry E. Sher
J. Waterbury Smith, d	151	James L. G. Ca
	101	And the second of the second second second
TREASURER DEPOSIT FUND.		C
Thaddeus Bell, r	266	William H. Ba
J. Waterbury Smith, d	152	Samuel E. Ban
COLLECTOR.		Co
William W. Ballard, r	258	John W. Gault
Hiram D. Smith, d	158	Charles G. She
	200	William H. Br
ASSESSORS.	200	
John R. Conn, r	267	Edward McElw
William A. Ferris, r	234	Edward Allen,
George Gregory, d	178	Thomas McNa
Wilbur B. Bates, d	154	Albert W. Alle
BOARD OF RELIEF.		Charles E. Mil
Clarence E. Scoffeld, r	258	GR
Henry T. Tristram, r	258	Henry G. Birg
George Bates, d	155	William H. Bu
George J. Oberlander, d	150	George Hale, r
	700	And the second second
AUDITOR.	250	James Hawkes
George W. Clock, r	256	Eli Bradley, d
Louis M. French, d	161	John F. Daily,
GRAND JURORS.		A
Franklin A. Dart, r	257	Rufus Wakema
Samuel C. Silliman, r	258	Edward C. Bir
James Pooley, d	154-	
Nathan Dauchy, d	159	William H. Co
		Charles of Talker States in Section (1) to the Section (1)
CONSTABLES.	0	BOAI
Alonzo Weed, r	257	John H. Jenni
David N. Mather, r	256	William L. Co.
George J. Oberlander, d ,	155	Moses Sherwoo
John D. Hoyt, d	160	Patrick Campb
REGISTRARS OF VOTERS.		SCH
George W. Fowler, r	254	J. Frank Elwo
Samuel S. Weed, d	163	Loren T. Day,
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FAIRFIELD.		REGIST
PAIRFILLD.		Frederick M. S
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Samuel C. Bradley, Democrat,		ALL ALL AND A
elected first selectman over Cor	rad	George P. Jen
75 11 75 111 75 6	*	

Buckingham, Republican. Rufus B. Jennings, Republican, is the lucky Republican selectman elected, Horn, Democrat, is also elected selectman. The rest of the ticket is Republican.

WATERBURY.

The Republicans elected Thomas D. Barlow mayor over Edward Kilduff, walk, on Friday next, at 10 o'clock, for the present mayor and hitherto unde- the purpose of receiving applications feated office holder. The entire repub-

WILTON.

Wilton gave a Republican majority of 40. Sherman Morehouse was elected as the Democratic selectman on the board.

STRATFORD.

The Republicans made a clean sweep, the Democrats getting only their minority representation. License won by

r. Olmstead Gaining.

Hon. James H. Olmstead, of Stamford, who was stricken with paralysis, Sept. 14, is gaining. Part of Mr. Olmstead's left side is paralyzed, but there is good ground for believing that he will soon recover the use of his left arm, in part, at least. His mental powers are not impaired in the slight est degree, nor is his voice at all af-

WESTPORT.

1		
١	TOWN CLERK.	
ı	Joseph F. Hyatt, r	362
ı	Owen F. Rice, d	244
ı	SELECTMEN.	
ı	Lewis P. Wakeman, r	297
	Oscar Smith, r	298
	Robert H. Coley, d	287
и	Thomas Quinlan, d	291
ı	TREASURER.	
İ	Henry E. Sherwood, r	312
	James L. G. Cannon, d	300
l		300
	COLLECTOR.	270
	William H. Bailey, r	276
1	Samuel E. Banks, d	335
١	CONSTABLES.	
	John W. Gault, r	330
1	Charles G. Sherwood, r	306
ı	William H. Bradley, r	313
	Edward McElwee, r	298
١	Edward Allen, d	302
I	Thomas McNally, d	281
	Albert W. Allen, d	321
ļ	Charles E. Mills, d	292
1	GRAND JURORS.	
1	Henry G. Birge, r	323
١	William H. Burr, r	322
١	George Hale, r	326
ı	James Hawkes, d	287
1	Eli Bradley, d	278
1	John F. Daily, r	289
١	ASSESSORS.	DOM:
1	Rufus Wakeman, r	305
1	Edward C. Birge, r	312
	William J. Finch, d	299
1	William H. Condon, d	291
1	BOARD OF RELIEF.	
	John H. Jennings, r	319
1	William L. Coley, r	322
	Moses Sherwood, d	289
1	Patrick Campbell, d	290
1	SCHOOL VISITORS.	Ear
1	J. Frank Elwood, r	325
١		287
	Loren T. Day, d	20.
-	REGISTRAR OF VOTERS.	325
1	Frederick M. Salmon, r	
1	William H. Petrie, d	284
	AUDITOR.	0.7
	George P. Jennings, r	318
1	Frank N. Taylor, d	296
1	J. L. G. Cannon has been treas	
	of Westport for over twenty years,	
1	this is his first defeat. License	was
1	voted by 41 majority.	

Renew Your License.

The County Commissioners will meet at the town court room in South Norfor licenses, and all persons expecting to continue in business must present their applications at that time.

The Good Roads Movement.

The town of Old Lyme filed Tuesday in the state highway commissioner's office an application for a portion of the state appropriation to be used for grading. Commissioner MacDonald will go to Darien to-day and to Orange to-morrow.

A Small Divide.

The county commissioners divided the license money taken in during September Tuesday. It was the light; est month in many a day, only \$885 being received in thirty days. Of this Bridgeport received \$698.25; Danbury \$142.50, and the county \$44.25.

Has Resigned.

Miss Jane M. Hyatt who has been clerk of the board of selectmen for a number of months has resigned. A better or more faithful clerk it would be hard to find.

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Them of discretion many times.
Or if they speak too slow or quick, such

We may pass by; for we may see Days not far off when those small words may

Held not as slow or quick, or out of place,

but dear, Because the lips are no more here. They are such dear familiar feet that go

They are such dear familiar feet that go Along the path with ours—feet fast or slow And trying to keep pace—if they mistake Or tread upon some flower we would take Upon our breast, or bruise some reed, Or crush poor Hope until it bleed, We may be mute.

Not turning quickly to impute Grave faults; for they and we Have such a little way to go—can be Have such a little way to go-can be Tegether such a little while along the way, We will be patient while we may.

So many little faults we find. We see them; for not blind Is Love. We see them; but if you and I

Perhaps remember them some by-and-by
They will not be
Faults then—grave faults—to you and me,
But just odd ways—mistakes, or even less—
Remembrances to bless.
Days change so many things—yes, hours,
Wa see see differently in suns and showers.

We see so differently in suns and showers. Mistaken words to-night
May be so cherished by to-morrow's light. We may be patient, for we know There's such a little way to go.

-From The Independent.

LONE HAND.

"Those who blame their failures to Providence or Fate, or whatever they may chose to call their Creator-those individuals, who, are idlers or cowards."

The speaker was one of a group of men lounging on the dock of the Great Northwest, which a few hours earlier had commenced her slow, upward progress against the mighty current of the Yellowstone. That he did not belong to either of the classes he condemned was written in the mingled resolution and complacency of his sunburned visage, while his right to "teach as one having authority" was established among his hearers by their knowledge that he was a prosperous ranchman of - County, Montana, returning from an Eastern visit.

"We all get our chances," he resumed, after a puff or two at his pipe and a pleased glance around the observant circle. "It is our fault, not the Lord's, if we don't keep hold of them. And I'll tell you a story with that text, if you like a story which shall be new, though the text is a chestnut."

There was an acquiescent laugh, a drawing nearer of camp stools, and the ranchman continued,-

"It happened some years since, before the Northern Pacific had crossed the Rockies. The terminus that season was at Zenith City, and the class of travel which demands luxury did not come beyond Bismarck, where the company economically shunted the Pullmans before rushing away from Trization. So the train which started from Zenith City one November morning was made up as usual, of a ger car, a box car, and the locomotive, while its quite unusual number of travelers was composed entirely of pully of twenty cowboys. They had just been paid off for their summer's we.k, and had begun their holiday on the previous evening with an all-night spice. But amusement in a prairie for was not varied enough for them. They meant to go East for such a leng h of time as their cash would endate; and though it was burning in their pockets to get spent, they were resolved not to waste any of it in railroad tickets-a resolve of which they informed the conductor when he came to them about half an hour out from Zerith City.

"Fie was a young fellow, as were the cowboys. Everything was young in Montana in those days, except the sky and prairie, which are eternal, or seem to be. This chap Lloyd, however, was sl'm-built, with a color that changed li's a girl's-threatened with cons mption then, though he had got the the er of that, as of other disadvantages -and very queer he looked emong the big brown, brawny roughs, who left their card playing to swarm into the aisle, or lean over the seats nearest those of their comrades who had answered to his request for tickets that they had none.

"The company will take money for fares also,' Lloyd said, without glancing at the gathering crowd.

"When the company can get it,

semebody chuckled.

"'Invariably,' Lloyd asserted; 'or the passenger who refuses to pay is put off the train.'

"'You don't say so? Suppose you try. Here are Tim and me to begin with! And the whole carful after us, for not one cent of our earnings is going into the money bags of your swindling company!'

" 'That's so!'

" 'You bet!'

"'Not a chip!" "Lloyd listened to these expressions of general determination until they come to an end. Then he was considerally paler, but his eyes had grown incommonly bright.

"You will hurt me much more than the company,' he said when he could get a hearing. "I shall lose my place of I don't collect your fares-

"That is your lookout.' "'We ain't going to tell your loss, if

you keep quiet.'
"Lloyd's shining eyes turned from e to another of the twenty tall fellows lounging around him, so sure of the trumps they held that they were in no hurry to finish the game.

"There is a greed for tormenting animals which disfigures most human nature, from Spanish bull-baiters to those rat-fighters down east. We are not without a touch of it here in Montana. And that the tormented animal belongs to our own kind adds a keener relish to the fun, when the party doing the tormenting has swallowed as much bad whiskey as the cowboys had that morning. So these bright eyes of Lloyd's didn't met any more encouragement than did Father Noah's the first time he took a squint at the Flood through one of the portholes of the

ārk. 'Without speaking, he stood, very pale and still, for a moment, looking at the open pocketbook in his hand, while they all stared at him, grinning and jeering. There was a firmness about his mouth that didn't suggest unconditional surrender to two or three who watched him closely, and who were much surprised when presently the color rushed back over his face, and shutting his book with a snap, he went out of the car.

"He was followed by a roar of laugher and facetious yeils.

"'Call again, young fellow!" "'Always glad to see you!"

"Then the crowd returned to poker claying, some of them just a bit disconcerted with their victory, and muttering that twenty to one was too big edds for any chap, 'specially a slim little chap, with fists which couldn't their own against a 'kid.' "

. The story-teller interrupted himself with a chuckle.

"They counted fists, you see, and forgot to take stock of brains. How chould they guess that the man they | monogram "V. R.," a crown and the had put to proof carried more brains inside his handsome head than furnished the twenty of them, though they were not fools, either?

"A quarter of an hour later the train stopped, not gradually, but with a jerk which sent poker chips flying. There was a cowboy half out of every window in the car quicker than you could have cocked a pistol, for stations were seldom within a hundred miles of each other in those days, and they all knew that this stop wasn't regular.

"Behind and before them the track stretched as far as they could see, while on both sides the prairie spread away to the low edge of the gray sky, which wasn't any grayer than itself, lonely as the ocean, and infinitely more silent. Not a sound or a movement, except that of the locomotive whisking off at full speed.

"In came the cowboys' heads with a volley of hard swearing and there stood Lloyd in the doorway, cooler than I am this instant, but holding a six-shooter.

"You have just five minutes to make up your minds,' he said, and his voice was as steady as his eyes. 'Will you pay your fares like honest men, or get out and tramp to the next settlement, forty miles from here? Our engineer is waiting within hail of us, and he will not come back unless I give him the order. Oh, you may murder me if you choose!' he cried, stepping further into the car, as half a dozen pistols were grabbed. 'But I can shoot as straight as any of you-I don't mean to die alone—and at the sound of the first shot our engineer will be off to Bismarck.'

wasn't stiller than that carload of excited humanity. If Lloyd had even to go any distance from home she will blinked! Thank God, he didn't slip the strap of the board over her Then a big fellow broke into a laugh: took his pistols from his belt, and laying them on a seat, walked toward Lloyd, holding out his empty fists

"'Shake!' he said. 'That was a lone hand! And pluckily you played ic: "From Lloyd's side he faced the lot of them.

'Boys,' he cried, 'a chap who can look straight down the muzzles of so many cowboy shooters for the sake of doing his duty, that chap will make the kind of partner most of us want to yoke with, if he will let us, eh?'

"Lloyd smiled, slipped his pisto! nto his pocket, and gave his slim flagers to the other's brawny grasp.

"Well, sir, all crowds are a ke. whether cattle or men-they follow a leader. There was a cheering presently which astonished the waiting engineer. Then the fares were paid as fast as Lloyd could take them. An. that is the end of this story."

The ranchman paused, and began carefully to light his pipe, which had died out.

"Where is Lloyd now? In He'ena, State Senator from - County.' he answered an eager questioner, when the pipe was again in working order. Where is the fellow that stood by him?" he laughed jovially. "Neither he nor his whereabouts point the moral of this tale. But, when Lloyd runs years of the war' as Lieutenant Benfor governor, as he will next year, he shall have my vote, for he runs to win in any race he enters. And that is my creed of life, boys-'the Lord helps those who helps themselves'-I've seen it, and I believe it!"

They Keep Pets.

Everyone knows that certain species of ants keep "aphides," just as men do milch cows, to supply them with the weet liquid they secrete. Therefore not so astonishing to find that here marvellous little insects keep which, although apparently of no est benefit, seem to amuse them

These pets are generally beetles and raciets, which live on the best of erms with their hosts, playing round he rests in fine weather and retiring nto them on wet days. The ants have. actually been watched carrying these pets of theirs from place to place during their migrations!

Wood ashes and common salt mixed water to the desired consistency ... y common use around the farm.

VICTORIA'S ODD BIRTHDAY GIFT. Gloucester's Ancient Custom of Sending to the Queen a Lamprey Pie.

One of Queen Victoria's birthday gifts was a peculiar one. From time almost immemorial up to 1834 it appears the city of Gloucester was in the habit of expressing its loyalty to the throne by sending to the reigning sovereign a lamprey pie. In the year mentioned the ancient custom fell into desuctude, but it was revived in 1893, and has been followed with full appreciation of its picturesqueness. This year the people of Gloucester felt that they should make a special effort, and the pie sent to Balmoral, besides being on a gold plate, was itself of an unusually elaborate character. It weighed twenty pounds, and was adorned with truffles, fine prawns on gold skewers and aspic jelly. On the top of the pie was a representation in gold of the royal crown and cushion, with a sceptre, to which were attached streamers of royal blue, and at the base were four lions, also of gold. The golden skewer heads were in the form of crowns, and there were six lions' heads in gold around the pie. On either side of the centre crown was a silk bannerette. One bore the city arms and the name of the Mayor of Gloucester, and on the other were two lampreys entwined beneath a crown, and a scroll setting forth that the "Mayor's lamprey pie" was sent in accordance with "Gloucester's ancient custom from the Norman period to the "Victorian era." All this was hand painted, as were two shields, one being a view of Gloucester's celebrated cathedral and the other the dates 1837-1897. The lamprey was at one time considered a great delicacy, and it is a matter of history that a surfeit of them caused the death of King Henry IV, so highly were they esteemed that special protections were granted to such vessels as might bring them in; and his successor supplied a warrant to William of Nantes for supplying him and his army with them wherever they might happen to march. -New York Times.

INDIAN BABIES.

When the Mother is Not in Attendance the Little One is Hung Under a Tree.

An article on "Home Life Among the Indians" is contributed to the 'Century" by Mrs. Alice C. Fletcher. Mrs. Fletcher says: In the Indian household, as in our own, children bear an important part. The baby is the constant companion of its mother; not that other members of the family to not share in the care of it, but the little one is kept closely under the maternal eye. Soon after birth it is laid mits own bed, which is often profusely ornamented, and is always portable. A board about a foot wide and three feet long is covered with a feather pillow or with layers of soft skins. Upon these the baby is fastened by broad bands of skin, flannel or calico. When asleep the child's arms are bound under cover, but they are released when it awakes. A great portion of the infant's time is spent lying apon a soft robe or blanket, where it tan kick and crow to it's heart's conent. If, however, the mother should be so engaged as to be frequently called out the tent the baby is laced apon its board and hung up under a "For one long moment the prairis tree or placed where there is no danhead and the baby goes along, winking at the great world from its mother's back. Long journeys on horses are nade by babies snugly packed and bung from the horn of the mother's uaddle

AMERICAN STOVES EXPORTED. They Are the Best for Utility and Style

and Are Sent to Many Countries. American stoves, which are the best n the world for their utility, style and anish, are exported to many parts of he world. Those exported are mostly pooking stoves and ranges. The greatest numbers are sent to the various Spanish-American countries, but they tre sent in considerable numbers to Australia, and also to South Africa. some stoves are sent to the United Kingdom, outside of England, and to Russia and Turkey; and occasionally

o China and Japan. There is now some foreign demand for American gas and gasoline stoves, and an increased demand is expected. -New York Sun.

Sweet Bye-and-Bye.

In a quiet little town of some eight sundred inhabitants in Walworth' County, Wis., leading the quiet, monotmous life of a country physician, lives me of the post-wartimes poets, Samuel' Filmore Bennett, who served for three nett, of the Fortieth Wisconsin Volunteers, whose name has been dropped almost into oblivion.

"He and a musical composer, J. P. Webster, long since dead, were friends inseperable. Webster was of a depondent mood, while Bennet was theery. Webster appeared before his friend one day more than ordinarily lowncast, when Bennett inquired: What is the trouble now?'

"'It is no matter; it will all be right by-and-bye,' he replied.

"Like a voice from the Unseen came o Bennett the song, "The Sweet By-ind-By.' Turning to his desk, writing off-hand with pencil, in less than thirty ninutes he handed Webster the hymn, worded as it reads today."

Easy Enough to Do.

Gazooks-Geese once saved Rome. but I don't think asses ever saved this country.
Zounds-Oh, yes; they could do it

lo it easily.
Gazooks—How? Zounds-By not going to Congress .--

New York Tribune.

CANVAS AND GRENADINE MATERIALS Shading and Texture Most Delicate and They Make Up Exquisitely.

By Special Arrangement with the N. Y.Sun.) White silk and satin are very much worn while brocades and such rich materials are worn only by elderly people. They are made up veiled with mousseline de soie or chiffon or black lace. Thus one veiled with silk muslin had each tiny ruffle embroidered with flowers in pink, red, and mauve. The bodice, with a jetted yoke of the muslin, was finished with a sash also of muslin, embroidered on the ends to match the ruffles. Soft puffed sleeves are a little later in style than the tucked ones; but the latter, made with a small puff, are still great



favorites. All gowns are far more graceful when the skirt is made entirely separate from the lining. pretty gown of bluet mousseline de soie may be made by cutting almost princess shape and very flowing, thus making it very full about the hem, and hung in folds over the pale blue silk lining. It may be trimmed with black lace applique both on the waist and the skirt. A black sash and collar with a blue ruching of the mousseline de soie gives it a striking finish.

Mauve muslin worn over yellow, with black lace accessories, is a delightful combination. A red velvet belt and collar are extremely pretty when worn with a black and white gown. Many of the plain grenadines are made up over striped silk of two tones, which gives a unique effect to the transparent material. These grena-



dines and the fine canvases, too, are finished with many little ruffles, edged with narrow satin ribbon or pencil velvet. One black flowered grenadine is made up over green and white striped glace silk, with many little ruffles upon the grenadine skirt, each edged with narrow black satin ribbons. The belt and broad sash were of black satin, while the neck of the gown is finished with three ribbons of different colors matching the flowers of the gown. Above the ribbons and close about the throat is a ruche of



The latest models in tailor-made gowns for travelling, or morning wear are very simple but elegant in shape. A novel trimming consists of coarse stitching of contrasting colors in the form of straps or loops, or conventional scroll designs. This trimming on a blue gown is carried up the front of the skirt in white, the straps being graduated up to the waist. The jacket is lined and faced with white moire, bordered with stitched cloth. A blue leather belt, with silver buckle, is worn with this gown. Blue is the most favored color in tailor-mad. gowns this season.

Marconf.

The recently discovered scientific marvel of the electric telegraph without a wire conductor has earned speedy renown for a young Italian student Guglielmo Marconi, of Bologna, whose mother is an English lady. He is bu: twenty-two years of age, and is a pupi. of Professor Righi, of the University of Bologna, in whose laboratory he became familiar with the properties of



the electric undulations perceived by Herz, their facility of transference to great distances, and their capability of being refracted or reflected, by suitable apparatus, in a mode analogous to that in which light may be treated. The family to which Guglielmo Marconi belongs is one of good position and some wealth in his native city; and he was from the first readily furnished with the means and opportunities for conducting a series of experiments, afterwards renewed and continued in England under the superintendence of our Director-General of Telegraphs. Mr. W. H. Preece, with results likely to be of much importance. They have since been followed by exhibitions in Italy, at Rome. and at Spezzia, the chief naval port of that kingdom, which are regarded with much public attention. A formidable promise, or threat, of increasing the means of naval warfare is supplied by the notion that a gunpowder magazine on board ship might be fired by electric agency from a long distance.

A Silver Ship as a Wine Flagon. The St. James Gazette tells of an exhibition which was displayed during Jubilee week in London. It is an elaborate two-masted ship, with ornate deck-houses, streamers, and other adornment, wrought in embossed silver, and set on wheels for a stately dining room table. Ornamental as it



is, it is, however, no mere ornament; it was designed to contain, cradled in its hull, a flask of some rare and matured vintage, whose neck-tip should just protrude itself beyond the vessel's

A Chippendale Screen. Chippendale furniture is coming into fashion again and some of the prettiest



effects are in the screens that are now in the market. It is in what is known as "The French style" and was much in

vogue during the first empire. Children as Life Savers. Germany has just followed in the footsteps of England and is establishing schools for instruction in swimming and to teach children how to resuscitate their fellows in case of accident. The model school in this respect is of course that known as "The Morning Lane Board School" of London. At present the classes number several hundred and the pupils range



in age from six to sixteen. The quickness with which these children learn the method of saving life, is surprising to those who visit the schools. Prominent educators of America are thinking seriously of introducing the features of "The Morning Lane School" into our school system.

Bowser (reading telegram he has prepared)-How does this suit you: 'Cannot come to-day. Expect us next week. Mother is ill." There's just ten words.

Mrs. Bowser-That's all right; only why not say "Mother is indisposed?" Mr. Bowser-That wouldn't make it any clearer.

Mrs. Bowser-I know; but it is a longer word than "ill," and we might as well get our money's worth while we are are about it.-Boston Trans-



This fungous disease attacks all species of plums and cherries, both wild and cultivated. As far as has been determined, it does not trouble other fruit and forest trees, although the enlargements caused by injury and insect galls are sometimes taken for it.

The outer or cambium layer of new wood cells just under the bark of twigs seems to be the home of the black-knot fungus. The spores obtain a foothold there and when growth begins the fungus spreads through the soft cell walls. After a little while the trouble appears on the branch as a distinct elevation. This is due to a derangement of the new cells which causes a distorted growth that finally becomes black and hard. The disease is very contagious, spreading from the spores or seeds of the fungus. Of these there are two kinds, summer spores, or those produced during the early part of the season, and winter spores, which mature late in autumn and are ready to germinate the first thing in spring.

The trouble usually begins in the fall and appears as a slight swelling of the bark on the branches, these making but little growth until the following spring, when they begin to develop, mature rapidly, and are full size in a few weeks. For a time the bark over the forming knots expands, but finally bursts, exposing the deceased growth beneath. The fungus continues to grow throughout the summer and at the end of the season a dead mass of tissue remains and usually forms a home for insects, which cause additional injury to the tree.

The fungus produces spores so abundantly that it is advisable to remove and destroy the knots as soon as they can be seen. Wild cherries and plums are attacked as well as the tame varieties. It is absolutely necessary to keep the knot off these if the trouble is to be completely eradicated. Knots on a single wild tree will produce spores sufficient to infest an entire county. Badly diseased trees of everykind should be cut down at once and the knots burned or completely destroyed. When only a few branches are affected these can be cut out and the remainder of the trees disinfected by washing thoroughly with bordeaux mixture made as follows: Dissolve six pounds of copper sulphate in one gallon of hot water in an earthen or wooden vessel. In another vessel slake four pounds of fresh quick lime. Scrain the latter and add to it 50 gallons of water. Into this pour the dissolved copper sulphate and mix thoroughly. Or a very strong solution of sulphate of iron may be used.

These solutions, if applied with a strong force pump, will destroy the spores resting from the bark of the tree awaiting conditions favorable for their development. They also may kill a great many spores, and prevent the formation of more, if applied, to the affected part of the tree, but will in no wise cure the disease. The knot ought to be removed before it breaks open, for bees and other insects will spread the trouble. As soon as the lings appear on the branches, two or three inches below the diseased part, then wash with a strong solution of iron sulphate and later apply some oil paint or linseed oil. Because of the exceedingly contagious character of this disease, it can be killed out only by concerted action in a neighborhood or county.-American Agriculturist.

Odor in Milk.

To determine whether an odor in milk is due to bacteria or otherwise, get a pail of the milk at a temperature of say 70 degrees in a room known to be free from odor. After three or four hours go to the milk, stir it briskly, and notice whether the odor has increased or not. If the former, then the trouble is of bacterial origin. If the latter, it is an odor from some outside source and can probably be traced to the stable or milk room. At all, events clean everything thoroughly. If the cause is bacteriological, that is, there is an undesirable ferment present in the milk and the cleaning does not remove it, go to some one who has milk that is known to be all right. Get a quantity after it has become sour, bring it home and put a little into all the pails, vats, strainers, churn, etc. In act, wash them in this sour milk, lessing some in to act as a starter to prrect the bad fermentation when mere milk is introduced.

The most troublesome ferments may be got rid of by such a course. Bad ferments betoken uncleanly work. By far the best of all remedies is prevention and prevention is obtained by cleanliness .- F. W. Mossman.

Seeding Grass in Corn.

At the second cultivation before the corn is hoed, sow on grass seed with a liberal hand. It is important that the entire surface of the ground be covered. Even seeding will do much toward keeping down weeds. I have a field seeded in this way last season. and it is in first-class condition. Bone dust was sown at the same time. To prevent injury to the grass, the corn should be removed the last of August. or the first of September. I put my 1896 crop of corn into the silo,-A. Tompkins, New York.

Jimmie-Reginald McCuff, I challenge yer to mortal combat-name yer weapons!

Reginald-Me hig brudder's fists.-

3 VEN TIMES ONE.

- ne dew left on the daisies and clover e's no rain left in heaven: I ve said my "seven times" ever and over— seven times one are seven.
- I am old, so old, I can write a letter, My birthday lessons are done;
- The lambs play always—they know no better They are only one times one. O moon! in the night I have seen you sailing
- And shining, so round and low: You were bright! ah, bright! but your light is You are nothing now but a bow
- You moon, have you done something wrong in heaven, That God has hidden your face?
- I hope, if you have, you will soon be forgiven. And shine again in your place.
- O, velvet bee, you're a dusty fellow— You've powdered your legs with gold! O brave n.arsh marybuds, rich and yellow, Give me your money to hold!
- O columbine, open your folded wrapper. O cuckoo pint, tell me the purple clapper
- That hangs in your clear green bell! And show me the nest with your young ones
- I will not steal them away:
- I am old, you may trust me, linnet, linnet— I am seven times one to-day. - Jean Ingelow.

A RUNAWAY TRAIN

There have lately been turned out of the Southern Pacific Railroad shops at one of the big terminals of that road on the Pacific Coast four of the largest consolidated pattern engines in use, designed especially for mountain work, whose plans and specifications were drawn by probably the only lady expert mechanical engineer in America, if not in the world. How she attained her present position is one of the railroad legends of the road for which she works, but I believe the story has never been in print.

A number of years ago, about fifteen I believe, some lucky prospectors "located" mining claims away up in the almost inaccessible fortresses of one of the mountain ranges of the West, and the phenomenal riches of the lead amply repaid the heavy expenses of the "mule train" that was used to "nack" the output of the railroad. Eventually the prosperity of the first proprietors brought other adventurous spirits to the lucky spot and later a rich syndicate bought out all the smaller claims on the ledge and established there the great mills and smelters of the Calumet Mining and Smelt-

ing Company. Then the Southern Pacific people awakened to the importance of the enterprise, and after a series of consultations with the syndicate, in the course of which a very handsome financial proposition was made by the miners, a branch road was surveyed up through the canons to the site of the now rapidly growing town. The difficulties were almost insurmountable, but at last the work was done and a very crooked and dangerous piece of track was the result. Its grades were precipitous in the extreme, its curves sharp to the last degree, and its road bed so narrow in

some places that if a car became derailed it was either demolished against the rock wall on one side or went to the bottom of the gorge on the other there to lie and rot and rust away. Once over the cliff the cost of raising an ore car would almost pay for a new one, and the company seldom made any effort to recover the wreckage.

One point on the shore road had al ways been dreaded by the trainmen, and this was the sharp curve at the approach to what was called the second crossing. It had been a prolific source of wrecks and the rocks below the bridge were strewn with the broken timbers and bent and twisted ironwork of dozens of ore cars that had plunged over the sheer sides of the deep gorge. This second crossing bridge was at the foot of the heaviest grade and from there the road wound through the beautiful Silver Creek Valley to the "Junction," where it joined the main line of the Southern Pacific.

At the point where the level track commenced, hardly a stone's throw from the second crossing bridge, the I company had built a short siding for the use of the giant consolidated engine that was used to push the long trains of ore cars up the mountain. and just across the main track from the siding stood the little cottage where John Clarke, the engineer, and his daughter. Jessie, lived,

Miss Jessie at that time was nearly sixteen, and for the last three years had been her father's housekeeper. All her life she had been intimately associated with railroad men, and for the three years that her father had been running the big "pusher" she had had no other companion than a little brother, several years her junior.

All her spare time she spent with her father about the engine, and had made it an enthusiastic study until, at sixteen, she knew its mechanism about as thoroughly as did her gray-haired father; in fact, it was her boast that she could "run the consolidator as good as daddy."

A short time before the incident hapnened of which I am about to tell you. a tourist delayed by a wreck at the bridge had spent the day at Clark's cottage. The little housekeeper had made the day very pleasant for him biy piloting him about the valley, and on leaving he had given her a pair of powerful field glasses.

They were her dearest earthly possession, for with them she could see her father's engine as it crept down the mountain for nearly an hour be-

fore he would arrive at the siding. The long stretches of road as it wound around the crags up the canon, now for a mile in sight, then disappearing among the rocks, only to reappear still further up the mountain. were always an interesting study for the girl and but for those field glasses, the young lady's practical knowledge of railroading and her unparalleled nerve, the Southern Pacific would have had one wreck that would have cost

One August evening Miss Clarke was watching through the field glasses the effect of the sunlight on the brilliant quartz rock at the farthest point up the mountain, where the track could be seen from the valley and only a short distance from the big mills at the top of the hill. Her father and his fireman had gone to the junction for some supplies, and were to return on the "mail," now nearly due. Her little brother was "playing fireman," and with a big bunch of waste was rubbing up the bright work about the big engine. The twilight silence in the valley was only broken by the occasional hiss of escaping steam and the steady, monotonous "pound" of the air pump on the engine, which her father had forgotten to shut off before he left. She had just noticed it, and was about to go to the engine and shut off the steam when, as she took one last look, she was almost paralyzed by the sight of a long train of ore cars creeping around the curve. Two or three of the laborers at the mines were still on them, but hand brakes would never stop that heavy train, and as it slowly gained in speed, she saw them leave the train. Then she thought of the little passenger train that would be there in a few minutes and in another moment she was climbing into the cab of the big engine and telling her little

brother what to do. "Open the switch, Johnnie, and when get down on the main track shut it and run down the track and flag number one. Tell dad I'm up the hill to catch a runaway."

Johnnie did as he was told and the powerful engine rolled out of the siding, across the bridge and was soon tearing up the hill at full speed toward the now rapidly approaching train.

As she left the siding her one thought had been to save the passenger train from an awful collision, but as she crossed the bridge she thought of a little story her father had lately told of how he had once caught a runaway train with his engine and had stopped it before it could do any awful danger. If "Daddy" could do it she could.

For nearly four miles up the hill the big engine fairly flew, then, as she reached a long stretch of straight track where the view was clear for nearly a mile, she shut off the steam and gradually the locomotive stopped.

Jessie looked up at the steam guage. The pointer indicated only 100 pounds pressure. Keeping a close watch on the track ahead, the intrepid girl left the throttle and, opening the fire-box door, replenished the fire. Just as the last scoopful of coal was thrown in and the door closed the runaway shot around the curve into view, and, starting the engine back, the girl watched closely for a chance to catch the now rapidly moving train.

Down the heavy grade went engine and cars, the distance between them rapidly growing shorter. On a little piece of straight track, a little over a ives.-By A M. Strong

mile from the dangerous bridge, Jessie decided to take the last desperate chance, and as the engine reached the desired point, only a few feet ahead of the flying ore cars, the girl gave the engine a light touch of the air-brake, and then, with mighty impact, the heavy train struck the engine, then the air-brake was sent to the "emergency notch," but so great was the speed of the train that even that did but little to slacken the speed, and that awful curve at the bridge was aimost in sight.

Jessie almost lost her nerve as she thought of that deadly place. She knew the big engine would never round it at its present rate of speed.

Suddenly the escape valve of the engine opened with a mighty roar, telling her the powerful engine was straining and quivering under the pressure of nearly 200 pounds of steam, and then a favorite axiom of her father's, came to her mind: "If air won't hold 'em, give 'em steam."

One supreme effort of the strong young arms and the reverse lever of the black giant was thrown over, the sand pipes were opened, and with steady hand Jessie opened the throttle, throwing a mighty force against the heavy train.

Now the speed of the train materially decreased, but the big locomotive rolled and rocked like a ship at sea as she safely rounded the dangerous curve and shot out on the high bridge, and then came another shock for the sorely tried girl, for standing in front of the cottage, almost hidden by a dense cloud of black smoke, stood the little passenger train with its load of unsuspecting travellers.

Here again the girl's knowledge of railroad craft came to her, and she knew that no power on earth could stop that heavy train to avert a collision, but she could signal to them. A brown hand reached for the whistle cord, and in a second more the deep valley was resounding to the hoarse roar of the duplex whistle giving three loud blasts-the railroaders' signal: "Back up."

The signal was just in time; as the passenger train backed out of the way the big consolidator and its string of ore cars rolled heavily by, the train now under control, but still moving with sufficient force to have done considerable damage.

As the train passed the siding, Clarke and his fireman climbed on the cars and scon stopped them; and as Jessie jumped to the ground she almost alighted on a tall gray mustached old gentleman. He was Charles Archer, vice-president and general manager of the Southern Pacific, and a man who never failed to recognize and reward merit; and it was at his hands Miss Clarek received the education that fitted her for the position she now occupies and who placed the lady's name on the "merit roll" of the Louthern Pacific Railroad at a salary of \$1,500 per year, work or play, as long as she

BUT \$5,000 A YEAR.

SENATORS AND CONGRESSMEN DO NOT LIVE WITHIN THEIR INCOME.

In Both Houses of Congress the Predominance of Wealthy Men is Becoming More Marked-The Whirl is Expensive -Rich Men Set the Social Pace.

Five thousand dollars is the salary of a Senator and a Representative in Congress, but it is a matter of common report in Washington, and a subject of remark from the individuals themselves, that the greater portion of the members of the two houses of Congress do not live within this income.

It should be added at this point that \$5,000 does not represent all that the Senator or Representative gets from the government. He is allowed mileage between his home and Washington at the beginning and close of each session to the extent of twenty cents a mile each way. As nine tenths of the members travel on passes, that is a clear gain. He is allowed \$125 a year for stationery. The Representative is given \$1,200 a year for clerk hire He can certify this to his wife or his daughter, as many of them do. Very few, it is claimed, pay out the full amount to a clerk. The Senator has \$1,500 a year for clerk hire. With all this it is a fact generally accepted that only a few of the nation's legislators live within their official incomes.

The increasing tendency of statesmen toward expensive living has been plainly noticeable to close observers within the last ten years. It is no reproach however, for it does not in all cases mean that they are living beyond their total income from all sources

One explanation of this condition is that richer men are going to Congress now. It is the fashion in many communities for men who have been successful in commercial pursuits o. at the bar to seek the honor and the amount of fame that is supposed to attach to a seat in the House of Representatives. It is becoming more and more the custom in State Legislatures to elect as Senators men who have achieved distinction in financial circles, as the executives of great business institutions, wresters of fortunes from here and is counsel for many rich crude materials and men of affairs generally.

These Senators and Representatives set the pace at the capital for their colleagues in the matter of maintenance of establishments; or rather, it is done by their families, and made possible by the emulation of the families of the others.

It is conceded to be a matter of practical impossibility for the average Senator or Representative to save anything out of his salary. It is not unusual for a member of the House to serve two or three terms in Congress, lose his law practice or his business at home by his absence and attending to his duties at Washington, and to

go out of Congress, in debt. There are exceptions, of course, in the cases of men from remote rural districts, accustomed to plain living at home and with small families, who exercise rigid economy while here, and live within their official income. They are the exceptions however, and not the rule. The statesman finds demands upon his purse that he did not dream of, and in a short time, by force of circumstances surrounding his official position, gets into habits of living foreign to his previous experience unless he was a rich man at home.

The last few years have shown an increasing tendency upon the part of Senators and Representatives of means to own homes at the National Capital. Some of them have permanently located there, and their families only go to their former homes occasionally upon a visit.

Some of the handsomest homes in Washington are maintained by Senators and Representatives in Congress. The magnificent mansion of Senator Hale of Maine is one of the most palatial of the Congressional residences, It is a new house, built after the Colonial style, and of a size which is appalling to the average Washingtonian, accustomed to a wedge shaped residence of red brick, resembling a slice of cake set upon end. It takes a small fortune to run it.

Senator Henry Cabot Lodge, of Massachusetts. lives upon the avenue named for his state in a house which is remarkable rather for its good taste and comfort of arrangement than for magnificence. He would probably find it very difficult, however, to keep up appearances upon a Senator's official income. With the exception of Senator Wetmore, Senator Lodge, Senator, Hale and Senator Proctor, the New England contingent in the upper House are not men of great wealth.

Among the Representatives in Congress who maintain luxurious homes n Washington is Mr. Dalzell, of Pennyivania He lives on Vermont avenue, in the fashionable northwest secden of the city, and in a style which oild make short work of a Represenat te's salary. He makes a great deal o: ... aey out of the practice of law, col and one in Pittsburg.

It is some ascertained by men who come .. he Senate and the House that he emotiment provided by law for he'r serv ces is but an incident of their ongressional experience, and not worthy to be classed as an attraction. It an be . .d down as a rule that would pply to more than a majority of cases hat the man who can work his way nto the Senate or the House can make more money in a year outside of Conress than le can in it, and that, if he ts to setire from the public life in a dellar in his pocket he will have

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EAST NORWALK.

Martin Grace has removed from Second avenue to Strawberry Hill.

The Sunday evening service at the East avenue M. E. church will commence hereafter at 7 o'clock instead

Harry Ainsworth is assisting in Daniel L'Hommedieu's grocery. Frank Carr has recovered from his

recent illness. Mr. and Mrs. Frisbie of Vergennes, Vt., have been guests of Mr. and Mrs.

T. B. Griffin of Riverside avenue. John Hedman of Van Zandt avenue has returned home from Ohio.

Albert Ericson, of Benedict Farms, is assisting in R. H. Plaisted's drug store in South Norwalk, during the absence of Clerk Shields.

The Misses Bennett, of Maple avenue, gave a birthday party Saturday afternoon, in honor of their niece, Miss Grace Mosher, of Norwalk.

Mrs. Annie Lockhardt and Mrs. Lena Hazel, of Bridgeport, spent Saturday with Mrs. George H. Cole, of Second avenue.

DARIEN.

The official board of the Methodist church held its monthly meeting Monday night.

The Chaucer club will meet at Mrs. Ballard's, to-morrow evening as guests of Dr. George H. Noxon.

Edward Bates moved his stonecrusher, Monday, preparatory to begining on his contract for the macadam road.

The articles remaining over from the Eagle Hook & Ladder Co.'s recent fair will be disposed of at the truck house, Saturday evening.

The football team was defeated Saturday afternoon in its game with the Mt. Vernon Y. M. C. A. team, the score being 22-0. The team will play in Yonkers next Saturday.

Selectman Alexander Mackey went to the town meeting Monday prepared with figures to show that Charles W. Raymond's supplementary report was in error and the report issued as the town report was in the main correct. He had no opportunity to use them,

Some time since Theodore Austen wrote a letter saying rather uncomplimentery things about C. B. Fitch, the builder of the building erected by him recently for the use of the post-office, in regard to the matter, and incidentally referred to Newton Crofut, one of last year's assessors, in terms otherwise than agreeable. Mr. Crofut put the matter into a lawyer's hands and stated, Monday night, that Mr. Austen had concluded that he was in the wrong and had settled it on a financial basis as far as Mr. Crofut is concerned. Now they are calling his attention to a claim that he is liable in another directionthat of sending scurrilous letters through the mail.

HALF A MILLION IN NUGGETS.

the Yukon Country.

Seattle, Wash., Oct. 5 .- George Stanley, who is mining on El Dorado Creek, in the Yukon, writes to his father in this city that claims owned by his father and partner, Warden, on El Dorado Creek, will pan out half a million in gold nuggets this coming Winter. The letter predicts that claims on Bear Creek will turn out as rich as those on Bonanza and El Dorado creeks, pans averaging \$5 each. Stanley also writes that the Canadian Government is exacting a royalty of 25 cents per cord on wood to be used in thawing out the gravel this Winter. A similar charge is also made for logs used in building cabins for the miners. During the Summer forest fires have destroyed a large amount of cord wood. Owing to the scarcity of water but little sluicing has been done.

State Board of Dental Examiners.

Albany, Oct. 5.-The State Board of Dental Examiners has elected these officers for the ensuing year: President, Dr. A. Southwick, of Buffalo; secretary, Dr. Frank French, of Rochester; ed tor, Dr. William Carr, of New York

The board has withdrawn from membership in the National Association of Dental Faculties on account of the latter having reduced materially the preliminary requirements for entrance to the dental examinations under its jurisdiction. To make it possible for all dental students to take the same licensing examination a resolution has been adopted by the board requesting the State Board of Regents to suggest to the Cental colleges that they hold their commencements on or near the same date as possible.

He Objects to "Amen."

Toronto, Oct. 5.-The new Presbyterian Book of Praise, adopted for the use of the church in Great Britain and Canada, does not meet with entire ap proval. In a church here a leading member resumed his seat before th. congregation had sung the "Amen" at the end of a hymn. Later he arose and protested against singing the "Amen on the ground that it savored strongly of Episcopalianism. After the service the session held a meeting and decided to omit the word in future.

Killed by a Falling Derrick.

Seneca Falls, N. Y., Oct. 5.-John Mc-Clue, proprietor of the Merchants' Canal Navigation Company, was instantly killed yesterday afternoon at Waterloo, about three miles from this place, by a falling derrick. McClue was 51 years of age and had been in the canal-boating business for thirty-five years.

MRS. MC ENROE GETS A DIVORCE. Allowed to Resume Her Maiden Name by the Court.

New Haven, Conn., Oct. 6 .- Mrs. Eleanor F. McEnroe, daughter of Capt. Fred J. Peck of this city and granddaughter of Commodore Richard Peck of the New Haven and New York steamboat line, is now free from her husband, Eugene F. McEnroe of New York. Judge Roraback of the Superior Court granted her a divorce in this city Tuesday afternoon. The divorce was obtained on the ground of intolerable cruelty, and Mrs. McEnroe was permitted to change to the name of

The defendant in the case, Eugene F. McEnroe, is a relative of Richard Croker. He is chief clerk to Register William Sohmer, of New York, and it is said that McEnroe procured the of-fice through Croker. The divorce case was heard on an ex-parte hearing last Friday. McEnroe had entered a contest to his wife's complaint, but withdrew it after she had agreed to strike out infidelity as one of the causes and leave the sole cause of complaint as

intolerable cruelty. According to Mrs. McEnroe's statement her husband was insanely jealous of her and became enraged when another man would notice her. They were married in April, 1895, in St. Pat-rick's Cathedral, New York, by Archbishop Corrigan, a special dispensation for the eeremony having been obtained from the Pope. A wedding supper at Delmonico's followed the marriage.

The McEnroes separated about a year ago, and since then Mrs. McEnroe has lived with Commodore Peck in this city.

ANNEXATION OF HAWAII.

Senators Proctor and Lodge Say

that Union Is Assured Practically. Boston, Oct. 6.-United States Senator Redfield Proctor, of Vermont, who was in this city yesterday, said that, in his opinion, Hawaii would be admitted to the United States at the next session of

Congress. "I think," he said, "that the great majority of Americans are in favor of acquiring control of the islands, if for nothing else but to keep them out of foreign hands. Annexation in some form is the only way of reaching that

Senator Lodge, of Massachusetts, is credited with saying that he looks upon the annexation of the Hawaiian Islands

as practically accomplished. The treaty," he said, will be taken up at once, when Congress assembles In December, and I think that there is an easy two-thirds majority in the Senate in favor of its ratification. If it should appear probable that an opposition is developing, sufficient to defeat ratification, the remedy will be very simple. There is a joint resolution of annexation of the islands on the calendar, which does not require a twothirds majority.

Sheehan and Croker Make Up.

New York, Oct. 6 .- John C. Sheehan is still the ostensible leader of Tammany Hall. He did not resign his place yesterday, but he was successful in making it apparent that Richard Croker and not John C. Sheehan is to be responsible for the Tammany Hall ticket and the management of the

campaign this year. That is what Mr. Sheehan was striving for from the time that it became apparent that Mr. Croker had set his heart on the nomination of a ticket which Mr. Sheehan felt was unusually weak, and which was bitterly opposed by a majority of the members of the Executive Committee. He suggested to Mr. Croker that he did not care to be held responsible for the ticket, and that he had better resign the leadership. Mr. Croker opposed this, because knew that the resignation of Leader Rich Claims on Eldorado Creek in Sheehan at this time would be proof positive to the rank and file that the stories of trouble among the leaders were true.

Albany Railway Plundered.

Albany, Oct. 6.-By a conspiracy among twelve employes the Albany Railway Company has lost more than Three months ago Assistant General Manager Edgar S. Fassett began to suspect that the company was not receiving the revenue which travel on the Troy and Albany division should return. Chief of Police Willard employed several Pinkerton detectives to investigate the matter. Their efforts resulted last night in the arrest of James Bain, a clerk in the office of the railway company; Electrical Inspector Peter Brannigan and Conductors John Ryan, Cornelius Tierney, Thomas Noonan and Jacob Mullen.

Warrants are out for the arrest of five other conductors, and it is suspected that more are implicated, as the Pinkerton men have not completed their work. The operations of the emploves were unique and escaped detection for over a year.

England and Silver.

(Special Cable Dispatch to the New York Sun.)

London, Oct. 6.-The Daily News, reterring to the Government's impending reply to the American Bimetallic Commission, says it is confidently asserted in some city quarters that the Government will make concessions, including the holding of one-fifth of the Bank of England's note reserve in silver, raising the legal tender value of silver from £2 to £5, and reopening the Indian mints.

Correspondence on the latter question is actively progressing between the British and Indian Governments. Confidence is expressed that reservations will be made safeguarding the existing positions here and in the East.

Japan Appoints Delegates,

Washington, Oct. 6 .- The State Department has been informed that Shiro Fujita, acting Chief of the Bureau of Marine Products in the Japanese Department of Agriculture, and Prof. Kasichi Mitsukure, of the Department of Science in the Imperial University, have been appointed delegates by lapan to the conference to consider means for the protection of seal life. The Japanese delegates are expected to reach San Francisco on the fth.

Moved a Five-Story Tenement New York, Oct. 8.—A five-story brick benement bouse, weighing 1,700 tons, was moved a distance of thirty feet yesterday without so much as disturbing a single brick in the entire building. The cost of the removal was \$2,000.

VIRGINIA REPUBLICANS.

Patrick McCaull Nominated for Governor-Fair Election Demanded.

Richmond, Va., Oct. 6.-At the Republican State convention, in Lynchburg, yesterday, Jacob Yost, permanent chairman, said the Republicans in the State would compel an honest election law, and would be ready to put down fraud both in their own ranks and those of the Democrats. The committee passed resolutions reaffirming the alegiance of the Virginia Republicans to the national Republican party, and inforsed the St. Louis platform, and de-

manded fair State elections. The convention nominated Gov. Patrick McCaull, of Culpepper, formerly collector of internal revenue of the Western District of Virginia, and a defeated candidate for Congress from the Seventh District in 1896. The other names before the convention were Capt. Warren S. Lurty, of Harrisonburg, and Col. William Lamb, ex-State chairman. William F. Wickham, of Lanover, was nominated for State shairman. Both nominations were ac-

O. F. Roller, of Rockingham, was nominated for Lieutenant-Governor and James Lyons, of Richmond, for Attorney-General. The latter bolted the Democratic party and joined the Republicans when Bryan was nor.inated for President.

BANK OF SPAIN REVOLTS.

The Committee Refuses to Advance More Money on Cuban Account.

(Cable Dispatch to The New York Sun.) London, Oct. 6.—A dispatch from Madrid to the Central News says that serious difficulty has arisen between the Ministry and the Bank of Spain. Application was made to the bank for 50,000,000 pesetas on account of the

Cuban administration. The committee of the bank held a meeting to consider the application and virtually refused to advance the money. Thereupon Senor Salvador, the new governor of the bank, demanded that the committee resign.

Governor of the Bank of Spain.

Madrid, Oct. 6.-The new Cabinet has appointed Senor Amos Salvador, who was Minister of Finance in Sagasta's last Ministry, to be Governor of the Bank of Spain.

Unfinished Hotel Collapses.

Charleyoix, Mich., Oct. 6. - The Charlevoix Inn, now in course of construction here by the Charlevoix Improvement Company, collapsed late Tuesday afternoon in a gale of wind, burying fifty workmen in the ruins of the structure, 400 feet long. Work had progressed so far that workmen were oofing in the structure, while lathers and plasterers were at work on the first and second floors. 'The structure was the largest of any Summer resort in northern Michigan, and the collapse was caused by the strong wind and the nadequate support of the second story, he contractor having neglected to brace and finish the substructure be-'ore beginning on the roof. Fifty men were buried beneath the wreck.

Barrios and His Enemies.

San Francisco, Oct. 6.-Mariano Lopez, an exile from Guatemala, and one of the wealthiest men of that counry, on whose head a price has been set by Barrios, arrived in San Francisco vesterday from Paris. Lopez has been n communication with the insurgents since the capture of San Marcos. Last sight he received a cablegram from the insurgent camp, saying that a decisive pattle would begin turing the night. The forces of Morales are intrenched near Cochan and Tierra Blanca, within thirty leagues of the city of Guatemala. It was understood that Barrios was in Chiguimula, where another insurrection has begun.

The Salvation Captain Set Free.

Trenton, N. J., Oct. 6.-Half a dozen different persons called on Justice Jackson yesterday to pay the \$10 fine imposed on Capt. Herdman, of the Salvation Army, who was sent to the County Farm yesterday for obstructng the streets. The Rev. Messrs. Brooks, Boswell and Shaw paid the ine, and an order was issued for Capt. Herdman's release. The arrest has reated considerable adverse comment nere, and a movement is on foot to have tested the right of the police authorities to interfere with the Salvaionists when carrying on their services without blockading the street.

Killed by Escaping Gas.

Reading, Pa., Oct. 6.-A strong odor of gas in an upper corridor in the Hotel Penn attracted attention to one of the sedrooms yesterday afternoon. loor was forced and a dead man found n bed, undressed, with a full head of ras turned on. The man had registered is Alexander Levy, New York City. and had retired early on Monday evenng. Coroner Griesemer said that Levy was a salesman for Schleissner & Co., 193 Broadway, New York, dealers in araids and laces. He had \$10.32 in his pockets, no baggage or checks, but a sample book of laces and braids. The nan was about 35 years old, and it is probable lived on Oxford street, Phila-

Bichael Will Try the Record Again. New York, Oct. 6.-Jimmy Michael

as decided to make an attempt to reluce the world's records from one mile o one hour. Impressed with the speed jualifications of the Willow Grove rack, outside of Philadelphia, he has signed an agreement to make his secand trial on that track on Saturday, Oct. 9. Michael will have the best pacng crews available for his trial, and n the event of a successful ride is to eceive \$2,000. In recent rides Michael as easily reduced world's record figires, and it is expected that, with lavorable conditions, on Saturday he vill create new times for all distances

from one mile to one hour. Mine Explosion Kills Three Me

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Oct. 6.-A terrife explosion of gas occurred in No. 2 shaft of the Paris Coal Company's mine at Plymouth yesterday afternoon, by which three men lost their lives. They were Isaac Edmunds, aged 65 years; George Eddy, aged 22 years; Louis Richards, aged 32 years. A door in one of the passageways had been left open and gas in large quantities found its way to the place where the men were working. The lamps the men carried gnited the gas.

THE POPE'S HEALTH.

The Report Is False that He Is Sealously Ill-His Health Is Good.

(Cable Dispatch to the Sun.) Paris, Oct. 5.-A dispatch from Rome to the Depeche Coloniale says the Pope has been seriously ill for three days, and that his physicians fear his illness will terminate fatally.

London, Oct. 5 .- The Sun's correspondent in Rome telegraphs that the Pope is in excellent health. His Holiness takes daily walks in the Vatican gardens, and suspended them yesterday and to-day only because it was raining. Rome, Oct. 5.-Dr. Lapponi, the Pope's body physician, confirms the

statement cabled to the Sun that His Holiness is enjoying good health.

THE LOW TICKET COMPLETED. Ex-Secretary Fairchild Named for Comptroller.

New York, Oct. 5.-The Executive Committee of the Citizens' Union last night completed their city and county ticket. The nominations are as follows For Mayor-Seth Low, Republican, of Manhattan.

For President of the Council-John N. Schuman, Worth Republican, of Brooklyn.

For Comptroller-Charles S. Fairchild, Cleveland Democrat, of Manhat-For District Attorney-Austen G.

Fox, Cleveland Democrat. For County Clerk-Benjamin E. Hall, Republican. For Sheriff-Edward F. McSweeney,

Cleveland Democrat. For Register-Richard H. Adams, president of the Liederkranz. For Justices of Supreme Court-

Charles H. Van Brunt and George P. Andrews, Democrats, For Justices of the City Court-Joseph Fettrech, Republican; S. Stanwood

Menken. Democrat. For President of the Borough of Manhattan-Robert J. Hogues, Democrat.
A resolution was adopted indorsing Mayor Strong's administration.

CONNECTICUT'S ELECTION.

Eig Majority for the Educational Qualification of Voters.

Hartford, Ct., Oct. 5.—The election in this city yesterday was on the adoption of the constitutional amendment requiring electors to be able to read in the English language any article of the constitution or any section of the statutes of this State before being admitted. The voting here was very light and the amendment was approved by a practically unanimous vote-1,151 for and 51 against the measure. The voting all over the State is about in the

Elections were held for town officers in every town in the State excepting Hartford, New Haven and Bridgeport. Mayors and full city governments were voted for in New London, Waterbury, South Norwalk and Norwalk.

The results have no particular bear ing on the political situation. In Middletown much interest centred around the license question, which at last accounts had a majority of 700.

The Republicans elected nearly their entire ticket and they are also ahead in Meriden and New London. Some three hundred illegal ballots were cast in New Britain for the Republican school visitors, and the result will depend on their being accepted.

Filing Nominations at Albany.

Albany, Oct. 5 .- Yesterday was the last day for filing with the Secretary of State certificates of regular party nominations. Independent nominations may be filed up to and including Oct. 8. The official ballot this year will contain party columns for Democratic, Prohibition and Socialist Labor parties. The People's party seems to have abided by the decision of the Attorney-General that they were not entitled to a party column this year, as they cast less than ten thousand votes last Fall. The People's party has not filed any nomination for Judge of the Court of Appeals, as has been usual with them, and they will not be represented on the official ballot this year unless they nominate by petition. This is unlikely, owing to the great work necessary to secure the 6,000 names which are required before such a nomination can be recognized by the Secretary of State.

Protesting Against an Appointment.

Washington, Oct. 5.-Several protests have been filed at the War Department protesting against the appointment of the Rev. David H. Shields of Shippensburg, Pa., who was recently appointed to the post of Chaplain in the Army by President McKinley. The Rev. Mr. Shields is a Methodist minister, and received some very strong indorsements, among the signers of his application being nine of the twelve bishops of the Methodist Church. There are names also of some very prominent men throughout the country signed to his application.

It is said that the resignation of the chaplain has been called for, but inquiry both at the White House and War Department fail to elicit anything to bear out the statement.

Fourth-Class Postmasters Appointed. Washington, Oct. 5.-The following fourth-class postmasters were appoint-

ed yesterday:
New Jersey—Mountain View, Passaic
County, G. G. Jeffries.
New York—Angola, Erie County,
Charles N. Wood; Bliss, Wyoming
County, D. S. Merville; North Sparta, Livingston County, James M. Ashman.
Pennsylvania — Harveys, Greene
County, R. Lee Huffman; Jollytown,
Greene County, Albert E. Clovis; Paisley, Greene County, Mrs. M. M. Are-ford; Prescottville, Jefferson County, Mrs. Agnes Handyside.

Sagasta's New Cabinet. Madrid, Oct. 5.-Senor Sagasta has

succeded in his undertaking of forming a new Cabinet. Although the new Cabinet embraces respectable talent, it is less strong than it was expected it would be.

It is currently reported that the animosities and jealousies which are so conspicuous in Spanish politics thwarted Senor Sagasta's efforts, and that he was compelled to omit statesmen from his Cabinet who declined to share office and otherwise suited for chasing fili-busters. She has been out of commiswith others whom the premier was pledged to appoint. All, however, are sion since Spring. trusted friends of Senor Sagasta.

GEN. REEDER TO BE TRIED.

The Writs of Habeas Corpus Dismissed in the Wanamaker ase.

Easton, Pa., Oct. 5.-The cases of Gen. Frank Reeder, until recently Secretary of the Commonwealth; Assemblyman Weiss and M. c. Luckenbach, who are charged with conspiracy to defame the good name of John Wanamaker, of Philadelphia, by scheming to have a bribe offered to Weiss for a vote for Wanamaker for United States Senator, came before Judge Scott yesterday. It is alleged that a bribe was offered to Weiss last month, and an action in the matter is new pending against E. A. Van Valkenburg, one of Wanamaker's lieutenants. The District Attorney moved that the writs of habeas corpus be dismissed on the ground that the surrender of bail had been voluntary on the part of the defendants.

The counsel for the defence objected. W. C. Shipman, private counsel for the prosecution, said that his side was ready to proceed with the case. court said that the motion was in con-formity with the practice of the court, and unless the defendants could show good cause the motion of the District Attorney would be allowed.

ACCUSED OF BUYING DELEGATES. State Senator Miller, of Pennsylvania, and His Friend Arrested.

Reading, Pa., Oct. 5.—Democratic State Senator W. Oscar Miller has been arrested, charged with assisting in buying up a bunch of delegates at the last Democratic county convention. The sworn allegations made before Alderman Brownwell-is-that Senator Miller, who was taking a hand in fixing up a slate for the county offices, bargained for a lot of votes in the convention to nominate a candidate for Recorder of Deeds. The alleged stipulation was \$1,000 spot cash, or a clerkship in the Recorder's office. The delegates are said to have delivered, and Senator Miller's friend. Daniel W. Reeser, nominated. The alleged bargain was not carried out on the Senator's part, and hence the suit on the part of the person who says he delivered the men. A similar suit was begun against Reeser. Senator Miller says the charge is ab solutely untrue, and that it is simply

CORNELL FRESHMAN MISSING. Mysterious Disappearance from Ithaca of a Brooklyn Boy.

an attempt at blackmail or intimida-

tion. Each accused man gave bail of

Ithaca, Oct. 5.-Frank Powers Parkinson, of Seventy-eighth street, Bay Ridge, Brooklyn, a graduate of Boys' High School and a freshman in Cornell University, on Sunday morning mysteriously disappeared from his temporary residence in Ithaca, 192 East State street, without giving his friends any knowledge whatever as to his intentions. He ate breakfast as usual at his boarding-house, 23 Heustis street, returned to his room, and his roommate, A. L. Wessels, being absent. packed his valise and departed, to go no one knows where. On Sunday night his immediate friends in Ithaca, S. H. Benton, W. E. Phelps, A. L. Wessels and R. L. Haskell, made a search for him, but without success. A telegram has been sent to his home in Brooklyn in order that his parents might be informed of the facts and a more careful search made. At the time of his disappearance he wore a light gray suit of clothes, a light brown overcoat, a dark brown Derby, eye-glasses and brown shoes.

IN THE BASE BALL FIELD. Boston Wins the First Game in the

Temple Cup Series. Boston, Oct. 5.-The old champions went down in defeat before the new vesterday in the first game of the Temple Cup series. The game was loosely played, a curious medley of hits and errors with an occasional brilliant bit of fielding by way of spice. Neither team played in anything like championship form.

The real feature was the crowd, which overran the field, and made necessary a ground rule that a ball hit into the crowd should be good for two bases only.

Nichols and Nops were pitted against each other, and, so far as base hits went, Nops had the better of the argument. Nops, however, was wild as a hawk, and of the seven Bostons he sent to first on balls no less than five scored. This was the deciding factor in Boston's victory, for not an Oriole got to first without hitting the ball. The score was as follows: Boston3 0 0 1 2 5 0 2 x-13 Baltimore ...4 0 1 0 9 3 2 0 0-12

MRS. BALDWIN LOSES \$25,000.

She Was the Bride Who Was Paid \$45,000 by the New York Central.

Troy, Oct. 5 .- Mrs. Homer Baldwin. formerly of Troy but now of Brooklyn, alleges that she has been defrauded of nearly \$25,000 by a supposed friend, who led her to invest the money in Jefferson iron stock, which proved worthless. Mrs. Baldwin, while on her bridal tour a few years ago, was badly injured in a railroad wreck, and was otherwise frightfully disfigured. She recovered \$45,000 from the New York Central Railroad Company, and she advanced the money to the supposed friend with the belief that she would have a fixed income. Mrs. Baldwin intends to bring action against her false friend, who is said to be one of the best-known business men in Eastern Pennsylvania.

Explosion of Acetylene Gas.

Rochester, Oct. 5 .- While experimenting with acetylene gas in his machine shop in this city yesterday Valentine Long, his brother Frank Long and Jacob Fassett, an employe, were injured by an explosion of the tank used in making the experiment. Valenting Long's skull is fractured over his right eye, he lost the sight of both his eyes and it is said at the City Hospital that he will probably die. The other two men are not seriously injured.

The Vesuvius to Chase Filibusters. Washington, Oct. 5 .- Orders were issued by Secretary Long yesterday assigning the dynamite cruiser Vesuvius, now at Boston, to duty with the filibustering patrol off the Florida coast. She will relieve the gunboat Nashville. which will come worth for her officia trip. The Vesuvius is a swift vessel

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