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THE WEATHER: For New Jersey: Fair, Decidedly Warmer Tomorrow; Southerly Winds.

Republican Criticism of Republican City Clerk.

The increase in the printing, stationery and advertising account is easily accounted for. The City Clerk of last year was allowed to load the city with printed matter without any restraint.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

A song service will be held in the W. O. T. U. rooms tonight.

Bailey's big new furniture van attracted much attention on the streets today.

U. B. Crane, the latter, 120 West Front street, has cut the price of winter goods.

Lieutenant Banker, of Yonkers, will succeed Lieutenant Horsley of the 10th Cavalry.

The last meeting of Easter Lodge, No. 3542, K. of H., before consolidation with Wetumpka Lodge, will be held Monday evening.

The Village Post-Office will be given by the Workmen's Club of the Church of the Heavenly Host, in the Parish house, Jan. 22.

Frank Foster carries a bandage over his left eye, the result of a "banting" blow given accidentally by Clayton Ackerman in a game last Tuesday on Wilson's pond.

Beginning Monday, Crescent Wheelmen members will have full privileges of the Board of Trade headquarters, as regards strolling wheels and playing games.

The members of the Fraternal Circle, which went under two years ago, have received a percentage of their claims. Most of them expected more than they got.

J. A. Karet, manager of the International Fur Store, has received from J. G. Pope & Co. \$65.35 in settlement for the recent damage to his stock. He expresses himself as thoroughly satisfied with the quick and liberal adjustment.

Travel over the Newark by bridge will be suspended all day tomorrow from 7 a. m. until 6 p. m., in order to allow repairs to be made to the draw. Trains to and from New York will run by way of Newark with little or no inconvenience to passengers.

Most stores open visits in January have a deserted sort of a Rip Van Winkle appearance. Not so with White's. It makes no difference what time you drop in there, all is life and activity. The salespeople are always busy selling goods and showing up the many good bargains that this house has the reputation of offering.

Madame Iza Lecom's reception took place last night and was largely attended. She has in a very short time built up a reputation as a first-class teacher of society and fancy dancing, and judging by the attendance made a success of her teaching. The society dances are all the latest, and were gracefully executed by the pupils, and the fancy dancing of the children was all that could be desired, and gave evidence of Madame's patient training. Madame certainly ranks foremost among dancing teachers.

New remedies are being constantly introduced to the public, but Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup still maintains its pre-eminence.

Two Departments Clash. At the Central Hotel fire last night Fireman George Z-12 and Policeman Conroy were engaged in an altercation. Both men lost their tempers, and Conroy threw Z-12 into the gutter. He then took the fireman to the lockup and put him into a cell. Chief Doane sent for Councilmen Frank and Erickson, and after a discussion at the station-house Conroy said he had no charge to prefer, and Z-12 was released. It is claimed Z-12 had been drinking. The Police Board will probably investigate the charge against Conroy of interfering with a fireman in the discharge of his duty.

1000 bottles of Dr. Whitford's Bronchial Syrup have been sold in this section. A letter from Dr. W. H. H. says: "I have used your Bronchial Syrup for the best cough remedy on the market. I have been in the drug business twenty years and can say that I have never sold a remedy that gives such universal relief." Sold by L. W. Randolph. Price 25 cents.

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HACKMEN HELPED HER.

She Was Engaged to Work in Plainfield, But the Employer that She Worked for Did Not Come Back.

A most pathetic scene was witnessed at the North Avenue railroad station, last evening, when hackman John Kelly passed around his hat and collected 50 cents to buy a single ticket to New York for an unfortunate woman who alleges she was duped to this place to work as a domestic. According to the woman's story she is the wife of Thomas Mott; her name is Beale Mott; they had lived with a man of means in Bellport, Long Island, until recently, when because of the hard times the proprietor of the place was forced to part with his trotting horse, house and everything else, and Mr. and Mrs. Mott moved to New York, living in 109th street. The husband tried hard to get work, but was unsuccessful, and his wife was forced to do household work. She went to Horan's Intelligence office on Sixth avenue, near Twenty-sixth street, and there met, she said, a Mrs. Frazer, of Plainfield. The woman was engaged at the rate of \$18 a month; her car fare, ferrage and three checks were given to the proprietor; the checks were for food, but they were not used. Mrs. Mott arrived here on the 1.59 train yesterday with a large parcel of dry goods. She was met at the station by a well-dressed woman who said, according to Mrs. Mott's story, "Wait a little while, I've some more shopping to do, then I'll take you home."

The woman, who had evidently been duped, waited around the station all the afternoon, and seemed thankful with the pure was made up and her ticket purchased for New York.

One of those most interested was Miss C. E. White, of 24 Elm place. Miss White consoled the unfortunate woman and was instrumental in sending her on her way in better spirits.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

William C. Ayres is confined to his home by the grip.

Andrew E. Kenney left for the South again last night.

Spencer Crane, formerly of Plainfield, and now of Brooklyn, is visiting in town.

The wife of ex-Postmaster Wallace Vall is very ill with the grip at her home in Evans.

John Dowley, of Newport, is spending the winter with his daughter, Mrs. John W. Murray, Jr.

Miss Mabel Sandford, of New York, is the guest of Miss Marie Dryden, of West Seventh street.

Mrs. H. P. Dinus, mother of Miss A. E. Lincoln, of Plainfield, is very ill at her home on Central avenue.

A social will be held at the home of J. M. Titworth by the Christian Endeavor Society of the Seventh-Day Baptist church next Tuesday evening.

F. S. Moore and bride returned from their wedding trip to Washington early this morning, and now occupy their new home in the Love Building, West Front street.

Mr. and Mrs. John Britton have the condolences of friends in the loss of their seven-year-old daughter, Beesie. The funeral was from the residence of the afflicted parents, 244 East Fourth street, this afternoon at 2.

Madame Iza Lecom had the misfortune to fall and fracture an arm in two places, yesterday afternoon. Dr. Davis dressed the injury. In spite of the pain, the plucky Madame attended her reception last night, and her classes will continue as usual.

The funeral of Mrs. Caroline Lunge, who died Thursday aged 76, will take place tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Wm. W. Elston, 420 West Second street. The interment, Monday, will be in New Germantown.

Funeral services were held at the late residence of Charles I. Ames, 131 Crescent avenue, yesterday afternoon. Many were present from New York. There were many handsome floral offerings. Dean Rodman read the Episcopal service in the house and in the Hillside Cemetery.

An informal home wedding took place at the home of the bride's mother, 64 Washington avenue, this morning, when Miss Laura Sandford was married to Fred Lemont Mott, of New York. Rev. Hobart Clark officiated. The bride and groom leave this evening for Washington.

The Rev. Dr. Harbut and wife will be the guests of Dr. H. K. Carroll, of West Front street, February 18. Dr. Harbut will return to Plainfield at this time to deliver an address on the occasion of the first anniversary of the Grace M. E. Sunday-school. He will also occupy the pulpit morning and evening of that day.

Extending the Week of Prayer. The meetings during the present week, in the Methodist church, have been full of interest. In compliance with the wish of many, they will be continued next week. Meetings will be held in Vincent chapel every evening except Monday and Saturday, at 8. A general invitation is extended.

The week of prayer services in the churches of Plainfield have been largely attended and besides being spiritually refreshing to the Christian people, the unconverted are attending in large numbers and many have given evidence that they are nearing the kingdom of God. Such is the result at least in Trinity Reformed church, and the meetings will be continued in the church every night next week, excepting Saturday, to which every one is cordially invited.

REUMATISM CURED IN A DAY. "Myetic Cure" for rheumatism and neuralgia, radically cures in 24 hours. Is action speed the system is remarkable and mysterious. It removes at once the cause and the disease immediately disappears. The first dose greatly benefits. Sold by H. P. Reynolds, druggist, Plainfield. 12 1/2

Read and Reflect. The great mass of mankind lose their health through inattention to catarrh of the head and throat. This insidious disease was considered incurable until the discovery of the American Catarrh Cure. For sale by L. W. Randolph, 21 West Front street. Price \$1.00.

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THE CRACKER BARREL CLUB.

This and Other Borough Matters Talked of by the Stroller.

SPENCER'S GROCERY, Jan. 13. A freholder is to be elected at the spring town meeting.

August Trust expects to occupy the residence on the corner of Mountain avenue and Somerset street presently.

Many of the young people of upper Somerset street can be seen on the ice on Demler's and Wilson's ponds nowadays.

Benner & Young, the leading lathers of this section of the State, are pressed with business.

Ira G. Hurlbut and Horatio M. Clark are pushing the new residence that they are erecting on Fairview avenue rapidly along.

The borough Council should order Brook avenue widened. Down opposite the Presbyterian cemetery there is no sidewalk at all.

Jed Smalley and Lyman Spencer are contemplating a trip to the California Mid-Winter Fair. Perhaps it's only visionary. It's a long walk.

Ex-Councilman Sebring has, or did have, a black and white shepherd dog that has a fondness for losing himself. He's about so high and his name was Mino. Bring him home and his master will treat you to elder-vinegar.

Adolph Singer, clerk at the Crescent Hotel, and Cornelius Taylor, of Taylor's Dunellen Waydale Inn, are selling many tickets for an entertainment for the benefit of Henry Widemeyer, who is crippled with rheumatism and unable to work.

Stick a pin right here. It didn't cost the taxpayers one sou for the grading of upper Grove street. All credit to the business Mayor, William L. Saunders, whose reign of government has been the best the borough ever had. Anything he undertakes he accomplishes. The borough has advanced more under his administration than all previous ones combined.

Miss Beatrice Emmons, of Prospect place was tendered a surprise party by a large number of friends, Thursday evening, at the residence of her parents. A very enjoyable evening was spent in their dancing was indulged in until an early hour in the morning. Among those present were the Misses Mand and Edna French, Edith Hulbert, Lillian Schoonmaker, Mabel Ladd, Nellie Schutt, Lillian Glenn, Grace Emmons, Stella Feytel, Florence Duck, Ada Woolston and Emma Vetterlein. Also the Messrs. Cornwall, Green, Titworth, Bunyon, Brower, Schutt, Moore, VanDeventer, Smith, Feytel and Crane. Music was furnished by Miss Buckley.

Cousin and discousin'. Every cheese-board and barrel head was occupied. The cracker barrel was broken by the weight of a painter mad the night before and the "fluvia of new-mown hay and timothy seed reminded one of boyhood days when corn silk and butter's paper made a decidedly good Mount Bechet cigarette. Clouds of smoke obscured every member of the Cracker Barrel Club's optics so that the brass buttons on Zack Wilson's and Jim Lince's coats looked like the stars in the heavens. The meeting was called to celebrate the escape of a member of the club from the Sandwich Islands, who was strangled there by a former member of the Plainfield Common Council several years ago. Politics! Bah!

In a solemn and humped manner the president announced the subjects to be discussed during the evening, and among them were: "Why do some members of the Reform Club carry crows' feet?" "What you must do to become a borough councilman," and "Skylight corraljule." White label soup was served in the coal scuttle and celluloid pumpkin pie fooled many members, while the vinegar in the rum barrel "worked" its own self. Of course, I must confess that my recollection is a bit weak as to the doings of the club this evening for 'twas my first visit and I was initiated! Oh, my! Why were I born! Of all idiotic and unhuman individuals these uncultured and uncouth savages take the space out a doughnut.

The novitate for the honors of this infamous club is required to answer several interrogatories touching his faith in mankind. Solenn sounds on the wall of the wind, wait from the avill of Sharkey's blacksmith shop; departing time drags slowly and the vital spark of life never appeared more frail—except when John Staine caught me in a hickory nut tree. Intellectual light is forced into the mind in this club with an axe, and their survey of nature is of the chicken coop variety. Numberless emblems are worn to imprint on the mind the value of seeing in the dark. The great C. B. C. is now in session and the gospel members have all brought their knittin'. I never saw such an assemblage nor heard so much noise. "Blest is the sacred tie that binds" is sung and the lights are put out. When the tolls of life are ended and the asp from the maple trees ceases to flow the members of this club will learn why it costs so much for a vote in the spring as it does in the fall. Shades of departed citizens who built the old school-house down at the end of Mud lane! First class in geography stand up! Counter march, by file left. Mark time! Form a triangle! The Wilson file is fast making calamity howlers and prophets of evil of many of the members, and the wind around at the electric light station has spirited the current to the Dunellen dynamo while the janitor for the third time is sweeping out the stage around at Hoff's ready to start for Morristown and I guess I'll go along up and see my old friend ex-Senator Moses K. Everett, the manager. The club's busted and so am I. Drive along to the promised land.

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Several Failure of Fifteen Physicians—Serious Surgical Operation Suggested. For four years I have suffered from a complication of diseases which physicians said were dyspepsia, liver and kidney complaint, nervous prostration and womb disease. No words of mine can describe the terrible pain and distress I have experienced—the dizziness, trembling fears of evil, chills, fever, melancholy, restlessness and numerous other dreadful sensations which I am unable to describe. Have been treated by several physicians, some of whom were sure they could cure me within two or three months, and all of whom have had from two months to three, four or more, as they said, to be needed. One I tried for a whole year until last May I found myself disappointed, discouraged and about ready to give up altogether, as, after treatment which I had cured for years, but what I would be obliged to undergo a surgical operation before I could commence to get better. Just at this time I was advised by friends to consult Dr. Starkweather of No. 105 Halsey street Newark, as they knew of some very remarkable cures which he had performed. I followed their advice and visited the doctor on May 5. How glad I am that I took this step no one can realize who has not been similarly situated. The doctor gave me a complete history of my case, describing with surprising accuracy the conditions and symptoms which I had endured for years, but what gave me the greatest surprise and pleasure was when he assured me that there was no need of any surgical operation. Proper means, he said, would overcome my troubles without any surgery. I commenced at once to follow Dr. Starkweather's directions and treatment. Having gradually and steadily improved since that time, as he stated, I would, with me, am the wonder of all my friends, while rejoicing in renewed health, strength and spirits. Am constrained by a sense of duty and gratitude to accord the praise due Dr. Starkweather, for his skill and skillful treatment of my case, and advise all sufferers from whatever cause to consult this eminent physician. MRS. WM. R. MANISER, Smith street, Irvington, N. J.

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WILLIS MAY RETURN Believed That He Will Ask for Leave of Absence.

And That Probably He Will Decline to Go Back to Honolulu—His Private Business Pressing—Instructed to Stop All Efforts at Restoration.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15.—The mail that left here Saturday night carried several bulky packages addressed to Minister Willis and which will be forwarded to him by the steamer Australia, which leaves for Honolulu next Saturday. Included in the dispatches is a communication from the treasury department upon a matter in which Mr. Willis is much interested. When he left here he was attorney for the city of Louisville in a \$40,000 claim before the treasury department. First Comptroller Bowler has allowed \$18,000 of this, and Mr. Willis hearing of it, went word to hold up the matter until he could be heard. A package containing Mr. Bowler's decision, 15,000 words, with letters on the subject, was sent him.

His instructions regarding the Hawaii matter, it is believed, is to do nothing further for the present. It is also believed that Mr. Willis will ask for leave of absence and that it will be granted. It is also believed by several prominent persons here that should he return he will soon tender his resignation. Mr. Willis' private business is very extensive and he can hardly afford to neglect it for the unpleasant mission he is now holding.

STILL A SAVAGE. Liliuokalani Demanded the Heads of the Insurgent Leaders

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15.—While press telegrams have given an accurate idea of the condition of affairs in Hawaii, the reports of Minister Willis, by the Queen and submitted by President Cleveland to congress on Saturday, contain interesting details of conferences with Queen Liliuokalani and her government. In the interview with the queen in which general amnesty was insisted upon as a condition of her restoration to the throne, Mr. Willis said, the president expects and believes that when reinstated you will show forgiveness and magnanimity; that you will wish to be the queen of all the people, both native and foreign born, and that you will make haste to secure their love and loyalty and to establish peace, friendship and good government.

To this the queen made no reply. After waiting a moment Mr. Willis continued: "The president not only tenders you his sympathy, but wishes to help you. Before fully making known to you the purpose I desire to know whether you are willing to answer certain questions which it is my duty to ask?" She answered: "I am willing."

Mr. Willis then asked her: "Should you be restored to the throne would you grant full amnesty as to life and property to all those who have been loyal to you who are now in the provisional government, or who have been instrumental in the overthrow of your government?" She hesitated a moment and then slowly said: "I have said to you that I am certain laws of my government by which I shall abide. My decisions would be as the law directs, that such persons should be restored to their property confiscated to the government."

Mr. Willis then said, repeating distinctly her words: "It is your feeling that these people should be beheaded and their property confiscated?" She replied: "It is."

Mr. Willis then said to her: "Do you fully understand the meaning of every word which I have said to you and which you have said to me, and if so, do you still have the same opinion?" Her answer was: "I have an interest in the United States, but I will not leave the decision of this to my ministers."

To this Mr. Willis replied: "Suppose it was necessary to make a decision before you appointed any ministers, and that you were asked to issue a royal proclamation of general amnesty, would you do it?" She answered: "I have no legal right to do that and I would not do it."

Pausing a moment he continued: "These people were the cause of the revolution and constitution of 1887. There will never be any peace while they are here. They must be sent out of the country or punished and their property confiscated."

Mr. Willis offered the queen protection if she had any fears as to her personal safety, which offer she declined. Mr. Willis describes at some length the condition of affairs in Hawaii, and adds: "I feel satisfied that there will be a concerted movement in the event of restoration for the overthrow of the constitution. This would mean the overthrow of constitutional and limited government and the absolute domination of the queen. The law referred to in his report is Chapter VII, Sec. 9 of the penal code, as follows: 'Whoever shall commit the crime of treason shall suffer the punishment of death; and all his property shall be confiscated to the government.' There are under this law, no degrees of treason. Plotting alone carries with it the death sentence."

Mr. Willis relates how he subsequently obtained the queen's written consent to general amnesty and describes his interview with President Dole of the provisional government, which has been reported in these despatches. Mr. Willis includes in his report the reply of President Dole declining his request for abdication, an accurate synopsis of which has already been published.

Floods in the Northwest. TACOMA, Wash., Jan. 15.—Heavy rain storms of Friday night and Saturday have filled every river between Cascade mountains and Pacific coast from British Columbia to the California line. Bank full. Several, including Chehalis river, are overflowing.

Fighters Still on Top. JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Jan. 15.—There are absolutely no developments in regard to the proposed prize fight. The club people are talking as confidently as ever.

Cut in Wages. DETROIT, Mich., Jan. 15.—The Journal says that the Michigan Central railroad is to cut the wages of all its employees on its lines 10 per cent.

Too Dead for Any Use. MILWAUKEE, Wis., Jan. 15.—The effort to reorganize the Plankinton bank is said to have failed.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

Royal Baking Powder ABSOLUTELY PURE

MELO ON THE REPUBLICAN.

He Leaves His Flagship, the Aquidaban, on Account of Illness. NEW YORK, Jan. 15.—A Montevideo cable says: A correspondent in Rio Janeiro sends word that Governor Castilho of the province of Rio Grande do Sul, has telegraphed to President Peixoto from Porto Alegre that a sergeant who had escaped from Gen. Iodoro's forces, who are now held captive by the federalists, had reached Porto Alegre.

The escaped prisoner reports that the body of revolters besieging Bago is only 500 strong; that they are encamped without the city and are afraid to make an assault upon it for fear of the small, but loyal garrison.

The rebel launches in Rio harbor contain their daily rations along the water front and by their fire kill many, while shells have dropped in various parts of the city during the last two or three days.

Important events are expected this week in the bay. The re-entry of the Aquidaban is considered less important than it was, since it has been discovered that Admiral Mello is not on board of her. He is on the Republica now, ill, as was reported.

Captain Lara commands the Aquidaban now. Bismarck's Condition Critical. BERLIN, Jan. 15.—Prince Bismarck's condition is said to be more critical than the public is allowed to know.



Court Ball at Vienna. VIENNA, Jan. 15.—A ball was given at the Hofburg, Saturday evening. At the diplomatic receptions preceding it, Barthelemy Trip, the United States minister, presented Lawrence Townsend, secretary of the American embassy, to the emperor, after having been presented to the empress, Mrs. Alice Flanagan. All of them, after having been presented to the emperor, were introduced to archduchess Maria Theresa, who, in the absence of the empress, was the hostess. The archduchess subsequently invited the wives of the American and English representatives to the tea room.

The Failed Meadville Bank. MEADVILLE, Pa., Jan. 15.—A statement has been issued by President Cyrus Kitchen, of the Meadville Savings bank, which closed its doors Saturday, in which the cause of the suspension is charged to the financial stringency and difficulty in making collections. Deposits have been \$1,000 daily for some time. The bank claims to be able to pay all claims if it is granted sufficient time. A receiver is to be asked for to-day.

Denver Legislature. DENVER, Jan. 15.—The first bill was introduced at 7 o'clock Saturday night in the house and a prolonged extra session is now believed to be inevitable. The session will be prolonged indefinitely.

Peasants Near Starvation. VIENNA, Jan. 15.—Dispatches from towns in Saxon country, Hungary, say that thousands of peasants there are on the verge of starvation.

Donjan's Father in Washington. WASHINGTON, Jan. 15.—The father of Donjan, the New Jersey crank, who is now under arrest for writing threatening letters to several high officials, has arrived in Washington. He is an old man in bad health and is endeavoring to reach Florida where he has relatives. He called at police headquarters and asked the authorities to assist him to reach his destination.

Mormon Missionaries. NEW YORK, Jan. 15.—Nine Mormon missionaries, headed by elder G. F. Wright, sailed on the Servia to make a tour of the United States, visiting Denmark, and Holland, the principal recruiting grounds of the church of the Latter Day Saints. The party will be gone a year and expect to send large delegations of converts to the church in Utah.

Million Pounds of Tea Lost. SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 15.—The City of Peking brings news that the British bark Clan Grant, 2,868 tons, from Amoy, bound for New York, with a million pounds of tea, valued at \$750,000 was totally lost in the Java sea. The captain, crew, and passengers were rescued and landed in Singapore. The ship and cargo were fully insured.

Working for Prendergast. CHICAGO, Jan. 15.—Attorney R. S. Wade, leading counsel for Patrick Eugene Prendergast during the latter's recent trial for the murder of Mayor Harrison, had a consultation with Judge Hendon in reference to fixing the date when a motion for a new trial should be argued. No definite understanding was arrived at.

New Shells for the Yale Crew. NEW HAVEN, Conn., Jan. 15.—Two paper shells have been ordered for the Yale crew by Manager McMillan. They are exactly the same pattern as the year's boats and will be ready for the Yale crewmen about the middle of next April, when the men usually begin active work in the harbor.

A Boston Doctor in Trouble. BOSTON, Jan. 15.—Dr. John F. Canning, alias J. A. Bailey, is under arrest charged with causing the death of Mrs. Mary Ann Wright, of Newton, by performing a criminal operation on her. The woman died yesterday.

James A. Garfield. "If the power to do hard work is not talent, it is the best substitute for it." If you are not talented, don't fret, you can obtain power by eating

H-O Hornby's Oatmeal. It is easily assimilated and delicious to eat. It is highly recommended for invalids, children, and the aged.

Argentine's Corn Crop Halted. BUENOS AIRES, Jan. 15.—The corn crop in Argentina has been almost ruined by a drought.

NEW YORK LEGISLATURE.

New Members Rushing in Bills for Consideration. ALBANY, Jan. 15.—This week in the legislature will be devoted mainly to arranging plans of legislation by the leaders and the introduction of bills. Some committee hearings, however, on a few important bills will be held, but it is not likely they will be anything but preliminary. The number of bills introduced last week—exceeding two hundred in both houses—greatly exceeds by many the number which were ready for committee action at such an early stage during any previous session. Indeed, it looks as though the members, on account of many of them being new, have the impression that they should follow out the suggestions contained in the opening addresses of President pro tempore Saxton and Speaker Malby in their respective houses, in which they advised the members to introduce all important legislation early in the session, lest the end of the session may be given it and a short session assured. The senate has not yet adopted any rule of procedure.

MOODY AND SANKY. Preparations for a Series of Meetings in Washington. WASHINGTON, Jan. 15.—The protestant churches of this city are busily engaged in preparations for a series of meetings to be held under the leadership and direction of Mr. Dwight L. Moody, the well-known evangelist, assisted by Mr. Stanley, beginning on the 7th February and continuing one month. Much interest is felt in the work, and many prominent officials are lending their aid.

Fatally Assaulted by Thieves. ELIZABETH, N. J., Jan. 15.—Gustav Korn, a jeweler, of 29 Broad street, was nearly killed by thieves Saturday night. Just as he was closing his store, two men entered and asked to see a clock. While Korn was leaning over the counter one hit him three blows on the head with a piece of lead pipe. Korn fell senseless, and his assailants dragged him into a rear room, where they relieved him of a diamond ring, a watch and money. The safe was open and the thieves secured considerable jewelry. When Korn regained consciousness he called for help, but the police could find no trace of his assailants. Korn is perhaps fatally injured. He is in a semi-conscious condition and cannot describe his assailants.

Convicts Converted. TRENTON, N. J., Jan. 15.—Forty convicts, 30 men and 10 women, were converted at the state prison yesterday. Bishop O'Farrell, vice-general of the diocese, and his assistant, presided at the ceremonies, which were held in the chapel in the east wing of the main building. Over 400 convicts were present and acted as a choir throughout the services. The converts were no striped garments at all. The men had on white shirts and black trousers. The women were clad in black.

Hendricks Murder Sensation. LYNNBURG, Va., Jan. 15.—The Hendricks murder sensation has assumed a new phase by the arrest of Mrs. Cora V. Hendricks, the pretty young wife of the late Governor Hendricks, who was shot by R. White, and John H. McMaters, at whose house, near Hickock, Va., the tragedy occurred. Mrs. Hendricks first met her husband last October. It is said convincing evidence has been forthcoming at the accused parties will be forthcoming at the preliminary investigation.

Four Bodies Recovered. LAUREL HILL, E. L., Jan. 15.—The bodies of John Cook, of 278 India street, and August Blum, of 129 Howe street, Brooklyn, who went down in the collapse of the temporary draw bridge across the Newton creek at Twenty bridge, Friday evening of last week, have been recovered by dredges. This makes four bodies in all so far recovered. Five men are still unaccounted for and are supposed to be at the bottom of the creek.

Boys Arrested for Hooligan. UTICA, N. Y., Jan. 15.—Two boys named respectively Lee and Van Veinert, each the number of age six, of respectable parents, were arrested in Oneida at 10 o'clock last night for committing various robberies. Mrs. Treat of West street found the boys in her room and they went home from prayer meeting. stolen property was found on their persons.

Schooner Going to Pieces. NANTUCKET, Mass., Jan. 15.—Schooner Minnie C. Taylor, before reported as sailing on this island, is nearly all broken up. Her spars, rigging and sails have been stripped from her, by the gang of wreckers. The crew of 200 barrels of her cargo of turpentine oil have been saved. Her deckload of 500 barrels was washed away before she struck.

Preparing for War. NEW YORK, Jan. 15.—A special from Guatemala says arms have been secretly sent to Vasquez in Holuptera, despite the declaration of the government that they were intended for the Guatemalan army on the frontier, which is being strongly reinforced. It is believed that Guatemala and Salvador will be at war within a week.

Died by King Humbert. ROME, Jan. 15.—King Humbert gave a dinner last evening to the diplomatic corps. William Potter, the retiring United States minister, sat between Vice Admiral Morin, naval minister, and the Marchesa Villamarina, one of the royal ladies of honor.

\$80,000 for the Big Fight. HOT SPRINGS, S. D., Jan. 15.—Frank Crabb, president of the Athletic club of this city, offers \$80,000 for the Corbett-Mitchell fight and he is now working to bring the contestants here.

Col. Alexander Horton Dead. SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Jan. 15.—Col. Alexander Horton, the Texas patriot, is dead at his home two miles from here. He was first aide to Gen. Sam Houston.

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A GREAT EDIFICE GONE CAUGHT IN A TYPHOON

The Noted Mosque of Damascus Burned. One of the Most Famous Structures in Europe—Said to Have Contained the Head of John the Baptist—Particulars of the Fire Not Given.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15.—Private letters received here from American travelers in Asia, whose names formerly stood very prominently in official and domestic circles in Washington, make mention of the curious fact that the Turkish authorities seem to have suppressed all extended mention of the destruction of one of the most noted edifices in Europe—the great mosque of Damascus, though that event occurred many weeks ago. No particulars have been given, though the destruction of property in connection with the burning of the mosque, must have been great. The fire removed one of the most noted buildings in the world, whose site is in centre of associations extending back into the mists of antiquity, which was one of the principal points of interest in a city full of historical attractions.

The great mosque stood near the castle, occupying a quadrangle 300 yards long by 108 wide. Along the north side was an open court surrounded by cloisters resting on pillars of granite, marble and limestone. The mosque itself extended along the whole southern side, and its interior dimensions were 481 by 123 feet. In the center was a dome rising on four massive pillars of granite, marble and limestone, which the head of John the Baptist, was said to be preserved in a golden casket. The mosque had three minarets, one of which was of great height, and according to Moslem traditions, Jesus was to have descended on the day of judgment.

Round the mosque were traces of a court 1,100 feet long by 80 feet wide, surrounded by colonnades similar to those of the temple of Herod, in Jerusalem, and the temple of the Sun at Palmyra. Authorities have thought it highly probable that this was the site of the temple of Rimmon, mentioned in Second Kings, v, 18, and that it became in attaining the site of the worship of Jupiter. In the 15th century it was converted into a church and dedicated to John the Baptist, and in the beginning of the eighteenth century it was seized by the followers of Mahomet.

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Mortally Wounded the Groom. BROOKLYN, N. Y., Jan. 15.—Andrew Satana, a Greek, employed as a caretaker of the city hall, was mortally wounded last night by Mrs. Marie de Sante, a widow who keeps a boarding house on Main street. As the bridal couple and friends were about to leave the bride's home, she opened fire on the groom with a revolver. Satana was mortally wounded.

Frozen on Her Brother's Grave. MALDEN, Mass., Jan. 15.—Catherine Donahue, aged 37 years, of Medford, was found yesterday lying on the grave of her brother, James Donahue, in St. Mary's cemetery, this place. She was unconscious and empty whiskey bottle was beside her. She was removed to the police station and placed in the morgue. Her below the knees, both arms below her elbows, her face and ears were frozen. The doctors say she cannot live.

Lehigh to Restore Wages. BUFFALO, Jan. 15.—Word has been received here that the Lehigh Valley railroad company has refused to restore the scale which was in force previous to the recent strike. It is said that the restoration is the purpose of a consultation between President Wilbur and the grievance committee of the federation of railway employees.

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That He Was a Man of Extraordinary Value in All the Higher Walks of Life, These Testimonials Prove Coming from the People He Found Himself Endowed with Talents Which He Fostered and Multiplied.

Over seven hundred people gathered in the new Seventh-Day Baptist church Saturday evening to show the honor and respect with which they regard the memory of the late George H. Babcock.

The Rev. L. A. Livermore, editor of the Sabbath Recorder, read from the Bible in opening the services. Prayer by the Rev. O. U. Whitford followed.

The pastor, the Rev. A. H. Lewis, in a few words of explanation said that when he had begun to prepare a programme he found that it would necessarily have to be a lengthy one as there was so much worthy of note in the life of the man in whose memory the people had assembled.

He gave a brief sketch of Mr. Babcock's life and spoke of the fact that all of the higher tendencies of his intellect had been fostered during childhood and by his early association. He went especially upon Mr. Babcock's faculty of acquiring new knowledge all through his life, illustrating this by the fact that he took up the study of French successfully at the age of fifty-eight.

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A letter from O. S. Teale, President of the Plainfield Camera Club, of which Mr. Babcock was vice-president, was read. Mr. Teale spoke of the artistic element in his nature which showed itself throughout Mr. Babcock's career. His last patented invention was in relation to photographic apparatus; almost his last work was the preparation of several lantern slides which are now circulating in the interchange series with which the club is connected.

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Coming as he did from the people, he could appreciate the importance of education. It was a cause for rejoicing that Christian civilization brings forth men like him. If any man's example was worthy of being followed, surely Mr. Babcock's was.

Representing the Trustees of Alfred University, the Rev. Mr. Livermore said that they were honored by the invitation to be present at the services in memory of him whom they had elected to the presidency of the board. Thirteen years ago he was unknown there. The institution was then struggling along, and the trustees were despairing of keeping it in existence. In the summer of 1881 Mr. Babcock's attention was called to the history and condition of the University. He placed \$30,000 in the endowment fund, and with this aid the institution was able to continue. Mr. Babcock was not a stranger to the friends of Alfred after the fact. All went to him to thank him for his gift. All found that the money had not been the only thing the University had gained. His ability to criticize wisely methods of study and management, his foresight and his knowledge of the world and what a school should do to prepare the scholars for life in it made his presence in the Board of Trustees of the greatest value. On account of his business interests he was not able to visit Alfred Centre very often until 1890, when he bought a vein of clay which others thought was dead and was attempting to work. He established a terra cotta works there and was thus brought to the village more frequently. Six months before his death he was elected President of the Board, an office which he reluctantly accepted. Alfred Centre sincerely mourned for his death.

As a representative of the Board of the American Sabbath Tract Society, Editor Livermore mentioned Mr. Babcock's connection with that organization. A specialist in all things, he brought many new ideas into the work. In 1881, when the Board was reorganized, he was elected Corresponding Secretary. After serving nine years business cares forced him to resign, but he continued to help the cause. He was a tender-hearted, sympathetic and thoroughly conscientious Christian; a steward to whom God had given wealth, for which he was accountable. He had an investment in Christ worth more than any wealth man could possess.

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At the regular meeting of the Hicksite Friends yesterday it was announced that arrangements for a series of free entertainments had been completed. They will be held in the meeting-house on Watching avenue, admission being by tickets furnished by members of the committee. The dates and features have been decided on as follows:

Lecture, by President Charles de Garmo, of Swarthmore College, Subject: "The Economic Idea in Education." Fourth Day evening, First Month, 17th.

World's Fair Evening, with lantern-slide illustrations, by Andrew J. Garrett, with reminiscences by others. Fourth Day evening, First Month, 18th.

Lecture, by Aaron M. Powell, Subject: "George Fox." Fourth Day evening, Second Month, 14th.

Sociable, Readings and Recitations. Fourth Day evening, Third Month, 7th.

Lecture, by Elizabeth Powell Bond, Dean of the Friends' Yearly Meeting, Subject: "The Youth of Some eminent Americans." Fourth Day evening, Third Month, 26th.

Arthur McGinley was disorderly about the North Avenue station Thursday evening. At the station-house this morning City Judge Coddington fined him \$2.

Edward Kennedy, ex-mayor of Bullfrog City, was fined \$5 for drunkenness and disorderly conduct on South Second street Saturday night.

George Killoran was charged with being bad on Cottage place last night. He pleaded not guilty and was held for a hearing at 8 tomorrow evening in \$50 bail.

George H. Rockefeller, a typesetter, was held in \$300 bonds to keep the peace for indecent conduct in Margentino's fruit store on Park avenue last evening. It is the opinion of several that heavier punishment might have been inflicted without being considered the result of an unjust decision.

Rev. Dr. J. Yerkes addressed the young men's meeting, which was largely attended, in the Y. M. C. A. rooms yesterday afternoon.

The clergyman in his interesting address submitted the following propositions:

I. God is righteous.

II. Man is a sinner.

III. A sinner cannot save himself.

IV. If a man is saved Jesus Christ must save him.

V. If saved by Jesus Christ he must be saved by faith in Him as the Son of God and his Saviour.

The male choir, which consisted of ten voices, is usual added to the interest of the meeting. Next Sunday Ernest Arthur Crane, son of Evangelist Crane, will lead.

The Plainfield Liederkranz. A number of the leading Germans of this city held a meeting recently and organized a new society, which was named Plainfield Liederkranz. The objects of the society will be to promote sociability, vocal and instrumental cultivation, study of art and literature, and general culture. Mr. Kuff was elected temporary chairman, and Henry Haurand secretary. The election of permanent officers will take place next Wednesday when another meeting will be held. The society is not organized in opposition to the Plainfield Glee and Turn Verein as has been stated in unreliable quarters.

Facts from Fanwood. Dudley Babcock, son of Wright Babcock, is down with the measles.

James Baker, the groceryman, is dangerously ill.

William A. Low, Assistant City Engineer of Bayonne, spent Sunday in Fairwood. Mr. Low was connected with Justice Moore in establishing the waterworks plant in Plainfield.

Irving Quereau is confined to his bed with grip and is threatened with pneumonia.

Won Two Out of Three. An interesting skating race took place on the South Plainfield pond, yesterday, between Dennis Kane and B. Bassett, both of this city. Kane, who is held to be the best skater of the Boulevard, was beaten two out of three races by Bassett, who is an amateur of Division street. As a purse was offered to the winner, the race was quite exciting. The distance was 100 yards. The time-keepers were John Galbraith and William Teeple.

Shoeb's cure is sold as a guarantee. It cures incipient consumption; it is the best cough cure ever known; it is sold by A. D. Mail-ford, 205 North ave., opp. station.

Karl's Clover Root, the great blood purifier, gives freedom from all skin diseases and cures constipation; \$20, 50c, \$1. Sold by A. D. Mailford, 205 North ave., opp. station.

Mrs. E. Hawkins, Chattanooga, Tenn., says: "While I was suffering with liver trouble I was cured by using your 'Golden Medical Discovery' at once, before it was too late."

THE RACE IS WON—over to good health and the system rendered impervious to disease when the blood is pure and the liver active. For the liver is the machine which permits or forbids the germs of disease to enter the circulation of the blood. To a congested, torpid and diseased liver can be traced many dangerous diseases affecting various organs.

PIERCE'S GUARANTEE CURE. I was taken sick with congestion of the liver and the doctors could give me no relief, but after using your "Discovery," I regained my health and I am now a well man. I weighed 150 pounds and was reduced to 130 pounds in sixty days. For any one suffering with liver trouble, I would advise them to use the "Golden Medical Discovery" at once, before it is too late.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria. When she became a Child, she cried for Castoria. When she became a Woman, she clung to Castoria. When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.



ON THE EMIGRANT TRAIL THE RED WING IN THIS PAPER BEGINS TODAY.

NOTHING BUT TALK Programme for the Week in Congress.

The Hornblower Nomination to Be Considered To-day and Then the Federal Election Repeal Comes Up in the Senate—Tariff in the House.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.—Debate and hot action will be the order of the day in both houses of congress this week. In the house the feature will be the tariff debate, and in the senate the bill to repeal the federal election laws.

The week opens in the senate with an executive session, after the morning hour, to consider the Hornblower nomination. It is the expressed determination of the senators who sustain the majority report of the judiciary committee adverse to confirmation to insist upon final action, so in view of the extent to which senators have interested themselves in this case it may occupy the attention of the body in executive session for two days. Otherwise Senator Gray, of Delaware, conforming to notice, will call up the election laws, which will be made up of several unfulfilled bills, and kept before the senate until passed or defeated. It is understood that the democratic senators have the committee will prolong the debate on this subject and will content themselves with two or three speeches, which may be made by Senators Gray, Bate and Hill. The republicans expect this week will be devoted to Mr. Lodge, Chandler and Hoar, and perhaps Otis, and it is the hope of the republicans that their speeches will oblige the democrats to reply at length. The expectations are that the debate will consume at least two weeks.

Some time during the week coming events will call the attention of the senate to a tariff speech to be delivered by Senator Gallinger, of New Hampshire. Of course, there is the ever present possibility of resolutions and speeches on the subject of the tariff, but the probability is reduced almost to a certainty by the recently published correspondence.

In the House. Tariff will be almost the exclusive talk in the house this week. The general debate ended with the remarks of the demonstration on Saturday night, when the hall was thrown open to the public and in the presence of more people probably than ever gathered in the hall before. Representative Bryan delivered his speech of two hours and forty minutes in favor of the Wilson bill, advocating it as an approach to free trade remaining with the tariff as a business, but obliged to consider of the bill under the five-minute rule, and the paragraphs will be open to amendment. Already the desk of Chairman Richardson is covered with amendments that will be proposed by various members who want to make sure that their propositions shall receive proper attention. The probabilities are, however, that few, if any amendments, except such as the committee on ways and means approve, will receive sufficient support in the house to secure their adoption. The amendments the committee will propose have not yet developed. It may be that there will be none. But it would not surprise friends of the bill should there be some changes desired by the committee before it reaches its final touches in the house.

The order of consideration of amendments has been under consideration by Chairman Richardson. He was inclined to hold, so he stated to those who asked him in regard to the matter, that amendments would be received as they were proposed, without reference to the relation of the schedule which they effected to the order of the bill. Unless he has changed his mind, therefore, there will be no priority given to amendments to one section over those to another. The bill will be thus discussed and open to amendments this week and next, and then a vote taken on its passage. Monday, the 26th inst., night sessions will be held, which generally will be reported to the house. Thursday next by Chairman Wilson, as an independent, separate measure. The friends of the income tax proposition will endeavor to attach to the pending bill and upon this motion may come one of the most interesting struggles of the debate unless the matter is settled in caucus.

Mrs. Beecher Taken Suddenly Ill. BROOKLYN, N. Y., Jan. 15.—Mrs. Beecher, wife of the late Henry Ward Beecher of Brooklyn, while attending services at the Plymouth church yesterday was seized with a fit of weakness and had to be carried to her home, where she was unconscious for about five minutes. Later she was taken home in a cab. Dr. Searle says her condition is not serious and that she will be able to be around in a day or two.

Entries for Skating Races. RED BANK, N. J., Jan. 15.—Several entries have been received for the National amateur skating races, which are set down for the 26th. The Shrewsbury river is now covered over with a thin coating of ice and a large number of people were skating near the shores to-day.

Look Out for the Patrol Wagon. The production of "The Police Patrol" will doubtless be attended by a crowded house in Music Hall tomorrow night. The action of the play hinges on the mysterious murder of Millionaire Bell and shows what means the supposed murderer, Bushmaster, secured the link in the plot, and yet forming a strong link in the plot, there will be seen a practical exhibition of the Chicago Patrol Service. The company carry a pair of trained horses direct from the service and one of the finest and most complete patrol wagons ever built for the Chicago Department. The scenic effects are on an elaborate scale, and among the sets will be seen an accurate representation of Haymarket Square, the locality of the Anarchist riot, and the interior of the famous West Lake Street Police Station.

Weather permitting, an exhibition of the Patrol will be given on one of the principal streets, and will be quite a novelty. It will be a practical illustration of this branch of the Chicago Police Service.

Fire in Count Ball's Chalmery. United States Expressman Frank Runyon saw a volume of sparks pouring from the chimney of Constantine P. Ball's house, at 7:30 Saturday night, and thanks to his promptness serious fire was averted. A key for the fire box was procured from ex-Councilman Spangenberg's, but Chief Doane, who was called up by telephone from O. Honan's, advised that no alarm be sounded. He sent apparatus up on the still alarm, and two chemical extinguishers put an end to the chimney fire, which was progressing to dangerous point. One extinguisher was used by means of the library fireplace, the other through a hole smashed into the chimney on the top story.

Sowing Good Seed. Some earnest Christian seems determined to do all he can towards bringing sinners and unbelievers to seek Christ by distributing religious tracts. Every Sunday he distributes them on East Front street. The tracts are neatly rolled with an elastic band around each, and are dropped at the front gate of each house or on the sidewalk where they are sure to attract attention and be picked up. But why especially East Front street?

Charge Against the Count. On motion of Prosecutor Marsh, last Saturday, John E. Van Ness, who is charged with assault and battery, will be arraigned Wednesday morning for sentences. It is understood that an application for a new trial in his case will be made.

Florida, California, the South. Through sleeping cars to New Orleans, via Shenandoah Valley, Roanoke, Chattanooga and Birmingham now leave Plainfield daily at 5:45 p. m. For excursion rates and tickets to all Southern and Southwestern points address L. J. Ellis, Eastern Passenger Agent, 372 Broadway, N. Y., or apply to Edward Nelson, Depot Ticket Agent, Plainfield.

THE NEW WATFORD PARK with its new streets and avenues, will be among the handsomest residences in this pretty suburban place. ONLY HIGH GRADE RESIDENCES will be erected. The neighborhood will be restricted making it desirable as any in Plainfield. ALL MODERN IMPROVEMENTS will be in force from early spring. The work of excavating the streets is now being pushed rapidly. ELECTRIC CARS PASS the property. Electric lights, gas and city water will be introduced as soon in the spring as they are needed.

JUST AS PROPERTY VALUES jumped in Sandford and Westervelt avenues, so will they also increase rapidly in Watford Park. Those who buy now will reap the benefit of an early investment.

THE LOTS are about 20x150 feet in size and the map of the property printed in these columns on Wednesdays and Saturdays will give the public necessary information as to their location.

For further information regarding prices and terms, large copies of the map, etc., address or call upon

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Dated this 12th day of January, 1894. W. S. CHASE, JR., J. W. ALLEN.

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FREDERICK J. SCHENCK, Dated December 28, 1893. 111 Broad

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Watching Park Property. Handsomely Situated BUILDING \* LOTS NOW OFFERED FOR SALE.

THE NEW WATFORD PARK with its new streets and avenues, will be among the handsomest residences in this pretty suburban place. ONLY HIGH GRADE RESIDENCES will be erected. The neighborhood will be restricted making it desirable as any in Plainfield. ALL MODERN IMPROVEMENTS will be in force from early spring. The work of excavating the streets is now being pushed rapidly. ELECTRIC CARS PASS the property. Electric lights, gas and city water will be introduced as soon in the spring as they are needed.

JUST AS PROPERTY VALUES jumped in Sandford and Westervelt avenues, so will they also increase rapidly in Watford Park. Those who buy now will reap the benefit of an early investment.

THE LOTS are about 20x150 feet in size and the map of the property printed in these columns on Wednesdays and Saturdays will give the public necessary information as to their location.

