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### THE LEWIS WILL CASE.

A Partial Settlement by Special Act of Congress—New Facts Presented.

The Lewis will case, after "dragging its slow length" from court to court and from counsel to counsel, is at length on the eve of final adjustment. A partial settlement of the estate has been effected in Long Branch within the past few days under the special act of Congress authorizing a compromise between the United States and the heirs of the testator (his sister and nephews). One-fourth of the net proceeds of the estate has been paid to them. The balance, about \$900,000, is, under the decree of the Circuit Court of the United States for New Jersey, to be applied to the reduction of the national debt. To that end government securities to that amount are to be cancelled. Much time was consumed in the Probate Court in the examination of an imposter, calling herself Jane H. Lewis, and claiming to be the widow of the testator.

The facts in the case in regard to the heirs have never before appeared in the public press. They present various interesting questions of law. The relatives of Lewis who survived him were two half sisters and the children of a deceased half sister, all living at Jamaica, Long Island. Soon after Lewis' death the heirs, who contested his will on the ground that he was insane at the time of making it, presented a memorial to President Hayes, setting forth the facts of the case, and praying that the government would abstain from setting up any claims under the alleged will. The matter was referred to Attorney-General Devens, who held that it was his duty, without examining the allegations of the petitioners, to have the case subjected to the usual course of litigation. Thereupon the petitioners presented a petition to Congress, praying the passage of an act of Congress directing the Attorney-General to compromise the claim of the United States. Finally an act was passed authorizing such compromise with the petitioners by the Attorney-General and Secretary of the Treasury.

The facts as presented by the heirs to the President and to Congress were as follows: The testator, Joseph L. Lewis, was between eighty and ninety years old when he made the will in question, and was at that time very erratic and laboring under various insane delusions, under the influence of which he made the will. By it he made no legal provision for his sisters, who had been dependent upon him for support for over fifty years. Some years before he made the will in question he gave his nephew, John S. Cathcart, on the eve of his intended marriage, 100 shares of stock of the value of \$10,000. A long time afterward he became subject to the insane delusion that Mr. Cathcart had embezzled and run away with the proceeds of that stock. Acting on that belief Lewis made that charge in a letter to his sister, living in Jamaica, and informed her that John S. Cathcart should get nothing from him. In pursuance of that declaration Lewis revoked a will which he had made in favor of John S. Cathcart, making him residuary legatee and intrusting him with bequests in favor of his (Lewis') sisters and other relatives in Jamaica.

Lewis entertained various other insane delusions. He believed that all the people around him were trying to rob and poison him, and especially that his housekeeper, who had lived with him fifty years, was stealing his valuables, which remained visible in his possession, while in fact she stole her property, consisting of government securities, the proceeds of a legacy bequeathed to her by a friend. He was also, it is alleged, in the habit of pilfering articles of small value from the shops he visited in Hoboken. An important feature of the case for the petitioners was a deed of trust executed by Lewis in 1858, by which he covenanted that the property which he might die possessed of should go to his nephew, Martin Cathcart, whom he instructed as to the disposition of part of the property among his relations. He advised Martin Cathcart of that deed and invited him to come from Ireland to America to avail himself of it, and Cathcart came accordingly after disposing of his property in Ireland. Lewis obtained from the trustee afterward possession of that deed of trust and destroyed it.

It is contended that the deed was not revocable, but that it operated on the property held by Lewis at the time of his death and is binding upon his executors by way of equitable estoppel. This question was not passed upon by the Judge of the Probate Court of New Jersey (the Ordinary), who admitted the will to probate, nor did he give any opinion as to the validity and legal effect of the bequest in regard to the reduction of the national debt. That has

been disputed and legal opinions have been given to the effect that it is inoperative. An appeal was taken from the decision of the Ordinary to the Court of Errors and Appeals of New Jersey, but the case being compromised it was not brought up for argument.

The case presented a legal question of great importance in will cases. It has recently been held in England that although a testator may be a man of great ability his will cannot be admitted to probate if he was laboring under any insane delusion which influenced him in the making of it. Many cases in the United States have failed to recognize this principle. It has been asserted that the testator was influenced by patriotic motives in making this bequest, and desired moreover to signify his sympathy for the colored people of the South, he being, although taken for a white man, partly of colored descent. The testimony, however, proved that he was an enemy to republican institutions and an admirer of the English government, and that he was no friend of the colored people and no advocate of the abolition of slavery. He seems to have got the idea of giving his money to pay off part of the national debt from the example set by a man named Fox, an Englishman, who died a few years ago in New York and whose will was published in the newspapers.

Fox gave his property, mainly consisting of real estate in New York city, to the United States, to be applied to the reduction of the national debt, but the courts of New York and the Supreme Court of the United States decided that the devise of that real estate was void. The fact is that the testator, acting under the influence of the belief entertained by him that his nephew had cheated and plundered him, revoked his former will, but instead of bestowing his money in charities he took up Fox's idea about the national debt. His will gives only \$1,000 in charities.

The United States brought suit in the Circuit Court of the United States for New Jersey to enforce the bequest and to obtain a settlement of the estate in that court. By this suit all proceedings in the State Court (the Prerogative Court) were superseded, and a decree was made that the accounts should be settled in the Federal Court. The heirs maintain that it is beneath the dignity of the United States to claim the benefit of this absurd will, and that Congress should pass an act directing the payment of the value of the cancelled bonds to whomsoever may establish in the Court of Claims a right thereto upon a relinquishment by the United States of all right or title under the will.

The Department of Justice at Washington has been informed by A. Q. Keasby, United States Attorney for the District of New Jersey, that Judge Nixon has disposed of the case, and that he signed the decree on July 21. Judge Nixon made the following reductions in the fees of commissioners and counsel: Executors' commissioners, \$18,254.78; executors' counsel, \$17,500; United States counsel, \$15,000; making a total reduction of \$50,754.78. He added \$700 for counsel fees to the attorneys of the city of Hoboken, presented since the report. With these changes the report was confirmed and the decree made. The result is that the amount to be applied to the national debt is \$968,589.91. This is to be done by cancelling bonds or assigning them to the Secretary of the Treasury, as the latter may prefer. The deductions made in the counsel fees were as follows: Mr. Gilchrist, \$9,000; Mr. Parker, \$8,500; Mr. Pierpont, \$7,500; Mr. Keasby, \$7,500. Total, \$32,500. The reductions in the allowances originally made in this case were the result of several conferences between the Secretary of the Treasury and the Attorney-General, each of whom contended that the counsel fees were extravagant.—N. Y. Herald.

### CORPORATION NOTICES.

#### Corporation Notice.

Public notice is hereby given that sealed proposals to do the official printing, for a term of one year, will be received at the office of the City Clerk until 7:30 o'clock on Tuesday evening, August 15th, 1882.

Proposals to be addressed "To the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken," endorsed "Proposals for official printing."

The Mayor and Council reserve the right to reject any or all bids if deemed in the interest of the city so to do.

By order of the Council,  
L. H. KENDRICK,  
City Clerk.

#### Corporation Notice.

Public notice is hereby given that sealed proposals for the cleaning of the sewer in Willow street, between Third and Eighth streets, and sewer in Eighth street, between Willow street and Park avenue, and sewer in Park avenue, between Eighth and Ninth streets, and for removing the dirt taken therefrom (which must be removed as soon as taken from the sewers) will be received at the City Clerk's office until 7:30 o'clock on Tuesday evening, August 15th, 1882.

Proposals to be addressed "To the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken," endorsed "Proposals for cleaning sewer in Willow street, between Third and Eighth streets, and sewer in Eighth street, between Willow street and Park avenue, sewer in Park avenue, between Eighth and Ninth streets."

All proposals must be made on blanks furnished by the City Clerk and accompanied by a bond signed by two responsible freeholders in a penal sum equal to the amount of the bid.

Bidders must estimate separately for each sewer. All bids not in due form will be thrown out. The Mayor and Council reserve the right to reject any or all bids if deemed in the interest of the city so to do.

By order of the Council,  
L. H. KENDRICK,  
City Clerk.

### Corporation Notice.

Public notice is hereby given that sealed proposals for the erection of a house for Engine Company No. 1, in Hudson street, between Second and Third streets, as per plans and specifications prepared by Messrs. Beyer & Ty, and on file in the City Clerk's office, will be received at the office of the City Clerk until 7:30 o'clock on Tuesday evening, August 22, 1882.

Proposals to be addressed "To the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken," endorsed "Proposals for building house for Engine Company No. 1."

Bidders must estimate separately for mason, carpenter and plumbing work.

All proposals must be made out on blanks furnished by the City Clerk and accompanied by a bond signed by two responsible freeholders in a penal sum equal to the amount of the bid.

The Mayor and Council reserve the right to reject any or all bids if deemed in the interest of the city so to do.

By order of the Council,  
L. H. KENDRICK,  
City Clerk.

### Corporation Notice.

Public notice is hereby given that sealed proposals to furnish coal and wood for the City Hall and Fire Department will be received at the City Clerk's office on Tuesday, September 5, 1882, at 7:30 o'clock P. M.

The following quantities will be required:

FOR CITY HALL:  
One hundred gross tons coal (more or less), egg size.  
FOR FIRE DEPARTMENT:  
Seventy-five gross tons coal (more or less), egg size.  
Four gross tons Cannel, (more or less), English.  
Two gross tons (more or less), nut size.  
Seven loads pine wood, sawed and split.

The above supplies to be delivered per order of the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings and Fire and Water.

Proposals to be addressed "To the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken," endorsed "Proposals for Coal and Wood."

All proposals must be made out on blanks furnished by the City Clerk, and accompanied by a bond signed by two responsible freeholders in a penal sum equal to the amount of the bid.

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By order of the Council,  
C. H. MILLER,  
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### IN CHANCERY OF NEW JERSEY.

To David Lamb.  
By virtue of an order of the Court of Chancery of New Jersey, made on the day of the date hereof, in a cause wherein Otto Schultz is complainant and you are defendant, you are required to appear and plead, answer or demur to the said complaint, a bill of complaint on or before the twenty-third day of August next, at the said bill will be taken as confessed against you.

The said bill is filed to strictly foreclose a mortgage given by Augustus F. and Marie J. Boller on lands situate in the township of West Hoboken, in the county of Hudson and State of New Jersey, dated the first of June, 1870, and you, David Lamb, are made defendant because you hold a subsequent mortgage on the same premises, made by Jean B. Dubois and wife to Francis P. Durando, dated the twenty-first day of December, 1870, and by said Francis P. Durando assigned to you, and the said bill prays that you be decreed to pay the amount due to the said complainant within a certain time or that you be foreclosed of all equity of redemption in and to said mortgaged premises.

Dated June 22d, A. D. 1882.  
JOHN C. BESSON,  
Solicitor of Complaintant,  
15 Newark St., Hoboken, N. J.

WHEREAS GEORGE W. SHERMAN, LATE of the city, county and State of New York, entered into a written contract bearing date the twenty-eighth day of May, eighteen hundred and eighty-one, with Anton Beberdick and Susannah Beberdick, of the city of Hoboken, in the county of Hudson and State of New Jersey, for the sale of certain land unto the said Susannah Beberdick, situate, lying, and being in the city of Hoboken, in the county of Hudson and State of New Jersey, which, on a map of Hoboken, made by Charles Loss, and filed in the Clerk's office of the county of Bergen, is known and designated as lot number forty-seven (47), fronting on the easterly side of Washington street, being twenty-five feet wide in front and rear and one hundred feet in depth throughout—the same being described in the said contract as the premises known as one hundred and fifteen (115) Washington street, in the city of Hoboken. This is to give notice to all persons concerned that the subscriber, administratrix of the estate of George W. Sherman, deceased, intends to apply to the Orphans' Court, to be holden at Jersey City, in and for the county of Hudson, on Saturday, the thirteenth day of August next, to decree a fulfillment of said contract according to the form of the statute in such case made and provided.

Dated this third day of June, A. D. eighteen hundred and eighty-two.

JOSEPHINE L. SHERMAN,  
Administratrix.  
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LEGAL NOTICES.

WM. McAVOY,  
SURROGATE.

Office Hours—9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Saturday—9 A. M. to 3 P. M.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY, ss.  
County of Hudson, ss.  
SURROGATE'S OFFICE.—Robert McCague, Jr., administrator, with the will annexed of James Pope, deceased. Order to limit creditors.  
Upon application made to me for that purpose, by the above-named administrator, I do hereby, on this 10th day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two, order the said administrator to give public notice to the creditors of the estate of said deceased, to bring in their debts, demands and claims against the same, under oath, within nine months from the date of this order, by setting up a copy of this order in five of the most public places of the county of Hudson, for the space of two months, and advertising the same for the like period in the Hoboken Advertiser, one of the newspapers of this State, such notice to be given and advertised within twenty days from the date hereof, and to be continued for two months.

WM. McAVOY, Surrogate.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY, ss.  
County of Hudson, ss.  
SURROGATE'S OFFICE.—Pamela Gerlach, formerly Pauline Brobok, executrix of Johann Brobok, deceased. Order to limit creditors.  
Upon application made to me for that purpose, by the above-named executrix, I do hereby, on this 21st day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two, order the said executrix to give public notice to the creditors of the estate of said deceased, to bring in their debts, demands and claims against the same, under oath, within nine months from the date of this order, by setting up a copy of this order in five of the most public places of the county of Hudson, for the space of two months, and advertising the same for the like period in the Hoboken Advertiser, one of the newspapers of this State, such notice to be given and advertised within twenty days from the date hereof, and to be continued for two months.

WM. McAVOY, Surrogate.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY, ss.  
County of Hudson, ss.  
SURROGATE'S OFFICE.—Ferdinand Flemming, executor of the will of Ida Flemming, deceased. Order to limit creditors.  
Upon application made to me for that purpose, by the above-named executor, I do hereby, on this 13th day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two, order the said executor to give public notice to the creditors of the estate of said deceased, to bring in their debts, demands and claims against the same, under oath, within nine months from the date of this order, by setting up a copy of this order in five of the most public places of the county of Hudson, for the space of two months, and advertising the same for the like period in the Hoboken Advertiser, one of the newspapers of this State, such notice to be given and advertised within twenty days from the date hereof, and to be continued for two months.

WM. McAVOY, Surrogate.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY, ss.  
County of Hudson, ss.  
SURROGATE'S OFFICE.—Ellen Pohlson, executrix of the will of Peter Pohlson, deceased. Order to limit creditors.  
Upon application made to me for that purpose, by the above-named executrix, I do hereby, on this 26th day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two, order the said executrix to give public notice to the creditors of the estate of said deceased, to bring in their debts, demands and claims against the same, under oath, within nine months from the date of this order, by setting up a copy of this order in five of the most public places of the county of Hudson, for the space of two months, and advertising the same for the like period in the Hoboken Advertiser, one of the newspapers of this State, such notice to be given and advertised within twenty days from the date hereof, and to be continued for two months.

WM. McAVOY, Surrogate.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY, ss.  
County of Hudson, ss.  
SURROGATE'S OFFICE.—John Ryan, administrator of the will of Eliza O'Connor, deceased. Order to limit creditors.  
Upon application made to me for that purpose, by the above-named administrator, I do hereby, on this 26th day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two, order the said administrator to give public notice to the creditors of the estate of said deceased, to bring in their debts, demands and claims against the same, under oath, within nine months from the date of this order, by setting up a copy of this order in five of the most public places of the county of Hudson, for the space of two months, and advertising the same for the like period in the Hoboken Advertiser, one of the newspapers of this State, such notice to be given and advertised within twenty days from the date hereof, and to be continued for two months.

WM. McAVOY, Surrogate.

NOTICE OF SETTLEMENT.—Notice is hereby given, that the account of the subscriber, administrator of the estate of Clara Heins, deceased, will be audited and stated by the Surrogate of the County of Hudson, and reported for settlement on Saturday, the 14th day of October 1882.

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guardian of the estate of Elise Pistor (now Elise Moebius), Frederick Philip Pistor (now deceased), and Marie Louise Pistor, minors, will be audited and stated by the Surrogate of the County of Hudson, and reported for settlement on Saturday, the 14th day of October next.

EMILIE PISTOR,  
August 12-9th-82.

NOTICE OF SETTLEMENT.—Notice is hereby given, that the account of the subscriber, executor of the estate of John Roedel, deceased, will be audited and stated by the Surrogate of the County of Hudson, and reported for settlement on Saturday, the 30th day of September next.

AUGUST ROEDER,  
LOUIS MEYSTER,  
JUL 22-2nd-82

NOTICE OF SETTLEMENT.—Notice is hereby given, that the account of the subscriber, guardian of the estate of Annie Hartung, (a minor now deceased), Amelia Hartung and Rosetta Hartung, minors, will be audited and stated by the Surrogate of the County of Hudson, and reported for settlement on Saturday, the 9th day of September next.

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## DAILY'S THEATRE—The Passing Regiment.

HOBOKEN, AUGUST 12, 1882.

Official paper of the city of Hoboken. Circulation second to no other weekly journal in Hudson County.

The Sultan has finally proclaimed Arabi a rebel.

Six alarms of fire have been sounded since our last issue. Only trifling damage was done until yesterday when the loss exceeded \$10,000.

The members of the Tariff Commission went to Trenton yesterday and posted themselves concerning the potteries. Jersey pots want protection.

If the men of great "inflorescence" would "pool their issues" and use their talents to bring down the rain, thirsty vegetation would rise up and call them blessed.

All bonds of parties contracting for city work are hereafter to be investigated by the Corporation Attorney before being approved and accepted by the Council. This should have been done long ago.

Gladstone in his usual Prime Minister's speech at the Lord Mayor's dinner in London, Wednesday, said that the Egyptian war was undertaken as a matter of principle. He also declared that there was a prospect of settled order in Ireland.

The Committee on Lamps and Gas of the Council has reported favorably in the matter of granting the Union Gas Light Co., the privilege of laying pipes through the streets, conditional of course upon the responsibility of the company.

It is understood that the Hon. E. V. S. Besson is anxious to uphold the Republican standard for the State Assembly or for Congress, this fall. He may pay his money and take his choice, but he will get neither seat. His friends should see that his ambition does not run away with him.

The freight handlers' strike is over, and the strikers are beaten. We are sorry for them. They have lost much and gained nothing by their strike. They ought to have reflected before beginning it, that it is exceedingly difficult to get wages raised on a falling market. —N. Y. Sun.

Charles A. Vogeler, of A. Vogeler & Co., of Baltimore, died suddenly last Saturday. Although but thirty-one years of age, he had been for the past eight years managing partner of the firm and to his assiduous attention to their large business and his well directed enterprise, the present prosperity and reputation of A. Vogeler & Co., are mainly due.

Fifty-two ballots were taken in the City Clerk election Tuesday night and, though many votes were changed before the close, the fifty-second ballot was exactly the same as the first. No result was reached and Assistant City Clerk Miller is still acting as clerk. The balloting amounts to nothing but a waste of time and the Council should come to some agreement without further delay.

Senator Stewart, the Independent Republican candidate for Governor of Pennsylvania, has revived an old custom and one still in vogue in parts of the South, in inviting his opponent, General Beaver, the regular Republican candidate to meet him "on the stump" and discuss the political differences with him. He also intends to invite Pattison the Democratic candidate to a similar tongue war.

Both Houses of Congress adjourned sine die Tuesday afternoon, and to the relief of everybody the long session came to an end. Let us hope that not one of those members whose terms are up, who voted for the passage of the River and Harbor Bill steal over to the President's veto, may ever take his seat again as a representative or misrepresentative of any District or State in the National Congress.

## THE CITY NOT IN DANGER.

It is almost painful to witness the wild and futile attempts that the ring organ grinders, Bayer and Hoffman, are making to extricate themselves from the net of their own weaving in this printing matter. They have become very much mixed, and by their stupid and clumsy floundering in order to get out are only becoming more hopelessly entangled.

When their printing monopoly was broken up by the Council last year by the appointment of the Advertiser as the official paper, they sued the city on the ground that its authorities had no right to appoint this paper. And, although the Supreme Court decided against them, they continued to claim that the appointment was void, that the Democrat (Rep.) was still the official paper and that no other paper could ever be appointed. As they have appealed the case, it is fair to assume that they still hold to this opinion, ridiculous as it is.

Various other claims and assertions, equally absurd, have been hurled at the Council from time to time, so contradictory that it is next to impossible to tell what this brilliant team do believe, and we doubt that they know themselves.

Their last effort at driving the Council into recognizing the claim of the ring organ to a perpetual monopoly of the printing is as crazy as the rest. They assert that there can be no question of the fact that "all the business transacted by the Council since last March is illegal," because the Council failed to designate an official paper during that month. This recognizes the fact that an official paper existed for the year ending last March, which must of course have been the Advertiser, since that paper was "designated" last year, and the Democrat (Rep.) was not, for if the Democrat (Rep.) was the official paper up to last March it must be so now, and to be so must have held over since its last designation in 1878, and consequently holds over still. Which ever way it is twisted, that argument is knocked in the head. Men of only ordinary perceptive faculties cannot follow the train of reasoning (?) by which Barney and his round scribbles arrive at the remarkable conclusion announced with such a flourish, but even the most obtuse can perceive the fallacy of it and "not half try."

The anxiety (?) expressed by the ring organ in regard to prospective difficulties arising out of this "open violation of the law"—i. e., the failure of the Council to designate an official paper last March—is groundless, and neither the Council nor these self-constituted guardians of the public weal need pass any sleepless nights on account of it.

The Advertiser having been appointed the official paper in March, 1881, and no successor having been appointed, holds over until such successor is appointed, by the same law that the Democrat (Rep.) held over from 1878, without redesignation, until 1881, when the Advertiser succeeded it as the official paper; and by the same law that ex-Assistant City Clerk McDermott held office until his successor was appointed last May.

The Democrat (Rep.) says that the Mayor has taken the initiative in refusing to sign resolutions to "advertise according to law," and says he will stick to it. The Mayor only did that when he got an opportunity to get in a "back slap" at the Advertiser, and has both before and since signed resolutions to "advertise according to law." It advises him to go further and refuse to sign all warrants for contract work. If the Mayor follows this or any other advice emanating from the same source he will get into hot water, and he knows it.

The statement that "two papers are now publishing the proceedings at their own expense" is false. The Democrat (Rep.) is doing so, but the Advertiser will get paid for every line of Council proceedings it ever printed. The Council is not "passing resolutions" every week to publish certain matters in the official papers. There is but one official paper and that is not the Democrat (Rep.). If Bayer and Hoffman believe that the Advertiser does not hold over, they must feel happy in the consciousness that all the money they drew from the city treasury when the Democrat (Rep.) "held over" without redesignation was stolen.

## ABOLISH THE OFFICE.

A pretty state of affairs has been revealed in connection with the recent prosecution of various tradesmen who were charged by the Inspector of Weights and Measures with using light weights. The Corporation Attorney, who, of course, as the representative of the city, was prosecuting attorney, found it impossible to convict the accused of the charge, because the trial brought out the fact that the apparatus used by the Inspector to test the weights and scales of the defendants was totally unreliable and therefore worthless. Besides being a ramshackle set of balances, by which an accurate weight could not be obtained, they had never been stamped correct by the County Inspector. The law requires that the apparatus must be stamped with the emblem of the United States, the Coat of Arms of the State and a device of the city. That used by our Inspector has neither.

It is an injustice to attempt to judge of the accuracy of weights used by our tradesmen by any such standard, and the grocer who, a short time since, was fined \$25 for using light weights, the conviction being based upon and obtained by a test made with this faulty apparatus should be refunded the money.

It is clearly the duty of the authorities either to provide the Inspector with the proper apparatus for exercising the duties of his office or abolish the office altogether. The latter seems the wisest

under existing circumstances; for there is a law making it obligatory upon the County Clerk, who is the County Inspector of Weights and Measures, to test all weights and measures once a year and stamp them correct, for which he collects a fee.

Why these duties should be performed also by a city official and another fee collected does not appear plain. It is manifestly an injustice to so impose upon our tradesmen. The city has not the power to prevent the County Inspector from performing his duties and collecting his fees, but it has the power to repeal the ordinance creating the office of City Inspector.

We do not believe that the tradesmen of Hoboken care to pay twice for the same thing, thereby maintaining an office which is useless and should not exist. We hope the Mayor and Council will look into this matter and take proper measures to remedy the evil.

## THE NEWARK STREET DOCK.

The resolutions recently passed by the Council, directing the Corporation Attorney to apply for an injunction restraining the completion of the dock now building at the foot of Newark street, have come to naught, as that official, after an examination, has concluded that his application would be useless. Even were such not the case, he is of the opinion that the step would be unwise.

As the question of the city's title to the water-front at the terminus of her streets is still in the courts, the Chancellor would not be likely to grant the injunction, in fact, he would hardly have a right to until the question of the title had been definitely settled, unless the damage to property, about the title of which there is no question, happened to be very heavy or irreparable. Should the city's claim to the title be fully and finally established, no damage is done by the erection of a dock upon the property. On the contrary, the property is benefited and Hoboken would come into possession of the improved property, the improvements having been effected at the expense of somebody else. In other words, we would get a good dock for nothing.

On the other hand, in the event of a final decision adverse to Hoboken's claims—a contingency not impossible, though hardly probable—the city would be the loser, for an injunction granted pending the decision for the parties enjoined could then recover damages for the delay caused.

These are the main questions that decided the Corporation Attorney to advise the Mayor and Council to give up the attempt to stop the building of the dock, and his advice appears sound.

## KEEP POSTED.

No copy of the City Charter has been printed since 1872, and the only record of the city ordinances passed since then is in the proceedings of the Council. This has rendered it difficult for the authorities to keep posted in regard to such matters, and has occasioned more than a little trouble and some mistakes that should not have occurred. The Corporation Attorney has prepared and re-indexed the charter and compiled the ordinances and they are now ready for the printer. Their publication, which will take place at an early date, will place them in a form for ready reference and it will not be a bad idea for the City Fathers to "pole up" on both charter and ordinances as soon as possible. If all hands had kept posted on these important matters the errors in this poll-tax business would not have occurred, and a careful study of the law will show them that this particular matter had better be settled immediately.

## Political Notes.

The Democrats of the Fourth District, in Sussex County, will nominate a candidate for Congress on the 17th.

Out of the 100 Legislators elected in Alabama this week, only 23 were Republicans. All the important officers were Democrats.

In the West the fall campaign has been already opened and with considerable vigor. Indiana and Ohio are both in a bad condition for Republican supremacy.

An exchange says: "When such a man as Gov. Hoyt, of Pennsylvania, begins to feel shaky about the prospects of the Republican party there is abundant reason for fear throughout the ranks."

If your Representative in Congress voted for the River and Harbor bill, let him stay at home hereafter! If a Senator of your State voted for it, let it be to him not a Senator for another term! —N. Y. Sun.

It was the candidacy of Miles Ross two years ago that saved us a Democratic Governor, and Democratic Presidential electors.

The nomination of Miles Ross this year may save us a Democratic United States Senator. —Monmouth Democrat.

The Sun considers the following politicians as worthy of defeat: Harris, of Mass., Butlerworth and Keller of Ohio, and Robeson of New Jersey. The Sun pours its searching rays on all who practice "ways that are dark," and frequently gives them a severe "tanning."

Mr. Murat Halstead's saying that New Jersey is not prolific in great men, is true. Most of the best lawyers of the State are counsel for some of the big corporations, and have not been able to display many popular qualities. The corporations have politically smothered their best lawyers, but they have made some prominent politicians from mediocre material, and their is some anxiety to know what the railway offices of New York and Philadelphia propose to say concerning New Jersey's next Senator. —N. Y. Herald.

Mayor Taussig, of Jersey City, and Allen McDermott, the Corporation Attorney of that city, are both laying plans to defeat Col. Lewis for the nomination to Congress. Isaac has money (sugar) and Allan has the "gift of gab," but they are both a little ambitious for men of their age. Time enough for either of them to try their luck a decade hence. As for ex-Senator Rabe, who is to be "run stump" by a sheet he used to own, he is shelved politically in Hudson County and must emigrate to the far West where they don't know him, if he wishes to shine in the political horizon.

## A BIG BLAZE IN GRAND STREET.

Gahagan's Mills Destroyed—Heavy Loss, Only Partially Covered by Insurance.

A fire broke out in the building occupied by J. Gahagan & Sons, manufacturers of wooden mouldings and scroll work, on Grand street, near Third, at 1:40 yesterday afternoon, and the building and stock were totally destroyed. An alarm was sounded almost immediately, and Engine No. 1 and Washington Hook and Ladder Company No. 1 promptly responded. A small extinguisher was used by the employees at the first outbreak of the flames, and a large stream from the hydrant was turned on the building before the flames arrived, and with good effect.

Engine No. 1 had two streams playing on the burning building in an incredibly short space of time, but the building was doomed. It was a large structure, 100 feet front by 40 feet deep and two stories high. It was built of wood, old and seasoned and the dry weather which has prevailed of late made it excellent kindling material. It burned like tinder, and in about one hour was a total wreck.

The upper floor was occupied by the moulding machinery and this was more or less damaged by falling when the floor burnt through, but the more valuable machinery on the ground floor suffered little damage but that occasionally by water. The Messrs. Gahagan estimate their loss at between \$10,000 and \$12,000, which is not covered by insurance. They were unable to state in what companies they had insured, or the amount of insurance, but thought it was somewhere in the neighborhood of \$2,500.

The engine and boiler were not in the building, but in a small brick structure belonging to the abandoned button factory adjoining the burned mill and the power was conveyed to the machinery by shafting which entered the mill about on a level with the floor of the upper story. Over this, and running from the second floor to the boiler room was a covered chute about three feet square, used for conveying shavings and sawdust from the mill to a proper receptacle. The fire was occasioned by the "back-draft" and ran through this chute to the building. The firemen showed great courage and skill in their efforts to save the property and prevented the spread of the flames to adjacent frame buildings. Engine Company No. 3, although located near the scene, did not succeed in aiding the other companies, as the engine broke down before getting the hose in play.

Grand street, in front of the ruins, is flooded with water, and a hose was still playing on what was left of the smouldering south wall two hours after the flames were extinguished.

## Our "Devil" Says

That City Hall clock doesn't keep good time. By the way, which bid did the Council accept for the clock?

I am told that there is great danger in transmutating the river, as the waters of the harbor are swarming with sharks of the "man-eater" variety.

One of the many female admirers of "our handsome young bachelor Mayor" tells me that she is going to plant a rosebush in front of the City Hall, and train it over his office window.

I hear many things around town that indicate a grand row about that poll-tax school fund, and it's my private opinion that unless the money is turned over to the schools very soon somebody had better "stand from under." The Board of Education has got up on its official ear, and there's trouble brewing. It would be anything but funny for the Mayor and Council to be indicted by the Grand Jury and held personally responsible to the School Board for this money.

## Practical Anti-Monopoly.

The Columbian Line of water and rail travel in the United States is the rather pretentious name of an organization now forming in Rockland County, N. Y. The organization proposes to fight monopoly in a practical way. The scheme, as set forth in a circular addressed to the citizens of Rockland, is to commence the fight against the local monopoly, and a boat is now running from Haverstraw, Nyack and Yonkers to New York, landing at the foot of Franklin street, carrying passengers at ten cents a head. Packages of eleven tickets for \$1, will be furnished. The "Shady Side" is the boat now in use and the managers declare that five more boats are ready to run should the traffic require it. They announce their intention of running boats all the way from New York to Albany for twenty-five cents, if the first undertaking proves successful, which they feel very confident will be the result. It is also claimed that the society has abundant means at its disposal to insure the faithful fulfillment of the promises made at the outset. The scheme appears a hazardous one, but the managers of the new line deserve success for their honesty of purpose and the boldness with which they take up the fight in this very practical manner. The "Shady Side" will leave Haverstraw at 7:10 A. M. and Nyack at 8 for New York every morning and on the return trip will leave Franklin street dock at 3:45 P. M.

## A Happy Send-off.

On Tuesday evening a numerous party of her friends assembled at the residence of Mr. James Kersey, on Bloomfield street, to meet and say good-bye to Mrs. Edward Power, on the eve of her departure for Europe, to make a brief summer visit to her relatives. The reunion passed off very pleasantly, and the lady was wished bon voyage by all, and a safe and speedy return to her home in Hoboken. When the lady reached the steamer the next morning, (the Alaska, of the Gulf Line), she found another party waiting to see her off. Many Hobokenites and New Yorkers were present on the pier, among them Mr. John Kersey, Mr. T. Cunningham, Mr. William Power, Captain and Mrs. Wall, Mrs. Mary, Mrs. and Miss Rawley, Miss Mamie Foley, Miss Daisy Callahan, Mrs. Keenan, Miss B. Walsh, Mr. Connan, Mrs. James Kersey, and a number of other friends from Rockland.

## The R. A. A.'s Concert.

Last Tuesday evening a charming concert was given at Mount Tabor under the auspices of the Mount Tabor Royal Arcanum Association, in which Messrs Chas. Hill and W. J. Livingston of this city, admirably sustained their reputations and acquitted themselves with credit. Miss Nora Dawson, Miss Bessie Miller and Mrs. Cosgrove completed the list of artists.

The programme was short, consisting of but ten numbers, but all were well selected and rendered in an entirely satisfactory manner. A number of Hoboken people who have cottages at Mount Tabor and others who went out Tuesday evening for the purpose, attended the concert and all expressed themselves pleased at the success of the entertainment. A series of musical and literary entertainments will be given by the association during the season.

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## Firemen Fishing.

The members of No. 1 Engine Company, with their friends, making up a party of about forty, went on a fishing excursion last Sunday, to the Fishing Banks, in a steam tug. There was plenty to eat and drink on board, the fish were on the bite, and altogether the affair was very successful and the "boys" report having had a glorious time. No official record was kept of the number of fish caught, but the total catch was large, no one hooking less than a fine "mess." The Chief Engineer and his assistant were both of the party, and among the friends who joined in the excursion and the sport were Collector McMahon, Councilman Valleau and other prominent city officials. They returned to Hoboken at 6:30 in the evening well satisfied with the day's sport.

## Royal Arcanum Reunion.

To-day, the members of the Royal Arcanum of this State, which comprises over 1,000 men, will hold a State reunion at Mount Tabor. Special rates have been furnished by the railroad company, and excursion tickets may be purchased at the various depots on the road. Several prominent speakers, a male quartette and the State officers will be present, and the exercises during the day will be of an interesting nature.

In the evening the grounds will be illuminated, presenting a handsome scene. Members of the order are urged to attend and bring their families with them, and spend the day in the delightful grove. A special train will leave Mount Tabor for New York and intermediate points at 10 P. M., to convey the visitors to their homes.

## A Nuisance.

Another frame house is traveling slowly toward the meadows, via Newark street, which thoroughfare is effectually blocked by it. Peter Kerrigan is its purchaser and he intends to put it on one of his meadow lots and make a tenement house of it. This is the third frame house that has been moved during the summer and it is to be hoped it will be the last, as the removal of these buildings through the streets of the city is a great nuisance.

## Fell in a Fit.

Mrs. Mary McGauly was attacked with a fit and fell on the corner of Washington and Second streets, yesterday morning at 10 o'clock, sustaining several severe cuts and bruises on her face. She was unconscious when brought to the station house on a stretcher, but was speedily revived by Dr. Heller, who happened to be in the vicinity, and her wounds were dressed.

## May Lose His Foot.

On Tuesday, Richard Ryan, employed on the new extension being built to St. Mary's Hospital, fell from the elevator on which the building stone is raised to the cellar, dislocating his shoulder and breaking the small bones of his right foot. He was taken into the hospital and cared for. The unfortunate man will probably lose his foot.

## Obituary.

## FREDERICK SANDERS.

Frederick Sanders, of the firm of Sanders & Carroll, the well-known contractors, who built the mason work of the new City Hall, died early Tuesday morning of consumption. Mr. Carroll had been a sufferer for a long time, and although it was known that he was growing weaker day by day, his death came suddenly. Up to last Saturday evening he attended to his work, and on that day was superintending his men who are building the addition to Trinity Church. The funeral took place Thursday afternoon.

## Ministerial Joy.

WATERTOWN, N. Y., Nov. 27, 1881. H. H. WARNER & Co.: Sirs:—The distinctive features of Bright's Disease disappeared with the use of your Safe Kidney and Liver Cure and I now call myself a well man.

## A BRAMLEY.

## Pastor Arsenal M. E. Church.

## Summer Resort Notes.

Joaquin Miller, the author, is visiting at Cliffwood, this State.

Col. Bob Ingersoll and family occupy a cottage at Long Branch.

Ex-President and Mrs. Hayes are summering at Chataqua Lake.

Ex-Senator Thurman is at Long Beach with his daughters and son-in-law.

Clara Louise Kellogg and her mother are enjoying a season at Saratoga.

Great crowds are reported up in the Catskills, and hotel keepers are happy.

Ocean Grove and Asbury Park are combining religion with summer rural pleasures.

They are "tenting to-night on the old camp ground," at Ocean Grove—thousands of 'em.

A "real live Hindoo" is at Nassau cottage, Asbury Park, and attracts considerable attention.

The races at Saratoga are attended by more ladies than are similar events in any other part of the country.

Rev. Dr. Talmage, the Brooklyn "acrobatic" preacher, is building a summer residence at Bay Shore, L. I.

Seabright cottagers have a social organization under the auspices of which amateur theatricals are given to a "select few."

Excursionists visiting Long Branch seem very fond of the ten-cent cab rides to West End and Elberon, and indulge in them almost to excess.

Mrs. DeLong, widow of the late Lieutenant DeLong, of Jeanette fame, is at Fair Haven, near Newport, the guest of Mr. Wm. Bradford, the well-known artist.

Hundred of tourists are to be found up among the Thousand Islands, one of the finest resorts on the list, and a locality once visited, not likely to be forgotten.

"Jerry" Cleveland will soon come down out of the mountain fastnesses with his family and sun-burn himself and flock by the sands of the sea shore of his native State.

One day's arrivals at Niagara Falls last week included a German Count, an English Baronet, two Italian army officers, a bishop, a judge, three British officers, and a dozen newly-married couples.

## Two Bad Scalp Wounds.

Mrs. O'Donnell, wife of John O'Donnell, of 53 Newark street, while out riding with her husband, last Sunday evening, was thrown from the buggy, which collided with a wagon near the gas house, and sustained two very severe scalp wounds. Dr. Elder, who was called, conveyed her to her home. Upon examining her injuries, he found that her scalp had been torn from the skull on both sides, each wound being several inches in length and extending back and half way round the head. He could get almost his whole hand under the scalp on either side. He found on one side several glass beads which had been crushed from her bonnet and become imbedded in the wound. On the other side, the temporal artery had been severed, and the doctor had some difficulty in controlling the hemorrhage. With the assistance of Dr. W. Tell Kudlich, he tied the artery and sewed up the wounds, and the patient is now doing well.

## PERSONAL INTELLIGENCE.

Henry Ward Beecher will lecture in London next season.

Ben Butler is yachting off the coast of New England and Nova Scotia.

Rear Admiral David McDougall, U. S. N., died at San Francisco, Monday.

The late Rear Admiral Beaumont, U. S. N., was buried at Portsmouth, N. H., Saturday.

Miss Nellie Gray edits the largest paper in Eureka Springs—a daily and a double sheet weekly.

Lieutenant-Commander Gorrings, U. S. N., has been visiting Hon. Abram S. Hewitt, at Washington.

Ex-Senator Francis, of Newark, has been appointed Receiver of Public Moneys, at Bismarck, Dakota.

The bill granting an increased pension to the widow of Gen. Custer has been signed by the President.

Col. Charles H. Crane, U. S. A., has been nominated and confirmed as Surgeon-General of the Army.

Gen. Grant and W. H. Trescott have been appointed commissioners to negotiate a commercial treaty with Mexico.

The youngest bride in the country is Mrs. Thomas Payne, wife of a South Carolina clergyman. She is twelve years old.

The Senate has confirmed the nomination of William Waldorf Astor to be Minister to Italy, and of J. Schuyler Crosby to be Governor of Montana.

Gen. Sanger, the editor of the Key West Democrat, is twenty years old, weighs 35 pounds and is 40 inches high. He was born in St. Domingo and raised in Florida.

Charles A. Stetson, Jr., eldest son and william partner in the Astor House, New York, of the veteran Stetson, died Tuesday in Lynn, Mass., in the forty-fifth year of his age. The nun, Sister Mary Agnes, whom Parepa Rosa pronounced the grandest singer she had ever heard, and whom Strakosch offered \$50,000 for a season of six months, died Tuesday, in Pittsburgh, Pa.

Mr. John Wareing, of Wareing Bros., proprietors of the Germania Theatre, has gone to White Haven, Pa., with his wife, to visit her relatives. He had not decided when he left how long a vacation he would take.

Hon. Artemus Hale, who died at his home in Massachusetts, last week, at the age of ninety-four years, was a member of the Thirtieth Congress and served until 1849. He was, with one exception, the oldest living Mason.

"What is that, mother?"  
"A masher, dear;  
You will always find it standing here."  
"Will it bite, mother?"  
"Well, I should shout,  
It will bite a free lunch for all that's out."

It is not generally known that the Captain T. W. Wilson, who is doing such fine shooting at Creedmoor, in the competitions for a place on the American Team, is the veritable Captain T. W. Griffith of "our Ninth." We regret that his innate modesty should prompt him to adopt a sobriquet.

A romantic marriage took place at Long Beach Saturday night. Mr. Louis Mills, son of the distinguished pianist, and Miss E. L. Luty, of Brooklyn's best society, missed the train, and were married on the advice of several distinguished jurists, including ex-Senator Thurman, Mr. Sam Ward and Mr. Oscar Wilde.

Senator Hill, of Georgia, says that notwithstanding his great sufferings, he is now seeing the happiest days of his life. He sleeps under the influence of morphia from 8 P. M. to 11 A. M. The rest of the time he spends reading the papers and writing in his diary. He kept his cancer a secret from his wife for three years.

Now that Congress has adjourned, the President is going to the sea side; Secretaries Chandler and Lincoln will go to Rye Beach; Secretary Teller to Colorado and Postmaster General Howe to Wisconsin. Secretary Folger, who is probably the hardest worked member of the Cabinet, will take a brief rest in New York.

General G. K. Warren died on Tuesday, at his residence at Newport, R. I., having been confined to his bed less than a week. He was born in Cold Spring, N. Y., in 1830, and entered West Point in 1850, and graduated July 1, 1856. At the outbreak of the late war he was the first West Point officer assigned to a volunteer regiment.

## GENERAL NEWS.

Every county in Iowa has a railroad.

The public debt was reduced \$14,000,000 last month.

The riparian war at Oceanic, this State, is still raging.

Fifty cases of yellow fever are reported at Brownsville, Texas, and the disease is spreading rapidly.

The postmaster at Walnut Valley, Warren County, is eighty-six years old, and has held the office for fifty-three years.

Preparations are making for the fifty-first annual fair of the American Institute, which will open in New York on September 27th.

In the four States of Alabama, Georgia, Tennessee and South Carolina, 11,789 persons are employed in the manufacture of cotton fabrics.

A piece of ice weighing 80 pounds is said to have fallen during a recent hail-storm in Salina, Kan. It is spoken of as a "monster hail-stone."

The railroad companies will pay to cities in this State this year \$162,575 for taxes, against \$38,992 in 1879. Jersey City will derive the most benefit from this increase.

A fire in Gardiner, Me., burned over twenty acres of factories and dwellings, Monday. The loss was very heavy and much suffering has been occasioned by the disaster.



## FERRY TIME TABLE.

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## Hoboken Ferry Boats

On and after May 31st, 1880, the Boats will run as follows, wind and weather permitting:

## BARCLAY STREET BOATS.

LEAVE HOBOKEN:	
From 5.00 a. m. to 6.00 a. m., every 15 minutes.	
6.00 a. m. to 7.00 p. m., " 15 "	
7.00 p. m. to 8.00 p. m., " 15 "	
8.00 p. m. to 9.00 p. m., " 15 "	

LEAVE NEW YORK:	
From 8.00 a. m. to 6.00 p. m., every 15 minutes.	
6.00 a. m. to 7.00 p. m., " 15 "	
7.00 p. m. to 8.00 p. m., " 15 "	
8.00 p. m. to 9.00 p. m., " 15 "	

SUNDAY BOATS TO BARCLAY STREET.	
From 6.00 a. m. to 9.00 a. m., every 30 minutes.	
9.00 a. m. to 11.00 p. m., " 15 "	
11.00 p. m. to 12.00 a. m., " 30 "	

LEAVE NEW YORK:	
From 6.15 a. m. to 9.15 a. m., every 30 minutes.	
9.15 a. m. to 11.00 p. m., " 15 "	
11.00 p. m. to 12.00 a. m., " 30 "	

CHRISTOPHER STREET BOATS.	
From 5.00 a. m. to 6.00 a. m., every 15 minutes.	
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11.00 p. m. to 12.00 a. m., " 30 "	

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lent one and we wish Mr. Donovan success in his new undertaking.

There will be preaching at the First M. E. Church to-morrow as usual by the pastor, Rev. William Day, at 10:30 in the morning and 7:45 in the evening. The subject for the morning discourse will be "The Sense in which Believers in Christ 'Never Die,' and 'Shall Not See Death.'" There will be a service of praise in the evening and readings by the pastor. The music is expected to be of more than usual interest.

## UNCLAIMED LETTERS.

List of letters remaining unclaimed in the Post Office at Hoboken, N. J., for the week ending August 11, 1882:

LADIES' LIST.	
Cummings, Mary (care of Mrs. Jackson)	Egan, Miss Sarah
Doyle, Mrs. J. O.	Egan, Miss Sarah
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GENTLEMEN'S LIST.	
Brenners, Adalbert	Gerner, Henry (2)
Gabetti, Luigi	Ryan, William
Geddes, Wilhelm	Worthford, Richard
	L. H. Kaynor, Postmaster.

## COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

## STATED SESSION.

Stated session, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, Washington street, between Newark and First streets, on Tuesday evening, August 8, 1882.

Present—Councilmen Grassmann, Kaufmann, Kenney, Lee, Stein, Timken, Valieu and Chairman Miller.

Absent—Councilman Kaufmann and Chairman Miller.

On motion of Councilman Valieu the reading of the minutes of the session of August 1, 1882, was dispensed with and they were approved as printed.

A communication from M. W. Niven, late Corporation Attorney, relative to Market Square suits, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Councilman Kaufmann appeared and took his seat.

A communication from Minna Seller, relative to the Board of Education, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Health.

A communication from John Witt, City Engineer, relative to the condition of the city weights and measures, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Laws and Ordinances.

A communication from Peter Meagher, tendering his resignation as Commissioner of Appeals from the Fourth Ward, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Laws and Ordinances.

Councilman Stein appeared and took his seat.

The following claims were presented, read and referred:

To the Committee on Finance and Salaries: L. H. Kendrick, four days' services as City Clerk, \$16 44

To the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings: Bowes Bros., repairs to water pipe at fountain in Church Square Park, \$7 35

To the Committee on Streets and Assessments: Bowes Bros., material furnished Street Commissioner, \$1 85

Edward Stack, Acting Street Commissioner, pay roll, repairing streets from August 1 to 7, 1882, \$40 75

Edward Stack, Acting Street Commissioner, pay roll, cleaning streets from August 1 to 7, 1882, \$9 00

To the Committee on Fire and Water: Empire Hook & Ladder Company, twenty keys for Truck House, \$4 00

George W. White, work and materials for Fire Department, \$3 00

To the Committee on Lamps and Gas: The Argus, advertising proposals for lighting, \$3 60

John J. Meagher, repairing lamp on Ferry street, between Garden and Jefferson streets, \$10 10

John J. Smisson, repairs to lamps in front of No. 1 Truck House, \$5 00

John J. Smisson, repairs to lamp at station house, \$6 50

To the Committee on Sewers: William Ryan, one day's services as carpenter on sewer corner Jefferson and Newark streets, \$3 00

Thomas Smith, repairs to receiving basins corner Third and Court streets, \$5 50

Edward Stack, Acting Street Commissioner, repairing sewers from August 1 to 8, 1882, \$5 00

To the Committee on Alms: H. Meier, groceries furnished the poor, \$8 00

To the Committee on Public Health: Harry Thorpe, impounding and destroying 35 dogs, \$17 50

To the Committee on Licenses: Petition from Henry von der Leith, for license to keep house of public entertainment, petitions from David Cohen and George Robinson, for peddlers' licenses; petitions from Fritz Raab, John Wolfmann and Jacob Schmied, for express licenses, and from Oscar A. Holstein, for transfer of license granted him at No. 64 First street to No. 230 Washington street, \$17 50

The following bonds were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Laws and Ordinances:

Bond of Michael Fitzpatrick, for the improvement of Garden street; bond of John J. Smisson, for the improvement of Garden street; and bond of Fritz Raab and John Wolfmann, as expressmen, and John C. Crevier, as auctioneer, \$17 50

The agreement of John J. Smisson, to furnish repairs on street lamps, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Lamps and Gas.

The agreement of Michael Fitzpatrick, for the improvement of Garden street, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

The following claims were reported correct and ordered paid:

By the Committee on Sewers: George Focht, one receiving basin plate, \$3 50

On motion of Councilman Kaufmann the report was received and the claim ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Grassmann, Kaufmann, Kenney, Lee, Stein, Timken, Valieu and Chairman Miller.

Resolution of Councilman Timken appointing Hudson County Democrat official newspaper. Presented May 16, 1882.

Communication from John C. Besson, attorney for Arthur Clayton. Presented October 18, 1881. Proposed of S. Bayles to paint closets, &c. Presented November 6, 1881.

Resolution of Councilman Timken appointing Hudson County Democrat official newspaper. Presented May 16, 1882.

Communication from Charles L. Pitts relative to Southview pavement. Presented May 16, 1882.

Proposal of Charles Johnson to build sluice gate. Presented June 6, 1882.

Proposal of John Meighan to build closets. Presented June 6, 1882.

Proposal of John Wenly to build closets. Presented June 6, 1882.

Proposal of Benjamin Palmer for awnings at City Hall. Presented June 20, 1882.

Proposal of John Lewis for painting, &c. Presented June 27, 1882.

Proposal of Stephen Bayles for painting,



## FARMER STEERING AT OCEAN GROVE.

DEAR BROTHER JOHN:  
We got here safe—my worthy wife and me—An' pitched our tents within a grove contig'us to the sea:  
We've harvested such means of grace as growed within our reach;  
We've tended all the mornin' talks, we've heard the Bishop preach;  
An' everything went pleasantly, until we had a whim—  
My wife and I—one breezy day, to take an ocean swim.

We wouldn't ha' vent'ed on't, I think, if Sister Sunnynopes  
Hadh't urged us over an' ag'in, an' said she knew the ropes,  
An' told how safe an' sweet it was "in ocean rills to lave."  
An' "sport within the foaming surf" an' "ride the crested wave."  
An' so we went along with her—my timid wife an' me—  
Two inland noodles, for our first acquaintance with the sea.

They put me in a work-day rig, as usully is done—  
A wampus an' short overhauls all sewed up in to one.  
I had to pull an' fuss an' jerk to make the things go 'round,  
You're aware my peaceful weight will crowd three hundred pounds.  
They took my wig an' laid it up—to keep it safe, they said—  
An' strapped a straw-stack of a hat on my devoted head.

They put my wife into a dress too short by full a third—  
'Twas some'at in the "Bloomer" style, an' looked a bit absurd.  
You know she's rather tall an' slim—somewhat my opposite—  
An' clothes that are not cut for her are likely not to fit;  
But as we was vent'ed in—my faithful wife an' me—  
An' formed our first acquaintance with the inconsistent sea.

Miss Sunnynopes she went ahead, a-lookin' trim an' sweet;  
She'd had her bathin' suit all fixed an' trimmed from head to foot;  
An' I went out an' grabbed the rope, just as she told me to;  
An' wife come next, a-lookin' scared, scarce knowin' what to do.  
But Sister Sunnynopes to me a smile o' sweetness gave,  
An' said, "Now watch your chance, an' jump—here comes a lovely wave."

I must ha' jumped, I rather think, the wrong time of the moon;  
At any rate, the lovely wave occurred to me too soon.  
It took me solid, with a rude an' unexpected shock;  
It beat the stoutest pair o' horns there is in all my flock.  
An' then, to top the circus out, an' make the act more fine,  
I tried to kick the lovely wave, relinquishin' the line.

On country fair an' 'lection days, in walkin' through a crowd,  
I'm rather firm to jostle 'gainst—perhaps it makes me proud;  
But if it does, that wave discoursed how sureness never pays;  
An' seemed to shout, "How small is man, no odds how much he weighs!"  
It set on me, it jumped on me, in spite of right or law,  
An' whirled an' whirled me all about as if I'd been a straw.

An' then it laid me on the beach, right thankful for my life;  
An' scramblin' up, I gave a gaze to find my faithful wife;  
But she had sort o' cut the wave, with all the edge she had,  
An' stood a-holdin' to the rope, uncommon moist an' sad;  
While Sister Sunnynopes, with smiles, was lookin' proud an' gay,  
A floatin' on her dainty back, some several rods away.

She looked so newish pretty there (an' knowed it, too, the elf),  
The crowd was all admirin' her, an' so was I myself.  
An' while again I grasped the line beside my wife of truth,  
My eyes would rove to Sister S., her beauty an' her youth;  
When all at once another wave, tremendous broad an' deep,  
Come smashin' down on wife an' me, an' tossed us in a heap.

Heels over head, all in a bunch, my wife across o' me.  
An' I on some unlucky folks who happened there to be;  
My hat untied an' floated off, an' left my bald head bare.  
When we got out, if I'd ha' spoke, it would ha' warmed the air.  
We drank a good part of the sea—my gaspin' wife an' I—  
While Sister S. still floated soft, a gazin' at the sky.

We voted that we'd got enough, an' crawled out of the way  
Before another wave arrived, an' bid the sea good day.  
We looked as like two drowned rats as ever such was called.  
With one of 'em a mighty fool, particularly bald.  
But, like a woman true, she said—my watchful wife—to me,  
"We will not mind; there's others here that look as bad as we."

Now Sister Sunnynopes, by-'n-by, came back into our tent  
As sleek or sleeker than before, an' asked us when we went.  
Says I, "My dear good Sister S., please do not now pretend  
You did not see our 'yage through, an' mark its doleful end.  
If you would play the mermaid fair, why, such I'd have you be;  
But we're too old to take that part—my faithful wife an' me."

—Will Carleton in Harper's Weekly.

## Language Cannot Describe It.

Mr. Robert Gould, book-keeper for Walker A. Maxcy, who are lumber dealers, recently said to our representative: "About one year ago I was taken with the genuine sciatica. I employed the best physicians, but they could only relieve me for the moment. Finally I used St. Jacobs Oil and it effected a complete cure."—Kennebec Reporter, Gardiner, Me.

## A SEWING-GIRL.

"Now, girls, this won't do!" said Madame Molini, pouncing upon the six pale sewing girls, like a wolf into a flock of lambs. "No, it will never do in the world! I don't pay you all exorbitant wages to sit and fold your hands, like fine ladies. Miss Sedgewick, we are waiting for that lavender silk polonaise. Lucy Lisle, why do you not go on with those buttonholes? Miss Fox, you will be so good as to change your seat from the window to the middle of the room at once."

"But, madame, I can't see there to lay on these fine bias folds," pleaded Miss Fox.  
"You mean you can't see the carts and carriages in the street, and the type-setters in the windows opposite," retorted Madame Molini, whose true nomenclature was "Mullens," and who had been a milliner's apprentice in the goodly city of Cork, before she set up on Sixth avenue as a French modiste.

Lucy Lisle caught up her work.  
"I stopped just a minute, madame, with that bad pain in my side," she said, beginning to stitch away with eager hands.  
"If you're sick," said madame, severely, "you had better go home and send for the doctor. While you're here your time is mine, bought and sold for."

While Miss Sedgewick, in self-defense, urged that she had not enough silk to trim the polonaise and was waiting for more.  
"Not enough," shrilly repeated madame, "not enough! I measured that trimming myself, and I know that there is enough. You may just rip it off again and sew it on higher up, and more economically; and I shall deduct this morning's lost time from your wages. What's that, Flora Fay, the mode-colored silk dress? Finished? And where are the two and a half yards which were left?"

"I folded them up with the dress, madame," said Flora Fay, an innocent, blue-eyed young girl, recently from the country, who stood in an unconsciously graceful attitude before the fat and florid dress-maker.  
"Then you were a goose for your pains," shortly retorted Madame Molini, as she unfurled the parcel, abstracted the piece of glistening, uncut silk, and whisked it away upon a shelf. "Two yards and a half isn't much, but it is better than nothing."

Flora Fay opened the innocent blue eyes wide.  
"What is she going to do with it?" she asked Miss Fox, in a whisper, as madame rustled off to scold the errand boy for putting too much coal on the grate fire.  
"Don't you know, little sissy?" whispered Miss Fox, laughing. "It's what she cabbages!"

"Cabbages?" repeated Flora, in amazement. "I don't understand you."  
"You will, when you see the mode silk made up into a sleeveless basque for madame," said the other, "trimmed with the gimp that was left from Mrs. Aubrey's dinner dress, and the pearl fringe from Mrs. Ossett's white damask ball costume."

"But you don't mean," said the breathless Flora, "that madame takes the silk that is left from the customers' dresses?"  
"Goshie!" cried Miss Fox, "don't talk nonsense any longer. It's what every fashionable dressmaker does, and—"  
"There's the reception-room bell," shrilly called madame. "Miss Fay, answer it at once!"

Harry Drake was standing in the pretty room, all glistening with satin drapery, gilded mouldings and huge mirrors, when Flora came in—Harry Drake, the young sea captain, who boarded at the same quiet and inexpensive house where Flora was allowed a hall bedroom at a reasonable rate, on account of Mrs. Dodds having once boarded a summer at the old Fay farmhouse up among the Berkshire hills, and still retaining a kind recollection of Mrs. Fay's kindness during an illness which overtook her there.

"Oh, Miss Fay, is it you?" said Harry.  
"Do you work here? Upon my word, you seem to be in very comfortable quarters."  
"But I don't stay here all the while," said Flora, noting how his glance wandered from gilding to fresco, Axminster carpet to bronzed chandelier, "I sew in a little, dark room, where there is a stifling smell of coal gas, and no carpet on the floor."

"I've come for a dress," said Captain Drake, plunging headlong into his subject, after the fashion of men in general—"my sister's dress. She is to be married next week, and some of her friends coaxed her to have her dress made here. Miss Fortesque—she's only my half sister, you know," in answer to Flora's look of questioning surprise; "but she's very nice, and is going to marry well, I hope."  
"It's the mode-colored dress," said Flora, with brightening eyes. "I helped to trim it myself. Yes, it is ready."

And presently madame came smiling in, with the bill, and the dress folded neatly in a white pasteboard box, and Captain Drake departed with a dim idea that Madame Molini perfectly comprehended the art of high changes.  
Miss Fortesque herself came the next day. She was a young lady not lacking in quiet resolution. She knew her rights, and was prepared to defend them.  
"Where is the material I sent?" said she to Miss Fox, who was in attendance in the reception room. "It is not made up in the dress. I had purchased enough for a new waist and sleeves, and it is not all here."

"You must be mistaken," said Miss Fox, with an aspect of polite impossibility. "The bias puffs and folds cut up the material shockingly, and—"

ened face, twitched the two yards and a half of silk off the shelf, folded it into a paper, and handed it to Miss Fortesque, muttering something about "a mistake made by some of the young women," and the young lady departed, a little dubious as to whether or not the fashionable dress-maker had intended to cheat her.

She had hardly closed the door behind her, however, when Madame Molini turned upon poor Flora Fay, with a scarlet spot glowing in each cheek and lips closely compressed.  
"Young woman," said she, "you are discharged."  
"Discharged!" echoed Flora. "What for?"

"I want no one in my service," said madame, "who is too conscientious to fulfill my wishes. You have intermeddled unwarrantably in the matter of that silk, and I repeat that you are no longer in my employment."  
So poor little Flora went home crying, with a vague comprehension that she had been discharged because she had spoken out the truth.

It was nearly a fortnight afterward that Captain Drake noticed the absence of Miss Fay from the table at the boarding-house.  
"Is your little blue-eyed lodger ill, Mrs. Dodds?" he asked. "I don't think I have seen her of late."  
"No, she's not ill," said the landlady. "That is to say, not exactly sick. But she will be if she don't look out. She is boarding herself, Captain Drake, on bread and crackers, and such like, poor dear, and wasting away like a little shadow, because she's lost her situation at that dress-making place, and don't see her way clear to another. And she won't run in debt, she says, not even for a meal of victuals. Ah! the good woman added, "I can remember when she was the pet and darling of the old folks at home, before they lost their all, running about among the daisies and buttercups like a sunbeam."

"But how did she come to lose her place?" asked Captain Drake.  
And Mrs. Dodds, who liked to hear the sound of her own voice, told the whole story.  
"It's a shame!" cried the captain.  
"Just what I say myself," nodded the landlady.

And the next day, Miss Fortesque (who was Mrs. Arkwright now) came to see Flora Fay.  
"It was all my fault," said she, with affectionate vehemence, "that you lost your situation—and, oh, if you would only come and stay with me, and help me with the sewing for my new house, I should esteem it such a favor! Would you, please?"

"Are you quite sure that I can make myself useful?" said Flora, a little hesitatingly.  
"Yes, quite," said Mrs. Arkwright.  
And, in the sunny atmosphere of the bride's pretty home, the young country-girl seemed to expand into a different creature. Captain Drake, the most devoted brother in the world, came there nearly every day; and little Flora, all unconscious of her own feelings, began to watch for his daily visit as a heliotrope-blossom watches the sun.

Until at last, there was talk of another long voyage to Japan, and then Flora grew pale and nervous again.  
"I—I have been here long enough," she said. "If I go to the Exchange Bureau, they will perhaps tell me of a new situation. And I need a change."  
But Captain Drake went straight to the root of the matter.

"Flora," he said, "are you unwilling that I should sail to Jeddo?"  
"I always had a horror of the sea," whispered Flora, hanging down her pretty head. "But, of course, Captain Drake, you must do as you please."  
"Yes, of course," he answered, absently, and when he had gone, Flora shed a few quiet tears over the table linen she was hemming for Mrs. Arkwright.

"How bold and unmanly it is of me," she thought, "to let myself care for a man who does not think twice of me! If he had cared one iota for me, would he not have said so then?"  
But the next evening, at dusk, Captain Drake sauntered in with that swinging gait of his, as if he were still treading the deck of an outward bound vessel.

"Don't run away, Flora," said he, as the girl caught up her work and prepared for a precipitate retreat.  
"Did—did you want to speak to me?" she faltered, with downcast eyes.  
"Don't I always want to speak to you. Sit down, Flora," said he, "and hear what I've been planning."  
"Now it is coming," thought Flora, with a sick feeling at her heart. "He is going to be married, and he has come to tell me so."

"I have decided to give up the seafaring business," said Captain Drake.  
"Have you?" fluttered Flora, faintly. "I am so glad."  
"And I've bought a farm in Connecticut," he went on; "the old Berkshire farm, Flora, where you were born and brought up. I'm going to be a farmer."  
She looked at him, the rose and lily following each other across her cheeks.

"Oh," she cried, involuntarily, "if I could only see the dear, old place once more!"  
"But I won't go there to live," said the captain, determinedly, "unless you'll go there with me, Flora, as the farmer's wife! What do you think of it, little girl? Shall it be a partnership?"  
And when Mrs. Arkwright came in, the papers were all sealed, signed and delivered, and the partnership was a foregone conclusion.

"I don't know how I shall succeed as a farmer," said Captain Drake to his sister; "but if little Flora here is only with me, there's nothing in all the world that I haven't courage to undertake."  
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