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OUR CANDIDATES.

FOR PRESIDENT,
BENJAMIN HARRISON,
OF Indiana.

FOR VICE-PRESIDENT,
WHITELAW REID,
OF New York.

For Pictures.

Under "foreign competition" (to
which the "competition of American
industries started up by the McKinley
law) the average weekly wages of
weavers in Bradford, the great woolen
manufacturing center of England, de-
creased from \$3.24

In 1890 to \$3.08

In 1891 that is a heavy decrease for
one year. Meanwhile the Senate
finance sub-committee, including two
Democrats, unanimously reported the
other day that wages in the United
States are higher than they were be-
fore the enactment of the McKinley
law.—NEW YORK PRESS.

"We believe in the preservation of
the American market for our American
producers and workmen. We believe
that the development of home man-
ufacturers tends strictly to promote the
interest of agriculture by furnishing a
home market for the products of the
farm, and thus emancipating our farm-
ers from the transportation charges
which they must pay when their prod-
ucts seek distant markets.—Benjamin
Harrison.

MR. BLAINE is no sulker in his tent.
He will take the stump all along the
line in the Pine Tree State. This is
standing by his Brunswick Hotel de-
claration in favor of the support of the
ticket by all good Republicans, and
shows that the great ex-Secretary
practices what he preaches.

THE LONDON TIMES FOR CLEVELAND.

It favors the Democrats because they
favor Free Trade.

[From The Liverpool (Eng.) Courier.]
The Democratic party in the States
may rest assured that if English
sympathy could carry the election of
Grover Cleveland in November, the
White House would be theirs.
We shall watch the development of
the struggle with the keenest inter-
est; and, even if the triumph be not
attained all at once, there is indeed
reason for congratulation, the one of
the great American parties has made
free trade, pure and simple, the great
battle-cry of the future.

Cleveland Would Carry England.

A Christian without bigotry; a pa-
triot without sectionalism; a statesman
without narrowness; a politician with-
out bitterness; a soldier without vanity;
a popular leader without vulgarity, he
stands before the country to-day a typi-
cal American citizen, without bias,
tender-hearted without guile. He ap-
preciates the good, the true, the beau-
tiful; sympathizes with the poor, the
ignorant, the unfortunate, and condemns
all that is low, mean and evil.—New
York Independent (Religious weekly).

Benjamin Harrison.

The valuable curative properties of
Alloek's Porous Plasters are due to
the employment of the highest medical
and chemical skill. They are purely
vegetable, and in ingredients and
method have never been equalled;
safe, quick and effective in their action;
they do not burn or blister, but soothe
and relieve while curing, and can be
worn without causing pain or incon-
venience.

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tation. All other so-called Porous
Plasters are imitations, made to sell on
the reputation of Alloek's.
Ask for Alloek's and let no sollicita-
tion or explanation induce you to ac-
cept a substitute.

LATE NEWS!

CHARGED WITH MURDER.

Strikers Make Informations Against Frick,
the Pinkerton and Prominent Carnegie
Officers.

(BY SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE COURIER.)
PITTSBURGH, Pa., Aug. 3.—Hugh Ross,
who was one of the men accused by
Secretary Loevy of murder and riot
at Homestead, and who is now out on
bail, to-day made informations before
Alderman King of the South Side, Pitts-
burgh, charging H. C. Frick, F. T. F.
Lovejoy, Robert Pinkerton, William
Pinkerton, J. A. Potter, G. A. Corey,
J. G. A. Leishman, H. M. Curry, C. W.
Bedell, Fred Primer, W. H. Burt,
John Cowper and F. W. Hired, of the
murder of John E. Morris, G. V.
Ritter, Elias Wayne and Joseph Stots.

The five last names of the accused are
Pinkerton detectives Robert and
William Pinkerton are the heads of the
Pinkerton Bureau. The others are
Carnegie officers.

This step has been taken against the
advice of the counsel for the strikers.

SHOCKED AND LIVED.

Electricity Knocks a Lamp Pixer from a Pole.
(SPECIAL BY WIRE TO THE COURIER.)

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—Frederick
Bushnell, an employee of the North
River Electric Light Company, while
repairing a broken lamp on a pole at
the corner of 141st street and Third
avenue, last night, received such a
severe shock of electricity, he was thrown
to the ground 40 feet below. His only
injuries were a severe cut on his head
and several bruises.

SMASHES A RECORD.

The Steamship Tontine Makes the Best Day's
Run Ever Known.

(BY WIRE TO THE COURIER.)
NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—The steamship
Tontine, which arrived here this morn-
ing, now holds the record for the fast-
est day's run ever made, that of 528
knots. The best run heretofore made
was 520 knots, which the City of Paris
made on her last trip.

SOME IDEAS ABOUT SHOES.

Mistakes People Make in their Foot Wear
and How to Rectify Them.

There are people who think that just
because they fancy a certain shape
shoe that they must wear it. Never was
there a greater mistake. People's feet
are just as characteristic as their figures
and must be dressed with as much dis-
cretion if the best effect is to be pro-
duced. A quarter inch in the length
of the vamp will make all the difference
between comfort and discomfort, right
and wrong proportion. A foot, for in-
stance, with a low instep must have the
vamp arranged so as to give an appear-
ance of height, must have the sole so
curved and arched as to make a spring,
and must have a higher heel to attain
the same end. "Long feet need one
style of fit, short ones another. The
salient or characteristic points of the
foot must be followed in the lines of
the shoes if harmony is to be attained,
and the very best thing a would-be
buyer can do is to select a shoe-maker
with a good reputation and leave the
matter entirely in his hands. It stands to reason that a
man who makes the study of feet his
daily business must know more about
them than you do. He can see at a
glance what they need and why the
last shoes have been unsatisfactory.

Let him diagnose the case just as you
would the doctor; follow out his advice
for force and the chances are you will
be more comfortably and satisfactorily
shod than if you had selected a pair of
shoes because they pleased you in the
show window.

Of course, much depends on your
choice of a shoe-maker. Find a good
one and pin your faith to him. He
will doubtless keep your own last
carefully for you, and will hammer any
little fads and fancies you may have
in the way of decoration. Springfield,
of the Star Shoe Store, has a very thor-
ough respect for and appreciation of the
human foot. He gives it all his
consideration possible, and has presen-
ted to the public many a bright idea
as to its adornment.

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HEARING THE GALLOW.

Young Value's Application for a Writ of
Habeas Corpus Denied.

THORNTON, N. J., Aug. 3.—Judge Green
of the Federal Court has denied the ap-
plication for a writ of habeas corpus in the
case of Robert Allen Fales, the boy mur-
derer, upon whom the death warrant is now
set in Newark.

Judge Henry, the boy's counsel, entered
an appeal from this refusal to the Federal
Circuit Supreme Court, and Fales cannot
be hanged, he says, pending the disposi-
tion of the matter at Washington.

WAS HE A REBEL?

A Man With a Previously Good Record
Shot and Killed in Buffalo.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Aug. 3.—Ralph Allen
of 725 Jefferson street shot and killed
William Sweeney, aged 20 years, of 41
West Seneca street, shortly before day-
light as the latter was trying to force an
entrance into his house.

Sweeney's body lies in the morgue and
Allen is under arrest, charged with murder.

Allen says that he was awakened at
4 o'clock by some one trying to force a
window. He secured a revolver and
waited to hear who it was. The man was
working at the kitchen window and had
succeeded in forcing it open when Allen
demanded to know who he was. Receiving
no answer, Allen opened the door and saw a man.

He took aim and fired, the ball taking
effect in the left breast.
Sweeney was taken to the hospital and
died a few minutes after 5 o'clock, with-
out making a statement or explaining why
he was shot.

Sweeney bore a good reputation and was
his mother's only support.

OBJECT TO A CHECK SYSTEM.

Four Hundred Men Strike Against an At-
tempt to Number Them.

DARTMOUTH, Conn., Aug. 3.—Four
hundred men are on strike at the New
Haven & Danbury Company's Works in
Newtown. The strikers protested against a
check system which was recently in-
troduced by the company. The system re-
quires the men to be numbered, and
whenever a man enters or leaves the fac-
tory he has to deposit a check bearing his
number in a box at the entrance to the
factory.

F. G. Jones of Newtown, manager of the
Newtown works, was sent for, and is
trying to get the strikers to agree to the
check system. The New York
Belt & Packing Company is a big com-
pany, having factories in New York City,
Cleveland, Mass., N. J., and other
places.

At Newtown they have two large fac-
tories, and it is about the only industry
there. It is thought that the company
will not succeed in its demand to
remove the obnoxious system. The men
appear firm, however.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

James G. Shattuck, a Boston horse
dealer, aged 62, died yesterday from a
kick in the stomach inflicted by Ernest F.
Flagg, aged 21. Flagg has been ac-
cused.

Returns of the triennial elections in the
Province of France Monday for members
of the Council General have been received
from 1,123 districts. They show a Re-
publican gain of 110 seats.

The case of J. M. Cross and A. G. Mc-
Daniel, who were arrested at Denver on
the charge of having robbed President
McKinty of the First National Bank of \$21,000,
was dismissed for want of proof.

Congress has accepted as United States
minerals during the month of July as fol-
lows: Gold, 85,000 pounds of the value
of \$1,440,000; silver, 1,043,000 pounds of
the value of \$209,500; minor ores, 1,900,000
pounds of the value of \$19,000.

While trying to pass an officer at
Reading, Pa., yesterday, George Hud-
dick, a Hungarian, aged 28 years, jumped
into the car and was killed. He was
drunk. He was wanted to answer a
charge of assaulting a Jewish peddler.
Six hundred dollars were found on his person.

It is estimated that 15,000 men are now
idle in the United States on account of
trouble which grew out of the lockout of
iron workers by the Iron League because
the union had ordered a strike on the
Criminal Court building, where the Jack-
son Architectural Iron Company employed
non-union housemen.

Standing of the Clubs.

Club	Wins	Losses	Games	Runs	Errors
Cleveland	10	207	217	7	333
Philadelphia	9	200	209	8	487
Baltimore	9	200	209	8	487
Pittsburgh	9	200	209	8	487
New York	9	200	209	8	487

NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—Money 30 call say
at 140 1/2 per cent.

NEW YORK CLOSING PRICES.

Wanted.

Ladies and gentlemen suffering with sore
throat and lung difficulties tell at our drug
store for a bottle of Ostry's Cure, which we are
distributing free of charge, and we can com-
pactly recommend it as an superior remedy
for Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Consumption,
and all diseases of the throat and lungs. It
will stop a cough quicker than any known
remedy. We will guarantee it to cure you.
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employ no agents to drum trade, thereby
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Train leaves Plainfield 8 a. m. Asbury
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Children under 12 years, 90c

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We have a large stock of men's, women's
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\$2.50 \$1.50
\$2.25 \$1.75
\$2.00 \$1.50
\$1.50 \$1.00

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PERTINENT PARAGRAPHS.

The Court of Special Sessions met at Elizabeth, to-day.

Two good pictures have been taken of the Journal trophy.

The storm last evening served to keep many people from the streets.

There are forty-seven prisoners confined in the county jail at Elizabeth.

A lawn festival will be held at No. 112 West Eighth street, on Friday evening.

A scientist computes that there are about the summer, 7,324 flies to every man.

A disford ring valued at \$193 was lost on the sidewalk between Front street and the depot early this morning.

It is estimated that between one and two thousand people will witness the grand Venetian carnival at Cranford on Saturday evening next.

When you read in a newspaper that which you know is not true, just wonder to yourself what an awful liar told the editor that story.

The three cases against hackman Kelly, for violation of the city ordinance, will come up before Judge Codrington tomorrow morning at ten o'clock.

Campaign badges for the fair are made in the form of the very popular double bow-knots of metal, with the candidate's portrait suspended therefrom.

The pinch-penny, slow-going yesterday man, the too-poor, or the too-lazy to buy, is never in the local newspaper procession; he gets his news sitting about the grocery or some loafing place.

Eugene A. Laloe, the barber, on Monday, staked out for a house on the lot recently purchased from Messrs. Huggins & Hunt, on Evesha avenue.

The total cost for the house and lot will probably not exceed \$3,000.

The fourth track on the Central Railroad was still blocked, last evening, between here and Tappan, and all freight and coal trains were obliged to take truck north one, going west. The blockade is likely to last for a week yet.

An stranger who bore a striking resemblance to County Clerk Crowl, of this county, stepped off a train at Rahway, last night, and was struck and killed by an express on the other track. His body was frightfully mangled.

At half past one to-morrow morning Mars will be in the opposition with the sun. His distance from the earth is approximately 31,000,000 miles, and will be then nearer than, at any time since 1877, when Hall discovered the two satellites, and closer to us than it will be again until 1909.

As will be seen from the official temperature, as furnished by Observer Nettle, all day yesterday the mercury kept in about one position. It ranged was 72.5, and its lowest 67. The mean temperature for the day was 69.75. It may be some time before the extremes will be so near alike as they were yesterday.

Four hundred years ago this morning Columbus packed his Santiago truck, crated his safety bicycle, tied a string around his finger so that he would not forget to telegraph to his wife when he arrived in Chicago, and boarded the steamship City of Paris in order to discover America. His trip was a howling success.

The controversy between the Fire Department and the police justices regarding the right of proceeding in the proposed grand demonstration and parade, at New Brunswick, on Columbus day continues with unabated success. The firemen want the right of way, and the Odd Fellows the right of life. No adjustment of matters has yet been reached.

The second annual excursion of the Union Christian Endeavor Society of this city and New York, to Poughkeepsie, on the Hudson, will take place Wednesday, August 10. The committee in charge have chartered the iron steamer, "Talcott," and a full brass band has been engaged for the occasion. The train leaves the North avenue station at 8:01, and tickets for the round trip are \$1.35.

— IF YOU —

Want money,
Want a Cook,
Want Boarders,
Want a Partner,
Want a Situation,
Want a Servant,
Want to sell a Farm,
Want to sell a House,
Want to rent a House,
Want to sell Plaster or Grain,
Want to exchange anything,
Want to tell Groceries or Drugs,
Want to sell or trade for anything,
Want to find customers for anything,
Want to sell or buy horses, mules, cattle,

— USE —

THE COURIER'S

WANT COLUMN

Only One Cent a Word Each insertion and it will be

READ BY THOUSANDS.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. Arthur Stryker of Peace street is home from Ocean Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Van Arsdale, have gone to Spring Lake for a few days.

Mr. A. H. Mulford, of Sanford avenue, is stopping at Silver Bay, Lake George.

David I. Smalley is dangerously sick at his residence, on Summit avenue, North Plainfield.

Miss Charlotte Barnett, of New York, is visiting friends on Grove street, North Plainfield.

On Monday, Mrs. H. E. Needham, of this city, was married at the Ocean Hotel, Asbury Park.

At the Gracery, Asbury Park, on Monday, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Hubbard, of this city, were registered.

Mayor Saunders, of North Plainfield, believes in compressed air as a motive power for street railway traffic.

Robert Graham, of Graham, Texas, will arrive in Plainfield on or about the 16th instant, for a month's visit here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Wentworth, of New York City, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Ball, of Belvidere avenue.

Rev. C. L. Goodrich, pastor of the Congregational Church, is enjoying a needed rest at Waterville, New Hampshire.

Mrs. John D. Stryker and daughter, of West Sixth street, have returned from a pleasant two weeks' trip to Asbury Park.

John W. Murray and family, of Central avenue and Eighth street, are registered at the Marion House, Lake George, N. Y.

Mrs. G. D. Patten, Miss Lulu Patten, Miss Florence Abbott and Miss Delphine Bowers, of this city, were at The Leadley, Asbury Park, yesterday.

Among those residents of Plainfield, who were registered at Asbury Park yesterday were Mrs. James C. Pope and William Pope, who were at the Tremont.

A children's party and lunch will be given on the lawn of Constantine P. Ball's residence, at Netherwood, on Monday, in honor of the birthday of their daughter, Pauline.

Word has been received in this city of the death this morning, in Brooklyn, of Mrs. William J. Brett, of East Ninth street. The funeral services will probably take place on Saturday.

Charles Arnold, the Liberty street butcher, has shut up his shop and gone to California to look after a fortune which an uncle left him, variously estimated as from seventy-five to eighty thousand dollars.

Advices received from Texas this morning state that George Demetz and Fred Oiler, of this city, are enjoying good health and a pleasant tour in Mexico, George and William Craig's ranch near Graham.

Verona, the one-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. Wheeler, died at Asbury Park yesterday. The funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon at her father's residence, on the Johnston farm, Netherwood, at 3 o'clock.

Gertrude, the only child of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Doane, of 43 East Fourth street, died last evening of cholera infantum at the age of one year. Funeral services will be held on Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Interment will be at Hillside cemetery.

M. Gohn, the new Jewish Rabbi of the local synagogue, took charge last evening. The new Rabbi lives in New York and comes out here and conducts services every Friday night and Saturday morning. He is paid ten dollars a week for his services. The Jewish congregation in this city numbers about twenty persons.

George F. Oplake, of West Eighth street, in this city today. He says his family are at North Asbury Park, where they were compelled to go, owing to the sickness of one of the children. They will return to their home on West Eighth street the first of next week for a few days; then they will go to the Catskill Mountains to remain until the first of October.

Harrison W. Crosby died at his home at Jamesburg, N. J., on July 12, aged 78. Mr. Crosby was steward of Lafayette College, at Easton, Pa., where, in 1847, he discovered the art of hermetically sealing tomatoes in tin cans. An exchange says he sent samples of such goods to the President and Queen Victoria, who then for the first time were enabled to have tomatoes upon their tables in the Winter, and sent letters of thanks for the same.

At the Crescent League meeting, this evening, Manager "Tom" Keller, of the Crescent team, is to be presented with a handsome and costly mystic shrine badge. Captain "Chile" Hordford has been soliciting subscriptions for a day or two, heading the list himself with five dollars, and the result of his labors is that he has secured enough money to purchase the handsome trophy which Manager Keller so well deserves.

—According to the August number of the Journal of the Non-Secret Endowment Order, Israel D. Ten Eyck, was paid \$1,000 and Charles H. Schermerhorn \$40, during the preceding month for disability claims.

MR. SOMERBY WILL SAY NOTHING.

He Declines to Make any Statement Regarding the Finance of the Iron Hall, but Says He Will in Court.

The New York Times of this date prints the following special despatch from Indianapolis regarding the Iron Hall receivership: "Freeman D. Somerby, supreme justice of the Iron Hall, consented to be interviewed this morning. Concerning his delay in arriving here he said: 'On account of the ill health of my wife we went to an island above Detroit, and I did not hear of this thing (the Iron Hall receivership) until after one o'clock on Saturday, and it was after seven o'clock Saturday evening before I was able to get any definite information. I then came here as quickly as possible. Before going to the island we my wife I was in New York, where I made a speech, and we paid out \$16,000 to the members of the New York branch.'

"These charges, Mr. Somerby, are against you personally, and the public would like to know your side of the case."

"In regard to that I propose to say nothing. The proper tribunal to try that case is the court and not the newspapers."

"He also declined to say whether it was true, as rumored, that there is now \$500,000 of Iron Hall coin in an Indianapolis bank and \$700,000 in the bank at Philadelphia, that could not be obtained on demand, or whether he had used the Philadelphia bank since the time of the Keystone failure. The Order pays taxes on only \$20,000."

—A new use for "Rough on Rats" has been found. One day last week a lady sent to one of our stores for a box of "Rough on Rats," and from past sections of the woman, the storekeeper refused to sell it. The woman, becoming somewhat vexed at the refusal, went to the store herself and wanted to know the reason why she had been refused. The storekeeper told her that they were not allowed to sell it unless a prescription from a doctor accompanied the order, and then asked her what she wanted it for. She said that she had a very severe toothache and wanted it to cure it. —South Jerseyman.

—Captain Grant, though brightly-eyed a young boy named Loderer on Park avenue this morning for disturbing the Salvation Army and for throwing apples at passing drivers. The boy, it is said, has frequently made trouble at the Salvation Army barracks, and the police say that upon more than one occasion he has been ejected from the building. Captain Grant told the boy that he had a complaint against him and that he had a good notion to take him in. Finally the boy was let off with a reprimand and a promise that he would never again be caught in the same fix.

—During the past week Delinquent Tax Collector V. W. Nash has sent out a number of notices to persons, who have not paid their poll taxes, to the effect that if such taxes are not paid at once the goods and chattels will be levied upon and sold to pay such tax. If they own no goods or chattels, then he will be lawful for him to deduct the sum out of the rent, or to recover the same from the landlord by action of debt, with costs. He's bound to get it somehow.

—Anne Mason, the precocious female who was arrested by Marshal Pangborn in North Plainfield, on Monday night, was yesterday given her liberty upon a promise to leave town, went to New York on the 230 o'clock train in the afternoon. The girl has been in this city but a few weeks, and she has been harbored in the city poor house.

—A trial of the new street railway cars is now promised for Saturday, and the road will be ready for regular traffic on the following Monday. The arrangements for the drivers and conductors have arrived and the only delay now is in the arrival of the cars. Jesse Hettfield, an experienced railroad man, will conduct one of the cars on the initiative trip.

—A well attended meeting of the Camera club was held last evening. Among other things, it was decided to amend the constitution and by-laws of club, and the outgoing committee decided to have an outing on Thursday, August 11, to Short Hills by way of the Terrill road.

—A delegation from Mianomomo Tribe, No. 118, Improved Order of Red Men, went to Newark on Monday afternoon as the guests of Chatachoke Tribe, No. 24, of that place. During the day there was a parade and a picnic and a dance followed in Caledonian Park.

—Investigations of rats drop less to the conclusion that some of the large drops must be more or less hollow, as they fall when striking to wet the whole surface inclosed within the drop. But if your gown happens to be of a delicate silk you never think of this.

—The Elizabeth police during the month of July made 143 arrests, 132 of whom were males and 11 females. The fines collected amounted to \$59. Nine lodgers were accommodated.

FIGHTING WITH THE TARIFF.

Mayor Saunders, of North Plainfield, and Farmer James Holmes the Subject in the Fourth Ward Last Evening.

In response to an announcement, a small number of Democrats gathered at St. Mary's Hall, last evening, to listen to an address by Mayor William L. Saunders, of North Plainfield. His actual count there were fifty-four persons, including several boys. Chairman Vincent L. Frazer, of the Fourth Ward Democratic Club, called the meeting to order, and introduced the speakers of the evening.

Mayor Saunders said in beginning that he was glad to get into politics when so young, even if Mr. Schneider, of Bull Frog City, did go against him. He alluded to and commented upon a communication published in the Courier, recently, with reference to the steel and iron industry, and asserted that the McKinley bill was responsible for the strike at Homestead. The two great issues in the present campaign, Mr. Saunders said, theoretically, are tariff and Nationalism, but the main bone of contention is the tariff. In quoting from General Hutehinson, of New South Wales, he said: "We do not want American money, but American manufacturers." Mayor Saunders closed by stating that if the people should pay him a tariff of a penny a year he could raise oysters on the Rocky Mountains, but failed to state whether he referred to canned oysters or pickled oysters.

James E. Martine, the "Farmer Orator," was next introduced, and for nearly an hour he talked on the tariff question, explaining in his own peculiar way the word "tariff" as then he was witty and at other times he actually grew hysterical.

A vote of thanks was tendered Mayor Saunders and Mr. Martine, after which the meeting adjourned.

Hands Across the Sea at Music Hall Monday Night.

This well known melodramatic play, by Henry Pettit, will inaugurate the dramatic season in Plainfield, at Music Hall, next Monday night, August 3, with entire new scenery and a special company, in fact everything new for the entire production. The play is well known in this city having led a first class reputation when last seen here.

The Boston Globe in speaking of this play said: "The scenic splendor of this play needs no endorsement at our hands. It has been seen and admired by the thousands of our people on previous engagements. Since it is to say that all of the original scenery, repainted and improved, together with the same grand company that appeared earlier in the season, not only attracted and pleased an audience that filled every seat and inch of standing room, but will crowd the theatre to the doors during the remainder of the engagement."

Judge Grant a Buoyant.

Upon a judgment rendered by Justice Nash, Constable Amos Moffitt went yesterday to Frank Hall's house on Park avenue, near Cedar Brook, for the purpose of levying on a bicycle, which had been purchased from A. D. Phillips, the electrician. When the constable reached the house the wheel was missing, and he claims that it has been hidden and spirited away. He has been looking for the wheel, and hopes to recover it in a short time.

Very Mystical.

The managers and assistant managers who have charge of the affairs of the Central New Jersey Base Ball League, met at the Y. M. C. I. A. rooms at Elizabeth, last night, and after several hours of talk and nearly eleven o'clock, adjourned to meet Tuesday evening of next week. It was agreed that the proceedings should be kept secret.

—Part of the cross-walk over West Front street, at the intersection of Somerset street, was re-laid to-day by the Street Railway Company. This is the spot where Abram Adams' carriage was broken down a few days ago, and the occupants, four in number, thrown out.

—During the past week Judge Nash has collected a poll tax which has been standing ever since 1882. The amount of the tax was \$10 and the interest and costs had accumulated until they amounted to \$8.80, almost as much as the principal.

—Ellen Nolan, the middle-aged woman who tried to strangle her husband, on Monday night, was taken to the county jail early this morning. Captain Grant sent Officer Kelly along to watch the woman on the way over.

—It is not generally known that persons who are in arrears for their poll tax and who do not show any disposition to pay up, are liable to be arrested at any time and placed in the county jail until the payment is made.

—The Water Supply Company is extending its mains along Front street, from Richmond street to the city, to supply patrons in that part of the city.

—Do you want bill heads or statements? The Courier prints them.

Bicycle Race.

Messrs. Yarnall, F. L. C. Martin, A. L. Hirsch, G. Mahon, H. H. Brokaw and H. C. Hudson, of the Plainfield Bicycle Club, will take part in the race at Asbury Park on Friday and Saturday of this week. Of these, Mahon, Hudson and Hirsch will compete in some of the events.

A 10 mile open bicycle race is to be contested over the Westfield course, on Thursday, August 11. The race will be open to all young men under 18 years of age. Entries should be made with Harry Milham, at Rogers' bicycle store, on West Fifth street, not later than August 10. Suitable prizes will be awarded.

In reference to the ordinance concerning the riding of bicycles on to sidewalks of the city, which was adopted by the Council on Monday evening, and which becomes a law on August 15, prominent wheelmen say that the law should be made imperative for the West Front street or Grant avenue concerned. In the present condition of these streets it is utterly impossible, in many places, to ride a wheel and cyclists are compelled either to go on the sidewalks or give up riding altogether.

The Bearings, of Chicago, takes the Courier to task for the story which appeared in its columns recently, to the effect that a wheelman of this city who punctured his tire several miles from home, used chewing gum to stop the leak. It says: "The story should be taken with a grain of salt." In answer, we are requested by cyclist George Mahon to say that the accident took place when he was over thirty miles from home, that he used the gum as the Courier said, and that he rode his gum-repaired wheel for two days afterwards without its giving out. He has five witnesses to prove the accident took place and the wheel repaired as stated.

Base Ball Notes.

Murphy will pitch for the Crescents this afternoon.

On Saturday, Hudson will umpire the game at Plainfield and Hopkins will officiate at Westfield.

The Brighton Athletics are contesting with the Crescents on the North Plainfield grounds, this afternoon.

Gerry will be the pitcher for the Crescents who will have to pitch against this afternoon. He is spoken of as a "dandy."

"Gentle" William Murphy bowled with B. T. Barnes this morning, and was beaten by a score of 174 to 133.

The Arlingtons will play the Giants of North Plainfield on the Park avenue ball grounds to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

Well! Well! Well!

[From the Elizabeth Journal.]

The Y. M. C. I. A. have now a good fighting chance for winning the Central N. J. League pennant, and they are in the race in earnest. Under Captain Bowes they will open the eyes of the leaders when next they meet.

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To the first person who by taking two letters from the word "Pique," can make the name of a disease, that is common in portions of both Canada and the United States, will be given an elegant Upright Piano, valued at \$250, or its equivalent in cash, as preferred.

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