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BY THE WAY.

-The Borough Council will meet in regular session to-morrow evening.

-The week of prayer is being observed in the churches this week, and the attendance thus far has been very good.

-Three good milch cows belonging to a man named Barney were drowned by the high water in the Raritan River at Bound Brook on Monday.

-Many of the streets in the city are new lighted with incandescent lamps, and the work of extending the circuit is progressing favorably.

-The officers elected at the last encampment of Major Anderson Post, No. 109 G. A. R. of this city, will be installed on Thursday evening next.

-This being the Week of Prayer, there gregational church, this evening and tonorrow evening, at eight o'cleck.

-Next Sunday the Rev. Dr. Talmage will begin a course of sermons to the women of America, with practical hints for men. They will be published in full in THE PRESS.

-At Reform Hall to-night the newly elected officers of the Reform Club will beinstalled into their respective offices. The installation services are public and all are cordially invited to attend.

another flood in Washington Valley. The streams were all swollen to alarming di- this city for the past eighteen years, that ensions, and many of the residents were prepared to "move out" at a moment's

ment of the affairs of the Central R. R. of portrayed as a body of blackguards." N. J., has passed out of their hands, and is now under control of the officers of of the "News" has been printed in this pa- light drama which will probably be day schools-will result in time. The the Company.

-On Jan. 12, a convention of the retail it ever will appear. merchants of New Jersey will be held in Newark or the formation of an association for mutual protection and advice. It will establish branches in every city and town in the State.

-The Sussex Register says: "We hope the tax will be removed from tobacco, but regular session in the library building last The Rev. J. P. Taylor of the Church of there should be a tax of 50 cents on those villainous, arsenic-bleached coffin nails ance was transacted except the auditing. The funeral of Mrs. Geo. M. Angleman known as eigarettes. They not only pol- of claims, and the purchase of a lot of took place from the house yesterday lute the air, but aid the smokers to an books sent out by the late Librarian, Mr. afternoon at half-past two o'clock? Rev. early death.

-Unless the date is changed, the new and beautiful German Reformed church Librarian was received. It was as fol, sisted Rev. Mr. Marshall of Haverstraw. on Craig Place, North Plainfield, will for- lows: mally be dedicated on Sunday, February 5. A choir of male and female voices now rehearse in the chapel every Wednesday and Friday evening special music to be rendered on this particular occasion.

-It is authoritatively stated that the members of the Elizabeth Common Council whose terms expired with the old year, together with those holding over, will bring suit against the city for the full amount of their salaries and costs since they have held the office. No salaries have been paid since the city's financial troubles began, as it is claimed to be contrary to law.

Fell From a Building.

Charles Young, an employee of Mr. A. M. Griffin the East Front street hardware dealer, was painfully injured in North Plainfield on Tuesday. He was engaged in taking some measurements for his work on the dwelling house of Mr. Gavin on Duer street, when without warning and in some une-countable manner, he toppled over and fell from the scaffold, striking on the frozen ground about twenty feet below. He was assisted to his home on Somerset street, and Dr. J. T. Fritts summoned. The doctor found, upon examination, a fracture of one of the ribs, which together with some slight privilege, tis leap year, you know. bruises, were the only injuries inflicted. Mr. Young considers himself fortunate to escape with these injuries, which will probably confine him to the house for the remainder of the week.

OUR DAY-LATE CONTEMPORARY.

One Explanation of How and Why It Fabricates Its News.

Having failed entirely and always to obtain any authentic news except from these columns, our day-late contemporary now manufactures it. Last evening's News deliberately published a false report of the proceedings of the Board of to its readers as a spiteful speaking body dence on GrandView avenue, North Plainof backbiters.

Such deceit and falsity is a growth of Dr. Van Meter officiated. the vindictiveness that has rankled in the sole of our inane contemporary since its appeal to the public for more fundsdecided with perfect judgment and good reason, that the News was no medium through which to reach our better people.

This eloquent appeal, written by the Rev. J. L. Huribut, was placed before the community through the columns of The Central Times, The Constitutionalist and THE DAILY PRESS, by authority of the Board's representatives. It was understood that if the appeal was endorsed by the vote of the people, the Board would consider the subject of proper compensation. The result of Dr. Hurlbut's unclouded and convincing statement of the School Board's financial need, was an overwhelming majority in favor of more money for the purposes intended. But it number, 123, which drew the prize. is unnecessary to state this self-evident fact-if the papers mentioned above had not published the appeal, conviction the money would not have been voted.

with the case, is just this. After the son: newspapers of the city had been officially instructed to publish the appeal, the local sheet with tears in its eyes, begged a member of the Board for a copy of the accorded, the favor was granted, and long terms. will be special prayer services in the Con- after the whole city had read the document it appeared in the News . .

In the bill presented by Messrs. W. L. Force & Bro., to the Board of Education, last evening, the charge for the publication of the appeal was left open, as instructed, for the Board's consideration. It was decided not to pay anything for the service, and that was all. We are requested by members of the Board to state that the words quoted in relation to the statement is entirely false. One member said to a Press reporter, "Is it probable Sunday's storm nearly resulted in that after serving the cause of public education and its Boards of Trustees in THE CONSTITUTIONALIST is to suffer conturnely at our hands? I want also to -Official notice has gone forth from the am speaking for my fellow members when

per. It is also, probably, the last time brought out on that occasion.

Library Director's Meeting.

Babcock, Tracy and Tyler, constituting a 9:29 train. The funeral services will be quorum of the Board of Directors of the held to-morrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock Public Library and Art Gallery, met in at the residence of Mrs. Davis at Evona. evening. But little business of import the Heavenly Rest, will officiate. A. W. Tyler, for approval. Three of the Dr. Van Meter, pastor of the M. E. church number were rejected. The report of the of which the deceased was a member, as-

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-The Board of Chosen Freeholders a

in session at Elizabeth this afternoon. -A valuable work horse belonging to Street Commissioner Angleman died on

Monday. The animal was valued at \$250. -A meeting of the Union County Board of Agriculture was held at Elizabeth today. Farm products was the subject discussed.

-1887 has stepped behind the "curtain of Time" to make room for the appearance of 1888. Now, girls, exercise your

-At the Brooklyn Tabernacle, last Sunday morning, the Rev. Dr. Talmage discoursed on the glories of Heaven. The sermon in full is published on our last page of today.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

City Judge Ulrich is recovering from the sickness which has confined him to the house for several days past.

During the past month ninety-six volumes were added to the Public Library, by gift. Most of these books were donated by Messrs, J. Evarts Tracy and John W. Murray.

Little Hattie M. Stevens, who died yes-Education, and pictured those gentlemen terday was buried from her parent's resifield, at two o'clock this afternoon. Rev.

Mrs. James Brown Potter, is probably the only actress who has ever reposed in those members of the Board of Education a car on the siding back of the freight who were authorized to have published house in this city. Such was her abiding place on Saturday night.

> At the German Reformed church parsonage in North Plainfield, on Tuesday evening, Rev. Mr. Koechli united in marriage Mr. Fred Holthusen and Miss Mina Waiter, both of this city.

walk out after a confinement to the house to Washington where the subject of our of several days from the effects of a sketch was born. On the breaking out of severe cold. His genial face is gladly welcomed on our streets.

Miss Rose McGowan, of No. 1 East Ninth street, was the fortunate winner of Battallion under Gen'l Custis Lee. At the candy hotel which proved such an at-the close of the war he came to New traction in Foote's show window during York, where he has been connected since the holiday season, she holding the lucky 1868 with the Mutual Life Ins. Co.

The twins that were born to Mrs. John M. Jackson, soon after her husband's sentence to State Prison for incendiarism, would never have reached the people, and have been named after relatives. The little ones are now Miss Harriet Martha where Mr. Randolph's house is the sub-Now the connection of the Evening News Jackson and Master Harry Arthur Jack-

The employees of Mr. D. W. Littell, the plumber, presented him with a handsome gold headed ebony cane on Christmas, as a token of their friendship. Mr. John document. With a kindness of feeling Wakefield made the presentation address, that any tramp at a back door would be to which Mr. Littell responded in feeling

Thomas Day, son of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Day of West Third street, died this morning at three o'clock. The deceased was fourteen years and five days old and had been confined to the house for three weeks past with pneumonia; The funeral will take place from the house on Saturday morning.

In this "particular mention" column is the place to state that the leading somatter, were never spoken, and the t such prano, Miss Glasca, who is to make her debut in 'The Little Tycoon" at Music Hall, Monday evening, has a charming the new mission the Church had just voice besides being a great improvement fore sung the part of Violet in this city.

The members of the Plainfield Gesang and Turn Verein are making extensive assure you that I sincerely believe that I preparations for a grand sociable and hop to take place in their hall on Somerset and scholars. The latter had already vers to the effect that the manage- I say we feel deeply the shame of being street, or the evening of January 23d. The Dramatic section of the society, an principal intent and purpose of the Mis-This is the first time the inaccurate title adjunct recently created, is rehearing a sion-to bring in non-attendants of Sun-

> The body of Capt. Gladwin of this city an account of whose death by drowning was published exclusively in THE PRESS President Male and Messrs. Baldwin, of yesterday-arrived last evening on the

> > in conducting the service. Each paid a fitspoke of the many good traits which charthe Methodist cemetery.

tained by ex-Chief Carney and others. mate friends, and the Doctor was also They were pleased with their visit and ances were made. "Billy" Barron is deone may meet. He was presented by his some life-size portrait.

Chief Waters of the Plainfield Fire Department points with pride to the fact that his father, now deceased, was the first man to join Mazeppa Hose Co., No. 42 of New York city, having joined the company on Oct. 12th, 1848, the date of its organization, and continuing as a the train pulled apart in order to allow regular member until Nov. 4th, 1853, trains on the Central Railroad to pa when he resigned and became exempt by reason of his having served the required time as a regular fireman. The above dates were taken from the records in the City Half, New York city and are therefore thought to be correct. Chief Waters of this city has also been a member of the Plainfield Fire Department for several years, and has always been considered a faithful and consistent member.

COUCLMAN WILTON RANDOLPH.

A Sketch of the Life of a New Participant in Municipal Covernment.

"Sketches" of the lives of almost all the members of the present Council have been given by us upon other occasions, and there is no news in them anymore. But we know the public is very curious to learn something of a new comer in the ranks of those active in city affairs. are therefore pleased to be able to give the following short biography:

Mr. Wilton Randolph, who was chose at the recent municipal election to represent the Second Ward of this City in the Council, comes from the well-known Virginia family of that name, which is entirely distinct from the Fitz Randolphs of New Jersey. Since the early settlement of Virginia his family lived at "Wilton"-an extended estate on the James River, a few miles below Richmond-until the election of President Harrison, who was the uncle of Councilman Ran-Rev. W. E. Honeyman is again able to dolph's father, when the family removed the Civil war, Mr. Randolph moved to Richmond, and in the Fall of 1862 entered the Confederate army in the Fourth Va.

He has been a resident of Netherwood since 1883; and was the unanimous choice to represent them of the highly select and wealthy class of Plainfield's citizens that live in that aristocratic suburb, and ject of more well-judged admiration than even the more costly residences of many others. His election in a ward so strong politically, against him, is due to his acknowledged high character and exceptional abilities, and because of the respect and esteem in which he is held by the many personal friends who were so ready to endorse and work for him. Although a terrible bereavement has broken up his happy home, and his motherless children having been taken to the residence of their grandfather, Col. Thos. I. Evans of Richmond, Va., yet Mr. Randolph has as yet no intention of resigning his office as

The Hope Mission.

At the regular prayer, meeting in the pariors of the Crescent Avenue church, Tuesday evening, Mr. William H. Sampson spoke of the auspicious opening of started in Hope chapel, on West Fourth in face and figure to the lady who has be- street. This Mission already spoken of in THE PRESS, began its Sunday school work in the neighborhood where it is located on Sunday last with an attendance of about forty, including both teacher been attendants at other schools, but the Chapel has been thoroughly renovated and repainted, and presents a very at tractive appearance. Saturday evening of this week there will be held a Christ- committee to devise and submit a plan mas entertainment at which it is hoped a large attendance of those interestal the work of local missions will be present Mr. Henry C. Squires is the Superintendent of the Mission, and his corps of teachers is a willing and an efficient one.

Trinity Reformed Church, The week of prayer is being duly ob-

served in the lecture room of Trinity Reformed church and the meetings are nightly growing, in earnest prayers and confessions of faith. The attendar evening was very large, every sees being ting tribute to the departed dead, and filled with a devout and attentive audience. The services were of a particularly acterized her life. Interment was made in interesting character. Dr. Gorgory, new-comer among us, being prosent Chief Wm. F. Barron and First Assistant the meeting, was requested by Raston Creviling of the Washington, Warren Schenck to relate the story of the convercounty, N. J., Fire Department, were in sion of that great, good man, Jeremiah C. town yesterday and were shown the dif- Lamphiar, the founder of the Fulton ferent houses of our department and the street noonday prayer meeting. Mr. apparatus by Chief Waters, and enter- Lamphiar and Dr. Gregory are very intiworker in the same field during his resi left this city on the 2:57 p. m. train for dence in New York. He held the close Newark, after many pleasant acquaint attention of his hearers and closed his narrative with an earnest, heartfelt apcidedly one of the most agreeable men peal to all, to give their hearts to the blessed Master. The meetings will be friends, a few evenings ago, with a hand- continued every night this week, and all are welcome.

-A heavily loaded freight train on the Pennsylvania Railroad broke down last night at the crossing opposite the Depot, Elizabeth, seriously impeding travel. The coupling had to be cut and through the opening.

-Many persons are under the impression that the cellar is the proper place for keeping sweet potatoes, which is a grav mistake. The farmers of New Jersey who are noted for having the finest sweet potatoes late in the season, always keep them in a warm, dry place. Up stairs and

The Court Thinks Sunday Liquor, Salling Was Partly Responsible.

In our telegraph despatches yesterday, lan, all of this city. From the New public. Here are some of the figures; " Brunswick Fredonian we glean additional

Prosecutor with evidence in the case. Not to be outdone by Mr. Berdine, Mr. earnest plea, and submitted a petition for clemency for them.

"Let us now look at the facts in the o," he said, "Ellis Campbell, an improper person, licensed by this Court, fortably, 205,835. ps a saloon at which these young men mank that he had to be carried to a year:

"Campbell is the guilty man in this use. He is an old man, knowing the decencies of life yet he allows the Holy Sabbath to be desecrated."

Before passing sentence the Court said : "I regret that such a man as Campbell was licensed by this Court to keep a saloon. He will never obtain another license with my concurrence. It is strange that with the evidence of this young man before them the Grand Jury failed to indict Campbell,

It is true that the responsibility rests t entirely on you, young men. Yet all circumstances surrounding the assault ow that it was an atrocious, unprovoked sault-a brutal, cowardly attack, upon innocent and defenceless man.

The Court knows that with the excepion of Duckworth you are members of a notorious gang of ruffians, known as the Boulevard Gang, a terror to the people of Hainfield. The Court is also satisfied hat the attack upon the defenceless sung man was premeditated. You Barry, escape from State Prison on account of your non-participation in the attack. You Direkworth instead of desecrating the Sabbath in a saloon, should stay at home with your wife and children."

Democratic Association of Plainfield.

The annual meeting of the Democratic Association of this city was held last evening at their rooms, at which officers were elected for the current year. The owing were chosen:

President-James E. Martine.

Vice Presidents-1st ward, G. Warren Watson; 2d ward, Robert L. Livingston; than Harper.

Rec. Sec'y-Louis F. Wadsworth.

Treasurer-James Clark.

Cor. Sec'y-Louis M. Stover.

Messrs. Wadsworth, Harper, Stover, lolak and Saltzman were appointed a for permanent ward organization. The following resolutions were offered

by the President and unanimously Resolved, That the Democrats of the

City of Plainfield, in association assem-blen, respectfully yet earnestly direct the attention of the citizens of the Common alth to the wise and patriotic course of ver Cleveland, the Chief Executive of United States. Under the Democratic ministration great land monopolies we been forced to recognize the rights he people and to desist from their enachments upon the public lands; honbusiness methods pervade the various departments, and integrity and economy have supplanted misrule and extrava-gance. We especially commend the frank manly stand taken by President Cleved for a thorough revision of and reform a the present tariff laws, a system now hiefly distinguished by the severity of its chiefly distinguished by the solite, while thereis comparatively go free. We bevaries comparatively go free. We be-ve in Fair Trade, holding that govern-ent should be so administered that its sings, "like the dews of Heaven," ald fall upon all classes of our fellow

Resolved, That in view of the importce of the approaching National contest, his Association most respectfully urge the Democratic State Executive Committee that they commence at an early data to formulate a plan of effective organization, that shall embrace all por-trens of our Commonwealth, and awaken our fellow citizens to the vital issues of wining struggle.

Another Allegory by the Public School. Miss Bulkley announced to the scholassembled this morning that she had received, yesterday, a telegram from Prof. Hager-who had managed the Allegory" given by the scholars in Missic Hall, some time ago-stating that he would be here today. Miss Bulkley not in the cellar is where they should be 19, and the afternoon and evening of Jan- my sickness. uary 20.

School Statistics.

State School Superintendent Chapman has now on file in his office a complete we gave the sentences pronounced in the list of statements from the various coun-Middlesex County Court upon Duckworth, ties, and upon these he will issue his an-Hogan, Conway, Barry and McNamara, nual report to the Legislature. The figfound guilty of assaulting Thomas Now- ures are, as usual, full of interest to the

Amount of money appropriated by the matters of interest in relation to the case. State for the support of public schools, On behalf of Duckworth, Mr. Berdine, \$1,557,046; township school tax, \$62,472. his counsel, presented a petition for 64; surplus revenue, \$31,867.92; district clemency, signed by many reputable citi- and city tax for teachers' salaries, \$423,zens of Plainfield. The petition set forth 691.65; district and city tax for building that Duckworth had borne an excellent and repairing school houses, \$571,184.15; reputation prior to his arrest; that he total amount for all school purposes, \$2,was married and had a family of four 646,256.34. Value of school property, \$3,small children, and had furnished the 486,206; number of school districts, 1,366; number of school houses, 1,612; number of private schools, having 25 pupils or Adrian, counsel for the others, made an more, 209; number of male teachers, 825; female teachers, 3,177; average salary paid per month to male teachers, \$64.07; to female teachers, \$41.31; number of children the school houses will seat com-

The following table gives the number came intoxicated. Under the influence of children in the State between the ages liquor one or two of them attacked of 5 and 18, and the number enrolled in wlan. One of the young men was so the public schools for the past school

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Atlantic					6,219	4,46
Bergen					11,272	7,04
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Camden					21,904	14,37
Саре Мау					2,777	2,28
Cumberla	nd			*****	11,707	9,51
Essex						31,69
Houceste						6,19
nosbuH					80,829	36,53
Hunterdo						7,71
Mercer					17,794	9,87
Middlesex					15,611	8,92
Monmout					18,711	13,00
Morris						9,20
Jeean					4,394	3,49
Passaic						16,30
alem					6,975	5,87
omerset.						5,29
dussex						5.22
Union						8,871
Warren						8,34
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Number of children attending private chools, 37,830; number of children at tending schools during the year, 107,007; average time the schools were kept open

Judgment for the Plaintiff.

Yesterday before Judge Magie at Somerville, a jury after being out all night brought in a verdict of \$259 for the plaintiffs in the suit of Messrs. Woolston Buckle of this city against Mr. W. W Howland of Rock View avenue, North Plainfield. The suit was brought by the plaintiffs to collect a claim of \$312-being three dollars a day for 104 days work in painting the new house that Mr. Howland began the erection of in 1886. The work was done in the Spring of 1887, but the defendant had refused to settle the bill 3d ward, Roscoe H. Channing; 4th ward, presented, claiming it was not according to agreement. Joseph B. Coward, Esq., represented Messrs. Woolston & Buckle in the trial of the case, and President F. E. Marsh of the Plainfield Board of Aldermen, was Counsel for Mr. Howland. The defence was that the job was to have been done by contract, and an offer was made of one hundred dollars, in settlement, with twenty-five dollars additional for "extras." This was refused by the creditors, and they were then told to sue. The jury had no doubt of the justice of the claim, and after throwing off fifty cents a day, brought in the verdict recorded above. Being satisfied, as they stated to a Press reporter, with the es tablishment of their claim, Messrs. Woolston & Buckle will not appeal the case. The defendant, it is said, will assent to the verdict and settle accordingly.

> Howell Division S. of T. Election. The regular meeting for the election of officers to serve Howell Division, No. 97. Sons of Temperance for the ensuing quarter, took place on Tuesday evening, and resulted in the election of the follow-

W. P.-Thomas Osment. W. S .- Sarah Lees. R. S.-S. B. Scribner. Asst. R. S.-Chas. Johnson.

F. S.-John E. Navlor. Treasurer-John R. Nayler. Conductor-Mrs. G. Rittenhouse. Asst. Conductor-Mrs. J. Manchester.

Inside Sentinel-John Johnson.

Outside Sentinel-James Johnson. The office of treasurer was filled for the fourth consecutive term by Mr. John R. Navlor, whose election was unanimous. After the election, the officers were in-

tailed by D. G. W. P., James R. Perrine.

Sincere Cratitude.

THE PRESS having done so much for my istance and comfort, I desire to thank, through its columns, each and every one also said that his coming was to arrange who has so kindly donated clothing and mother entertainment of the sort, the contributed money towards my necessiproceeds of which would be devoted to ties and the care of my babies. I also the construction of a new laboratory and want to publicly thank Dr. Wm. C. Boone to the purchase of books in science that for his kindness in attending me, and were much needed. The dates fixed for also the ladies of the Relief Association the entertainment, are the evening of Jan. for clothing, medicine and other needs of

ESTELLE M. JACKSON.

DVER 60,000 IDLE MINERS BOTH SIDES FIRM AND CONFI-DENT OF WINNING.

lividual Coal Kings Conceding the Adec-Business Men o Cal on President Corbin-A Serious Aspect.

READING, Jan. 5.—The general opinion ere, apart from anything the miners say, that not less than 50, 00 men are on trike in the Schuylkill region and 20,000 in the Lehigh region, and the men are evily as determined to win as the com-

my is that they shall not.

To-night the situation here is unchanged. Probably 100 crews of trainmen, mostly upon the Schuylkill laterals, have

ngaged upon the Schuyikili interais, as cen laid off. Freight and pass ager traffic a proceeding without interruption. It has been rumored that the miners will probably be granted a renewal of the 8 per nt basis of wages if they agree not to rther interfere in the management of the pany's affairs. Tois is supposed to a that they will not object to mining al to be handled by non union men. It also reported that the Lehigh Coal and avigation Company's miners in the vicini-r of Tama ua, who have been on strike five months, are preparing to go back

to work at the old raies.

Arrangements are being made in this city for obtaining coal over the Pennsylvania road's branch lines. Superintendent Reed of the Schuylkill Valley division was seen n his office and was asked whether his pany could furnish the consumers of uard coal all they needed. He replied:

We touch two individual collicries near

sville; Quinn & Whinn and the new sten colliery operated by the Mill Creek mpany; besides, we get to Lehigh Valpoints, where collieries are in operation. get to Shenand ah, also, by way of ekville or Delano. We care now bringat a day, and this capacity can easily be dreased to 8,000 tons. We can supply all ties about Reading and vicinity. If re should be any rouble in supplie, I ine there would be no difficulty in makig afrangements with the Reading comd coal cars to the various mills, facies and other industries who are in need Preville, Pa., Jan. 5. -In the Schuyl-

till region there are twentyleight indi-ridual and forty-four Philadelphia and Reading collieries in working order besides a number of Lenigh collieries. Four of the company and eighteen of the indi-vidual concerns worked yesterday, the iniduals paying the advance and the comany continuing the old scale. General legfried's Herbine colliery worked uesday at the old rate, but quit yesterday and will start to-day, at the advance; likese Lawrence & Brown. Most of the re-tining eight individuals will grant the

dvance and start working in a day or two.
This will leave the Coal and Iron Comany to fight the labor battle alone. They
coupt the issue and at a meeting of the six mal and iron district superintendents yes-rday afternoon with Managor Whiting at Superintendent Veith it was decided to wait the return to work of their employes d to give encouragement and guara fety to all who want to be employed.

At an informal meeting of busine of Potsville yesterday afternoon it was suggested that a committee of prominent men of the country be appointed to meet Mr. Corbin in person at an early day and ndeavor to reach some conclusion to avoid ne dire disaster of a long strike in the Schuylkill region,

DISFIGURED HIM FOR LIFE.

Baltimore Girl's Desperate Method of Avenging Her Wrongs.

Baltimone, Jan. 5.—Mary Brophy was arraigned before a police magistrate yesterday, charged with throwing vitriol upon Harry Coleman. She is about nineteen years old. She had been carrying the vitriol around for four weeks, waiting her opportunity. As a last resort she implored er to go with her to Coler House. The young man was called to the door, and the mother asked him if he intended to marry, her daughter as he had promised, and as he should do. He gave a curt refusal, and in an instant Mary drew a tumbler from beneath her cloak and dasked its contents in his face. Co-eman was terribly disfigured. He will the lose the sight of one of his eves, and will be fortunate if he recovers from his injuries. The girl seems to derive considerable satisfaction from his condition. When asked why she did her reply was: "So that no other girl would marry him, so that he could not take advantage of any other as he did of me, and for spite, because he would not

. He Left Other Victims.

LITTLE FALLS N. Y., Jan. 5.—Rasbach, the defaulting coshier of the Herkimer bank, who has fied to parts unknown, has left many other victims besides the bank Vale time Dager, of Herkimer, a penurious old farmer, has lost five thousand dollars, which he advanced on Rasbach's note, and sixteen thousand dollars in securities, entrusted t Rasbach for safe keeping. There is no doubt that many of the old Dutch Mohawk farmers have entrusted consider. able sums of money to him, which he has lost in speculation.

Safe Cracksmen in Connecticut. ROCKVILLE, Conff., Jan. 5.—Safe crackers Wednesday night blew open the safe of W. Wednesday hight blew open the safe of W. E. Payne, coal dealer. A small amount of money and valuable papers were stolen.

J. J. Reagan's mill was entered, but the safe could not be opened. The safe of George A. Jamm, grocer, was opened and papers were stolen, but he total loss is small. The work is that of experienced

Children Attacked by Wolves. Dongs, Wis, Jan a Five timber wolves attacked the children of Farmer Lee, while crossing the ice on Trempe can River. A small child had its clothes torn completely from the body and his flesh badly lacer ated. Neighbors arrived in time to save the children. Wolves are doing extensive damage among the sheep here.

Only Figifting the Union. PITTSBURG, Jan. 5.—Secretary Dillon of the Glass Workmen's Union said it is very evident that the manufacturers are fight ing the union and not the workmen. There fore the workmen will how take back al as and will fight for the old scale

Coal Moving on the Ohio.

PITTSBURG, Jan. 5:- The wickets at Davis Island Dam on the Ohio River were battered down yesterday by boats. The coal fleets are now moving out rapidly.

Bucket Shop Men Fined.

CHICAGO, Jan. 5.-Two indicted bucket shop men pleaded guit yesterday and were fined \$2.0 and costs.

WASHINGTON NEWS

THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE DISCUSSED IN THE SENATE.

The Benring Sea Seizures-Postal Telegraph Bill-To Amend the Interstate Commerce Bill-The Committees.

Washington, Jan. 5.—Mr. Sherman, yes dent's message. He criticised the message for its failure of all reference to foreigh relations, and to the interesting questions on National affairs, and for postponing all, hings celestial or terrestial until the surplus be disposed of. It was an extraordinary message. There was nothing new or strange about a treasury surplus. President Jeffer on and President Jackson had most it in their day and Ropublican admits met it in their day, and Republican administrations had on many occasions since the war grappled with it, either by payment of the public debt or by a reduction of taxes. The Democratic party had control of the House of Representatives for many years, and had not originated or proposed a reduction of taxes. The only Republican Congress in ten years had by the act of March, 1881, largely reduced both internal taxes and customs.

Why had not the President followed the example of his predecessors by using the powers conferred upon the Secretary of

the Treasury, and applied the surplus to the reduction of the public debt! If the President had regarded the surplus as a danger why had he not brought his influ-ence to bear upon Congress to provide for a reduction of taxation! Why had not Congress applied the remedy! The only answer was that a controlling majority of the Democratic party would not allow a bill to be reported unless it contained provisions which would greatly injure or de-stroy domestic production. If it had been the desire to reduce taxes without reducing American production the task was easy, but the Speaker of the House had used his enormous powers, with the hearty support of the President to prevent even the reporting of such a bill. Even without a reduction of taxation the surplus revenue might have been applied for great national objects, but for the vetees of the President, for the failure of the Secretary of the Treasury to exercise plain discretion ary powers conferred upon him by law and for the failure of the Democratic House of Representatives to make appropriations some of the national objects.

Mr. Voorhees, Dent., Ind., then addressed the Senate on the same subject. He said that the snatching, as it were, the mo of the people from their very hands, at the rate of \$10,000,000 a month, without necessify, excuse, or palliation, was a crime against every home, every fireside, and every living man and woman in the United States. And yet, the day before the recess, the Senator from Colorado, Teller, had speered at the idea of the surplus being of any consequence; and the Senator from Ohio, Sherman, had also declared (not by cable from Paris, but on the the floor of the Senate , that it was unfortunate for the country that there was a sur-plus of \$55,00,000 in the treasury. It would be for the Senator, if he should become the Republican candidate for the Presidency next summer, to explain to the peo-ple why it was fortunate that their money was gathered into the treasury in excess of the government, instead of remaining in the government, instead of remaining in the pockets of the people. Mr. Voorhees denied that the President had in his mes-sage departed one jot or title from the declaration of the last Democratic platform on the subject of taxation. It was a pleasure to him to declare that this remarkable state paper was true to the teachings of the Democratic party from its foundation by Jefferson eighty-seven years ago to the present day, and that the thanks of the laboring and business classes of the country were due to the Executive for seizing on that vital issue with the grasp of a strong, honest man, and for presenting it to his countrymen in such a shape and light that it never would disappear until the wrongs therein presented were exposed and redressed, and until the outrages of over taxation ceased.

yesterday a resolution calling on the Secretary of War for the following information Whether it is true that the flags, standards, and trophies captured from the enemies of the United States have been removed from the place where they were displayed as re quired by law and have since been concealed from the people, and if so, by what au-thority and for what reason. Whether any propositions have been at any time made by persons in authority under the United States Government for the surrender or delivery of any portion of said flags and trophics to any official or person in any of the States lately invoived in the rebellion, and if so by whose order, by what authority and for what reasons such propositions to surrender those sacred trophies of the valor of the Nation's defenders were made. Whether it is true that a portion of said flags and trophies was actually surrendered and delivered to persons having no right to their possession before the countermanding order of the President was issued.

The Department of State is officially advised that the owners of the British vessels seized in Behring Sea by American revenue cutters last summer for alleged violation of the Scal Fishery laws have prepared claims against this gover ment for damages amounting to about \$500,000. So far, however, none of the claims have been filed at this department. Efforts have been made to secure the consideration of these claims in conjunction with the Canadian fisheries question now under consideration by representatives of the English and United States Governments. Secretary Bayard has, however, declined to consent to any such arrangement, basing his objection on the ground that the two questions were entirely distinct and as such should be considered separately.

Mr. Anderson of Iowa introduced a bill in the House yesterday to amend the Inter-state Commerce act so as to include within its scope all express, Pullman, sleeping er private cars; positively prohibiting passes to other than employes on the roads; amending the long and short han clause so that it shall not be construed as authorizing a carrier to charge as much for a short as for a long haul.

Among the postal telegraph bills of the session is one introduced by Mr. Raydor of Maryland, which provides for the expending of \$8,000,000 to construct a system of telegraph lines under the supervision and control of a Board of three Interstate Telegraph Commissioners, to be appointed by the President and Senate, and paid a salary of \$5,000 each.

Representative Compton of Maryland yesterday presented in the House for ref-erence to the Committee on Ways and Means a resolution looking to the reduction of the surplus by the purchase of bonds in advance of maturity.

LIST OF ADVERTISED LETTERS REMAINING IN PLAINFIELD POST OFFICE FOR WEEK ENDING DEC. 30, 1887.

Berry, Wm. H.
Cornell, Mrs. Kate
Carricaburee, L. B.
Dunn, Miss Nellie
Eno, Miss Emma A.(3) Grey, Eleanor Holmes, Miss Marjorie Holmes, Mrs. L. H. Hamilton, Mrs. Jennie Hofman, Jacob Hann, John Hann, John Jacques, Wm. S. Killeen, Miss Mary King, Thos. B. Klepper, John

week ending dec. 30, 1887.

tt, Miss Maggie A Kerry, John H.

New, H.

Il, Mrs. Kate
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Miss Nellie
Miss Enma A.(3)
Eleanor
es, Miss Marjorie
es, Mrs. L. H.

Iton, Mrs. Jennie
an, Jacob
John
es, Wm S.

Smith, D. B.

Smith, D. B.

Smith Mrs. Sue Smith, D. B. Smith, Mrs. Sue Smith, Miss Mary A. Terry, J. W. Underhill, Wilsen, Walker, M. H.

Persons calling for above please say advertised.
W. L. FORCE, Postmaster.

DEATHS.

LOWE-At Catskill, N. Y., Jan. 3, Delia E., wife of B. F. Lowe.
Funeral from residence of W. E. Lowe, Plainfield, N. J., Jan. 5, at 2:30 p. m. Train leaves foot of Liberty street 1:30 p. m.

STEVENS—In North Plainfield on Wednesday, January 4, 1888, Hattie M., daughter of Ed-mund P. Stevens, aged 19 months and 12 days. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral from her parents' residence on Grand View avenue, Thursday, at 2 p. m.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

Advertisements under this heading, one cent for each word, each insertion. L OST OR STOLEN. ST. BERNARD DOG, L one year old; brindle and white. Answers to name of "Royal." A suitable reward offered. Walter M. McGee, Linden Ave., North Plainfield.

VERY DESIBABLE FRONT ROOM TO LET. with board, at No. 31 W. Second St. A few e boarders can also be accommodated. 1-4-tf

Con SALE—TWENTY THOUSAND YARDS OF Sand and Gravel on North ave., below Evena station. Must be removed before May 1st, preparatory to the erection of a factory. Apply at the Real Estate Trust, 26 North ave., or Wallace Vail, Evona.

BRICK! BRICK!! BRICK!!!—The report the property of the property of the public are bereby notified that we have a large stock of first-class brick on hand, which we are selling at the lowest market prices. ROSS' Brick-Yard, Somerville, N. J. 12-20-tf

To LET-HOUSE CORNER SIXTH AND DIvision Streets, furnished or unfurnished:
for boarding or private use: in good order; all
improvements. Rent very low to responsible
parties. Apply to Mrs. E. D. Eaton, Division
Street, between 5th and 6th.

TRY THE 'O. A. F." CIGAR; MADE FROM the finest Havana filler, without a particle f artificial flavoring. The best 5-cent cigar in 11-16-41

the world.

II-16-er

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Conly, over the Post Office. ELIZAPATH
SCHORE. OR SALE MY PROPERTY ON WEST SEC-Price Moderate. Terms easy T. H. Temlinson, M. D. 2046-tf

FOR SALE-A SECOND-HAND, TWO HORSE f "Peerless" power. In good order. Sold cheap, for want of use. Apply S. B. WHEELER Netherwood Farm, Plainfield, N. J. 6-22-0

OR SALE THE LOT SOUTH-EAST CORNER I' of Jackson avenue and Somerset street, about 180 feet square. For price and terms apply to O'REILLY BROS., Archt's and Storage Warehouse, from 109 to 128 E. 44th street N. Y. city.—my20ti

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[Mr. Bird's Building, near Park Avenue,] PLAINFIELD, N. J.

I desire to inform the public generally that have leased the above building and stocked in the FIRST QUALITY Flour, Feed, Grain, Baled Hay Etc. from our own Mill. With a long experience in the business I feel that I know the wants of the people, and shall endeaver to please all who favor me with their patronage with their patronage Respectfully.

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N. W. FRENCH.

Mr. Routelle of Maine offered in the House | Sham, The Great Tyccon of Japan. Would be pleased to see you at

> MUSIC HALL! PLAINFIELD, JAN. 9th, 1888.

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An Ideal Cast and Chorus. The Finest Costumes Exer Seen on the

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SPECIAL Scenery, surpassing the first produc tion in ELEGANCE.

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GREEN'S

Furniture

Warerooms

EVERYTHING AT NEW YORK PRICES. All Goods Marked in Plain Figures. REPAIRING AND UPHOLSTERING IN ALL ITS BRANCHES.

GOODS TAKEN ON STORAGE

The Democratic Association Of the city of Plainfield, will hold their Annual

inst., at 7:30 o'clock.

JAMES E. MARTINE, PRES. LOUIS F. WADSWORTH, Sec y. 1-3-2

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Plush Cases, Perfumes, Mirrors, Odor Cases, and Manicure Sets.

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Gold and Silver Jewelry, -Solid and Plated.

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Price.

CHRISTMAS & NEW YEAR'S PRESENTS. Their stock of Goods Cannot be Beaten, either in Quality or

GROWING STRONGER.

BRITISH GOVERNMENT TRYING TO SUPPRESS THE LEAGUE.

Mr. Harrington Released from Peace Prospects in Europe-No War for Carnot-Command of the Czar.

DUBLIN, Jan. 5 .- At the fortnightly meeting of the National League, Mr. Alfred Webb declared that Baifour's deeds had by no means intimidated or demoralized th league. The organization as all the more closely knitted together, the members more local and zcalous in the cause, and in eve y way the be que was stronger and more effective ... the purposes for which it was created although cutward demonstrations of its power were restricted in certain localities.

Messrs. Crilly and Kenny, members of the House of Commons, were present, and, alluding to the threats of suppressing the league in Dublin and Meath, declared that they were ready to face the government proclamation.

The threatened use of the machinery of

the Coercion act for the protection of the vicercy's hunt in Meath was bitterly de-nounced as a resort to the resources of mediaeval tyruuny.

OUT OF JAIL.

Mr. Harrington Given an Ovation On His Belease from Tullamore.

DUBLIN, Jan. 5 - Jan. Foward Harrington, M. P., and editor of the Trulce Sentine, was released from wison vesterday, having completed his termination on month's incar-ceration for publishing reports of sup-

pressed League branches.

His release was in do the occasion of a grand descon-tration by the residents of Tralee, and Mr. Harr ngton was treated to an ovation surpassing in enthusiasm any thing in his experience

Mr. Harrington, in reply to numerous complimentary speeches, addressed his townshen in a strain similar to that in which he declared to the Court, on the occallon of his conviction, that he would make no promises to refrain from repeat-ing his offense, but would ever do what WEDNESDAY EVENING, JAN. 4th. seemed to him best for the cause of free speech, free press and free men.

The Peace Prospects Brighter.

LONDON, Jan. 5. Advices by telegraph nd mail from Berlin and Vienna show that a strong reaction in favor of , eace has set in. This, concurring with the latest public dispatches from St. Petersburg and opinions of the semi-official Russian press, would make it appear that the crisis is past. Prominent persons, in a position to know the exact state of affairs, no longer hesitate to say that war is not likely to break out now or in the spring.

Notes from Germany. BERLIN, Jan. 4.-The threatened return of inflammation in the Crown Prince's throat has been averted. The trouble was associated with catarrh, which is now abating. In the message sent by Emperor Francis Joseph to Emperor William on the new year, he says: "God grant that the unsettled political situation may speedily be cleared, so that our peoples may assured and the blessing of peace pre

A Denial From the Prince of Wales.

LONDON, Jan. 5 .- The Prince of Wales has instructed his private secretary to give an absolute denial to the report that the Prince is a member of the committee on the banquet to Smith and Kilrain. Until his attention was called to the rumor referred to, the Prince had never heard of the pro-

posed banquet.

Commands of the Czar. ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 5.-The Czar has informed M. Delianoff, Minister of Public Instruction, that it is absolutely necessary to modify the university statutes. The reforms will be effected gradually in order to avoid the appearance of the Government being influenced by the recent disorders.

Carnot's Peace Policy.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Jan. 5.- According to diplomatic advices President Carnot has instructed M. Herbette, the French Ambassador at Berlin, to assure Emperor William that while he remains a the head of the republic no French government will be permittad to adopt a warlike policy.

Sexton Dangerously Ill. Dublin, Jan. 5 .- Mr. oThomas Sexton, member of Parliament and Lord Mayor-elect of Dubiin, who has been suffering from an attack of typhoid fever, has had a relapse, and is in a dangerous condition.

Twenty-Five Lives Lost.

London, Jan. 5. -An 1.800-ton bark, be-lieved to to an American vessel, has been wrecked at the entrance to Waterford, Ireland harbor. Her crew, consisting of twenty-five persons, was drowned.

Hanlan Will Visit England. LONDON, Jan. 5. - Hanlan, after fufilling his engagement in Australia will visit Eng-land and will issue a challenge to the world for a race on the Tyne in September.

WAR OF RACES.

Desperate Fighting Between White and Colored Troops at Jefferson Barracks. Ss. Louis, Jan. 5.—At Jefferson Barracks last night a desperate fight took place be-

tween white and colored troops.

The trouble began in the barracks ground when a number of white soldiers detected a colored recruit in the act of assaulting a fourteen-year-old white girl. The negro was at once seized and taken to the Officer of the Day, who at once ordered him to the guard house, there to await an investigation.

A troop of colored soldiers at once left the barracks ground and marched in a body toward Carondelet. While on their way to the St. Louis suburb they met a large number of white soldiers returning to the barracks from the town. hey were assaulted and brutally beaten by the colored

Many men were badly wounded in the combat. The negroes were finally overpowered and fifty-three captured.

Maryland's Legislature

Annapolis, Md., Jan. 5.—The General Assembly of Maryland was organized yes-terday by the election of George Peter, of Montgomery, as President of the Senate, and George M. Upshur, of Worcester, as Speaker of the House of Delegates. Gov. Lleyd has not yet sent in his message.

Too Much Carpet on the Market. PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 5.—It is asserted that the carpet weaving manufactures will order a "shut down" about February 1, to continue for at least thirty days in order to get rid of the large stock now on hand.

THE OHIO BOLTERS.

Pheir Action Likely to Affect the Republic can Party.

COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 5.—There has been no change in the desperate fight between the two Republican factions in the Senate, and here is no immediate prospect of peace. What has beed done cannot be revoked. The bitter feeling existing between the bolters and the so-called combine promises to seriously affect the party in the State and to renew local fights in every section Judge Lowrey, who was elected Chief Clerk by the bolters and Democrats, has been subjected to the severest criticism because of his former standing as Chairman of the State Republican Committee. Mr. Lowrey states that he would have been elected by the caucus had he not been traded off and fraudulently defeated by alleged friends. When he arrived vesterday was anxious to bring the two factions together, but the terms offered was resignation of Davis, who had been elected president pro tem., and the ousting of udge Korte, the Democratic Clerk. Republican members that stood by him demanded that he accept and at once. These friends, Mr. Dowrey states, would have been outraged had he done otherwise.

Senator Grover of Jefferson County is being severely handled, and his political career will probably close in the near future. After adding by his vete in the caucus to make Mrs. Hollday a caucus nominee, this Senator bolted, and got his brother elected as an Assistant Sergea tat-Arms. The brother had just stepped out of the office of Sheriff of Harrison County. Mrs. Holliday's husband was an enlisted soldier, and one of the Mitchell raiders that went to Atlanta in 1862 and captured a railroad train. The party were all captured by the Confederates, and seven were hanged. The worthy widow of Holliday was defeated in order to give Senator Grover's brother a soft job.

Duntin, Jan. 5.—The sudden return of Mr. Parnell, who arrived at Kingstown back to Ireland.

Strike of Italian Street Sweepers

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 5.—All the Italian tors stopped work at noon yesterday, and demanded \$1.50 for a day's wages. There are 562 Italians employed in street sweeping and digging trenches in this city, and they all belong to the Italian Protective and Beneficial Society. The contractor who has charge of the second and third districts sent word to the society at midnight that he would pay the wages demanded, and a gang of men at once went

ALTOONA, Ia., Jan. 1.-About eleven acres of the leading coal mine here is flooded with four feet of water. Friday evening the miners in the west entry came to a fault in the coal vein and drove the entry twelve feet through sand and strata, in which was found driftwood. Suddenly water began to pour through an opening, and has been filling in ever since at the rate

The Board of Education Takes a New Step. ST. LOUIS, Jan. 5.—The first great step was taken yesterday in narrowing the studies in the public schools. The Course f Study Committee of the School Board decided to end the teaching of German in the schools January 29 and to drop from the rolls ninety-eight German teachers. This action is in accordance with the wishes of the people as recently expressed at the

Salvationist in Troubl NASHUA, N. H., Jan. 5 .- In the Supreme witnesses against him, and was sentenced

afternoon.

PITTSFIELD, Mass., Jan. 5 - Thomas Burns and Miss Van Rennsejaer had their lega broken in a coasting accident here last might. Burns will recover in due time, but in Miss Van Rennselaer's case amputation will probably be necessary. Sleds from different hills, while going at the rate of a mile a minute, collided, causing the acci-

Gen. Custer's Scout Frozen to Death. PIERRE. Dak . Jan. 5. - Protean, the first white resident of Dakota, has been found frozen to death near Port Bennett. He was ninety-five years old, and since a small child had lived with the Indians. He acted as scout and interpreter for Gens. Custer.

The Yacht Mohican Ashore New York, Jan. 5.—A telegram from Norfolk, Va., to the Maritime Exchange reported the British steam yacht Mohican ashore on the Wiloughby Spit Shoals, Virginian coast. The dispatch contained no particulars beyond the fact that the vessel stranded on Monday, afternoon during

A Farmer's Loss By Fire. Bornentown, N. J., Jan. 5.—The out-buildings of Peter Stile, together with five cows, one calf, farming utensils and grain,

Bakers Only Can Sell Bread on Sunday. Boston, Jan. 5. The Supreme Court of Massachusetts has decided that bakers, and only bakers, can sell bread on Sunday. The decision is the result of a grocer being arrested and tried and fined for selling

Maine's Shipbuilding in 1887 Bangon, Me., Jan. 5.—Maine built in 1887 forty-one, vessels with an aggregate ton-nage of 17,454 tons, as compared with forty-two vessels with an aggregate tonnage of

bread on Sunday.

Parnell's Oulet Return.

yesterday, was a surprise to his friends. The first news of his arrival was contained in a telegram a Na ionalist paper last evening, which announced that Mr. Parnell was seen at Bray. Little credence was placed in the report and the news was not published. There seems to be no doubt, however, that he is in Ireland, and that he went to Cork last night. From the quiet which he observed it is believed that he desired to escape observation. It is generally believed that the illness of Mr. Sexton and the recent comments on Mr. Parnell's absence have brought the latter gentleman

An Iowa Mine Flooded.

of 10,000 gallons per hour.

Court yesterday David Moody of the Salvation Army at Manchester was convicted of immoral conduct, several girls appearing as to three years at hard labor in the State prison. Stakes, another person indicted for the same offense, was tried yesterday.

Harney, Sibley and Sully, and bore some twenty arrow points in his body. ..

thick weather:

near Georgetown, a few miles from here, were destroyed by fire last night. The loss is \$3,000. The fire is supposed to have been the work of an incendiary.

Death of a Centenarian DANBURY, Conn., Jan. 4.—Mrs. Hannah Dillon, aged 100 years, died in this town yesterday. She was the oldest person in the county and is the centenarian who has

16,365 tons in 1886.

died in Danbury inside of a week.

Coasting Accident at Pittsfield.

CHI GO, Jan. 5.- The Appelate Court yester by heard formal arguments against the motion to place the famous case of

Carter vs. Carter on the calendar. Judge Jamieson issued a Solomon-like der on Dec. 9 that the child of Mr. and Mrs. Carter should not be kept exclusively by either husband or wife, but that both parents should have the privilege of seeing and enjoying its society. In short, the boy was to spend half the time with the father and the other half with the moth

Mr. Carter appealed from this decision. Mrs. Carter's Attorneys made the points that the appeal should not be put on the docket because more than thirty days had elapsed from the making of the order that rder appealed from was one only relating to the custody of the child not being able pending the divorce, and that the order appealed from superseded the original order prohibiting Carter's interference with the custody of the chiln.

A dec sion will be rendered next Wed-

The Massachusetts Legislature.

Boston, Jan. 5.—The assembling of the Massachusetts Legislature yesterday morn ing for its annual session was an unusually quiet one. This was due to the fact that there were no offices to canvass for, everything being conceded beforehand. Halsey Poardman, the President of the Senate of last year; E. Herbert Clapp, the Clerk; the Rev. E-Imuad Dowe, the Chaplain, and Capt. John G. B. Adams, the Sergeant at Arms, were all renominated. The Senateelect was called to order at 11 a. m., by Mr. Howard of Bristol, the Senior Senatorelect. The House was called to order at 11 o'clock, Mr. Upham of Waltham, the senmember elect, presiding, pending the election of a Speaker.

Fatal Explosion.

Lexingren, Ky., Jan. 5.-A collision be tween two freight trains at Olympia, Ky., on the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad, oc-curred resterday, causing great damage to road by the total wrecking of a num ber of cars. Brakeman T. E. Hennessey, was instantly killed and several other en ployes of the road were seriously injured. Hennessy's remains were brought here last night and will be taken to Blackburg, W. Va., for interment. He was thirty years old and unmarried.

A Mexican to Help Pay His Debts. CHICAGO, Jan. 5 -Ed ward L. Dwyer, who some years ago bought millions of wheat on a falling market until his margins footed \$40,000, and then fled to Mexico, after re-ferring creditors to his backer, a retired merchant, has returned to town in company with Senor Don Jesus Canales, a wealthy Mexican. It is said that Canales will help to pay Dwyer's debts.

Had to Pay for His Mistake.

WORCESTER, Mass., Jan. 5. -In the Superior Civil Court yesterday the jury in the case of Mrs. Frances R, Shillaber, versus George E. Fairbanks, a druggist, to recover damages for the poisoning of her late husband, George W. Shillsbar, returned a verdict of \$2,000 for the plaintiff. Mrs Shillaber sued for \$10,000.

No General Strike of Steel Workers.

PITTSBURG, Jan. 5.-It is announced that there will be no general strike among the steel workers. Officials of the Amalgasociation of Iron and Steel Workers are in conference here with Jones & Laughlin, one of the largest firms in this country, and it is said the scale will be signed with

A Life Sentence Commuted.

Orrawa, Ont., Jan. 5.-The G vernor General, in the case of the two Chinamen, Ah Fat and Sam Lee, under sentence of death for the murder of a Ch nese woman in British Columbia, has commuted the sentence of the latter to imprisonment for life. The former will be hanged Jan. 13.

A Thief For Twenty Years. PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 5.—Henry Hoopes, superintendent of the oil and alcohol de-

rtment of R. I. Allen, Son & Co., has en arrested for embezzling. The amount of the defalcation is believed to, be \$20,000. Hoopes had been in the employ of the firm for twenty years.

A Famous Soldier Dead.

CARNARYOM, Pa. Jan 5,—Jacob Morgan, great grandson and last lineal descendant bearing the name of Co onel Jacob Morgan, the famous revolutionary soldier, died in this place yesterday, aged 75 years.

Ohio Not for Lamar.

Commus. O., Jan. 5. - Resolutions in opposition to the confirmation of Mr. Lamar as Supreme Court Justice were introduced In both branches of the Legislature yesterday, but no action was taken.

Edison Fessenden Dead.

HARTFORD, Conn., Jan. 5.—Editor Pessen-den, President of the Hartford Hospital and Director of the Phoenix Mutual Life Insurance Company died vesterday morning of paralysis, aged eighty-two.

Measles Epidemie in Akron. AKRON, Ohio, Jan. 5.—Five hundred measles, which have become epidemic, and business here is almost entirely suspended

on account of that disease. Wants a Higher Premium. BAYONNE, N. J., Jan 5.—The City Council has refused to accept 105 for the \$4,00 twenty year 5 per cent, bonds. They think they are worth a higher premium.

Dominick McCaffrey has gene into training at Atlantic City for his match with Jack Dempisey. His favorite trainer, Alf Lunt is with him.

Charley Rowell says he will not go to New York to compete in the Madison Square six days go-as-you-please. He wanted \$1,500 for expenses, which the management thought too nuch.

Norman Taylor, the cld time pedestrian is one of the latest to enter for the six days walk, which will take place in New York next month. Fully one nundred have already entered for the race, which promises to be the largest ever known.

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There was something strange about the way Mike Daly of Bangor, Me., let his match with Paddy Smith fall through. He is now matched to fight Jimmy Carroll, whe was the light weight star of John L. Smilivan's last American combination, and they ought to make a rattling fight. They will have fifteen rounds in Boston the first week. week n February.

Tommy Warren was honorably discharged on the charge of stealing a watch in Chicago, and the woman who made the charge against him had to pay the costs. Tommy and Patsy O'Leary had a long talk in the Windy City and Tommy admitted that he did not want to meet Patsy again in a twenty-four foot sing. O'Leary is is now in Cincinnati hunting for a softer snap than a fight to a finish with Ike Weir, the Belfast Loider. nap than a lighter.

MAJOR WAY SENTENCED. He Asked the Court to Be Merciful and

Gets Four Years. New Brusswick, Jan. 5.—When Major Way was brought into court yesterday morning to be sentenced for embezzling \$4,0.0 from the Empire Building Loan he read a paper in which after recounting his services during the war as an officer in the army, he said that in 1576 and 1577, through ence in friends, he had been put in a false position, and was compelled as Secretary of the Loa to assume an

indebtedness he did not create. Since then he had made every effort to pay back the money, and in six years had given this loan more than \$10,000, but still found himself in debt. The debt had its origin in misfortune, and no fraud was intended. He asked the Court to be merciful. In answer to the Court, he said he was 63 years old. Judge Cowenhoven sentenced him to State prison for four years. maximum penalty for the crime is five

Accidents to a Fire Truck.

PROVIDENCE, R. L. Jan. 5.-In answering an alarm of fire to-day, the Protective de partment wagon broke an axle while going at full speed, and truck No. 6, in charge of a substitute driver, made a short turn in Sabine street, coming into collision with a telephone pole and a dwelling. Assistant Fireman Thomas H. Duffy, who was driving, was pinned in between the foot-board and the seat by the shock and his left leg was broken just above the ankie. Another fireman was bruised. The fire was trilling.

Earthquake Shocks in Mexico. St. Louis, Jan. 5 .- A special from the city of Mexico says an earthquake shock was felt at 8 o'clock last night in Mexicalam, Gurrerro. It lasted three seconds. At 8 o'clock yesterday morning one was felt at Tenancingo, lasting for about two

Missouri's New Governor. JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. . Jan. 5. -Governor Morehouse vesterday appointed General J. C. Jameson as Adjutant General. He will appoint his personal staff to-day and it is understood that it will consist chiefly of the late Governor Marmaduke's associates.

Feil Dead on the Street.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5 -Charles S. Moore. a well-known attorney of this city, sud denly dropped dead on Thirteenth street shortly after midnight. His death resulted from cerebrial apoplexy.

Beaufort, N. C., Visited by Fire. BEAUFORT, N. C. Jan. 5 -The business portion of this place was destroyed by fire last night. Loss between \$50,000 and \$70,000.

racksmen at Wichita. WICHITA, Kan., Jan. 5. Cracksmen last night ransacket two safes. From one they get almost \$1,000.

CONDENSED TELEGRAMS.

A supposed case of leprosy is reported at About twenty cases of small pox are re-ported in the neighborhood of Slatington, Penn.

Fire yesterday destroyed the new Turner Hall on Canal street, Allegheny, Pa; loss, \$23,0.0.

William Ayres was run over by a passen-ger train and killed last evening near Greensville, Ind.

A vein of semi-bituminous coal eight feet thick has been discovered in Rye township,

Perry county, Pa.

Ernest Hoenepel, a workman on the St.
Paul ice palace, fell yesterday from a turrel
and was fatally hurt.

John Ferguson was shot and killed while
eating his dinner at Deaton, Texas, by an
unknown assassin Tuesday.

Alexander Denson, colored, was arrested at Wichita, Kan., on Tue-day for a mur. der at Galesburg, Ill., last August. At Milan, Mo., Wednesday, Mrs. Mary Caldwell, eighty years old, was burned to death by fire catching in her ciothing. Gems worth \$1,63) were stolen yesterday at Kansas City. Joseph Bean being ar-rested, part of the plunder was recovered.

James F. Coyle, a baggageman, was crushed to death Wednesday between two trains in the Union depot yard at Albany. Joseph Fletcher, an undertaker's assistance, was arrested Wednesday at St.
Joseph Mo., for robbing the dead, and has confessed his guilt.

Weather Indications.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5 .- For New Eugland and Eastern New York, coider, rain or snow, light to fresh northerly winds. For Eastern Penn sylvania and New Jersey, colder, rain, light te fresh northerly winds.

NEW YORK MARKETS. New York, Jan. 4.—Money on call to day, BONDS. BONDS Closing Closing Yesterday To-day 1084 108 125 125

STOCK MARKET. THREE o'CLOCK - Outside of three or four stocks, to-day's market was in a condition of starnation. The tendency was downward varied by occasional slight railies. Bonds we'd featureless; sterling exchange tending to the advance.

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Wheat-Market quiet and firm. No. red. 185c.; extla red. 945c.; No. 2 red. 92c.; clevator, 94c. delivered; No. 3 red. 83c.; state white, 92c.a253c.; No. 1 white, 91c. 22c.; un graded white, 895c.a95c.; No. 1 hard Duluth 185c.; Mary, 94 il. 18c.; June, 9474c.; Mary, 94 il. 18c.; June, 9474c.; Corn-Market stoady. No. 2 at 6334c. in elevator and 654c.a6454c. delivered; No. 3, 60c. steamer, 6034c. PRODUCE MARKET.

varior and a systematical derivered No. 3 dec. Steamer, 604c. January, 625c.; February, 63c.; May, 634c. Oats-Market stendy. No. 1 white, 43c.; No. 3 white, 41c.a424c.; No. 3 white, 395c.a464c.; No. 1 mixed, 38c.; No. 2 mixed, 38c.a38c.; No. 1 mixed, 38c.; rejected, 37c.; No. 2 chicago, 604c. January, 38c.; February, 384c.; May, 414c. MERCANTILE EXCHANGE.

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Jutter-Market steady. Creamery-Eastern, 28c.a25e.; Western, 28c.a25e.; Egin, 3:c.a24e; imitation, 25c.a25e.; Dairy-Eastern, half-fir, kin tubs, 25c.a25e.; eastern, firkins, 19c.a25e.; eastern, firkins, 19c.a25e.; eastern, 18c.a25e. Theese-Market dill. Factory, New York, cheddar, 113c.a125e.; Verkens, fiat, 113c.a125e. Creamery-New York, part skims, 8c.a36e.; skims, 1e.a2c.; state skims, 3c.a5c.

Eggs-Market quiet. Fresh-Eastern, firsts, 25c.a25e.; Camadian, firsts, 25c.a25e.; Camadian, firsts, 25c.a25e.; Theese-Market quiet. Fresh-Eastern, firsts, 25c.a25e.; Camadian, firsts, 16.4c.a17e.; Camadian firsts, 164c.a17e.; imported, 19c.a25e.

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SAM HOUSTON'S SECRET. Why He Deserted His Bride and Went to

Live Among the Indians. The blank in the history of the famous Sam Houston has at last been filled up. It will be remembered that after living for some time among the Cherokee Indians and fighting in the war of 1812 he settled in Tennessee, began the practice of law, was twice elected to Congress and in 1827 was elected Governor of Tennesses, and in January, 18:0, he was married to belle of Tennessee, and in less than two months after his marriage he suddenly resigned the Governorship, deserted his wife and home, and disappeared. This created an intense sensation throughout the country, as Houston was regarded as the most promising man in the South. The cause of Houston's resignation of the Governorship, his deared his based and his deared his desertion of his br.do and his abandon ment of the path of civilization has always been a mystery. He never revealed it himself to his civilized friends. A staff correspondent of the St. Louis Republican, sent to Talequah, I. T., to write up the Indian troubles, obtained from undoubted authority facts that clear up the mystery.

When Houston resigned the governorship he rode straight from Tennessee's car ital to the Arkansas river. He fell in with a band of Osage Indians near the present site of Fort Gibson, told them he desired to live with the tribe, and he was welcomed. He donned a breech clout and blanker, shaved his head to the crown and daubed his fac, with paint. He cut himself off entirely from civilization, and lived with the Indians.

For a time he was a leader and married an Indian girl, but afterward he became a drunkard. While under the influence whisky he told the story of his flight from Tennessee to John Jorley, at Indian companion. Jurley told it to Wolf Star, and from the latter the correspondent

Houston's wife married him to please her parents. She had been previously en-gaged to a young man in Nashville, but, under parental influence, broke off the ongagement and accepted Houston's offer of marriage, and, in view of his pro-pects, it was thought she had made a brilliant match. He loved the young woman, and was made to believe that she returned his affect on. Houston had no knowledge of the previous engagement, and his wife managed to ma ntain outward cheerfulness for some time. He returned home one night about eleven o'clock and his wife was in bed and she was weeping. The husband was solicitous and the wife fretful. He asked what caused her tears, and she gave no satisfactory answer. He importuned her, and at last she told him. She said she was a had, wicked woman; that she did not love her husband, but loved another man; that she never could love her busband or forget the other man, and that her life was miserable. Houston never said a word, but immediately went to his office, wrote his resignation as Governor, saddled a horse and rode into the wilderness. This is the mystery of Houston's life as revealed by himself.

Houston kept a little store among the Indians, and always had a barrel of whiky on tap. He drank all the time. In this way he lived for a couple of years. He finally went to Texas, where his brilliant career as a soldier in the Texas war, az President of the Texas republic and Senator from the State of Texas is well known.

A FORGOTTEN CONVICT.

Story of a Criminal Who Has Not Had a Visitor in Many Years. Says a Kingston (N. Y.) dispatch: An effort is being made to procure a pardon for Will am Willis, who has been imprisoned in the Clinton State Prison for twenty-one years for murder, and who will, unless the Governor interferes, have to spend the remainder of his days there. Since his entrance to the prison he had not been visited by a single relative or friend up to a few weeks ago, and never received a message of any kind. The visitor who went to see him was a nephew from Illinois, who is doing all he can to procure his relative's release. Although many who could have recalled the circumstances of the crime for which Willis was sentenced to be hanged and afterward reprieved and sent to prison are long since dead, many old residents of this vicinity express themselves as beliving that Willis has been sufficiently punished. for the murder, which had many extenu-

Willis was a veteran of the late war.

ating circumstances.

He was a young black mith in Elienville before he went to help settle the great question, and was engaged to be married to Jane Conyes, of Najanock, N. Y., near here. During the struggle the young people corresponded with each other, and letters produced at the trial showed that the young woman still made Willis believe that she was true to him and waiting for his return. He came home to find that she had been two years' married, had a little child, and had used the money he had sent her to enrich another man's home. This blow to the man who had tried to live for the sake of his promised wife was sufficient to arouse the most intense indignation and rage in Willis' heart. While still excited after hearing the news of her perfidy Wallis went to the home of the woman, told her who he was and, snatching a carving-knife from the table, stabbed her to the heart. He then cut her throat and stabbed the body fifty or sixty times. Willis went to the village where the huster of the stable of the cut her throat and stabbed the body fifty or sixty times. band worked, told him of what he had done, and surrendered himself up to the authorities. He was lodged in Kingston jai', and at the next sitting of the grand jury was indicted for murder in the first degree, tried by the court, and sentenced to be hanged. A reprieve, however, was granted pending argument for a new trial, which was granted. The gentence of the court in the second trial was the same as the first, that he should be hanged. Again he was reprieved, and through the efforts of the late Judge Theodore Westbrook, his counsel, who-brought all the extenuating circumstances in the case beiore Governor Fenton, after a weary imprisonment of over a year in a gloomy underground dungeon in Ulster County jail, Willis' sentence was commuted to imprisonment at hard labor for life. Twice was the gallows erected at Kingston to hang Willis, and twice was he reprieved on the morning set for his exe-

Some years ago a merchant in the West telegraphed to another in an Eastern city:
"Am offered 10,000 husness of wheat on your account at \$1. Annal! I buy, or is it too high?" The rep y ca net: "No price too high," whom he mended to say: "No. Price too high." The opension of the period cost the West ra merchant \$1,000.

Look Out for Counterfeits. Editor (to the operiors)—"Goutlemen of the local tall, I so that five-hundred dollar countries this are in circulation

Importance of Punctuation.

in this vicinity. You will please examine your salaries when you receive them."

"THE COMING GLORY."

Dr. Talmage Discourses on the Glories of Heaven.

rt of Reality-The Things God Hath Prepared for Those That Love Him,

After stating that next Sabbath he will egin a course of sermons to the women of merica, with practical hints for men, Dr. Talmage announced his subject as "The Coming Glory;" and his text, I. Corinth-ians it. 9: "Eye hath not seen, nor ear heard, neither have entered into the heart of man, the things which God hath pre-pared for them that love Him." He said:

1888. How strange it looks, and how strange it sounds! Not only is the past year dead but the century is dying. Only twelve more long breaths and the old giant will have expired. None of the past centwill have expired. None of the past cent-uries will be present at the obseques. Only the twentieth century will see the nineteenth buried. As all the years are hastening past, and all our lives on earth will soon be ended, I propose to cheer my-self, and cheer you with the glories to come, which shall utterly eclipse all the glories past; for my text tells us that eye not seen, nor ear heard anything like

the advancing splendors.

The city of Corinth has been called the Paris of antiquity. Indeed, for splendor, the world holds no such wonder to day. It stood on an isthmus washed by two seas, the one sea bringing the commerce of Europe, the other sea bringing the commerce of Asia. From her wharves, in the construc-tion of which whole kingdoms had been abtion of which whole kingdoms had been absorbed, war-galleys with three banks of cars pushed out and confounded the navy yards of all the world. Huge-handed machinery, such as modern invention can not equal, lifted ships from the sea on one side and transported them on trucks across the isthmus and set them down in the sea on the other side. the other side. The revenue officers of the city went down through the olive that lined the beach to collect a tariff from and lined the beach to collect a tariff from all nations. The mirth of all people sported in her Isthmian games, and the beauty of all lands sat in her theaters, walked her portices, and threw itself on the aitar of her stupendous dissipations. Column, and statue, and temple bewildered the beholder. were white marble fountains into which, from apertures at the side, there rashed waters everywhere known for health-giving qualities. Around these basins, twisted into wreaths of stone, there ere all the beauties of sculpture and chitecture, while standing, as if to guard the costly display, was a statue of Hercules of burnished Corinthian brasse; Vases of terra-cotta adorned the cemereries of the dead-vases so costly that Julius Cæsar was not satisfied until he had captured m for Rome. Armed officials, the corintharii, paced up and down to see that no statue was defaced, no pedestal overthrown, no bas-relief touched. From the edge of the city a hill arose, with its magnificent burden of columns and towers and temples (one thousand slaves waiting at one ine), and a citatel so thoroughly impregnable that Gibraltar is a heap of sand compared with it. Amid all that strength and magnificence Corinth stood and defied

the world.

O, it was not to rustics who had never seen anything grand that Paul uttered this text. They had heard the best music that and come from the best instruments in all world; they had heard songs floating from morning portices and melting in evening groves; they had passed their whole lives among pictures, and sculpture, and architecture, and Corinthian brass which had been molded and shaped, until there was no charlot wheel in which it had not ared and not a tower in which it had not sped, and not a tower in which it had not glittered, and no gateway that it had not adorned. Ah, it was a bold thing for Paul to stand there amid all that and say: "All this is nothing. These sounds that come from the Temple of Neptune are not music compared with the harmonies of which I speak. These waters rushing in of Pyrene are not pure. These es of Bacchus and Mercury are not exquisite. Your citadel of Acrocorinthus is strong compared with that which I offer to the poorest slave that puts down inthians think this is a splendid city; you think you have heard all sweet sounds, and seen all beautiful sigh s; but I tell you eye hath not seen nor ear heard, neither have entered into the heart of man, the things which God hath prepared for them that love him?

You see my text sets forth the idea that the west reached our ideas may be of heaven they come far short of the reality. Some wise men have been calculating how many furlongs long and wide is the new Jerusalem; and they have calculated how many inhabitants there are on the earth; how long the earth will probably stand, and then they come to this estimate; that after all the nations have been gathered to heav-en there will be room for each soul—a room sixteen feet long and fifteen feet wide. It would not be large enough for me. I am glad to know that no human estimate is sufent to take the dimensions. "Eye hath

not seen, nor ear heard," nor arithmetics calculated.

I first remarked that we can in this world get no idea of the health of heaven. When you were a child and you went out in the morning how you bounded along the road or street—you had never felt sorrow or sickness. Perhaps later you felt a glown/your cheek, and a spring in your step, and an exuberance of spirits, and a clearness of eye that made you thank God you were permitted to live. The nerves were harp strings, and the sunlight was a doxology, and the rustling leaves were the rustling of the robes of a great crowd rising up to praise the Lord. You thought that you knew what it was to be well, but there is no perfect health on earth. The diseases of past generations came down to us. The airs that float now upon the earth are not like those which floated above paradise. They are charged with impurities and distempers. The most elastic and robust health of earth, compared with that which those experience before whom the gates have been opened, is nothing but sickness and emaciation. Look at that soul standing before the throne. On earth she was a lifelong invalid. See her step now, and hear her voice now. Catch, if you can, one breath of that celestial air. Health in all the pulses—health of vision; health of spirits; immortal health. No racking cough, no sharp pleurisies, no consuming fevers. hausting pains, no hospitals of ed men. Health swinging in the air; health flowing in all the streams; health blooming on the banks. No headaches, no sideaches, no backaches. That child th died in the agonies of croup, hear her voice now ringing in the anthem. That old man that went bowed down with the infirmities of age, see him walk now with the step of the immortal athlete forever young again. That night when the needlewoman fainted away in the garret, a wave of the heavenly away in the garret, a wave of the heavelsy absresuscitated her forever. For everlast-ing years to have neither ache, nor pain, nor weakness, nor fatigue. "Eye hath not seen it, ear hath not heard it."

I remark, further, that we can, in this world, get no just idea of the splendors of

heaven. John tries to describe them. H; says "the twelve gates are twelve pearls." garnished with all manner of precious stones." As we stand looking through the telescope of St. John, we see a blaze of amethyst, and pearl, and emerald, and sardonyx, and carysoprasus, and sapphire, a mountain of light, a cataract of color, a sea of glass, and a city like the sun.

John bids us look again, and we see thrones; thrones of the prophets, thrones of the patriarchs, thrones of the angels, of apostles, thrones of the martyrs, throne of Jesus-throne of God. And we turn round to see the glory and it is thrones!

thrones! thrones!

John bids us look again, and we see the great procession of the redeemed passing; Jesus, on a white horse, leads the march, and all the armies of heaven following on white horses. Infinite cavalcade passing, passing; empires pressing into line, ages following ages. Dispensation tramping on after dispensation. Glory in the track of glory. Europe, Asia, Africa, North and South America pressing into lines. Islands of the sea shoulder to shoulder. Generations before the flood following generations after the flood, and as Jesus rises at the head of that great host and waves his sword in signal of victory all crowns are lifted, and all ensigns slung out, and all chimes rung, and all hallelujahs chanted, and some cry, "Glory to God most high," and some, "Hosanna to the son of David," and some, "Worthy is the Lamb that was slain"—till all exclamations of endearment and homage in the vocabulary of heaven are exhausted, and there comes up surge after surge of "Amen! Amen! and Amen!"

"Eye hath not seen it, ear hath not heard it," Skim from the summer waters the brightest sparkles, and you will get no idea of the sheen of the everlasting sea. Pile np the splenders of earthly cities and the would not make a stepping-stone by which you might mount to the city of God Every house is a palace. Every step a triumph Every covering of the head a coronation Every meal is a banquet, Every stroke from the tower is a wedding bell. Every day is a jubilee, every hour a rapture, and every moment an eestasy. "Eye hath not seen it, car hath not heard it."

I remark further, we can get no idea on earth of the reunions of heaven. If you have ever been across the seas and met a friend, or even an acquaintance in some strange city, you remember how your blood thrilled, and how glad you were to see him. What will be our joy, after we have passed the seas of death, to meet in the bright city of the sun those from whom we have long been separated. After we have been away from our friends ten or fifteen years, and we come upon them, we see how differently they look. The hair has turned, and wrinkles have come in their faces, and we "How you have changed!" when we stand before the throne, all cares gone from the face, all marks of sorrow disappeared, and feeling the joy of that blessed land, methiaks we will say to each other, with an exhultation we can not now imagine: "How you have changed!" In this world we only meet to part. It is goo !bye, good-bye, Farewells floating in the air. We hear it at the rail-car window, and at the steamboat wharf-good-bye. Children lisp it, and old age answers it. Sometimes we say it in a light way-"good-bye;" and sometimes with anguish in which the

soul breaks down. Good-bye! Ah! That is the word that ends the Thanksgiving banquet; that is the word that comes in to close the Christmas-chant. Good-bye, good-bye. But not so in heaven. Welcomes in the air, welcomes at the gates, welcomes at the house of many is-but, no good-bye. That group is constantly being augmented. They are ing up from our circles of earth to join it—little voices to join the anthem—little hands to take hold in the great home-circle—little feet to dance in the eternal glee little crowns to be cast down before the feet of Jesus. Our friends are in two groups—a group this side of the river, and a group on the other side of the river. Now a group on the other side of the river. Now there goes one from this to that, and so we will all be gone over. How many of your loved ones have already entered upon that, biessed place? If I should take paper and pencil, do you think I could put them all. down! Ah, my friends, the waves of Jos dan rear on hoarsely, we can not hear the joy on the other side when that group is augmented. It is graves here, and coffins. and hearses there. A little child's m had died, and they comforted her. They said: "Your mother has gone to heaven—don't cry;" and, the next day, they went to

the graveyard, and they laid the body of the mother down into the ground; and the little giri came up to the verge of the grave, and, looking down at the body of her mother, said: "Is this heaven?" O! we have no idea what heaven is. It is the grave here—it is darkness here—but there is mer-ry-making yonder. Methinks when a soul arrives, some angel takes it around to show it the wonders of that blessed place. The usher-angel says to the newly arrived: "These are the martyrs that perished at Piedmont; these were torn to pieces at the Inquisition; this is the throne of the Great Jehovah, this is Jesus." "I am going to see Jesus," said a dying boy; "I am going to see Jesus." The missionary said, "You'are sure you will see Him?" "Oh! yes; that's what I want to go to heaven for." said the missionary, "suppose Jesus should go away from heaven—what then?" "I stroud follow Him," said the dying boy. "but if Jesus went down to hell, what then?" The dying boy thought for a moment, and then said, "Where Jesus is there can be no hell!" Oh! to stand in his presence! That will be the heaven! Oh! to but our hand in that hand which was wounded for us on the cross—to go around amid the groups of the redeemed, and shake hands with the prophets, and apostles, and martyrs, and with our own dear, beloved ones! That will be the great reunion; we can not imagine it now, our loyed ones seem so far away. When we are in trouble and lone. some, they don't seem to come to us. go on the banks of the Jordan and call across to them, but they don't seem to hear. We say, "Is it well with the child? Is it th the loved on es?" and we listen to hear if any voice comes back over the waters. None! none! Unbelief says, "They are dead, and they are annihilated." but, blessed be God! we have a Bible that tells us different. We open it and we find they are neither dead nor annihilated-that they never were so much alive as nowthat they are only waiting for our coming, and that we shall join them on the other side of the river. O, glorious reunion! we can not grasp it now. "Eye hath not seen, nor ear heard, neither have entered into the hear of man the things which God hath prepared for them that love him." O what a place of explanation it will be! I see, every day, profound mysteries of providence. There is no question we ask

of ener than why? There are hundreds of

graves in Greenwood and Laurel Hill that

need to be explained. Hospitals for the

blind and lame, asylums for the idiotic and

insane, aimshouses for the destitute, and a

more than human solution. Ah! God will clear it all up. In the light that pours from

the throne, no dark mystery can live.

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were written on the jasper wall, or sounded

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thank God that he was blind; and Lazarus that he was covered with sores; and Joseph that he was cast into the pit; and Daniel that he was denned with hons; and Paul that he was humpbacked; and David that he was driven from Jerusalem; and that invalid that for twenty years he could not lift his head from the pillow; and that widow that she had such hard work to earn bread for her children. The song will be all the grander for earth's weeping eyes, and sching heads, and exhausted hands, and scourged backs, and martyred agonies.

But we can get no idea of that anthem here We appreciate the power of secular music, but de we appreciate the power of sacred song? There is nothing more inspiriting to me than a whole congrega ion lifted on the wave of holy melody. When we sing some of those dear old psalms and tunes, they rouse all the memories of the past. Why, some of them were cradle songs in our father's house. They are all sparkling with the morning dew of a thousand Christian Sabbaths. They were sung by brothers and sisters gone now-by voices that were aged and broken in the music-voices none the less sweet because they did tremble and break. When I hear these old songs sung seems as if all the old country meeting homes joined in the chorus, and city church and sailors' bethel and western cabins, until the whole continent lifts the doxelogy and the sceptress of eternity beats time in the music. Away then with your starveling tunes that chill the devotious of the sanctu ary, and make the people sit silent when Jesus is marching on to victory. When Generals come back from victorious wars. don't we cheer them | and shout: "Huzza, huzza?" and when Jesus passes along in the conquest of the ear h, shall we not have for him one loud ringing cheer?

"All hall the power of Jesus' name, Let ange s prostrate fall. Bring forth the royal diadem, And crown him Lord of all."

But my friends, if music on earth is so weet, what will it be in heaven? They all know the tune there. All the best singers of all the ages will join it-choirs of whiterobed children, choirs of patriarchs, choirs of apostles. Morning stars clapping their cymbals. Harpers with their harps. Great anthems of God, roll on, roll onpires joining the harmony till the thrones are all full, and the nations all saved. Anthem shall touch anthem, chorus join chorus, and all the sweet sounds of earth and heaven be poured in the ear of Christ. David of the harp will be there. Gabriel of the trumpet will be there. Germany, re-deemed, will pour its deep bass voice into the song, and Africa will add to the music with her matchless voices.

I wish we could anticipate that song. wish in our closing hymn to-day we might catch an ecto that slips from the gates Who knows but that when the heavenly door open to-day to let some soul through there may come forth the strain of the jubilant voices until we catch it! O, that the song drops down from heaven, it might meet half-way a song coming up from

They rise for the doxology, all the multitude of the blest! Let us rise with them; and so at this hour the joys of the church on earth, and the joys of the church in heaven will mingle their chalices, and the dark apparel of our morning will seem to whiten into the spotless raiment of the skies. God grant that through the rich mercy of our Lord Jesus Christ we may all

AN INTERESTING FACT.

Effect of the Vibration of Telegraph Wires on Wild Animals. Some interesting facts have been brought out in a paper by M. C. Nielsen, of Chris-

tians, on the impression produced upon animals by the resonance of the vibration of telegraph wires. It is found that the black and green woodpeckers, for example, which hunt for insects in the bark and in the heart of decaying trees, often peck in side the circular hole made transversely through telegraph posts, generally near the top. The phenomenon is attributed to the resonance produced in the post by the vibration of the wire, which the bird mistakes as the result of the operation of worms and insects in the interior of the post Every one knows the fondness of bears for honey. It has been noticed that in mountainous districts they seem to mistake the vibratory sound of the telegraph wires for the grateful humming of bees, hive Not finding it on the post, they scatter the stones at its base which help to support it, and, disappointed in their search, give the post a parting pat with their paw, thus showing their determination at least to kill any bees that might be about it. Indisputable traces of bears about prostrate posts and scattered stones prove that this really happens. With regard to wolves, again, M. Nielsen states that when a vote was asked at the time for the first great telegraph lines, a member of the S orthing said that although his district had no direct interest in the line proposed, he would give his vote in its favor, because he knew the lines would drive the wolves from the districts through which they passed. It is well known that to keep off the ravages of hungry wolves in winter the farmers in Norway set up poles connected together by a line or rope, under which the wolves would not dare to pass "And it is a fact," M. Neilsen states, "tha when, twenty or more years ago, telegraph lines were carried over the mountains and along the valleys, the wolves totally disap-peared, and a specimen is now a rarity." Whether the two circumstances are casually connected, M. Nielsen does not venture to

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We are endlessly changing. No one is absolutely the same to-day as he was yesterday. What we did yesterday or last year becomes, therefore, in some degree, as another's act; so that we may look back upon ourselves objectively, as we would look upon another. While few right-minded persons fail to consider the power of their example upon others, they do not often consider their power of example upon themselves. They fail to realize that a thing done even in secret may have become a veritable example for good or evil to themselves. Every act sets an image before the mind, which in time loses more or less of its identity with the doer, and so becomes an example to the doer himself, apart from the thought of who did it. Let us not think that because others have not seen us act, or heard us think, our secret acts and thoughts have therefore no moral bearing upon the world through the power of their example on us, and through us upon others -S. S. Jimes.

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