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BY THE WAY.

The new moon of last Monday will be full next Tuesday night.

The usual rehearsal will be held in Warren Mission chapel this evening.

To-morrow, St. Patrick's Day, will be observed in the Catholic churches.

High Mass will be celebrated at St. Mary's church, to-morrow, at eight, a. m.

The subject for the meeting, this evening, 7:30, Cutter's Hall, will be "The Living Sacrifice," Rom. 12: 1.

Passenger trains began to run over the road yesterday for the first time since Monday, with but one locomotive.

The snow is gradually melting away, and no fears of a freshet are anticipated, especially in this immediate locality.

Marshal Becker has found the lock up door, but the side-walk still remains interrupted, to the sorrow of pedestrians.

It is said that the highest snow drift in this locality was on Manning avenue, North Plainfield, where the snow was piled to a height of about fifteen feet.

A collection Sunday morning last, in Crescent Avenue church, for home missions, resulted in the sum of \$800 desired. There was not a full congregation, either.

A grocery sleigh was upset in front of Mr. J. S. Cutter's store on West Front street, this morning. The horse attached, fell on the sidewalk, creating some excitement for a time.

The very passable condition of the roadways of the principal streets so soon after an unprecedented storm, is a credit to Street Commissioner M. M. Dunham and Street Commissioner G. M. Anglemann.

Station Agent Haynes in communication with the railroad authorities, yesterday afternoon, was told that no promises could be given as to the moving of freight. "We have not got as far as that," they said.

Three hackmen named Thorp, Sullivan and Hansen, were arraigned by Officer Lynch before the City Judge, this morning, for fast driving. The former two were fined five dollars each, and sentence was suspended in the latter instance.

The last condensed milk received in bulk for wagon delivery in this city, was on Monday, and yesterday the supply was exhausted. When the next supply will arrive is not known, and meanwhile the canned article is in unusual demand.

Four hundred men were today set to work shoveling out the two locomotives snow-bound at Green Brook, on the Lehigh Valley Railroad, and at eleven a. m., the engines were taken from the drift. The engineer, succeeded in keeping up steam with melted snow.

Having removed most of the snow drifts from Front street, Park and North avenues, Street Commissioner Anglemann yesterday directed his attention to "opening up" some of the other streets in the city. Broadway, West Fourth and West Fifth received attention during the day.

News has been received of the Thatcher, Priprose & West minstrel company that was reported as lost in the deep snows of New York State. A letter to THE PRESS, dated "Snow Bank No. 6," formerly Nelson House, Poughkeepsie, was received today. It will find room in these columns of to-morrow.

The address of Aaron M. Powell, Esq., upon the subject of "Social Purity," at the Y. M. C. A. Rooms, last evening, was listened to with great interest by a goodly number of young men who seemed deeply impressed by what was said. It is hoped that Mr. Powell may be lead to speak upon the subject again at no distant period.

Special Officer Giesse, who was yesterday detailed to serve notices upon property owners who had not complied with the city ordinance with reference to removing the snow from in front of their premises, met with many scorns and rebukes. The officer was simply following out instructions, and should not be censured for carrying out the law.

THE SITUATION ON THE RAILROADS.

Trains Running on Time Over the Main Line Between New York and March Chunk—Philadelphia Trains Run via Bethlehem—Telegraphic Communication, etc.

The following notice was sent out to all ticket agents on the main line of the Central Railroad, yesterday:

"To all Agents: "Regular schedule trains will be resumed to-morrow on main line and Perth Amboy branch excepting main line, No. 15 between Easton and Somerville. All Philadelphia trains and Nos. 301 and 302 on the Perth Amboy branch. Passengers for Philadelphia will be carried on trains Nos. 4 and 6 via Bethlehem Junction. The South Branch railroad is still closed."

The main line to Easton was opened for travel yesterday, and the first train to arrive from that place was No. 7, due here at 8:39. The train was composed of three locomotives, one express, two milk cars, two passenger coaches, and about seventy-five snow-bound passengers, and arrived here at 11 o'clock last night, two and one-half hour's late. But one track, however, the South, can be used West of Dunellen. The West-bound mail and paper train, No. 10, which arrived in this city at 5:10 on Monday morning, is still firmly embedded in thirty feet of snow between Baritan and North Branch.

Two snow plows and three car-loads of laborers went up the road this morning, and are today engaged in opening up the South Branch Division from Somerville to Flemington. The Flemington express train is still snowed under near Neshanic. The High Bridge Branch of the Central Railroad was this morning opened for travel.

Drill engine No. 32 and a band of laborers, are today shoveling out the siding at the Pond Tool Works. The freight house in this city remains closed, and no freight is being received or sent out. The delay in getting freight from New York, is occasioned by the snow blockade on the docks and in the yard. No freight is expected before Monday, but a considerable quantity of merchandise is brought out from New York on each incoming train.

TELEGRAPHIC COMMUNICATION.

The Western Union Telegraph Company now has direct communication with New York city, and Manager Schermerhorn today reports the office again open for business.

Through the indefatigable efforts of Manager Sliter of the Baltimore and Ohio Telegraph Company, who with his line-men worked until after ten o'clock last evening, his Company is today able to get direct communication with Philadelphia and Washington. This was only accomplished by combining five distinct lines. Mr. Sliter last night received the following congratulatory telegram from the Superintendent of the Philadelphia Division of the B. & O. Company; and also a similar message from the Chief of the New York Division:

"PHILADELPHIA, PA., MARCH 15, 1888. "W. S. Sliter, Manager:—Many thanks for your efforts. You deserve great credit for your labor which has proven a success. Nothing more to-night."

"W. B. GILL, "Supt. Phila. Div."

OBITUARY.

MARTIN W. SCHENCK.

Martin W. Schenck, a well-known builder and resident of North Plainfield, died suddenly at his residence on Jackson avenue, yesterday afternoon, of typhoid pneumonia. Deceased had only been confined to his bed since Friday last. Mr. Schenck's sudden demise will be mourned by a large circle of acquaintances. In life he was an honored member of Jerusalem Lodge, No. 26, A. F. & A. M., and Plainfield Lodge, No. 44, I. O. O. F. He was also an officer in other organizations, among which was the New Jersey Game and Fish Protective Society, of which he was a member of the Board of Directors. Mr. Schenck was elected a member of the Board of Freeholders of Somerset county for 1883-84, and served a year with distinction and honor. Deceased was respected for his honest and upright dealings in all matters. He was a kind husband and father, and will be missed by many. His funeral obsequies will take place Monday afternoon next at 2 o'clock from his residence.

MRS. HARRIET RYDER.

At her residence on Central avenue, early this morning, the wife of ex-Councilman Stephen C. Ryder expired after a lingering illness, in the 52d year of her age. By her death a loving husband loses a faithful helpmate, and devoted children are forever parted from a mother they so ardently revered. The death bed of the deceased was to her a happy one—her Christian spirit of readiness and her satisfaction at being surrounded by all her children, united in taking the sting from death for her.

The funeral services will be held at the house, 20 Central avenue, Sunday afternoon next at 2:30 o'clock. Interment in Hillside Cemetery.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

An infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Goeller of East Front street, was buried from the house yesterday afternoon.

The Rev. Dr. J. H. Vincent returned home, yesterday, after the Chautauqua Assembly in Florida, to find he had been enjoying weather beyond compare.

J. A. Dix, Esq., Superintendent of the public schools of Elizabeth, was in Plainfield yesterday. He is proud of his own schools but thinks those of Miss Bulkley's far superior to anything in the State.

City Judge George P. Suydam has been confined to his house for several days past, suffering from injuries he received by a fall. He was able to go to his office to-day, although not yet fully recovered.

Percy L., the seven-months-and-ten-days-old son of William and Martha Barrett, colored, of Kensington avenue, died on Wednesday, of pneumonia. The funeral took place today. Another child, a daughter, aged three years and five months, was buried two weeks ago yesterday.

Arthur P. Miller, Esq., who was so badly bruised in endeavoring to control a team of frightened horses that threatened to stamp him under their feet and then plunge down an embankment with his wife, is so far recovered as to be out again in enjoyment of the sunshine that always follows the storm.

Mr. A. J. Gavett of West Fifth street, has invited the amateur photographers of the city to meet at his house, Thursday evening of next week, and to bring with them specimens of their own work with the camera. This is the first time the fraternity of the city has been definitely assembled together, and it will probably result in an organization for mutual assistance and advancement.

Mr. A. L. Cadmus, the miller, who was so seriously injured by falling from a plank in one of the upper stories of his mill on Wednesday, is slowly recovering from the effects of his injuries. The attending physician informs us that besides a fracture of the collar bone, the injuries consist principally of bruises about the head and body. Mr. Cadmus' friends hope for his speedy recovery.

Trinity Reformed Church Reception.

The last of the series of most successfully conducted sociables, given under the auspices of the Ladies Christian Work Society of the Trinity Reformed church, during the Winter months, took place in the lecture room last evening, and was largely attended by the members and friends of the church and Sunday school. Superintendent E. E. Anthony, presided and acted in the capacity of Master of ceremonies. During the evening, Miss Alice Smith, the Reform Club organist, contributed several piano selections, and Miss Laura Baker, whose fine voice has before been heard in the church choir, sang two sweet solos and sang again in answer to an encore. Refreshments were served, and the evening was devoted to general sociability. The committee having the matter in charge, consisted of the following ladies: Miss Nettie Randall, Mrs. P. M. Demarest, Mrs. F. A. Church.

Still Many Days Behind.

Ring the bell! Rouse up the stagnant slumberer of Somerset street! The Evening — of last night was still full of stale, experiences concerning some snow storm that happened days ago. There was a reference to a lost milkman that the public had been told about in these columns of the day before. Otherwise the Evening — of yesterday was a duplicate of the day before in the nature of its contents, and Wednesday's issue contained a reprint of Tuesday's news copied from THE PRESS of Monday. Wake up, condemned contemporary! Open your eyes! Winter has gone, and Spring is here! There has been no blizzard lately. Read THE PRESS and catch up with the news of today.

Runaway and Upset.

Mr. Chas. Harris and family of West Fifth street, were seated in a cutter, sleighing in the vicinity of Fifth and Washington streets early last evening. Mr. Harris was driving a carriage horse belonging to Mr. Joel Bryant, and a passing train of cars frightened the animal, causing him to run away. At the corner of Fifth and Washington streets the sleigh was upset and wrecked, while the occupants were hurled promiscuously in a snow drift uninjured. The animal sustained serious injury, and was captured after running several blocks.

A Sudden Death.

Mrs. Martha Jager, aged forty-three years, wife of Henry Jager of West Sixth street, dropped dead in her son's arms on Wednesday morning. She arose as usual and was about attending to her household duties when she complained of feeling ill. Her son attempted to place her on a reclining lounge, but she expired almost immediately. County Physician Westcott came up yesterday and issued the necessary death certificate, assigning heart disease as the direct cause of death.

PARK AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH ANNIVERSARY.

Interesting Exercises in The Chapel Last Evening—Reports from the Various Branches of Church Work—Followed by a Sociable.

The Park Avenue Baptist church was organized March 15th, 1876, with Rev. Robt. Lowry as pastor. Its constituent members numbered one hundred and twenty-five.

They worshipped in the Seventh-Day Baptist church, whose situation on the corner of Central avenue and Fifth street, gave them the name of the Central Baptist church.

After three years labor it was found expedient to have a church-home of their own, consequently active measures were taken for the accomplishment of this object. While having under consideration the selection of a proper location on which to build, the very desirable site on which the church stands, was generously donated them by Mr. James Martine.

The corner stone of this building was laid Oct. 4th, 1879. The chapel was completed, and the first service held in it, May 23d, 1880, and on Nov. 23d of the same year, the building was dedicated as a house of God.

It is admitted that it is one of the most tasty and best appointed church edifices in the city.

In the Spring of 1885 the church reluctantly accepted the resignation of its pastor, Dr. Lowry, who had labored faithfully and heroically with them since their organization.

The present pastor, Rev. Asa Reed Dilts, commenced his labors October, 1885. Last night the church held the twelfth anniversary of its organization, but the bad walking had a tendency to decrease the number who would doubtless have been in attendance under favorable circumstances. The exercises were, nevertheless, interesting, and thoroughly enjoyed by those present.

Rev. A. R. Dilts, the pastor, presided, and announced as the opening piece, a piano solo, by Miss Alice Coard, which the young lady performed with skill and precision.

Then came the report of the Ladies' Aid Society, the oldest organization connected with the church, by Mrs. N. Runyon. Following is a synopsis of the report:

The Ladies' Aid Society was organized Dec. 21, 1881, under the name of "The General Aid Society." At its organization, Mrs. J. W. Johnson was elected President; Miss Libbie Heyniger, Vice President; Mrs. C. K. Compton, Secretary, and Miss Kate Coles, Treasurer. A Committee of Collectors and a Visiting Committee were appointed. A constitution was adopted in which the object of the Society was declared to be "to do the work of our Master in trying to promote the social and spiritual good of our people, and to raise funds to assist in paying our interest." Apparently to emphasize this latter clause, on Feb. 1, 1882, a resolution was adopted providing that "All funds raised by this Society should be for the one object—to assist in paying our interest."

Stated meetings of the society have been held with reasonable regularity, and the Society feels that it has reason to be well satisfied with its efforts since the organization. To accomplish the end for which the Society was organized, fairs, festivals, bazaars, and various exhibitions have been given. Besides doing a vast amount of work attending these enterprises, the members take themselves with an initiation fee of twenty-five cents, and also agree to give, annually to the Society, amounts ranging from \$1.20 to \$100 each.

The Society has a semi-monthly sewing meeting, at which articles are made and disposed of among the members.

A box of clothing, etc., valued at \$150, was sent to the family of a Home Missionary in Dakota, November, 1886.

The latest project, which is still in its infancy, is a cake sale, held in the chapel every Saturday afternoon.

The Society has succeeded in raising, since its organization, from all sources, up to Jan. 1st, last, the sum of \$5,615.39. The present membership is forty.

Then followed in the order named, the report of the Foreign Mission Society, verbally, by Miss Elma H. Runyon; a beautifully written report on the Home Missionary Society by Miss Alice B. Spangenberg, the Secretary; a report on the Sunday School by Mr. E. J. Perrine, its Secretary, read by the pastor, and the report of "The Little Helpers," by Miss Addie Runyon. Some of these reports will appear in full in these columns at a future date. The report of the Boy's Mission Band was read by Gussie Wilson, stating, among other things, the gladdening of the hearts of "Widow O'Keefe" and her children by presenting them with a well-filled basket of eatables on the day previous to Thanksgiving. The Society has also paid the sum of \$25 to the Woman's Baptist Home Missionary Society, to make Mrs. Dilts a life member.

Mrs. A. R. Dilts read a carefully pre-

pared report on the Young People's Association. The report stated that a committee of three had been appointed to make inquiry as to the object and advantages of the Society known as the Christian Endeavor, and report as to the advisability of merging the Young People's Association into a similar organization.

Rev. A. R. Dilts, the pastor, read the following report on church work:

The past year has been a year of steady work and steady growth—not rapid growth, but steady and permanent growth. If one should ask: "Has your growth been in numbers?" we would be compelled to answer: "Not to any great extent." And yet the growth in this respect has not been especially small. In all, sixteen new members—four by baptism and twelve by letter—have been added to the church. This is a number less by half than that of the previous year, but it must be remembered that the large number of baptisms of that year was the result of the special union evangelistic meetings conducted by those wonderfully successful spiritual workers, Mr. Moody and Major Whipple. Still, in the matter of numbers, we congratulate ourselves that there is a gain.

If now this same one should ask: "Has your growth been a financial one?" we would answer: "Yes, a decided growth financially." For the first time since the present pastor has been here, if not the first time in the history of the church, the treasurer reported all current indebtedness up to the first of January of the present year, paid, and a balance of more than one hundred dollars in the treasury. The figures heretofore have marked a deficiency instead of money in hand. More than this, the subscriptions to the General Fund were larger than ever before, larger than the year previous by more than \$500. The Ladies' Aid Society never before, except perhaps once, raised so much money in a single year, the total amount running considerably over a thousand dollars, and besides the basket collections advanced some fifty dollars over those of the previous year. The financial condition of the church is today healthier and stabler than it has ever been. True, it is not yet what we want it to be. We would like to raise a much larger sum than we raise now. We need funds for a variety of objects—for example, for new singing hymnal books in our main room; for sheds to protect horses in inclement weather; for repainting the church, doing certain wood and mason work, and for a new organ—but we have done so well in removing all current indebtedness and in providing for general and necessary demands, that we may rightly congratulate ourselves on our good financial condition and growth. The church, moreover, has appointed four annual collections, whereas heretofore we have had but one—the Foreign Mission, Home Mission, Baptist State Convention, and Relief of Disabled Ministers. Our Foreign Mission collection was larger by about ten dollars than the year before.

If now we should be asked: "Has your growth been in spirituality?" we would answer: "Yes." In spirit the church is more united even than the year previous. Harmony prevails. There is unity in our counsels, as well as peace and concord in our midst. The prayer meetings have been better attended and a deeper interest is manifested. Topic cards have been printed, so that the subject of each meeting is known beforehand. The results of this have been good. The covenant meetings have been more largely attended, and the disposition to make the meetings profitable has been gratifying to all. Only four have been baptized, it is true, but this is not more than a third of those who have been hopefully converted, but are waiting either a shorter or longer period before being baptized. The increase in attendance upon the Sunday services has been gladly noticed by all, especially the Sunday evening services; although during the pleasant weather of Summer and fall the evening attendance has been large.

The spiritual growth of the church has been exceedingly good, and it is hoped that during the coming year the work accomplished will be greatly in excess of that during the year just closed.

A sociable followed, at which ice cream and cake were provided in abundance, and an hour or so was passed in social amusements. After refreshments were served Rev. Dr. Lowry, a former pastor of the church, delivered an interesting address.

Held for the Grand Jury.

Thomas Warom, a resident of the Boulevard, went into Day's saloon last evening and amused himself by assaulting the proprietor and his wife, besides breaking a number of bottles and glasses. The inebriated man then broke down a section of the saloon front, and secreted himself in his own house, defying arrest. Chief Carey, however, brought the man to headquarters and this morning Judge Suydam fined him \$10. He was immediately re-arrested on a double charge of assault and battery, and malicious mischief. Justice Nash, before whom the prisoner was arraigned on the latter charges, held him in the sum of \$100 on each charge, to await the action of the Grand Jury.

A Girl and a Gas Company Go for Johnnie Quass.

From a morning paper we glean the following account of the tribulations of a former and well-known Plainfielder:

For sparing a gas meter and using the gas direct from the street main John Quass of 18 Fair street, Newark, was arrested last night and held under \$500 bail at the First precinct station. Quass lives in Orange and keeps a laundry in Newark. He is not a Chinaman, but a tall, rather handsome, and shrewd-looking American, with a reputation for business tact far in advance of his resources. He drives a delivery wagon which has his likeness in oil on each side, and a girl with blond bangs irons collars and cuffs in the window of his Fair street laundry. A girl who lives across the street wanted to horsewhip Quass a few weeks ago, and applied to Justice Rodrigo and Chief of Police Hopper for a permit.

Neither the Justice nor any of the members of the Police Department were hearty in trying to dissuade her from her purpose, and she went to the laundry with the intention of giving Quass one or two good licks. He talked her out of it, however, and denied that he had maligned her.

Quass uses gas in goodly quantities for heating the cylinder used by the blond girl in ironing collars. He said last night that he did not know anything about the gas getting around the meter, and that if there was any fraud he had no hand in it.

WESTFIELD.

John Ingram has moved into his new store on Broad street.

A new bakery will be opened in the store next to the post office, about April 1.

Messrs. French & Dougherty were the only news agents who did not take an unfair advantage of their customers by charging exorbitant prices for their papers during the snow storm, but supplied them at the usual price.

Some of our "fire boys" turned out yesterday afternoon, with Engine No. 1, and pumped water into the boiler of Railroad Engine No. 76, that had been standing on the side track since Monday, thus enabling it to get steam enough to run to Elizabethport.

While Mrs. George Thatcher was turning the corner of Broad and Elm streets, yesterday afternoon, her horse slid into a snow drift, overturning the sleigh and throwing Mrs. Thatcher out. The horse ran over opposite the depot park where he ran into another drift and was easily caught, no damage being done. Mrs. Thatcher was uninjured.

Critique Protests.

EDITORS PRESS:—Since the last letter published in your columns, over the signature of "Critique," appears to have excited comment, I think that in justice to me the public should know that the writer of the letter was not the author of any letters previously published in THE PRESS over that signature. It is hardly fair that two persons should write letters in the same place, at one time and to the same paper under one name. It is furthermore highly improbable that the writer of the last letter should have assumed the name not knowing I had previously adopted it. As I may hereafter have occasion to write you I claim a prior right to the title and think it only courteous that the second "Critique" should forego its use in future.

CRITIQUE.

DUNELLEN.

The death of Johnnie Maier, the six-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Maier, resulted from acute laryngitis, and not from other causes as reported.

The annual meeting of the borough officers for the nomination of Borough Commissioners to be voted for at the election early in April, took place at the school house, last evening, and was largely attended. The following were the candidates selected; Messrs. John Dayton and John Apgar. It was also decided to vote for \$1,000, to be used for road purposes, an increase of \$500 over last year's appropriation. The meeting was unusually spirited.

Orren Pierson will Look After Westfield's Fine Roads, Hereafter.

At the annual road meeting of District No. 1, of Westfield, which comprises the largest portion of that town, held on Thursday evening at the Town Rooms, 186 votes were cast for Overseer. Mr. Orren Pierson received 119; William A. Brown 32, and N. B. Day 32. Mr. Pierson was declared elected.

The sum of \$2,500 was voted for crushed stone, and \$500 for repair of sidewalks, to be apportioned pro rata among the several old road districts which are now included in the new district No. 1.

Mr. Wm. W. Connolly was elected chairman, and Luther M. Whitaker, clerk, of the meeting.

The Street Commissioner this morning put 20 men to work, shoveling out the snow drifts on East Front street, at Cole's Hill.

MILLIONS OF MOURNERS

EMPEROR WILLIAM'S IMPOSING FUNERAL PAGEANT.

Taking the Last Look at the Dead Kaiser's Face—Fancy Prices for Seats—Description of the Pageant.

Berlin, March 16.—This is the day set apart for the burial of Germany's illustrious dead, and the city is one mass of struggling, mourning humanity. There was an enormous crush of people here yesterday, and the crowd this morning was larger, if that were possible. The crowd increased in front of the cathedral constantly, and before noon the enormous number of 100,000 had gathered. It was impossible for those in front to move. The police were powerless. The crush became greater and greater, until women and children began to scream for help. A woman of perhaps 65 years fainting. She was raised raised above the heads of the people, and passed along for an eight of a mile with her head and limbs dangling as though the joints were dislocated.

Large charcoal fires were last night burning under the Linden, all the way from the Royal Palace in the Kaiser Platz. By their ruddy glare thousands of workmen were seen draping hastily erected arches with black cloth, interwoven with myrtle, evergreen and pine sprigs. The heirs presumptive or present occupiers of no less than fourteen European thrones are here, and the thoroughfares last night were thronged with Court carriages hurrying to and fro.

The demand for seats along the Unter den Linden, the route of the funeral procession is unprecedented. The ordinary figures \$10 for a seat, and as high as \$50.00 is paid. One shopkeeper sold his balcony for enough to pay one year's rent of his entire dwelling.

The route taken by the funeral procession this afternoon is three miles long. At intervals of twenty paces along the route, a double row of wooden obelisks, draped with crepe have been erected, and grand arches, forty feet high, span the whole roadway from the Thiergarten along Unter den Linden.

The pageant will be the grandest and most imposing ever witnessed in Europe. The procession will be three miles long. Starting amid the tolling of bells, it will cross the Castle bridge and pass through Unter den Linden to the Brandenburger Gate. At the Siegessäule the members of the Imperial family will enter carriages and proceed to Charlottenburg Mausoleum. There the regalia will be withdrawn from the procession and sent back to the Treasury. The canopy over the coffin will be lifted off; eight lieutenants will assume charge of the horses, and four captains will take the places of the Knights of Black Eagle as pallbearers.

The procession from the Cathedral to the Siegessäule will be made as follows: A squadron from each cavalry regiment of the Guard; a battalion from each infantry regiment of the Guard; battalions of grenadiers; the Potsdam training school; non-commissioned officers; twelve guns of field artillery; standards and regimental colors; the servants of the household; the court officials, pages, body physicians and gentlemen of the bed-chamber; Count von Stolberg-Wernigerode, bearing the Imperial crown and the Prussian Ministers, bearing the scepter, the orb, the sword, the seal, and the electoral crown; next will come the funeral car, followed by the charger of the deceased Emperor; the Imperial standard; borne by General von Pappe and Emperor Frederick, with the King of Saxony, the King of Belgium, the King of Roumania, Crown Prince William, Prince Henry and envoys from foreign courts. These will be followed by Prince Kammerer, Count von Moltke, Prince Hohenlohe, the Knights of the Black Eagle, the heads of princely houses, generals of the army, members of the Bundesrath, the presidents of the Reichstag and Landtag, civil officers in the order of their rank, members of the Reichstag and Landtag, and the municipal authorities of Berlin and other cities. Two battalions of the Guards will close the procession.

BOULANGER IN DISGRACE.
Deprived of the Command of the Thirtieth Army Corps.

Paris, March 16.—The Journal Official publishes a decree depriving Gen. Boulanger of his command for breach of discipline in visiting Paris three times without permission.

The cabinet have, moreover, summoned Gen. Boulanger, who for the present still remains on the active list, to Paris to explain his connection with the recent election. The General has announced that he will come at once. Excited crowds are awaiting him at the railway stations and in the adjoining streets.

Sixteen Carriages Went Down.
Preston, March 16.—A wedding party, which was returning from church after the marriage ceremony, was drowned in the Danube. There were sixteen carriages in which were the bride and groom and their guests, and when they had safely crossed half way over the river the ice broke, letting them into the river, and all were drowned.

Beef For the French Army.
Denver, Col., March 16.—An agent for the French Government has signed a contract with the cattle trust of this city under which the latter is to furnish 150,000 beefs annually to the French army.

Missing Mr. Merriam.
Chicago, March 16.—The relatives of Alden Merriam, who has been mysteriously missing for several days, believe that he has been murdered for several hundred dollars, which he had on his person when he disappeared.

Mormons Tarred and Feathered.
Winchester, Ohio, March 16.—A report reached here today that two Mormon elders, who were holding meetings in Brier Ridge schoolhouse, were tarred and feathered by the indignant farmers.

Creating New Officers.
Albany, March 16.—By a bill introduced in the Assembly by Mr. Morgan, D. H. Olmstead, Elzior B. Hinsdale and Register Slevin are named to be a Board of Land Records.

Prince Oscar of Sweden Married.
London, March 16.—Prince Oscar of Sweden was married at Bournemouth to Miss Elba Munck, his mother's maid of honor yesterday.

Opposed to Grace.
Albany, March 16.—Mr. Ainsworth of Oswego (Banker Sloan's district) has introduced a bill abolishing the days of grace on bank papers.

Twelve Drowned.
Vienna, March 16.—By the falling of a bridge at Hohenau, Lower Austria, twelve persons were drowned.

THE STRIKE SPREADING.

Engineers on the Santa Fe and Southern Kansas Quit Work.

KANSAS CITY, March 16.—At 4:15 o'clock yesterday afternoon the engineers on the Santa Fe all along the line, and on the Southern Kansas left their engines and joined the Burlington strikers. In the Santa Fe yards there were a dozen deserted engines. One striker said:

"I think the Santa Fe people now know that their engineers will not handle Q. trains as long as the strike on that system lasts."

It is reported that the word that the officials in session there all day refused to rescind orders to transfer Burlington freight and attempting to force the issue. The men quit. The Engineers on the Gulf system are ready to strike if any attempt is made to have them haul Q. cars.

CHICAGO, March 16.—One hundred delegates, representing the Brotherhood of Engineers and Firemen on every railroad entering Chicago, yesterday held a session of nearly eight hours. When the meeting ended it was announced that the engineers had voted to "stick by the Burlington men," and "stand under any circumstances to handle a single Burlington car."

CHOPPED HER TO PIECES.

A German Carpenter's Fearful Work With His Hatchet.

New York, March 16.—Ferdinand Carlin, a German carpenter, living at 77 Stanton street, murdered his wife last evening in a most brutal manner. Heavy blows were heard in the apartments, and a woman's voice shrieking for help. An officer burst the door open and when he entered he found the husband standing in the middle of the floor with a bloody hatchet in his hand. He offered no resistance and was quickly disarmed. The woman was found lying in the corner dead, and presenting a most horrible sight. She had been literally chopped to pieces, her head and face being cut and pounded into a shapeless mass; one eye was knocked out, her teeth were scattered about the floor, and the left cheek bone was crushed in.

The murderer was taken to the Eldridge Street Station, where he was visited by a reporter. "Yes," he said, "I killed my wife. She is in heaven. I will be there to-morrow." He would assign no reason for his crime, but continued to repeat the same expression.

Hatched His Wife.

New York, March 16.—Frederick Schilling, a butcher, aged 30, living at 144 First Avenue, objected to chops for supper, demanding steak, and when his wife went to get a steak followed her and placed a knife into her abdomen, killing her. He says he flung the knife on the meat block, and it rebounded and stabbed her itself. He is under arrest.

Comparing the Two Coercion Acts.

LONDON, March 16.—From a table presented in Parliament yesterday it appears that a comparison of the workings of the Gladstone Irish Coercion Act of 1882 and the Salisbury Crimes Act of 1885, for six months each, shows 1,114 arrests and 436 convictions under the first and 6.8 arrests with 415 convictions under the second.

The Manitoba Trouble.

OTTAWA, March 16.—The Canadian Pacific is said to have agreed to dispose of the monopoly features in its charter for \$1,000,000, part of which will be paid by the Dominion Government and part by Manitoba. This will make it possible for Manitoba to build the Red River road without interference.

Reciprocity With Canada.

WASHINGTON, March 16.—The House Committee on Foreign Affairs has reported unanimously in favor of Mr. Hitt's bill authorizing the appointment of a committee of three to negotiate a reciprocity treaty with Canada.

BOILED DOWN.

John Bright, who has been ill, is reported as convalescing.

Senator Vest denies the report that he will decline a re-election.

Grace church, Washington, held services today in honor of the late Emperor.

Daniel Bowman, a farmer near Lima, Ohio, was murdered while in his field, for his money.

F. W. L. Butterworth, New York, has been nominated by the President for Consul at Ghent.

Henry Bergh, of New York, died Monday. He had a world wide reputation as the friend of dumb brutes.

The President has named David J. Wilcox, of Staten Island, as Receiver of Public Moneys at Walla Walla.

Railroad men at Louisville are discussing "whether it is safe to continue giving Standard Oil men preference in freight rates."

At Baton, N.M., Deputy Sheriff G. W. Cook shot and killed Deputy United States Marshal Frank Catlin in a row in a disorderly house.

The Arctic steamer Alert will this summer make the intended survey over the proposed route of the trans-Pacific cable between a British Columbia and Australia.

Robert Lincoln, son of the martyred President, has written a letter to Rev. W. Caldwell, at Mexico, Mo., in which he declares that he does not want a political office.

Thomas Rounds, 17, son of the late Public Printer, S. P. Rounds, has been confined in the insane asylum at Chicago. The excessive use of liquor and cigarettes are given as the cause.

D. M. Gifford, drummer for a Chicago jewelry house, attempted to eat all that was printed on a bill of fare at Birmingham, Ala., in his desperation to get his money's worth, and fell unconscious to the floor.

The daughter of Joseph Hicks, Springfield, Ohio, who has suffered for years with pains in her stomach, has just been relieved of a large cramp, which, it is thought, she swallowed drinking spring water.

John Lagner, a farmer living in Stearns County, Minn., and his wife, have been fined \$5.00 each and costs, aggregating \$13.50 for refusing to send their daughter, aged 15, to school, as required by the compulsory education law. They have started the girl to school.

A woman has inserted an advertisement in the Louisville Courier-Journal, offering \$50.00 for the name of a priest with whom she left a package in that city in 1898. She alleges she has forgotten the priest's name. She signs the address, "E. L. care Mercantile National Bank, New York."

Ten Douglas County, Mo., "Bad Knobs" were sentenced in the United States Circuit Court, at Jefferson City, Mo., to terms of two to six months in the penitentiary. They were convicted, last September, of whipping and driving two families out of the county. Three others were sentenced to sixty days in jail for intimidating government witnesses.

Gov. Lowry, of Mississippi, gave his nephew, Frederick Lowry, his family pass over the Illinois Central Railroad, and a conductor took the pass up and exposed the affair. It now develops that Gov. Lowry is holding passes on all railroads in that State, which lays him liable to conviction of a misdemeanor under a law enacted by the State Legislature in 1884, applying to all State officers.

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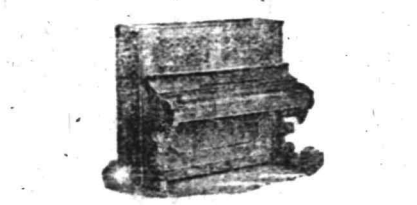
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