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**Jeanesville Miners Saved When Given Up for Dead.**

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The Victims Imprisoned Eighteen Days Without Food.

Nothing Like It Has Been Known in Pennsylvania's Coal Fields—The Men Huddled Together When Found—Week to be Removed—Doctors Summoned to the Underground Prison.

JEANESVILLE, Pa., Feb. 24.—This place was thrown into a fever of excitement at 11:30 last night when it was announced that five of the men who were entombed in the mine here 18 days had been found alive.

Their names are John Tumaskusky, Joe Mastuskiwicz, John Berno, Boco Frinko and an unknown Hungarian who was visiting Berno on the day of the disaster.

These five, with the 13 bodies recovered, makes every one of the missing men accounted for. How they survived is a miracle. Nothing like it has been known or heard of in the anthracite coal fields of Pennsylvania.

The Rescuers Heard a Slight Tapping.

At 9 o'clock last night there came to the ears of the workers in the deepest shaft the sound of a faint tapping from an abandoned position of the mine. The workers listened intently and the tapping was resumed. It was recognized as a signal from their imprisoned brothers who were still alive. The news was sent to the mouth of the mine and it created the wildest excitement. At 10 o'clock the rescuing party had gotten so near the imprisoned men as to be able to converse with them. The men were located in an overcast passageway and could not possibly be reached until the foul gases and impurities had been removed. Every effort was exerted, and preparations for receiving them were made.

Huddled Together to Keep Warm.

At 11:30 the five fortunate men were rescued. They were lying in various positions all huddled together in their efforts to keep warm.

Careful examination revealed the fact that all were still alive. They were so weak that, with one exception, they could not be removed. John Tumaskusky's excellent strength left him in better shape than any of the rest and he was able to be moved to the bottom of the slope. There he was cared for by physicians, who had been hurriedly summoned, while the other men were carried for them lay.

To Remain Underground.

The men will not be brought to the surface for several days. Careful nursing will be given them and every effort put forth to save their lives so that their terrible tale may be heard.

**HE DEMANDS \$50,000.**

That is the Amount Brakeman Stevens Wants for the Loss of His Legs.

NEWARK, N. J., Feb. 24.—The giving away of a brake chain at Spring street, on a Delaware, Lackawanna & Western Railroad train Feb. 18, 1890, resulted in an accident by which Brakeman George L. Stevens was deprived of both of his legs. Stevens, who is an old railroad man, although but 25 years of age, fell directly beneath the first car, and the entire train of nine cars passed over his legs.

Stevens, who now sits about fairly well on cork legs, received a proposition from the railroad company looking to a settlement of the matter. This was refused on the grounds that Mr. Stevens valued his legs at far higher figure than did the company. Stevens, who lives at 583 Broad street, has employed Bob Ingersoll and G. E. P. Howard to bring suit against the company, and the trial of the case will come up in a short time.

**A FIENDISH ACT.**

Train Wreckers at Work Again on the Bald Eagle Valley Railroad.

ALTOONA, Pa., Feb. 24.—A fiendish act was perpetrated on the Bald Eagle Valley Railroad near Millsburg during the morning. Some unknown persons placed a stone in the switch, and as the passenger train passed over it the engine left the track, followed by several of the coaches.

Fireman Gazette, of Tyrone, jumped from the engine and was instantly killed. The engineer, Ed. Kikewicz, but escaped injury. None of the passengers were injured, but all were badly shaken up.

On three occasions lately passenger trains have been wrecked at this point.

**Society of the Cincinnati Engineer.**

New York, Feb. 24.—The Society of the Cincinnati of New York State celebrated Washington's birthday by a banquet at the Plaza Hotel last night. Secretary Hallford sent regrets on behalf of the President. Governor Hill also sent regrets. Among those present were John J. Vanck, of Manchester, N. H.; Cornelius Van Buren, of Hudson, N. Y.; John Cropper, of Washington, and Felix Wally, of South Carolina. Hon. Hamilton Fish presided. A number of patriotic speeches were made.

**PROBABLY 120 DEAD.**

Appeal for Aid for the Widows and Orphans at Spring Hill.

SPRING HILL, N. S., Feb. 24.—An appeal has been issued for aid for the orphaned and widows of miners who perished in the terrible mine disaster of Saturday.

This appeal will be sent broadcast, and the necessity for a prompt response is great. The first subscription to the relief fund was telegraphed from J. W. Clendenning, president of the Acadia coal company, New York. It amounts to \$500.

There will be nearly 300 beneficiaries to be provided for out of subscriptions in this cause.

There are given out the names of 120 miners who are probably all on the list of the dead, though the bodies are not all yet found.

Most of those whose bodies have been found evidently died of suffocation.

**Four Race Track Sills.**

TRENTON, N. J., Feb. 24.—In the House Mr. Ketcham, of Essex, presented a protest signed by 17,500 women against any legislation to legalize pool selling or permit Sunday liquor selling. The signatures were gathered in every part of the State. A few moments later Mr. Campbell, of Monmouth, introduced four race track sills designed to permit racing on regularly accredited courses of the State, to be prohibited when not properly licensed. The bills have been agreed to by the managers of the leading racing associations.

**Banquet of Veterans.**

NEW YORK, Feb. 24.—The Association of the Eleventh Army Corps of the Army of the Potomac, Cumberland and Georgia banquets at Delmonico's last night. Gen. O. O. Howard, president of the society, made a happy speech of reminiscence. Hon. Carl Schurz delivered the speech of the evening. A. C. Hamilton, of Bangor, Me., gave a history of the corps. Gen. Franz Sigel also spoke.

**Judge Hines Recovering.**

RUTLAND, Vt., Feb. 24.—Judge O. C. Hines, of New York, formerly law partner of President Harrison, who was stricken with paralysis at his summer home at Proctorville several months ago, and who has been reported dead several times, has so far recovered as to be able to travel. He left for New York to-day. His entire recovery is now probable.

**Worcester Exhibition Opened.**

WORCESTER, Mass., Feb. 24.—The Industrial and Mechanical Exhibition opened last night with an address by H. H. Bigelow. The mayor pressed the button and set in motion the electric motors which run the machinery of the exhibition. The exhibition will continue until April 1.

**SILVER THE ISSUE**

**Senator Blackburn Will Oppose Mr. Cleveland.**

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The House Passes the Postoffice Bill—A Report that Secretary Tracy Was Opposed to the Transference and Declined It—Hustiss to Send a Grand Exhibit to the World's Fair.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24.—Considerable of a sensation has been caused here by the publication of a letter from Senator Blackburn to Col. John C. Noble of Paducah, Ky., in which the Senator says: "In the light of the publication of Mr. Cleveland's letter antagonizing his party upon the silver question, I do not believe there is a Democratic member of the Senate who would favor his nomination for the Presidency, or who believes that it would be possible to elect him in '92 if nominated. No organization is effected or attempted here hostile to him, but there is now but one opinion as to his lack of ability."

"I have no personal objection to Mr. Cleveland in the world, but I do not believe that any man can be elected President in '92 who is opposed to free silver coinage. The people have been misled with long enough on this subject. The truth is that for 25 years past New York has not furnished a Democratic leader who has not been in thorough accord with Wall street and its allies with the masses of the people. This was as true of Mr. Tilden in former years as it is to-day true of Mr. Cleveland."

"I have longed to see the day when the Democratic might elect a President of this country without paying the tribute that New York has always levied. I think that time is at hand. I have no favorite candidate, but only insist that he shall be a fair and honest representative of Democratic sentiment."

**CONGRESSIONAL DOINGS.**

The Postoffice Appropriation Bill Passed by the House.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24.—In the Senate a number of petitions were presented and referred.

There was quite a discussion over the proposition to print 100,000 copies of the agricultural report on "Diseases of the Horse." Mr. Gorham, inquired against the extravagance in the public printing, and predicted that an increase of taxation would be necessary to meet the expenditures of the government. Finally an amendment was agreed to, of 50,000 copies was agreed to.

The Senate went into executive session and after referring the nomination of Charles Foster, of Ohio, as Secretary of the Treasury to a committee, and considering a number of nominations, reopened the doors and proceeded with the consideration of the Sundry Civil Appropriation bill.

In the House the journal was read and approved without objection on the part of the Democrats.

The conference report on the bill providing for the allotment of lands in severalty to the Indians was agreed to. The House then went into Committee of the Whole on the Deficiency Appropriation bill, but without disposing of it the committee rose.

The Postoffice Appropriation bill was passed and the Immigration bill was taken up for consideration.

**RUSSIA'S GRAND EXHIBIT.**

To be Represented at Chicago by a Display of Magnificent Proportions.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24.—Authentic advice just received here indicates that the Russian exhibit in the coming World's Fair at Chicago will surpass anything of the kind ever attempted by the government and the people of that country, and that it is likely to be the most extensive and varied of all the foreign exhibits to be shown.

A company has been formed of leading citizens, bankers, merchants and manufacturers of St. Petersburg and Moscow, who have already subscribed half a million pounds for this purpose.

The Russian government will contribute another half a million pounds, and will co-operate with them in preparing and bringing to Chicago an exhibit of unusual proportions, which, among other things, will include an ethnological exhibit, representing the condition, mode of living, religion, as well as the manufacturing and agricultural products of the 162 races and tribes of that vast empire.

**Barren to Promote Silk Culture.**

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24.—The Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, through Mr. Blair, made the bill introduced by Senator Mitchell for the establishment of a bureau in the Agricultural Department for the promotion of the silk culture industry. The committee added a provision by which the Secretary of Agriculture to establish experimental stations in such places as he sees fit.

**Gov. Hill Did Not Attend.**

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Feb. 24.—All danger of a severe winter at the Chamber of Commerce banquet last night, and the members breathed freer when a letter of regret was received from Governor Hill saying that he could not attend. Speeches were made by Chas. M. Deane, the Hon. Joseph Tait of Toronto, Charles Bissell, Eugene T. Curtis, Senator Fassett and Davis J. Hill.

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**A Large Meteor Burst Over Madison, Mo.**

MADISON, Mo., Feb. 24.—At about 11 a. m. a large meteor, apparently about the size of a full moon, was observed in the sky. It burst with a loud report over Madison village, blazing fragments scattering in every direction. Houses were shaken as if by an earthquake, and hundreds of people were awakened from sleep by the concussion, which reverberated for some moments, sounding like heavy rolling thunder, while the shooting particles seemed like so many flashes of lightning.

**THEY SHOT TO KILL**

**Desperate Affray in a Crowded Street in Columbus, Ohio.**

**EDITORS MINE AND FIGHT**

**Tragic End of a Newspaper War in Which Two Lives Were Lost.**

One of the Victims an Ancient Bystander—Bullets Flying in Every Direction—Persons Wounded—Two of the Parties Arrested—Lynchings Threatened—The Jail Cell Guarded.

COLUMBUS, O., Feb. 24.—W. J. Elliott, editor of the Sunday Capital, and his brother, P. J. Elliott, met F. W. Lawrence, editor of the Sunday World, and A. C. Osburne, one of the reporters, in Main street shortly after noon and a fusillade of shooting began.

Osburne was instantly killed by a shot from P. J. Elliott was hit in the head and arm and W. T. Elliott was injured.

A bystander named Hughes was injured by a fall from a horse in the city and was taken to the city hospital. He was shot in the head and arm and W. T. Elliott was injured.

The trouble arose from articles appearing in the papers named, and the shooting was done in the midst of a crowd watching to see a parade.

Accounts differ as to how the fusillade began or who fired the first shot. So far as it can be ascertained it is believed that W. J. Elliott was the first to shoot. He was seen to dive in his pocket pull his gun and blaze away. The fire was returned, and from seven to fifteen shots in all were fired, the wounds differing as to the number.

Osburne was about 33 years of age and was formerly editor of the Capital under Elliott. He was a single man. The Sunday World is Senator Brice's organ, and was started during the Senatorial campaign.

Original Cause of the Feud.

The feud has its origin in a quarrel between W. J. Elliott and Osburne over business rivalry and personal feeling, growing out of former relations of the two men as employer and employee. When Osburne became city editor of the World, he received a newspaper subscription from the World, and soon he copied into a sonnet too foul for the columns of a respectable newspaper. Elliott accused W. F. Levering, editor of the World, of lifting and publishing the world upon the subject of a house assignment, run by himself and a woman, whom, it was alleged, he had refused.

The principals seem to have stood their ground at first, while the spectators attracted by the fracas, made frantic efforts to retract their steps. The jam was so dense that those who were near the spot were injured as if by a storm of bullets. Immediately a circle formed, and the belligerents, murderers all the while possible, W. J. Elliott stood in the center of this circle firing his revolver. He was answered by his adversary. The repeated shots of W. J. Elliott's fight, shot through the crowd. Osburne made a break for the door of a hat store. Elliott turned as he ran into the store. From the fact that Osburne was in the chin he had been shot, it was concluded that he had been shot in the chest.

Besides the two killed John Brown, formerly of the Adjutant-General's office, and C. W. Sullivan were wounded. The two former were in a way connected with the census taken to be traced.

Public Sentiment at Once High.

Both of the Elliotts are locked up, a strike being in the city.

Public feeling runs very high against the Elliotts and trouble is feared.

Threats of lynching are freely made, and their is a complete silence which has been kept up since the tragedy.

The jail officials are making every precaution against surprise. A double guard has been put on, and a system of signals arranged to summon assistance from police headquarters at the least sign of a riot.

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**SANROFF'S BODY FOUND**

The Missing Professor at the Bottom of the Pond.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Feb. 24.—The body of Prof. Bancroft was found at an early hour in the morning at Dyer's Pond, Cranston.

The body, considering the time it has been in the water, was not badly decomposed.

It is generally believed that he wandered into the pond while in a state of temporary derangement of mind.

The remarkable disappearance of the professor of rhetoric and English literature of Brown University occurred on Monday, December 8, 1890. He had not been feeling well for some time, and on arising in the morning complained to his family of feeling so ill that he wanted rest. He asked his daughter to take a walk with him in the suburbs, but on account of other duties the young woman did not go.

He was advised by Mrs. Bancroft to go and see a doctor and not to attend his classes that day. He left his home No. 13 Green street, about 8 o'clock, but did not go to see his physician nor did he go to the college.

Inquiries for him began Monday evening, and Tuesday night the newspapers were informed of his disappearance.

"The publication of the mystery brought forth a dozen or more stories, some of which were extraordinary, many people saying that they had seen him."

Conductor Chase of the Cranston street car line conversed with a man answering his description on a car running from Arlington to the Cranston Print Works at 9 a. m. that day. The stranger said he had not been sleeping well night and wanted to have a walk and exercise. He said he was going to ride to the print works and walk to Olneyville.

So far as known, Chase is the last person to have seen him.

Timothy Thibault Bancroft was 58 years old. He graduated at Brown University in 1859. He taught school in Massachusetts a few years and in 1868 was called to Brown as professor of rhetoric and English literature.

**NEWS OF THE DAY.**

New York's demand for a recount was reported on adversely by the House Committee on Elections.

State Senator Francis Hendricks, of Syracuse, N. Y., says he is not a candidate for re-election.

The postoffice at Red Hill, East Vincent, Chester county, Pa., was burned with its contents last night.

John Long, an old and popular farmer of Clarence, N. Y., committed suicide by hanging at his own house.

A cable dispatch from Rome says that Cardinal Gibbons has been summoned to a conference with the Pope.

James Owens, 60 years old, a guest at the Coleman House, New York city, was found dead in his room during the morning.

It is reported by cable that the main object of Emperor Frederick's visit to Paris was to obtain the Duchess Galliera's bequest of \$2,000,000.

An unknown boy about 14 years of age was struck and killed by an Erie express train at Rutherford Park, N. J. The body was mutilated beyond recognition.

Mr. Louis Danzig, a retired merchant of New York city, died suddenly of apoplexy at the Casino at Monte Carlo. His remains will be taken to the United States by his widow's boat.

A Montreal dispatch says that it is stated on the best authority that the priests of the Province of Quebec have received confidential instructions to use all their influence to secure a victory for Sir John Macdonald in the present election campaign.

On account of the recent heavy floods in the Ohio Valley not less than 15,000 men have been thrown out of employment. This will entail great suffering. A close observer who has passed through the distressed district estimates the loss at \$4,000,000.

A Cardiff, Pa., dispatch says the bad weather of late is responsible for an epidemic of grip among the Indian children of the Indian School there. One hundred and twenty-five are down with it. A large number of the Indian College students are sick with the disease.

Charles Cross, who was indicted at the last September term of the Grand Jury at Dover, N. H., for murder in the second degree, in killing Frank Liberty of Great Falls last August, was in court during the morning and his plea of guilty of manslaughter in the first degree was accepted by the court. Sentence was deferred.

**PARNELL'S CAMPAIGN.**

He Says that Victoria is Secure on a Conservative Basis.

DUNELM, Feb. 24.—Parnell is continuing his campaign in Ireland. The city of Stranorlar was thronged by thousands, several times its ordinary population, who had gathered to greet Parnell with an enthusiastic procession.

He repeated in substance his speech at Roscommon. He said that he again spoke, meeting with a very cordial reception. He said:

"I do not ask you to be carried away by an outburst of enthusiasm. I do ask you to believe that every security on the constitutional reform on which I will stand until the last plank is left away. I do not ask you to come in conflict with British laws, but should I ever ask you to take that risk I will take the risk as you take it."

**East Dunelm's Big Income.**

LONDON, Feb. 24.—It is authoritatively announced that the income of the youthful Earl of Dunelm is about to sell the family manor and iron works to a joint stock company and sever his connection with the commercial world. It is stated that the Earl's income will be one of the largest of the Principality of Wales, although the Royal Highness has hitherto opposed the match on account of the young nobleman's eccentric habits. Lord Dunelm's income is now stated at \$2,000,000 per annum.

**Three More Lives Found.**

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A meeting of the Clerks' Association will be held to-night at eight o'clock. Business of importance will be transacted.

A regular meeting of Ivanhoe Council, American Legion of Honor, will be held to-night. Several candidates will be initiated.

One of Carl Kaerth's drivers has a fractured arm and a cut head, the result of being thrown from his wagon seat by a shy horse.

J. C. Runyon, who has been for some time past engaged in the collection business in this city, has started a collection agency in Clark & Reed's law office on Front street.

William J. Ford wants to thank the German American Insurance company, and its agent in this city, James C. Pope, for the prompt settlement in full of his loss of \$700 on his furniture during a recent fire.

The playing of the Plainfield Cornet Band, at the Crescent, yesterday afternoon and evening, was almost as much of a feature as Miss Houghton's skating. Over two thousand people were present, and all highly praised the music. Miss Houghton's imitation of the Spanish dancers, Otero and Carmencita, was very clever.

## PARTICULAR MENTION.

Evon Jones is seriously ill.

Miss Schmidt, of Washington, is visiting at the home of Mrs. Craig A. Marsh. Sheridan F. Fox is very ill with inflammatory rheumatism at the home of his mother, Mrs. Emma Fox, 52 Hillside avenue.

The Rev. J. P. Taylor, of the Church of the Heavenly Rest, Evon, conducted the services at Holy Cross church, yesterday afternoon.

William John Smith, stock clerk and purchasing agent for The Pond Machine Tool Company, resigned his position last Saturday.

George Heslin, a member of the Buffalo Fire Department, and Eli Lewis, of Newark, spent yesterday with Charles Johnson, of East Third street.

Mrs. Elizabeth Powell Bond, Dean of Swarthmore College, will read a paper on "The Elements of Happiness," at the Unitarian rooms, 4 Second place, to-morrow evening, to which all are cordially invited.

Mrs. P. Minerva Smith gave a tea at her home on Madison avenue, yesterday afternoon. Besides the large circle of her friends of Plainfield, there were present guests from New York, Philadelphia and other cities.

The fair for the benefit of the Children's Home, last Saturday, at 71 East Fifth street, realized \$52.73, all of which was a result of the earnest efforts of Miss Helen Brainerd, assisted by the Misses Mabelle C. Phillips, Eva Noe and Grace Rowland.

Councilman and Mrs. Emmons, of North Plainfield, celebrated the fifteenth anniversary of their wedding, last evening. There was a jolly household of company, and one of those generous spreads that Mrs. Emmons knows so well how to set forth, was provided.

The New York Daily Continent records the illness of a Plainfielder as follows: "Bret Harte's popular son, Griswold Harte, who has a legion of friends among newspaper men and theatrical people about town, is seriously ill at his mother's home in Plainfield, N. J. 'Gris' Harte, as he is generally called, outwardly resembles his famous father in a remarkable degree, and though still young, gave promise in his work on the Sun and other papers of sharing the great storyteller's genius."

## Death of Peter G. Kline.

Peter G. Kline, of Summit avenue, died at 1:30 Sunday afternoon. He had been complaining since New Year's Day, but took to his bed less than a week ago. He was perfectly conscious till the end came, and rejoiced that he was "going home" on such a beautiful Sabbath day. He died as he had lived—a Christian man. He leaves a wife, but no children. He was a member of Trinity Reformed church. Jerusalem Lodge, No. 26, F. and A. M., with which he was affiliated, will attend the funeral at his late residence at 1:30, and at the Trinity Reformed church at two o'clock, Wednesday afternoon.

Members of Perseverance Lodge, No. 74, K. of P., will also attend the funeral in a body.

## Has a Race in Mud Alike-Deer.

The Plainfield Workingmen's Athletic Club held their first out-door event yesterday afternoon, when forty of their members gathered at the Gentlemen's Driving Park and witnessed a half-mile running race. D. Wilson won the contest, in 2:45, defeating Johnson by about 10 feet. Considering the condition of the track, which was ankle-deep in mud, this speed was remarkable.

Ladies, clean your kid gloves with White's glove cleaner, for sale only by J. C. Dyer, 38 West Front street. All the latest novelties of the season in fine Millinery. Correct styles.

## A LUXURIOUS HOTEL.

The Reconstructed Park House Opened by The Albion Hotel Company, is one of the Finest in the Country.

The very disagreeable weather of last Saturday evening prevented a large number of the invited guests from attending the opening of the new hotel just reconstructed at the corner of Park avenue and Eighth street by The Albion Hotel Co., of which F. E. Miller, owner of The Netherwood, is treasurer and general manager. In spite of the storm, however, over 200 were entertained including many from New York and Brooklyn who were so pleased that they never went home until yesterday. There was orchestral music and supper.

An unstinted expenditure of money is apparent everywhere. The halls and stairways from top to bottom of the house, are carpeted in heavy velvet. The parlors, and ladies' reading room are carpeted in moquette, and the guests' rooms, of which there are 60 single and en suite, are in Brussels.

The French windows opening from the parlors to the spacious veranda, are hung with Florence curtains, and the portieres are of silk chenille tapestry in pale colors. The parlors are furnished in Louis XVth style, and are undoubtedly the most elegant rooms of their kind in the country. The bedrooms are furnished in quartered oak, and each is heated with steam.

The wall decorations throughout the hotel, also evidence the exquisite taste of the Treasurer's wife who selected all the tapestries, furniture, curtains and wall papers. Not a trace of the old house is left. New paint and paper covers woodwork, walls and ceilings. Every piece of carpet, every stick of furniture and every scrap of bedding and linen found in the old house, was destroyed. The plumbing was torn out everywhere, and new bath and toilet rooms built on every floor.

Not a vestige even of the old table, crockery-remains. The finest decorated porcelain in sets furnishes the guests' rooms, and the table china, glassware, silver and linen, are beautiful.

Many of last Summer's staff at The Netherwood, are on duty. In the office is Frank Bowman, genial and popular. He is Treasurer Miller's right-hand man. Isiah, in grey velvet and gold buttons, springs up as spry as in August, at the cry of "front." There is a new chef, Conde, late of Pinar's, New York, but Steward Chatfield is on duty again. Mrs. Jemmett is the housekeeper.

The painting of the new hotel, outside and in, is the work of A. T. Ayers's men. A. M. Griffin did the plumbing and steam fitting. The wall decoration was done by W. S. Chase. The Stoaes, of New York, furnished the carpets and curtains. The furniture was manufactured in Grand Rapids.

Despite all these luxuries and comforts, and their great cost, the terms at The Albion are not at all high and already there are a number of applications for rooms. It will be but a month or two before the hotel is filled, and then it will remain so all the year round.

## JOHN MOORE WINS AGAIN.

New Another Step Will Be Taken Towards Turning All the Land Over to "Uncle Billy's" Heir.

Last Friday, Judge Cowenhoven of New Brunswick made application in the Supreme Court at Trenton, before Judges Depue, VanSickel and Scudder, for a new trial in the Moore will case. He maintained that the verdict rendered by the jury in favor of John C. Moore was contrary to law and against the great weight of testimony and against the charge of the Court. He read the whole of the charge of Chief Justice Beasley and abstracts from the testimony. Craig A. Marsh replied on behalf of John C. Moore, and contended that the jury were the sole judges of the facts of the case, and that there was no single error in point of law from the beginning to the end of the case. He urged that if the evidence were insufficient to support a verdict in favor of the plaintiff the Chief Justice would not have allowed the case to go to the jury at all. The Court directed the papers to be handed up and reserved its decision. At the opening of Court this morning, the decision was announced from the bench. It is in favor of John C. Moore. The application for a new trial is denied. Mr. Marsh immediately moved for judgment, and the motion was granted. Several other objection suits will be brought at once, and proceedings will be taken to close out the receivership and turn all the land over to Johnny Moore.

## A Panic Among the Wagons.

A horse owned by Marsh Bros., left standing at the corner of Peace street and North avenue Saturday evening, took fright and ran away. After galloping up Peace street it turned into Front, and caused somewhat of a panic among the people crowded about the post-office. Wagons were jammed together in a bad tangle, and several had their wheels smashed or were otherwise damaged. A Miss Smith of Dunellen was thrown out of her carriage, and had her head severely cut. Her wound was dressed in Miller's drug store. Miss Smith's horse also ran away, and galloped homeward.

## A Wedding.

Horace L. Doty and Josie Taylor, both of North Plainfield, were married by the Rev. W. E. Honeyman Saturday, Feb. 21.

## MR. BOWEN VS. MR. MILLER.

The Latter is Disgusted With the Attempt of the Former to Close up The Albion and Run the Company.

A correspondent in another column talks right out loud to his fellow citizens of Netherwood who with others are trying to ruin The Albion that has just been opened at such great expense. The handful of men he talks to, headed by H. E. Bowen, are petitioning Councilman Spangenberg to vote against any new license applications, and thus keep the business in the hands of a chosen few.

This would compel the closing at once of the elegant new hotel just opened at the corner of Park avenue and Eighth street; and eventually in May, when an application appeared for the Hotel Netherwood, it would also be thrown out because the "number" decided on by Mr. Bowen and twelve other men, was complete.

A Press reporter questioned F. E. Miller, Treasurer of the Albion Hotel Co., and owner of The Netherwood, regarding the action of Mr. Bowen and the rest. Mr. Miller was naturally disgusted and vexed about the matter. He knows that the petitioners are well aware of the fact that during the year the city refused licenses, the Hot-1 Netherwood's guests were annoyed and indignant at being compelled to suit their tastes and comforts, and order their meals, at the dictation of a half-dozen men of Plainfield, total strangers to them. The Hotel lost money, and its guests gave notice that the next year they should seek their Summer recreation elsewhere.

"These very petitioners," Mr. Miller said to the reporter, "are always clamoring for me to keep open all Winter and boom their property. Yet now that I and others have spent money and taken a great risk on our shoulders, in order that the city shall have a high-class Winter hotel, they are praying that Mr. Spangenberg will refuse any more licenses and ruin my business again."

## MOST MYSTERIOUS DISAPPEARANCE.

A Man Prominently Associated With One of Plainfield's Best-Known Enterprises, Drops Out of Sight.

Last Thursday evening a well-known gentleman, residing not many miles from Trenton, called on his evening dress and sallied forth from his domicile, merely remarking that he was going to New York "on business," and would not be back till late. Some surprise was occasioned next morning by the discovery that he had not yet returned; but the family concluded that he had spent the night with some of his friends in the metropolis, and would soon appear, in order to exchange his dress suit for business attire; but as the day wore on and he did not come, serious fears for his safety were expressed, and as they have seen nothing of him up to the present writing the members of the family are greatly concerned. As he wore conspicuously displayed in his immaculate shirt front a brilliant solitaire diamond, and had stated before his departure that he expected to receive quite a large sum of money, there would seem to be some grounds for suspecting foul play.

It seems almost incredible that a man dressed as he was could so completely disappear; but his distracted relatives have not yet obtained the slightest clue to his whereabouts. Until some trace of him is secured, it is considered best to withhold his name, suffice it to say that he is prominently associated with one of the best known enterprises of Plainfield.

## Washington Park Home Club.

Subscriptions towards the amount estimated as necessary to start the small club in North Plainfield—exclusively told of in THE PRESS—for the last week or so looked just \$500 of the total required to be pledged before anything should be done. All was at a stand-still until the other day, when Mrs. Jane Boone, with her usual generosity and earnest desire to advance public improvements and multiply attractive features in the Borough, subscribed the full amount.

The money now being within call, the bondholders will meet and organize, Thursday evening, in the chapel of the Church of the Holy Cross. Architect Smith will present at that meeting plans for the club house. The site is decided on and already secured, but THE PRESS has promised not to tell where it is, just yet. The name of the organization will probably be, "The Washington Park Home Club."

## How One Plainfielder Spent Washington's Birthday.

Ex-School Trustee John W. Murray and wife, of this city, were so fortunate as to celebrate Washington's Birthday at Winter Park, Fla. They were diverted by such old-fashioned amusements as the greased pig, the sack race, and digging for gold in a Florida mud hole. The main celebration took place on Saturday and began with a tennis tournament at 10 A. M., at the grounds of the Seminole Hotel. Mr. Murray and other guests contributed towards the prizes for competition. At 3 P. M. there were double and single scull races, a tub race, and walking a greased pole extended over the water.

He said: "My love, I am sorry to disappoint you about the picnic, but my trooper has a lame foot." That's nothing! We've got plenty of Salvation Oil.

The Detroit Free Press Friend has been pumping on Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup. He is only grateful, for all thinking men know its merits.—(Exch.)

## DIVORCE FOLLOWS DESERTION.

Though Wife and Husband Both Were Wives, She Ran Away With a Stranger.

John R. McCall, of Dunellen, was last week, through the efforts of his counsel, Messrs. Jackson & Codington, granted a divorce from his wife.

McCall is an engineer on the Jersey Central railway, and is known among railroad men throughout the State. His business of course keeps him away from home a great deal, and his wife took advantage of his absence and entertained strange men in the house. For months she practiced her duplicity before he found her out. She had two regular callers—both of them negroes.

When her husband discovered her faithlessness she saucily told him that she preferred the society of the negroes, "who were gentlemen," to the society of himself, "who was a common workman." Then she promptly packed up her goods and fled with her favorite of the two colored men.

The wife did not present herself to contest the application for a divorce. The testimony against her was of a highly unsavory character.

## Buried Beside His Wife.

Funeral services over the remains of Abraham Runyon, father of Chancellor Runyon of Newark, were held at the Methodist Episcopal church Saturday. The sermon was preached by the Rev. Dr. Parsons of Newark, who paid high tribute to the personal qualities of the deceased and to the old New Jersey family of which he was a member. The Rev. C. B. Mitchell and the Rev. Dr. Seran also participated in the ceremonies. The body was laid away to rest by the side of Mr. Runyon's second wife in Evergreen Cemetery.

## People's Quartette.

(From The Westfield Standard.) The Democratic big four of Union county—Senator Marsh, ex-Judge Gilbooly, County Clerk Crowell and Elmore D. Moffett. The Democratic big four of the State—Gov. Abbott, Allan L. McDermon, of Hudson; James Smith, of Essex, and ex-Congressman Miles Ross, of Middlesex.

## Arrivals and Departures of Mails.

NEW YORK MAILS.  
Arrive—7:30 A. M., 12:15, 2:30, 5:30 P. M.  
Close—7:30 and 9:30 A. M., 1:45, 5:30 and 9 P. M.  
SOMERVILLE AND EASTON MAILS.  
Arrive—8:40 A. M., 2:40, 6:30 P. M.  
Close—7:30 A. M., 5:30 P. M.

## SUNDAY MAILS.

Office open from 9:30 to 10:30 A. M.  
Mail closes at 8:30 P. M.  
R. R. POPE, P. M.

## DEATHS.

KLINE—In North Plainfield, Feb. 22, Peter G. Kline, in his 54th year. Buried at Trenton, N. J., Feb. 23, at 2 P. M. in the Mount Pleasant cemetery. Undertakers, Messrs. Brown and Sons, Trenton, N. J.

## WANTS AND OFFERS.

Advertisements under this heading, one cent per each word each insertion.

TO LET—House and barn, with large lot, corner of Belmont and Washington, former residence of John Simpson. Apply on premises. 2 1/2 c

YOUNG man with a partial knowledge of job printing, can secure a position at THE DAILY PRESS office. 2 1/2 c

LADIES' and Gents' overgarters reduced to 30 cents, at Sherrin's. 2 1/2 c

A RARE opportunity—A Steinway grand piano for sale, cheap; first-class condition. Apply at DAILY PRESS office. 2 1/2 c

LOST—A silver tumbler, by a colored woman. Please return to West 7th street. 2 1/2 c

STORE, corner of Richmond and Third streets, to rent. Apply F. H. Morse, 26 East Fifth street. 2 1/2 c

LADIES' 50 cent gossamer rubbers, at 27 and 39 cents, at Sherrin's. 2 1/2 c

WANTED—A situation as upstairs girl or general housework in a small family. Apply 519 West Third street. 2 1/2 c

SECOND-HAND sewing machines for sale, \$3, \$5, \$10 and \$15; also \$10 and \$15; old machines repaired. 59 North avenue. 2 1/2 c

WANTED—Good girl for general housework in small family. Call 35 LaGrande ave. 2 1/2 c

A NY one wishing a good cook and laundress, also as upstairs girl, call at Mrs. Coleman's, 21 Cottage place. 2 1/2 c

LADIES' footsies or sandal rubbers at 25 cents, at Sherrin's. 2 1/2 c

SCOTCH girl wishes situation to do general housework. Call 63 Summit avenue. 2 1/2 c

TO LET—Three fine stores—Nos. 70, 72 and 74 West Front street, 25 by 65 feet in size; two large show windows in each store; high ceilings; well lighted; steam heat; cold water; conveniences; in first-class order; will be rented low to responsible parties. Apply on premises to C. Shepley & Co. 2 1/2 c

DUG pup for sale 5 weeks old. 205 South 2d street. 2 1/2 c

A WOMAN for general housework for a large family. Must be a good cook; washing put out. 104 Park avenue. 2 1/2 c

FOR SALE—A black horse; 15 hands, thoroughbred; reliable; excellent roadster, fast walker. 36 LaGrande avenue. 2 1/2 c

HALF of double house (4 rooms) to let to small family. Apply 29 Emily street. 2 1/2 c

RED cedar posts and poles for sale. Ames R. Vail, Dunellen, N. J. 2 1/2 c

COVERED truck, team, and business, for sale. 34 Race street, North Plainfield. 2 1/2 c

STREET sprinkling business for sale, with privilege to draw water from racetrack; no pump needed. See particulars enquire of Mr. French, city. 2 1/2 c

FIRST set to let. All improvements. Rent reasonable. Apply, City Mills, Somerset street. 2 1/2 c

LADIES doing their own dressmaking or employing a sewing woman, can secure perfect fit and perfect work. Taylor's alterations, 21 N. 2nd street, 21 West 4th street. 2 1/2 c

WANTED—Work cleaning Vails and cleaning. Satisfaction guaranteed. City Mills, Somerset street, 21 N. 2nd street, 21 West 4th street. 2 1/2 c

## Lodge and Society Meetings.

Anchor Lodge, No. 149, F. & A. M.—Meets second and fourth Tuesdays at Masonic Hall, Music Hall Building, West Front street. Frank O. Searing, W. M.

J. A. Demarest, Secretary.

Jerusalem Lodge, No. 26, F. & A. M.—Meets first and third Tuesdays at Masonic Hall, East Front street. Wm. J. Ford, W. M.

D. H. Weaver, Secretary.

1873. Fraternity and Protection. 1890. Membership, 124,000. Death benefits paid since organization, over \$2,000,000.

Westminster Lodge, 3,401 Knights of Honor—Meets first and third Thursdays, at 8 P. M., in Hand's Building, West Second street, Plainfield. E. C. Fosse, Dictator.

V. Adie, Reporter.

Plainfield Council, No. 711, Royal Arcanum.—The regular meetings of this Council are held on the second and fourth Monday evenings of each month in the Hand Building, No. 10 West Second street, at 8 P. M.

Louis M. Storck, Regent.

H. A. Thorne, Secretary.

Plainfield Crescent League—Regular meetings, first Wednesday of each month at Club House, Second street, near Park avenue.

Charles A. Reed, President.

Charles Lyman, Secretary.

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Order of the Iron Hall—Pays \$5 to \$25 per week in case of sickness; pays \$100 to \$500 to total disability; pays \$500 to \$1,000 in seven years. \$4,000,000 paid to members in ten years. Balance on hand, net assets, \$1,200,779.79.

Local Branch, No. 1199, of Plainfield, N. J., meets second and fourth Tuesday at Amphion Hall, Second street.

Chas. W. Tallman, F. F. Story, Accountant.

Chief Justice.

Easter Lodge, No. 8,543, Knights of Honor.—The regular meetings of this Lodge are held on the first and third Monday evenings of each month, at No. 10 West Second street, "Hand's Building."

Thos. R. O'Connell, Dictator.

H. A. Thorne, Reporter.

Friendship Lodge, No. 4, Daughters of Bethel, F. O. D. P., meets first and third Tuesday evenings of each month, in Odd Fellows' Hall, Second street.

John Bodine, N. G.

Lizzie Kingston, Secretary.

America for Americans.—Franklin Council, No. 41, Jr. O. U. A. M., meets every Thursday evening, at 7:30 o'clock, in Jr. O. U. A. M. Hall, corner Front street and Park avenue.

L. M. Dunaway, Councilor.

W. N. Martin, Secretary. 1 1/2 c

American Legion of Honor, Ivanhoe Council, No. 1,074. Regular meetings second and fourth Tuesdays of each month, in the Hand Building, No. 10 W. 2d street, at 8 P. M.

Thaddeus C. Smith, Commander.

Geo. E. Stillman, Secretary.

Amusements.

## Music Hall.

## TO-NIGHT

Complimentary benefit to J. Edwin Hall and his little daughter Jessie, for this occasion, the black-faced Comedian, Fayette Welch, and the charming Little Southerner, Bettie Pine will appear, assisted by a host of high-class professionals, presenting a grand Drawing Room entertainment, combining Musical, Specialty, Farce-comedy, and Burlesque, concluding with the laughable farce-comedy entitled

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PRICES—25c, 35c, and 50c.

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PRICES—\$1, 75c, 50c, and 25c.

Tickets on Sale Tuesday, at Miller's and Williams' pharmacies.

Scotch Plains, Dunellen and North Plainfield stages will run for the performance, returning when it is over. 2 1/2 c

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At a nominal price, until business is established, A Small Shoe Store, Barber Shop, and Grocery Store.

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