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We will sell 1,000 yds fine Linen Glass Toweling, that is worth 13c per yd, for 10c.
We will sell 50 doz fine Damask Towels, that would be a bargain at 35c, for 24c each.
We will sell 1 case fine Dress Gingham, that cost 8c to make, for 5c per yard.
We will sell you a 24in Paragon frame, solid handle Paragon, for \$1.25, that is worth \$1.75.
We will sell 100 large also Smyrna Rugs, that are worth \$3, for \$1.98.
We will sell an endless lot of Granite Ironware at one-half the usual price.
And we will sell you Matting 25c per cent less than you ever bought it before.
There are many other Bargains that deserve particular mention, but space won't permit. Come and see us, and we will guarantee to save you money on everything you buy.

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Came in rather early this season: we had it arranged so on purpose, to be ready when the season commenced; and already we find ourselves re-ordering. Thus you see it pays to be ready when the rush comes.

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Men's Derby Hats.

Geo. A. HALLOCK.

JAMES W. DAVIS.

LAUNDRY WORK A SPECIALTY.

THE BARNABY CASE

The Great Mystery May Soon be Cleared Up.

DR. GRAVES STARTS FOR DENVER

He Goes Voluntarily to Appear Before the Grand Jury.

His Visit to the West Causes Considerable Surprise - He Will Have to Explain About Forwarding the Bottle - Another Statement Coming About the Poisoned Whiskey - Miss Hanley's Notoriety.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., May 9. - The mystery surrounding the sending of a bottle of poisoned liquor to Mrs. J. B. Barnaby, at Denver, which caused her death, will in a few days be cleared up.

Last night Dr. T. Thatcher Graves and his wife left for Denver, and this morning the Pinkerton detective and the Conrad family followed, so that they will be but a few hours later than the Graves party in reaching Denver. Miss Hanley, the maid Dr. Graves secured for Mrs. Barnaby last summer, is not to accompany the party, as the Pinkerton men have not regarded her as of any importance as a witness.

An important discovery, which may lead to a solution of the mystery, has just been made. A bottle, which was identical with the one which contained the poison sent to Mrs. Barnaby, was found in a drug store. It contained some medicine put up by Dr. Graves, and he had decided to leave it at the store to appear before the grand jury caused considerable surprise, but that he should do this of his own volition was even more surprising. While he went voluntarily, he had decided to leave it at the store to appear before the grand jury caused considerable surprise, but that he should do this of his own volition was even more surprising.

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Miss Hanley, on account of the unpleasant report attached to her name, has been decided to leave her boarding place at the request of the landlady.

STILL ANOTHER CRASH.

The Spring Garden Bank of Philadelphia Closes Its Doors.

PHILADELPHIA, May 9. - There is considerable uneasiness among bank depositors over the closing of the Spring Garden Bank, following so closely after other bank failures here.

The doors of the Spring Garden Bank were closed at 11:30 o'clock. At that time Bank Examiner Driver came to the door and posted this notice:

"This bank is closed by order of the Comptroller of the Treasury until further notice."

The last check was paid at 11:30. In a few minutes a crowd had collected and the street was impassable.

In answer to a request sent in to President Kennedy for some information as to the cause of the bank's closing, he has issued the following statement:

"We have decided to place the bank in the hands of Mr. Drew, the National Bank Examiner. This step has been forced upon us principally by the large withdrawal of deposits during the financial stringency which commenced last September, and the continued dullness of business since. To meet these demands on our reserves, it was found impossible to realize rapidly on our assets. We have below in our reserve for some weeks past, and can see no immediate prospect of increasing it. We still owe a balance to the Clearing House Committee for outstanding loan certificates, payment of which is being pressed. These facts, coupled with the disturbances of the past week, have caused increasing uneasiness on the part of some of our depositors, together with the weakening of our credit with the other banks. We hope the suspension will be only temporary."

The Penn Trust Company has made an assignment for the benefit of creditors. The Trust Company is now a State institution, separate from the Penn Bank, but it was originally an outgrowth of the bank in this, that the stockholders of the bank were also largely stockholders of the Trust Company.

There were rumors flying around that the Girard National Bank was in trouble, but Vice-President Caldwell publicly states that the bank was never in better condition than it is to-day and that they are able to pay every dollar they owe.

The crash was a great surprise to the general public, as at the last sale of its stock the price obtained was \$121.50. The capital stock of the institution was quoted at \$700,000 and there was a supposed surplus of \$100,000. A dividend of 3-1/2 per cent was paid upon the capital stock at the last annual meeting.

Claims to be 134 Years Old.

BARABO, Wis., May 9. - Door County, in the northern part of this State, has living within its borders about as old a person as can be found in this country. She is an Indian woman named Angelica Bear, who claims to have reached the advanced age of 134 years. She is not able to speak English. There is no doubt that she is very old.

Death of an Ex-Congressman.

SACRAMENTO, May 9. - T. E. Tarnsey, ex-Congressman from this district and one of the most prominent lawyers of Sacramento, has been taken by his friends to a retreat for the interment. For several years past he has been addicted to the use of liquor, and it has finally taken such a hold upon him that he is now unfit for any mental labor.

For Murdering His Coachman.

NEWBURY, Conn., May 9. - The trial of T. E. Tarnsey, charged with the murder of his coachman, Samuel R. Green, resulted in a verdict of acquittal on account of insanity.

Highest of all in Leavening Power. - U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 17, 1889.

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

EX-SENATOR MILLER'S RETURN

He Says the Nicaragua Canal Will Be Completed in Six Years.

New York, May 9. - Ex-Senator Warner Miller arrived in this city last night and spoke quite freely of his trip to the Isthmus in the interest of the Nicaragua canal. Mr. Miller said after they reached the wreck they were landed in Greytown, where the mayor gave the party a banquet.

From Greytown they made a trip over the route of the canal and were much pleased with the work done and the prospects. Only 29 miles would have to be excavated. The rest of the canal will be through the course of the San Juan river and Lake Nicaragua. The canal will be completed in six years.

In conversation with Secretary Tracy at Washington on Thursday, the Secretary told Mr. Miller that the canal was now a necessity, or else the United States would have to maintain two navies, one in each ocean.

EIGHT LIVES IMPERILED.

Destructive Forest Fire Now Raging Near Houtdale, Pa.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., May 9. - A forest fire two miles from Houtdale destroyed the tipples, shaft, several railroad cars, and other property belonging to the United Coal and Coke Company, and for an hour the lives of eight miners were imperiled by being caught in the shaft, which was surrounded by fire.

A strong wind is blowing the flames in the direction of Whiteside Run, on which there are located four extensive coal operations. Should they reach Whiteside the loss will not be less than \$75,000.

GEN. BUTLER'S NOTE.

He Did Not Meet It, and His Property Is Being Attacked.

LOVELL, Mass., May 9. - The Prescott National Bank, of this city, has placed an attachment on the property of Gen. Butler for \$12,000.

The money consideration was given about four years ago on a personal note, which the bank is now seeking to enforce. When the note fell due it was not paid for some reason not at present explainable.

Portugal Outrage by Masked Ruffians.

PORTLAND, Me., May 9. - A special from Topham, Me., tells of a brutal outrage perpetrated upon a French family residing in that town by a gang of masked men, who wrecked the windows with stones and did other damage. One of the inmates was a woman in a delicate condition, who was struck in the breast with a stone, causing the death of the child. The ruffians are believed to be young men belonging to the families in the vicinity. They have fled.

Editor Stetson's Investigation.

New York, May 9. - Announcement is made of the sale of a proprietary interest in Frank Leslie's Illustrated Weekly by W. J. Arkell to J. K. Stetson, who has been below in our reserve for some weeks past, and can see no immediate prospect of increasing it. We still owe a balance to the Clearing House Committee for outstanding loan certificates, payment of which is being pressed. These facts, coupled with the disturbances of the past week, have caused increasing uneasiness on the part of some of our depositors, together with the weakening of our credit with the other banks. We hope the suspension will be only temporary."

Five Houses Burned.

PITTSBURGH, May 9. - A fire at Glenfield, eight miles below Pittsburgh, last night, burned \$30,000 worth of property. The fire started in Phillips Brothers store. An engine was sent from Allegheny City, but before it arrived a bucket-bridge had extinguished the flames. Five houses were burned. An effort was made to check the flames by blowing up a small frame building, but the flying sparks only increased the damage.

No Hope for Ex-Minister Taft.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., May 9. - Ex-Minister Taft's condition remains unchanged, and his physicians are gradually giving up all hope of his recovery. His takes but little nourishment and only his wonderful vitality seems to maintain him. Solicitor General Taft, his son, is expected to reach here from Washington tonight.

Dull in Washington.

WASHINGTON, May 9. - A dull business prevails in all the financial markets, which will continue until the end of next week, when things are expected to become very lively. In almost all of the departments important questions are awaiting the return of the President.

Searching for His Missing Wife.

DUNKIN, N. Y., May 9. - David Wallace, a Sheridan farmer, is in this city searching for his wife, who eloped Wednesday with a Cleveland drummer, taking with her \$700 of her husband's money. Wallace claims to have married the woman about two years ago at Cleveland.

A Strike Failure Reported.

BROOKLYN, Mass., May 9. - It is reported that the buckbone of the carpenters' strike is broken and that the men are applying for their old places. The men refuse to talk on the subject.

Cardage Works Burned.

BROOKLYN, May 9. - The cardage works of G. W. Lawrence & Co. in Greenpoint were burned last night. Loss \$20,000.

TOO LATE TO CHASE

The Charleston Has Not Sailed After the Etata.

NO ORDERS FROM WASHINGTON.

The Chilean Vessel Did Not Have a Fighting Crew.

Customs Officers Say the Published Stories About Her Having Arms Are Ridiculous - Secretary Tracy Will Not Discuss the Matter - The Policy of the Government Still an Official Secret.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 9. - At 8 o'clock this morning the steamer Charleston, which had been ordered to proceed to assist in the chase, had not sailed. All her men are aboard, and the commander is awaiting orders from Washington. The general opinion is that the Charleston could not catch the Etata.

The news sent out about the manner of the Etata leaving San Diego was more sensational than the facts warranted. She had no concealed arms or cannon with which to make herself formidable, nor were there any men concealed about for use in an emergency.

She had 65 men when she came into port, but about a dozen of them deserted, so she left with about 50 men. The pilot who took her out was not impressed, but went aboard voluntarily by prearrangement. She was in communication with the Robert and Minnie while in port, but the United States Marshal did not seem to have known it.

The marshal said that his orders to detain the Etata were emphatic, but she was allowed to lie in the stream two days with steam up, and, when ready, had nothing to do but weigh anchor and go. The customs officers made the usual search of the Etata when they boarded her, and say that the statements about her having arms and men concealed are ridiculous. The Etata left here headed toward the San Clemente Islands, where she will probably meet the schooner Robert and Minnie with the arms and ammunition.

Still an Official Secret.

WASHINGTON, May 9. - The policy of the government with respect to the Chilean steamer Etata is still an official secret. Secretary Tracy will not discuss the matter.

There can be no doubt that the government is anxious to show all possible zeal to recapture the vessel in order to avoid any unpleasant consequences that may arise through the presentation of a claim for damages in behalf of the Chilean government.

It is not possible to get a definite answer to the question "Will the Charleston catch the Etata?" All of the information to be had on the subject is that the Charleston two weeks ago was ordered to coal and get ready for sea at the earliest possible moment.

IN UTAH TO-DAY.

The President Spends the Forenoon in Salt Lake City.

SALT LAKE, May 9. - The Presidential train arrived here at 9 o'clock this morning and the President spent the forenoon at his hotel. All of the day the information to be had on the subject is that the Charleston two weeks ago was ordered to coal and get ready for sea at the earliest possible moment.

The reception to the President and party began at 8 o'clock by a breakfast at the Walker House. The President was accompanied by the Governor, Thomas and a large committee.

After breakfast there was a procession and every house along the line of march was profusely decorated. The addresses were delivered by the Governor, the Mayor and Mayor. The President made an eloquent response and was enthusiastically cheered.

There was much enthusiasm exhibited as all stops before reaching this city. At Panguitch, Ore., the President made a brief reply to an address of welcome. Postmaster General Wamaker also made a brief address. The Chiefs of the Grand and Post Office Indians made brief speeches at the close of the Postmaster-General's address.

At Umatilla, Indian Mission, the train halted for a few minutes, while the Indian children sang a patriotic song in honor of the President. A royal reception was given at La Grange.

The Presidential train left Salt Lake at noon and Sunday will be spent at Glenwood Springs, Col.

Will Retire from Politics.

NEW YORK, May 9. - State Senator William Robertson was interviewed at his home in Katonah, Westchester County, in regard to a report that he intended to retire from politics. He admitted that the report was true, and gave as a reason for getting out of politics that he wanted to devote his entire time to his law practice.

Big Fire at Rotterdam.

ROTTERDAM, May 9. - Early in the morning the State Warehouse and the greater part of its contents were destroyed by fire. The loss is estimated at \$1,500,000.

BASEBALL SCORES.

League Games.

AT BROOKLYN.

Philadelphia.....1 0 1 3 0 0 0 0-10

Brooklyn.....4 5 1 0 1 0 0 0-12

Batteries - Kilroy and Clements; Carothers and Daily.

AT BOSTON.

Boston.....5 0 0 0 0 0 0 0-6

New York.....2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0-7

Batteries - Clarkson and Bennett; Swain and Buckley.

AT CINCINNATI.

Pittsburg.....1 0 3 0 0 0 0 0-6

Cincinnati.....0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0-3

Batteries - Galvin and Mack; Duryea and Randall.

AT CHICAGO.

Chicago.....4 0 3 0 0 0 0 0-12

Cleveland.....0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0-3

Batteries - Hutchinson and Kilbridge; Knauss and Zimmer.

The National League Record.

Club. Won. Lost. Pct. Club. Won. Lost. Pct.

Chicago.....10 3 0 0 0 0 0 0

Boston.....9 6 0 0 0 0 0 0

Baltimore.....7 9 0 0 0 0 0 0

Cleveland.....9 6 0 0 0 0 0 0

New York.....7 9 0 0 0 0 0 0

St. Louis.....4 11 0 0 0 0 0 0

Association Games.

AT BOSTON.

Boston.....3 3 0 1 0 0 0 0-9

Cincinnati.....1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0-3

Batteries - O'Brien and Murphy; Chase and Kelly.

AT PHILADELPHIA.

Athletic.....0 2 1 0 0 0 0 0-4

Columbian.....0 2 1 0 0 0 0 0-4

Batteries - Mackin and Milligan; Gastright and Donohue.

AT BALTIMORE.

Louisville.....0 1 2 1 0 0 0 0-5

Baltimore.....1 0 0 3 2 1 0 0-10

Batteries - Daily and Ryan; Cunningham and Towson.

AT WASHINGTON.

Washington.....0 2 1 0 0 0 0 0-5

St. Louis.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0-3

Batteries - Bakely and McGuire; Silvestri and Boyle.

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Eastern League.

AT ALBANY.

Albany.....7 0 1 0 0 0 0 0-16

Rochester.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0-1

Batteries - Sprague and Brown; Sullivan and Bowman.

AT SYRACUSE.

Buffalo.....2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0-3

Syracuse.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0-3

Batteries - Coughlin and Quinn; German and Murphy.

DISASTROUS FIRE.

Six Hotels, Forty-five Stores and Twenty-five Residences Burned.

ALBANY, Ont., May 9. - Six blocks of buildings were burned here last evening. They contained six hotels, 45 stores, 25 residences, the post office, market buildings and fire hall.

The fire originated in the stables of the Queen's Hotel and spread so rapidly as to be soon beyond the control of the small fire brigade. The flames will reach into the hundreds of thousands.

Browning's 79th Anniversary.

BOSTON, May 9. - The 79th anniversary of the birth of Robert Browning was observed during the evening at the Boston Browning Society with a dinner at the Brunswick, at which addresses were made by Col. Higginson, Dr. C. C. Everett, Rev. Dr. Everett Hale, Rev. Charles G. Ames, Mr. May, E. C. Conner, and the Philadelphia Browning Society, Miss Harriet T. Mills, of the Syracuse Society, and Miss Emma Endicott Morgan, of the Chicago Society. Several poems were read, as were letters from Lowell, Whitier and Holmes.

The Helms Will Suffer.

PORTLAND, Me., May 9. - An investigation of the affairs of the late Rufus Prince of Turner, ex-State Senator, proves that he was a very bad condition. His estate is estimated at only \$15,000. Since 1861

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EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

Hamill will pitch this afternoon.

A little stock gives little choice.

Peck has the largest stock in town.

There will be a meeting in the W. O.

T. U. rooms this evening at 7:45 o'clock.

The Loyal Legion has closed for the

summer. Due notice of the re-opening

in the fall will be given.

The Elkwood cafe, West Second

street near Park avenue, is open on Sun-

days from 10 a. m. to 8 p. m.

About thirty young Methodist Epis-

copalians went to Elizabeth last evening

to attend an Epworth League rally at St.

James's church.

A man by the unusual name of Smith,

from Dunellen, got drunk on Plainfield

whisky last night, and was fined \$4 by

Judge Codrington this morning.

The Young People's Society of Christ-

ian Endeavor of Warren Union Mission,

meets on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock.

A cordial invitation is extended to all who

desire to attend.

Dr. B. L. Tucker, a graduate of the

American Veterinary College, New York,

has opened an office at 65 North avenue,

and is prepared to treat all cases where

the services of a skillful veterinarian are

needed.

From the top of the new stand-pipe

of the Plainfield Water Supply Company

at Netherwood one may obtain a fine view

of the most charming landscape. To the

observer from the tower the surrounding

country, lying 140 feet below him, pre-

sents a most pleasant picture.

There was nothing poor about the

play at Music Hall, last evening, except

Louise Allen's dancing. Yet it aroused

unbounded enthusiasm. The audience

should have seen Sadie Martinot do it,

and they would have realized the fact

that vulgarity is unnecessary to make

that dance effective.

The Rev. Mr. Mitchell's Junior League

crowded Vincent chapel yesterday after-

noon, and began the spring term of work.

It was a beautiful sight to see the chil-

dren, wearing handsome new silk badges,

pass along the street, going home from

the chapel. Mr. Mitchell knows how to

attract and hold the children.

Two lads who had been throwing

stones through the windows of the Cres-

cent rink building, were arrested by Capt.

Grant and taken before the City Judge,

who suspended sentence on them this

morning. Other arrests will probably

follow, and some of those who have been

breaking in the building will be sent to

jail.

The people of Grace Protestant Epis-

copal church are very proud of their

singing choir, and naturally want full

credit given for the excellent work done

by the singers during the recent Con-

vention of the Diocese. The published

report that the choir were assisted by

singers from the Church of the Holy Cross

is an error growing out of misinformation

given to the reporters by some of the

clergymen.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

William D. Murray and the Misses Mur-

ray have been traveling in Kentucky.

Miss Mabel Woodruff of East Second

street, is visiting friends in Philadelphia.

Miss Mose of Brooklyn is visiting her

sister, Mrs. Armstrong Mulford, of East

Fifth street.

The Rev. Mr. Hickman of Trenton will

preach at the Dunellen Presbyterian

church to-morrow, morning and evening.

Bishop Vincent will visit his many

friends in this city in June, and will

preach morning and evening, June 31, at

the Methodist Episcopal church.

Architect Charles Smith will soon be-

gin the erection of a fine residence for

John G. Mearns at the corner of Mer-

cer and Sycamore avenues, Washington

Park.

The Rev. E. W. Burr, D.D., pastor of the

St. James M. E. church, Elizabeth, who

is to preach at pastor Mitchell's church

to-morrow, will be the guest of P. Min-

tern Smith, of Madison avenue, while in

the city.

Does It Portend an Epidemic?

Charles, the only son of Mr. and Mrs.

M. J. McCarthy, died yesterday of scar-

let fever, in the third year of his age, and

Eliza May, the eight-year-old daughter

of Charles A. and Dora B. Sturtevant also

died yesterday. There have been four

recent deaths of that malignant disease

in the neighborhood of Orchard place,

Liberty and New streets. It is reported

that other children in the same locality

are ill with the fever. M. M. Dunham

of the Board of Health has been very active

in having all proper precautions taken

against the spread of the disease, and it

is hoped that an epidemic may be avoided.

The Penalty of Not Advertising.

Some Hebrew merchant who came from

the great metropolis to Plainfield a short

time ago and opened a store on West

MERELY A FORECAST.

THE COURT INTIMATES WHAT ITS
DECISION WOULD BE.Corporation Counsel Marsh's Point of
View, and the Plainfield Water Supply
Co. is Told That It Must Make Out a
Case Before It Can Have a Verdict.It appears that THE PRESS's Trenton
correspondent was rather previous in his
despatch yesterday asserting that the
Court had rendered a decision adverse to
the City of Plainfield in the cases against
it of the Water Supply Co., and the Gas
Light Co., questioning the validity of an
ordinance (so far as they were concerned)
restricting and regulating the tearing up
of the streets for the laying of pipes.Readers of THE PRESS will remember
that in his brief in the Water company's
case, City Attorney Marsh called the at-
tention of the Court to the fact that the
matter was not properly brought before
it. The Court says that is so and there-
fore gives no decision in the case, al-
though it plainly states that its de-
cision would be against the city. But that
is as far as the Water company's case has
gone.As to the Gas company's case, it has
just begun, and the Court has simply
given that company the privilege to bring
up at some future time, an ordinance of
the city for argument upon the question
of its validity. The case will come up
regularly at the November 1891 or Febru-
ary 1892, term of the Supreme Court. It
brings up the same ordinance in dispute
as in the Water company's case, but, on
motion of the city, the Court ordered that
the Gas company's writ should not op-
erate as a stay as to any other than the
Gas company.The City made this motion because it
believes that the Gas company's case is
merely brought to help out the Water
company.The Water company's case has not been
decided, and until the company
prove something more than they have,
the case cannot be de-
cided in their favor. The Court,
however, stated to counsel, that the
questions involved had been fully consid-
ered by the Court and the conclusion was
reached that the ordinance could not
stand because it attempted to prohibit
the exercise of powers expressly con-
ferred on the Water company by the Leg-
islature with which the City's charter did
not conflict; and, furthermore, the ordi-
nance was unreasonable.The Court said it could not decide, how-
ever, because the City had made the
point that the Water company had not
brought before the Court the evidence
necessary to entitle the company to a de-
cision. The *ex parte* affidavit upon which
the writ was allowed could not be used as
evidence, and hence there was nothing be-
fore the Court but the ordinance and the
charter of the company. These simply
presented an abstract question of law
without showing any practical need of
the Court's decision.Although the case had been printed,
argued and submitted on both sides, the
Court thought that the Water company
should be permitted to take testimony to
prove the facts set up in the *ex parte* af-
fidavit referred to, and the Court would
accordingly allow the case to be reopened
for that purpose.The Corporation Counsel, in an inter-
view this morning, told a PRESS reporter
that the city cannot deny the facts stated
in the Water company's affidavit. He had
made the point referred to by the Court
purely as a technical point to enable the
city to reap whatever advantage might
be gained in that way. The city has
gained by it this advantage: The Court
stated that if the city admitted the facts,
the Court would decide the case in ac-
cordance with the views above stated,
but would not allow any costs against the
city. Of course if the city requires the
Water company to take testimony to
prove the necessary facts, and the case
then goes against the city, it would carry
with it a heavy bill of costs.The views of the Court coincide exactly
with the opinion of Corporation Counsel
Marsh given at a meeting of the Council,
December 2, 1890, and published as fol-
lows in these columns at the time:
In the opinion of Corporation Counsel Craig
A. Marsh, who addressed the Council at con-
siderable length on subject, the question of
the validity of the ordinance hinges on the
charter granted to the Plainfield Water Supply
Company in 1869. This charter was a charter
of very extraordinary powers, and virtually
gave its possessors the right to lay pipes for
water-works wherever they saw fit. In 1874,
the Water Supply Company having mean-
while failed to continue in active organization,
a supplement to the charter was secured
from the Legislature, stipulating that none of
the Company's prerogatives should be injured
by any subsequent law. In 1875 the per-
fected charter of the City of Plainfield was
granted, giving the municipal authorities
power to regulate and to prevent street ob-
structions and to govern similar matters. The
question whether that city charter limited or
repealed in any way the Water Supply Com-
pany's charter was one which possessed argu-
ment for both sides. The Water Supply
Company would probably claim that the
charter rights could not be re-
pealed by corporation ordinances, and
there could be no doubt that it was as im-
possible for the city charter to annul the
charter of the Water Supply Company as it was
for it to annul the charter of the Jersey Central
Railroad. The city charter had the power to
make reasonable regulations, but this ordi-
nance sought to do more than that. It virtually
attempted to repeal the franchise of the Water
Supply Company. The Council had
undoubtedly the right to say in what manner
water mains should be laid, but that it had a
right to say "You shall not lay any mains" was
a question.By reason of the technical point decided
in the City's favor, the City is now in a
position to accept without cost the
Court's intimation as to what will be theresult of further litigation. But it seems
probable that the majority of the Council
will not just now decide to submit.

Through the Real Estate Agency of E. C.

Helford.

Counsellor Ward, a New York lawyer of
prominence, has rented ex-Councilman
Myers' house at the corner of Seventh
and Kycamore streets.W. W. Knickerbocker and family, of
New York, will occupy the residence at
Front and Washington streets for the
summer.F. W. Bunyon, editor of the Central
Times, has leased a home at 106 West
Front street.W. R. Todd, of Brooklyn, has rented
the Mulford house on Richmond near
Front street.The Young Men's Orthodox Lyceum
have sold their house on Fifth street and
purchased a much larger one at the cor-
ner of Sixth and Liberty streets.Mrs. Keeney and daughter have taken
Mrs. Vosseller's house at Sixth and
Franklin streets.Mr. Samuel Sproulls and bride will soon
move into a handsome home on Sanford
avenue.

New Quarters for the Baptist Class.

The new building adjoining the rear of

the First Baptist church, is rapidly ap-
proaching completion.The first floor is about finished, and to-
morrow the handsome class room, with a
seating capacity of 80, will be occupied by
Chas. B. Brown and his class of young
men, for whom this room was especially
designed. From a membership of four,
in last January, this class has increased
in numbers to nearly 60.All the members are urged to be pre-
sent at to-morrow's services.

Buried His Wife and Went Back to Jail.

William Kenny, of this city, was recent-
ly committed to the county jail for sixty
days. When he had served about half
the term his wife died, and the jail com-
mittee had sympathy for him and re-
leased him in order that he might attend
the funeral services. That was Wednes-
day. Yesterday morning Kenny was
again committed for sixty days, having
been arrested for disorderly conduct.—
Elizabeth Journal.

Special Music at the Holy Cross.

A special musical service will be held to-
morrow afternoon at 5 o'clock at the
Church of the Holy Cross. The pro-
gramme will be as follows:
Processional, "Onward Christian Soldiers".....
Gloria C.....
"Magnificat, Nunc Dimittis".....
Evanthia.....
Anthem, "Lift up your heads, O ye gates".....
(E. H. H.).....
Processional, "Ten thousand times ten thou-
sand".....
Dykes.....

A Sermon and a Supper.

The Rev. E. M. Rodman, of Grace
church, participated in the celebration of
Ascension Day at St. Luke's church,
Roselle, Thursday evening, and the
names of Sir Knight F. O. Herring and
other Plainfielders appear in the Eliz-
abeth papers' list of Knights Templar at-
tending the services especially prepared
for them. From the church the clergy
and Knights went to VanCort Inn and
had a joyful supper.

A Glance at Mercury at Sunset.

The planet Mercury will make a transit
across the sun's disk this evening. As
the sun will set at 7:52 and the transit
will not occur till 6:55 the period of ob-
servation in this city will be very limited.
Seen through a smoked glass Mercury will
appear like a black mole on the face of
old Sol.

Fully Satisfied with Mr. Dunham's Roads.

The Union County Board of Freeholders
have accepted from County Engineer
Dunham of this city the new Union
county roads, and the bills of contractors
E. M. Lynch and Thomas A. Nevins, Pres-
ident of the Plainfield Street Railway
Company, have been ordered paid.

Death of Alphonse J. Laine.

Alphonse J. Laine died after a linger-
ing illness yesterday, at the age of 40
years. Funeral services will be held
from the residence of his brother-in-law,
James Raddin, 22 East Front street, Mon-
day afternoon at half-past two.

Overtook the Crescent City's Boys.

Harry Curry, of South Bound Brook, is
a taller man than any of Plainfield's big
fellows. With the sole of his bare foot
squarely on the floor he towers up to
the height of 6 feet 7 inches. His age is 25.

The Veterans Expressman Paralyzed.

Peter Hoagland, the veteran expres-
sman, was stricken with paralysis a few
days ago at his residence on West Front
street. His left side is affected, and he is
entirely helpless.

The First of the Season.

An excursion to Ocean Grove and As-
bury Park by the Crescent Avenue Sun-
day-school, accompanied by its mission
schools of Hope and Bethel chapels, has
been arranged for Wednesday, July 8.

If you want anything good in fast

black hosiery, come to Peck's.

After suffering for years with the worst

form of Dyspepsia, such as bloating,
dizziness, vertigo, acid stomach, etc., I came
across Dr. Doane's Dyspepsia Pills. Using
them as directed two months, and still
continuing, find great relief. Would not
be without, and cheerfully recommend to
any suffering with the above symptoms.

JAMES HENDERSON.

Notions and Hosiery, 139 Newark avenue,

Jersey City.

THE PEOPLE'S VERDICT.

The Elkwood Cafe and Restaurant

Fills a long-felt-for want in Plainfield. It is a SUCCESS IN EVERY

PARTICULAR.

Tables Reserved for Ladies.

J. B. MILLER, Prop'r.

"THE ELKWOOD," West Second Street, near Park Avenue.

418 1/2

A man should never allow himself to be

without a bottle of Dr. Bull's Cough
Syrup, "for no man knows what the
morrow may bring forth."

Training for the Big Event.

A party of bicyclists passed through
town this morning on their way to Phila-
delphia, training for the great century
run of June 13. To-morrow Capt. F. L. C.
Martin, with Capt. Fuller of Brooklyn,
will go over the course on their wheels.
They will return by train at night.I HAVE not used all of one bottle yet. I suffered
from catarrh for twelve years, experiencing
the nauseating dropping of blood, and
to that disease, and some blood almost daily. I
tried various remedies without benefit until last
April, when I saw Dr. J. C. Doane's advertisement
since the first day's use I have had no more bleed-
ing—the catarrh is entirely cured. I feel vigor-
ous, with the Boston "Budget," formerly with
Boston "Journal."

Water-Testing.

Having lately added to my chemical outfit I
am now—better than heretofore—prepared to
test and report upon the quality of Drinking-
Waters. It tested, testing will include Rela-
tive Hardness, Organic Impurities, Ammonia
and Chlorides, (with estimate of latter, if re-
quired).Containers furnished and terms explained at
Pharmacies, corner North and Park avenues,
and corner Front street and Park avenue.

H. P. REYNOLDS.

The Great Clairvoyant.

Mrs. D. R. EDWARDS,

Has returned to Plainfield for

TWO WEEKS ONLY.

Until May 18, at the

City Hotel, Room 2, opposite Flight Up.

Hours from 9 a. m. to 9 p. m.

TERMS—Ladies, 50c; and Gentlemen, 75c.

DR. R. L. TUCKER.

Veterinarian.

Graduate American Veterinary College,

New York.

Office—Bainbridge Drug Store, 65 North Ave.,

Plainfield, N. J. Residence—59 East Front st.

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Arrival and Departure of Mails.

NEW YORK MAILS.

Arrive—1:30 p. m., 6:30 a. m., 12:30 p. m., 3:30 p. m., 6:30 p. m., 9:30 p. m.

Leave—1:30 p. m., 6:30 a. m., 12:30 p. m., 3:30 p. m., 6:30 p. m., 9:30 p. m.

SONNENBERG AND EATON MAILS.

Arrive—8:30 a. m., 2:30 p. m., 6:30 p. m.

Leave—7:30 a. m., 1:30 p. m., 5:30 p. m.

SUNDAY MAILS.

Office open from 9 a. m. to 12 m. on Sunday.

Mail closes at 6:30 p. m.

H. P. REYNOLDS.

DEATHS.

LAINES—In this city, May 8, 1891, Alphonse J.

Laine, aged 39 years and 9 months.

The relatives and friends of the family are in-
vited to attend the funeral of the deceased at
his brother-in-law, James Raddin, No. 22 East
Front street, on Monday, at 2 p. m.MCCARTHY—In this city, May 8, 1891, of scarlet
fever, Charles, only son of Mr. and Mrs. J.J. McCarthy, age 3 years, 7 months and 25
days. Interment private this afternoon.STURTEVANT—In this city, May 8, 1891, Edward
May, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Sturte-
vant, in her 8th year.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

Advertisements under this heading, one cent for each
word each insertion. Cash MUST accompany ads.YOUNG man wanted in drug store. Apply
Y. Miller's Pharmacy, 10 East Front street.A GOOD work horse for sale, 8th street and
Clinton avenue.WANTED—A second-hand miniature, or pony
four-passenger wagon. J. M. French, car-
riage manufacturer, 10 East Front street.WANTED—Girl for general household work
in small family. Call at 24 East 12th street.SIX white hands and six drapers wanted im-
mediately at 65 Park avenue.PERMANENT board wanted by a gentleman
and his wife in a refined private family, where
there are no other boarders. Healthy location,
pleasant rooms and table required. Re-
sponses exchanged. Address R. care of Press.

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FOR SALE—My residence, corner Myrtle and
Girard, near West Front street. Address 24
West Front street.WANTED—Salesman. Permanent paying po-
sitions for intelligent workers. Write at
once, Milwaukee or Harry, Mt. Hope Nurseries,
Rochester, N. Y.PORT call for sale, a beautiful pony cart,
made by Keweenaw, in good order, for sale, ap-
ply at Wm. Traxler's shop, Scotch Plains.

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TO LET—Two tenements for small families; 1
room on first floor, 4 on second. Apply at
West Front street.

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FOR SALE—Choice family horse, perfect

"Red Pat" Pains Red with Lash Hand.

When the pleasure-loving people of that old-old borough, Dunellen, want genuine excitement, they usually go and stir up a famous local character known familiarly by the sobriquet of "Red Pat". The latest diversion Patrick has been furnishing for the villagers deserves credit for originality and uniqueness. After filling himself up with bad whiskey and parading with his maul in funniness through the streets to the infinite delight of those who like that sort of thing, he sought out the foulest-smelling cess-pool in the borough and deliberately plunged in head foremost. When he was fished out, a most disgusting and pitiable object, he grinned broadly and told everybody what fun it was. When he had been under the streaming pump spout half an hour, and was a trifle sorer and soberer, he started out in search of more rum, and not having any cash he trotted out his old billy goat and tried to sell or raffish. The goat furnished more trolle by tumbling Pat into the gutter and giving men and boys a lively chase through the streets, but finally it was caught, and Patrick found a purchaser in a fish peddler, to whom the goat was traded for a pint of bad whiskey and four shad.

They Might Eat Sausage, But Use Towels Never.

Bound Brook has been visited by burglars whose tastes seem to be very discriminating. From the fact that the woods are just now full of tramps, that the nights are chilly, and that the shiftless fellows like snug beds and warm providers, the Bound Brook Chronicle infers that the big tub full of nice new pork sausage, the six shirts, the six sheets, the eighteen towels, and the two razors, that L. D. Cook lost, and the warm blankets and carriages whose absence is bewailed by "Uncle Steve" Gillespie, were appropriated by the knights of the road now quartered in the outskirts of the borough. It seems quite natural that the tramps should have stolen the blankets and sausage, and also the hams, pies and cakes missed by Ed. Stryker of Middlebrook; but what could they want of eighteen towels? Is it possible that through lack of familiarity with the articles they thought them something good to eat? And the six masculine garments—imagine a tramp with a clean shirt!

Keaped Railway Dangers to be Crippled by a Man.

When E. Hicks Camman began traveling daily back and forth between Bound Brook and New York city, over the Jersey Central, he deemed it the part of a wise and prudent man to secure a policy insuring himself against accident, and regularly for several years he paid his premium, and traveled and traveled and never had a mishap. Wednesday morning he got up a trifle earlier than usual, took a delightful walk about in the fresh morning air, and as a bit of diversion went out into his father's barn and worried a sitting hen. The hen got fighting mad, however, and chased him off a high haymow. In landing on the hard board floor he damaged his internal mechanism considerably and severely sprained an ankle. And now, through this most unexpected source, he begins to enjoy the fruits of his years of premium-paying. During the three months he will be laid up he will draw \$25 per week. Those chicks will be full fledged when he next sees their irascible mother.

Strawberries and Vegetables Suffered Most.

Prof. E. W. McGann, chief of the New Jersey Weather Service, has received, at his New Brunswick office, information from all parts of the State regarding the effects of the recent cold wave upon fruits and early vegetables. About 50 per cent. of the early strawberries have been destroyed. The late-blooming large fruits have been slightly damaged, the early-blooming not so much. Concord grapes have been somewhat injured. About 90 per cent. of the potatoes, tomatoes and beans have been killed.

Dunellen Methodists Form a League.

The young people of the Dunellen Methodist church have organized a chapter of the Epworth League. Officers have been elected as follows: President—W. C. Kinsey. Vice Presidents—J. J. Sides, Miss Louisa Aggar, Miss Ella Fisher, Mrs. T. J. Todd. Secretary—Frank Covey. Treasurer—George Schenck. The league will hold business meetings the evening of the first Friday of every month, and a devotional meeting each Sunday evening at 6:45. A training class will meet Mondays, at night.

Uncle Sam Takes a Lesson in Spelling.

Postmaster Mason has called the attention of the new Borough Council to the fact that arbitrary Uncle Sam, through his Post-office Department, is writing that good old name "Bound Brook" in the very incorrect and inartistic form of "Boundbrook"; and the Council have very promptly and very properly acted on Postmaster Mason's suggestion and have insisted, in a very firm letter to the postal authorities at Washington, that in the future the town name and post-office must be written with two big B's.

Honest Assessments in Somerset.

The total valuation of real estate in Somerset county is given at \$13,000,000, and of personal property at \$6,000,000. The State Board has complimented the assessors on the fact that the personal assessment in Somerset far exceeds, proportionately, that of Morris, recently visited, which has many citizens making much more pretensions of wealth.

McPherson for President.

(From the Chicago Herald.)

An interesting piece of gossip is that Senator Gorman is not committed to Hill as against Cleveland, but is grooming a dark horse in the person of Senator McPherson of New Jersey. Mr. McPherson is a very ambitious man, and some of his friends predict that he will carry off the nomination away from both Cleveland and Hill. It was noted last winter that the Senator, while a strong anti-sliver man, avoided lifting up his voice in the silver debate. Without any great difficulty, in the opinion of his friends, therefore, he will be able to satisfy the East on his previous record, and the West on his conservatism of last winter. The McPherson men say Hill and Cleveland will get into a snarl in New York and eat each other up; that Hill will have the delegation, and by hanging to it make Cleveland's nomination impossible and his own as well, and that McPherson will run off with the prize.

Justice Cooley's Plans for Just Taxation.

Justus H. Cooley, Assessor of North Plainfield borough and township, reports to the State Board of Taxation a total assessed valuation of \$1,640,700 on real estate, \$261,550 on personal property and \$85,000 on debts. Dr. Cooley thinks that if a man sells a lot at so much a front foot that price should regulate the price of his other land on the same front. He suggests that debtors should be allowed no deduction exceeding the amount of their personal property, or that only debts of record be considered.

Two Happy Brides.

(From the Bound Brook Chronicle.)

Charles Lewis and Miss Elizabeth Bountree, both of New Market, were united in marriage at the residence of the bride's mother, Wednesday night. The Rev. J. A. Cobbyer performed the ceremony. The happy couple will reside in Plainfield.

Will Have a Branch at Plainfield.

The Standard Union Specialty Company filed articles of incorporation yesterday at Elizabeth with the Clerk of Union county. The incorporators are George M. Hathaway, Alfred E. Pallard, and Willard B. Stevens, all of New York, and Frank F. Baynon of West Second street, this city. The company's business will be transacted at New York and Plainfield, and its capital is placed at \$100,000.

Joe Pike Arouses Sporting Blood.

Joseph Pike, of whose ability as a bicyclist Plainfielders have heard a great deal, since his remarkable story of his remarkable run to Newark was published in THE PRESS, is now said to be training for the big road race at Irvington. He expects to capture first prize, and local sports, trusting in his assurances promise to wager their money on his success.

But His Plainfield Church Goes on.

The Bound Brook Chronicle says: "The Rev. J. B. Cleaver and family have removed from Plainfield to the farm lately purchased of H. A. King, just east of Bound Brook. Mr. Cleaver is a man of enterprise and push, and has great faith in the future prosperity of our community. He and his family are valuable acquisitions to our town."

Will Seed Cotton for Their Earn.

Some of the more or less skillful marksmen in the Plainfield Crescent League are going to begin a series of shooting events on the base-ball grounds next week Wednesday. Blue rock pigeons will be the targets. Bourgeois living near the grounds and objecting to noise will need cotton for their ears.

New Officers and a New Hall.

The new hall of the Fanwood Club will be opened with a brilliant entertainment the latter part of this month. At the recent annual election of the club the following officers were elected: President—J. C. Stevens. Vice President—Clarence W. Smith. Secretary—Harry Robinson. Trustees—George Hamlin, George R. Brown.

Wants Money for His Damaged Name.

The New York Tribune in a recent issue said that the leader of the gang of burglarious tramps at Westfield was Harry Edwards. Inasmuch as Harry Edwards is a highly respected citizen of Ripleyville, he feels that he has been grossly libeled, and has had his counsel, Chauncey B. Kipley, bring suit against the Tribune for heavy damages.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

Brief notices will be inserted under this head free of expense, but must be delivered at this office not later than eleven o'clock on Saturday morning to insure publication.

C. E. Ross will speak at the Memorial chapel, Washingtonville, to-morrow evening.

The usual Sunday meetings will be held to-morrow at 9 a. m. and 4 p. m. in the W. C. T. U. rooms.

A. C. LaBonteaux will conduct the meeting at the Mount Pleasant school-house, to-morrow evening.

The regular services of the Woman's Temperance Aid Society will be held as usual in Reform Hall, at 2:15 a. m. and 4 p. m. to-morrow.

Monroe Avenue chapel to-morrow, Sunday-school at 9 a. m., and preaching service at 1:30 p. m.

The Rev. W. E. Hensman will preach to-morrow evening.

The training class of the President of the Y. M. C. A., will be held to-morrow, but the**General Secretary's class will be held as usual. Visitors will be welcome.**

Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church, the Rev. William R. Richards, pastor. Services to-morrow at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. All the seats are free at the evening service. Service to-morrow in the German Reformed church on Craig place, North Plainfield, at 10:30 a. m. and 8 o'clock p. m. The Sunday-school will be held at 8:30 p. m.

The services in St. Mary's church to-morrow will be held as follows: Masses will be celebrated at 7:30, 8:30, 9:45 and 10:45 a. m. Vespers at eight o'clock p. m. Sunday-school will meet at 8:30 p. m.

At the Warren Union Mission chapel to-morrow services will be as follows: Sunday-school will meet at 2:30; song service at 7:30 and preaching service at 8 o'clock by the Rev. C. L. Goodrich.

The Rev. Dr. Lowry will preach in the First Presbyterian church, to-morrow at 10:30 a. m. and the Rev. Dr. Lewis at 7:30 p. m. Subject in the evening: "New Issues in the Churches—Women, Inspiration, Union."

Joseph A. Goodhue will conduct the young men's meeting at the Y. M. C. A., to-morrow at 4:15 p. m. The meeting will open with a fifteen-minute service of song conducted by Jos. D. Moore. All men are invited.

In the Congregational church West Seventh street, to-morrow, Morning service at 10:30, conducted by the pastor, the Rev. C. L. Goodrich. Sunday-school will meet at 2:45 p. m. The Christian Endeavor at 4:30 p. m.

Grace church, to-morrow, Sunday after the Ascension, May 10. Early celebration at 7:30 a. m. Morning prayer, sermon by the pastor, and Holy Communion, at 10:30. Sunday-school at 3 p. m. Evening service and sermon at 7:15.

The Church of the Holy Cross, the Rev. T. Logan Murphy, rector. Celebration of the holy communion to-morrow at 8 a. m. Sunday-school at 9:45 a. m. Morning prayer and sermon at 11 a. m. Vespers service musical at 4 p. m.

The Salvation Army will hold a meeting in Reform Hall to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock, and a meeting in the evening beginning at 7:15. A collection will be taken at the door. All are welcome. Come early. Adj. Leigh, commanding.

At the First Unitarian church, Second place, to-morrow, the Rev. Robert Clark, pastor, will preach. Services will be held at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday-school will meet at 11:45 a. m. All seats are free, and the public is cordially invited.

At the Methodist Episcopal church, to-morrow, the pastor will exchange with the Rev. E. W. Burr, D. D., of St. James's Methodist Episcopal church, Elizabeth. Dr. Burr will preach at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday-school at 2:30 p. m. Epworth League at 6:45 p. m.

The First Baptist church extend a cordial invitation for all friends and strangers to attend any or all their services, which to-morrow will be as follows: prayer meeting, 9:30 a. m., for special blessings. Preaching by the Rev. D. J. Yerkes, at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday-school will convene at 2:30 p. m.

Services in the Park Avenue Baptist church to-morrow will include preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by the pastor, the Rev. Asa Reed Ditts. Morning theme, "Living Waters from the Sanctuary." Evening theme, "Power of Associations." Sunday-school at 2:30 p. m. All are welcome and seats are free.

An interesting union service is promised at the Methodist church at Union Village to-morrow evening, a special feast being the singing by a large choir of young men from Plainfield, under the direction of L. G. Newman. Chas. B. Brown will conduct the meeting and will speak from Isaiah, 1:18—"Come Unto Me."

In the Trinity Reformed church, to-morrow, services will be held as follows: Preaching by the pastor, the Rev. Cornelius Schenck, in the morning. Services begin at 10:30 and 7:30. In the evening the tenth anniversary of the Ladies' Christian Work society will be held. Interesting reports will be read, and an address will be made by the Rev. C. H. Pool, Secretary of the Board of Domestic Missions. A welcome is extended to all.

Have you ever tried Salvation Oil, the greatest cure on earth for pain? It has cured many and will cure you. Price 25c a bottle.

Cured of Consumption.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., May 9.—James McAnally, a Koch lymph patient, will be discharged from the West Penn Hospital on Monday with a certificate from his physician as being cured of consumption. McAnally has been under treatment for three months. Two other lymph patients, both women, left the hospital to-day with certificates of cure, but the hospital authorities withheld their names.

Over Eighty but Still Vigorous.

CHICAGO, May 9.—Mrs. Henry Ward Beecher, although an octogenarian, is as vigorous as a woman of 60, and immediately after a thousand-mile ride is not too much fatigued to entertain many Chicago friends, who are calling on her at the Palmer house. She is returning from a visit to her son, Herbert Ward Beecher, at Port Townsend, Wash.

HIS FATHER WAS INSANE.

The man who threatened Jay Gould's life well connected. HARTFORD, Conn., May 9.—Charles J. Dixon, arrested in New York as an insane person for threatening the life of Jay Gould unless the latter paid him a certain sum of money, is the son of the Rev. Dr. Dixon.

The latter died in the insane asylum at Long Meadow, Mass., where he was a patient.

United States Senator Dixon is also the uncle of the man that has threatened Mr. Gould.

Charles J. Dixon visited his relatives, who are very wealthy people, last week.

At that time he showed no signs of mental derangement.

He was at one time prominent in social circles in this city, and belonged to a number of military and other organizations.

His visit last week was the first he had made in several years. He had been in the west.

Shiloh's Cough Cure.

This is beyond question the most successful Cough Medicine we have ever sold; a few doses invariably cure the worst cases of Cough, Croup and Bronchitis, while its wonderful success in the cure of Consumption is without a parallel in the history of medicine. Since its first discovery it has been sold on a guarantee, a test which no other medicine can stand. If you have a cough we earnestly ask you to try it. Price 50c, 50c and \$1. If your lungs are sore, chest or back lame, Shiloh's Cough Cure. Sold by J. G. Miller, No. 10 East Front street, Plainfield, N. J.

Delivered to any part of the city, by D. D. SCHENCK, 60 East Front St.

A postal by mail will receive prompt attention.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

There is no revolution in Costa Rica. Perfect peace and order prevail.

The bill limiting the height of buildings in cities to 125 feet will be introduced by the House of Representatives of Massachusetts.

The firm in the China trade in London, whose failure was reported yesterday with liabilities amounting to \$1,000,000, is that of Adamson, Bell & Co.

The dry goods store of Hiram, Kats at Olean, N. Y., has been closed by the sheriff on a judgment of \$1,300 in favor of Burke, Fitzsimmons, Hays & Co. of Rochester.

Thomas Magee, a professional nurse, alleges that he has discovered a plot to imprison wealthy John L. Lewis of New York, and coerce him into making a will in favor of his daughter.

The Health Department of New York city has arranged to have the Greek who was supposed to have had the leprous sent back to Mexico, where he came from.

The Massachusetts State Board of Health reports that there were seventeen deaths from hydrophobia during the past year. This is the highest number of deaths from this disease that has ever been reported in Massachusetts.

The Grand Lodge, A. O. U. W., in session at Milwaukee, Wis., decided by a vote of 114 to 81 that saloon men and liquor makers may be eligible to the order as in the past. Reports of the State officers showed that the order is in a flourishing condition.

Three drunken fishermen assaulted Dr. Wilbur, aged 87 years, of North Scituate, R. I., and so beat him that his life is despaired of. The ruffians threw stones at him and jumped on him. They were arrested and threats of mob law are freely indulged in.

The National Store Manufacturers' Association, in session at Philadelphia, adopted a resolution to strictly maintain the price of stores at the same figure as last year. Officers were elected as follows: President, Joseph Orr, Reading; vice-presidents, E. W. Peck, Rochester, N. Y., George H. Holland, St. Louis; treasurer, S. T. Peckham, Utica, N. Y.; secretary, D. M. Thomas, Columbia.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION

of the

City National Bank,

At Plainfield, in the State of New Jersey, at the close of business,

MAY 4, 1891.

ASSETS.

Loans and discounts	\$385,540 87
Overdrafts secured and unsecured	284 24
U. S. Bonds to secure deposits	46,000 00
Stocks, securities	10,000 00
Due from approved reserve agents	92,731 54
Due from other National Banks	7,258 18
Due from State Banks and Bankers	16,513 45
Furniture and fixtures	4,200 00
Current expenses and dues paid	1,819 39
Premiums on U. S. bonds	1,500 00
Checks and other cash items	55 00
Liabilities of other banks	55 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels	161 00
Specie	19,100 00
Legal tender notes	15,000 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer	1,800 00
5 per cent. of circulation	1,800 00
Total	\$509,910 79

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Capital stock paid in	\$100,000 00
Surplus	10,000 00
Undivided profits	19,920 00
Reserve fund	30,000 00
National Bank notes outstanding	30,000 00
Deposits subject to check	27,071 74
Deposits on call	10,000 00
Deposits on demand	1,177 90
Deposits on time	16,233 41
Due to other National Banks	5,288 62
Due to State Banks and Bankers	5,288 62
Total	\$309,910 79

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City National Bank,

At Plainfield, in the State of New Jersey, at the close of business,

MAY 4, 1891.

ASSETS.

Loans and discounts	\$385,540 87
Overdrafts secured and unsecured	284 24
U. S. Bonds to secure deposits	46,000 00
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