VOORHEES MUST FIGHT A LARGE INDUSTRY COMING SENATOR SEWELL SAID TO BE HIS

BITTEREST FOE.

Will Probably Oppose the Union County Man for the Presidency of the some of Voorhers' Supporters. It has developed during the past w days that a fierce fight is likely to Poster M. Voorhees, of Union county, floor of the Senate last year, and who on a large scale. is in line for the Presidency by virtue of seniority, as well as party service, is going to be opposed by the Sewell

bitter and interesting contest. As soon as the smoke of the late olitical fight had cleared, the friends of the young Senator from Union county began advancing his claims for the highest office in the Senate. As a matter of fact, it has been known among the Senator's most intimate friends for some time that a majority of the Republican Senators are under ige since last year to make him esident. The existence of this act was unknown to Senator Sewell until within the past week. As a result, the Camden warrior is reported to be in a furious state of mind. His agents at Trenton were a His agents at Trenton wore a nered look last Tuesday, and in whispers they passed it along the corridors that "the old man was mad," wase of the state of affairs in regard to Voorhees.

The Republican Senators who have

pledged themselves to Voorhees will w have to face the wrath of Senator rell, and it remains an open queswhether they will be able to withand the pressure he will be able to ring upon them!

Voorhees has never enjoyed the conce or esteem of Senator Sewell. He has disobeyed the latter's mandates many times, not only in party conventions, but in the Legislature. His greatest offence, however, was his refusal to vote for Sewell's re-election to the United State's Senate. Sewell has turned him down a number of times, in the party conventions, and in the State Gubernatorial convention in 1895, at which Griggs was nominated, when the entire convention was on its feet, howling for a speech from Voorhees, Sewell, white with rage, rose in his place and forced the adjournment of the delegates in order to shut off the Union statesman,

Several times Voorhees has attempted to even up scores with Sewell. Sewell's pet scheme for biennial sessions of the Legislature. Sewell paid him back for that by defeating the Voorhees judiciary amendment to the

It now remains to be seen whether as the po another rebuff to Voorhees by forcing the majority of the Republican Senators to withdraw the pledges they have made. It is just possible that a new element may appear in the fight in favor of Voorhees, and that is the influence of the Hobart-Griggs forces allied in the fight against John Kean's candidacy for United States Senator. Voorhees, being an anti-Kean man, will naturally command the support of the Vice-President and the Govemor against the Sewell influence. Agin, it is among the strong possies that the Hobart Griggs forces may have to unite upon him for the Gubernatorial nomination next year, because he is the embodiment of all the opposition to Kean and Sewell. Hence, they would enjoy material advantage by the influence in their favor which Voorhees could exert on the presiding officer of the upper

The friends of Senator Voorhees pretend that they are not surprised at the a fact, nevertheless, that they are the Senators to their pledges.

Senator Johnson, of Bergen county, is regarded as the man whom the for the Presidency, but in case he is not considered available it will be Ketcham or Skirm.

Good Time Assured. Thanksgiving Eve the lovers of dancing will have an excellent opporunity to indulge in that pasttime, when the Twilight Social Club will has the reputation of giving some of the finest dances in the city, and they will make this one no exception to the rule. The committee, consisting of P.S. Moore, Theodore Smith, Louis Feiring and E. C. Searing, are sparing no work to make it a success, and a pleasant time is assured all who attend. The music will be furnished by

Rogers' full orchestra, -Fred Shepard will leave the employ of Neuman Brothers tonight.

HETFIELD COAL YARD IS WANTED. Extensive Sash and Blind Mill to Be

Erected and the Proprietors Will Not Join the Combination.

One of the prominent real estate dealers is negotiating with a New York company for the sale of the Hetfield coal yard on Madison avenue. occur over the organization of the In the event of their taking the yard. New Jersey Senate. Senator they contemplate building an extensive sash and blind mill, and of also who was the Republican leader on the running a coal and lumber business

This company say that they will not join the combination and as they have a large saw mill in the New England wing of the party, and that means a States, they say that they can afford to sell goods at a lower figure than the dealers who have joined the combine.

This movement will probably cause a stir among the builders and contractors, and the mechanics of this vicinity will in all probability have plenty of work.

WANAMAKER WANTS AN AGENT. He is Looking for a Good Man to Handle Humber Wheels,

The widespread interest manifested by bicyclists and the bicycle trade generally in the reports of the contract recently made between John Wanamaker's firm and the Humber Company lends interest to the rumor that it is proprosed to establish an agency in this city for the sale of the various Wanamaker bicycles.

The size of the Humber contract with Wanamaker is unknown, but it must have been large. Small considerations would never have tempted the Humber Company to part with the right to distribute their wheels in one of the most populous and prosperous sections of the country. Wanamaker controls all the Humber interests between Washington, D. C., and Hartford, Conn., with a broad strip of land westward from the Atlantic coast.

It is evident that the merchant and not the maker must be the distributer of bicycles in the future. The people are not disposed to support the extravagant system by which the cost of selling a bicycle has added so largely to the retail price. The logic of events is working out. The capital and organization of the dealer-Wanamaker in the present instance-come to the relief of both maker and retail buyer. By saving superflous cost the maker is paid better and the cyclists buys cheaper. We hope in due time to announce the completion of plans for introducing to this community Last year he succeeded in defeating not only the Humber but the several other bicycles that Wanamaker has made famous.

BETTER GU SLOW.

That is J. E. Martine's Attitude About a County Trolley Read,

A reporter of The Press recently asked J. E. Martine what his views were on the Pierson plan of the trolley and a bicycle path on the county roads. He said:

"I feel that this is a great project which involves a large expendditure of money, and is an entirely new scheme for a county to undertake. I am not just decided as to the project, but think it wise to consider the matter well. This will be for all time, so let us go slow rather than make a mistake."

"Are you in favor of municipal or county ownership of franchises?" he was asked.

"Yes. I believe this the only solution of the vexed question of monopoly. But again I say let us consider the matter well, let us go slow."

Paid \$5 to Get Free,

Harrison Randolph, colored, was arrested on Somerset street last evening by Patrolman Saffron for being want it. drunk. He was locked up. When activity all over the State of the Sewell arraigned before City Judge DeMeza, men against their candidate, but it is this morning, Randolph indignantly denied the charge. The officer had making a desperate effort to hold all the necessary evidence on hand and the Judge and sentenced to pay a fine I appreciate the great honor attached Sewell forces will finally centre upon dolph reluctantly laid down the cash.

side tracks that formerly occupied frage. most of the street. A substantial stone wall now shuts the railroad off fre their third grand masquerade from the street, and the tracks have ball in the Crescent Rink. This club been placed where they belong, along- sembly. Last night he was made a side of the other tracks.

A Costly Residence.

George L. Colgate, manager of the Bard Cycle Company, has decided to build a home for himself in this city. The house will probably cost \$10,000.

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-Crane & Clark, the hatters, 120 representative into their ranks. West Front street, have a very large line of gloves for mechanics as well as

CITIZENS' TICKET SURE. EVERYTHING PROFIT NOW

NEUCLES FORMED IN THE FOURTH WARD LAST NIGHT.

Conference of Dissatisfied Voters Which Resulted in Organization That Will He Taken Un Effectively All Over the City, A Citizens' ticket in opposition to the regular Republicans at the forthcoming municipal election is now assured. The neucles was formed in the Fourth ward last night and as soon as possible the rest of the wards will be organized to combat the Re-

publican foe. The west end of the city is the Democratic stronghold, if there is such a thing in these parts, and it also is the abiding place of many Republicans who are disgruntled with the prevailing condition of affairs in respect to municipal business. It was natural, therefore, that the opposition should preliminaries for the meeting held last night were quietly conducted and only those on the inside of the scheme know of it.

The meeting place was 1101 West Front street, a vacant house owned by I. S. Randolph, who, strange to say, was one of the machine candidates a omitted from the programme last eveyear ago for the Council in the Fourth ward.

The meeting was attended by of Democrats and Republicans both. Though they commenced to gather as early as 8 o'clock it was 9 o'clock before the meeting was called to order by George O. Stevens, the West End coal merchant, Mr. Stevens was made permanent chairman.

It was explained that the meeting was called for the purpose of forming the Organized Independent Voters of the Fourth Ward, which would appoint a committee to confer with represent ative men in other wards with a view to extending the independent movement all over the city, the final result of which would be the nomination of complete ward and city tickets in opposition to the regular Republicans.

The organization was completed by the election of the following officers: President, George O. Stevens; vicepresident, Mr. McCue; secretary, Charles Randolph; treasurer, Henry Leifke.

The following committee was ap pointed to confer with sympathizers n other wards: Henry Leifke, Michael Higgins and George O. Stevens.

The committee will take steps immediately towards performing the duty for which they were appointed, and it is expected that in a short time an independent movement will be under way that will threaten the present administration with defeat at

the meeting were George O Stevens, be, in the person of Frank Toman, tion to the Throne of Grace for the Henry Leifke, I. S. Randolph, Chas. who is now prostrated at his home on bereaved ones. The floral tributes ex-Randolph, John Kriney, Jacob Kriney, the Water Company farm. William Kriney, T. B. King, Henry Waters, Ira Hulbert, Michael Higgins and John McCarty.

Of course, the most important personage there was I. D. Randolph, who was elected to the Council last year by the Republicans. It will be remembered that after the Council was organized that Randolph was selected for the appointment of street commissioner. In order to secure the position he wrote out his resignation as Councilman, which was accepted before the appointment was made by the Mayor. Alfred Leviers was selected in his place. Then for some reason Randolph was never appointed street commissioner. He feels very sore and will do his utmost to defeat the Republicans this fall. His name has been mentioned as a candidate for Councilman on the independant move ment, but he says that he does not

Mr. Hill Says Nay. To the Editor of The Daily Press :saw in yesterday's Press that my name was mentioned in connection with the Councilmanic nominations Randolph was pronounced guilty by soon to take place in this city. While of \$5 or go to jail for 20 days. Ran- to even a nomination to such an exalted position, and would willingly do all that I could for the advancement One of the best improvements in the of our city, and also of our people, as city in a long time is that on East a private citizen, but as to politics I Fourth street, where the Central Rail. desire to decline to take any part road Company has had removed the other than to exercise the right of suf-R. A. Hill.

Roger Murray a Red Man Several weeks ago Roger F. Murray was elected to the New Jersey As wild and woolly brave of the Miantonomoh Tribe of the Improved Order of Red Men. He was adopted into the tribe with all the imposing cere monies that accompany such an act, and the Assemblyman elect found the Red Men a genial set of fellows who were very glad to receive their

-A little early to talk about skating yet, but VanArsdale is talking about skating shoes in his ad today.

SPIELKARTENFEST GOES ALONG MERRILY TO SUCCESS.

Tonight, the Last, Will be the Biggest of the Week-Many Dancers Get Flowers-Result in the Voting Contests The end of the Spielkartenfest is now at hand. Tonight the good people of Plainfield will have their last chance to attend the monster benefit for the Muhlenberg Hospital, From the start its artistic success was assured; now the management is jubi lant, for its financial success has been proven. Wednesday night the receipts amounted to a sufficient sum to cover all expenses, and since then the funds have been rolling in to increase the treasury of the Muhlenberg Hospital. Thursday and Friday the money rolled in fast, and today everything points to a fit climax for this wonderful event take form in the Fourth ward. The that has so taken possession of the whole town and its people.

Last evening saw by far the largest crowd that has yet attended the Spielkartenfest. All the chairs were occupied and many had to stand in the rear of the hall. The Hornpipe and the Chrysanthemum dances were ning. The other dances were received with enthusiasm, however. One of the serenaders in the Mirror Dance, about twenty-five men, a sprinkling Fred H. Freeman, was confined home with illness. His place was filled by Allan E. Laing, while Paul Kimbal was substituted for Laing in the latter part of the dance. Laing did very well. considering that he had only part of the day in which to learn the step and movements of the quartette.

During the dances the Joker frequently made his appearance with gifts of flowers for the different dancers. Chrysanthemums and roses were the most numerous.

Harry Milligan is now conducting a contest for the most popular dance. To date the vote is as follows-Afternoon dances: the Minuet, 74; Dutch Reel, 17; the Mardi Gras, 71; Game of Old Maid, 18. Evening dances: the Court Cards, 24; the Mirror Dance, 9: Danza Cubana, 87; Tambourine Dance, 3; Dance of the Aces, 16; Dance of the Pages, 234; Dance of the Red Cards, 16; Chrysanthemum Dance, 2; Dance of the Black Cards, 1; Hornpipe, 2.

ALIVE WITH A BROKEN NECK

BUT HIS RECOVERY IS IMPOSSIBLE. Remarkable Case in Bound Brook Medical or Surgical Skill is

of No Avail, One occasionally sees in the daily press where a person lives with a broken neck, and as often the item is put down as a fake. Bound Brook Among those who were present at furnishes proof that such a thing can

> Some seven weeks ago Frank, who is in the bottling business in partnership with his brother James, had occasion to enter a place in Bound Brook to collect some money due him. As he was about to leave the place he made a misstep and fell downstairs, landing upon his head. He complained of a pain in his neck and after being taken home a physician was summoned, but no serious injury was discovered. He did not recover and was taken to a Newark hospital, where he received treatment for a few days. Being somewhat better he returned home but was again attacked, more seriously than at first. In a few days he was taken to New

> York, where Dr. Carpenter, on Tuesday of last week, performed an opera tion. He found the neck broken and that medical or surgical skill could be of no avail. Consequently he was again brought home, where he is now prostrated. Dr. Carpenter says his recovery is impossible, although he might live several months.

TO AWAIT COURT DECISION.

Rev. P. S. Gibson Agrees to Vacate Pulpit Until Legal Case is Settled. A joint meeting of the officers of the First Baptist and Mt. Olive Baptist churches was held last night at the offices of City Judge DeMez 1 to discuss the trouble between Rev. Phillip S. Gibson, pastor of the Mt. Olive church, and the members of his flock.

Rev. Dr. Yerkes, pastor of the First Baptist church and Mr. Gibson were over with a view to avoid further dis- fested. sensions. The meeting at last proposed that Mr. Gibson vacate Lis pulpit until the courts shall finally decide whether or not he is guilty of The case has been appealed to the higher court by Mr. Gibson, and will not be decided for some time to come. The trustees have engaged Rev. J. B. Randolph, of Trenton, to preach in Mt. Olive church tomorrow.

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APT AND FUNNY ANSWERS. PLEASANT CONUNDRUM SOCIABLE.

Puzzling Questions Asked, But Answers Were Given That Showed Much Thought,

A conundrum social was held at the Congregational church last evening, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of the church, and it proved to be an admirable entertainment. The parlors were prettily arranged and made as homelike as possible by the committee in charge, consisting of Mrs. Fuller, chairman; Mrs. Morgan, Mrs. Messerschmith and Mrs. Laing. The attendance was excellent and all joined heartily in the festivities of the occasion. As each one came in a piece of paper was handed to them, pear to be aimed at the hunters but upon which was written a conundrum which they were supposed to find an answer for. Some of the conundrums were very mysterious and required considerable thought to find a suitable no weapon can hurl its load of shot at answer. One question was, "For what was Eve created," and the answer was, "For Adam's express benefit." Another one was, "Why hunting a few rods inside the city was Adam the swiftest runner in the line. The offenders were Edmund world. ' The apt reply was, "Because he was the first in the human race." Why do we know that Joseph was a straight man," was another question, to which the reply was, "Because Pharaoh made a ruler of him." An amusing conundrum was, "Why was Adam of more consequence than Eve?" Because Eve was nothing but a side issue." One of those present received tutor?" The reply was, "The whale conundrum and each was a source of amusement to all.

During the evening Mrs. M. E. Dwight favored the audience with several plano selections, af er which in the city limits but not guilty to the the committee served refreshments to all. The evening was profitably spent both sides that an assault had been and each declared that they had a committed. There was considerable good time.

FUNERAL OF MRS. HONEYMAN.

Consoling Words Spoken to the Bereaved Ones by Rev. Cornelius Schenck,

There was a large gathering of relatives and friends at the funeral services of the late Mrs. Susan Honeyman, which were held yesterday afternoon from the home of her daughter, Mrs. D. C. Adams, on Grove street, at 1:30. Rev. Cornelius Schenck. Ph. D., pastor of the departed, conducted the services and spoke praiseworthy of the life of her who had received her reward after a beautiful Christian life well spent in the Master's vineyard. His testimony to her exemplary life was in close touch with the fe lings and sentiments of all present. An earnest prayer at the close of the discourse, was a comforting petipressed the highest regard of the donors for the departed. The pall service people began to flock into the bearers, all grandsons, were James church last evening, and seating the Todd, Esmay Todd, Herbert Todd and crowd became difficult for the ushers, Albert E. Honeyman. Interment was in Hillside Cemetery in the family ing large numbers. Rev. Sherman

\$100 WATCH MISSING.

Belonged to a Jersey City Man and He Can't Account for Its Loss,

A gold watch, valued at \$100, disappeared from the pocket of the owner at the Crescent Rink last evening. The timepiece was the property of J. W. Chilton, of Jersey City, who is now visiting his sister, Mrs. Lemuel W. Serrell, Jr., of Crescent avenue. Chilton went to the Spielkartenfest last evening and carried some of the articles belonging to his sister behind the scenes to her. His watch was in his overcoat pocket at the time. When he came out he missed it and has seen nothing of it since. It is supposed his pocket in some manner.

The watch was a valuable one and greatly prized by its owner, who has offered a reward for its return.

GIRLS ENJOY BASKET BALL.

Contesting Team of Fair Sex May Come From Summit for a Game,

There seems to be no cessation in the interest among the girls of the Plainfield High School in basket ball. The girls of the Third class met for practice yesterday afternoon in the Whittier building under the direction of Fred Bonny. The attendance was present, and the situation was talked large and much interest was mani-

This morning the Senior girls met for practice in the Whittier building, Walter Long acting as coach. While they are all showing considerthe charge preferred by Lucy Swaln. able adaptability in the game, they are yet somewhat afraid of themselves. in one of its big private schools, and P. H. Brown, Miss Cora Morris, Miss exciting games are played there on Betty Brown, Miss Addie Blount, Miss the lawn. The Summit girls have Grayton, John A. Perkins, William even considered the advisibility of Burton, James Curtis, Thomas Morris, challenging the Plainfield girls.

CITY IS BUNNY'S HAVEN

WITHIN MUNICIPAL LIMITS NO SHOTS CAN BE LEGALLY FIRED.

An Ordinance That Prevents Hunting in the City Limits-Two Violators Fined in City Court for the Offense Yesterday, Plainfield is to be a paradise for rabbits. Within the city limits they will be free from the horde of hungry gunners who pursue them with dog and gun outside the bounds of this good city. Such was the result of an ordinance recently passed by the Common Council and which City Judge DeMeza and Chief Grant are now enforcing. The ordinance itself on casual examination does not apon careful reading the truth comes out. The ordinance says that no gun, revolver, or firearm of any kind shall be fired in the city limits. Therefore any frightened cottontail.

Yesterday afternoon, two colored men had to pay a fine of \$10 each for Scott and James Saunders. They were arrested on the complaint of Robert McNabb for firing their guns and for cursing and swearing at the complainant. Perkins was arraigned at the same time but everybody, complainant included, agreed that he had neither shot a gun or used bad language and so he wa released.

The trouble was that the two colored the conundrum, "Who was Jonah's men were hunting and McNabb claimed, that they went on ground that brought him up." Everyone had that was posted and under his control. He was represented by Robert M. Clark. Frank J. Blatz was the attorney for the prisoners. The prisoners pleaded guilty to shooting other charge. It was also claimed by evidence deduced but not sufficient to convict the prisoners of using the language alleged On the charge of shooting, they were each fined \$10, which was paid.

There is lots of hunting going on these days in the fields on the outskirts of the city which are inside the city limits. There are rabbits there in plenty but the enforcement of this ordinance will result in the driving away of the hunters. The real purpose of the ordinance was to prevent hunters from following their game into inhabited districts and perchance injure someone by the reckless use of

TWELVE FOUND PEACE.

Great Success of the Revival Meetings at Grace M. E. Church.

Overflow meetings will soon be necessary if the attendance at the meetaccustomed as they are of late to seat-Powell presented the way of Salvation in a simple and plain language, and pressed home the need of the unsaved. A number came forward to the altar and twelve or more found peace.

Tonight there will be a "young converts rally." They will be addressed by Rev. W. P. Drew, and they will take the front seats in the church, all sitting together.

RUNNING BACKWARDS AND HURT.

While running backward in the schoolyard yesterday morning, Arthur Lederer, one of the Seniors at the Plainfield High School, met with a serious accident. There were three of that the watch must have slipped from the Seniors racing backward and Lederer did not notice the flag-pole that stands in the centre of the yard. He struck the back of his head against it and fell to the ground unconscious. His face was also cut. He was taken into the High School building by Henry W. Brower and Rhey T. Snodgrass and restoratives applied. He recovered in ten minutes and was assisted to his home, where he was confined the rest of the day. He has now mostly recovered from the effects of his accident.

Event in Colored Society. An enjoyable affair in colored social circles was held at the home of Chas. Shelton, of West Third street, last evening when Mr. Shelton celebrated his twenty-seventh birthday. The evening was spent in games and social chat, Besides the host and hostess and Mrs. Betty Shelton, Mr. Shelton's mother, those present were: Summit has a girls' basket ball team Mr. and Mrs. George Henderson, Mrs. Robert Venable and Bert Harvey.

NEW TRIAL FOR THORN READY FOR CONGRESS

District Attorney Refuses to Im- Chairman Cannon Has Announced panel a Twelfth Juryman.

Case to Go On a Week from Monday. The Defendant Is Very Much Disappointed-How Mrs. Nack Came

New York, Nov. 13 .- The trial of Martin Thorn, charged with the murder of William Guldensupppe, has been postponed until Monday, Nov. 22, when a new jury will be selected from a spe-cially summoned panel. This unsatis-factory end of the famous murder case was caused by the illness of the sixth juror. Magnus Larsen, who was operated upon for appendicitis and who will about again for a month in all

probability. It was generally believed at the courthouse yesterday that Thorn would have to be tried over again, but the lawyers did their utmost to discover some way in which the present case could be brought to a close. They fearched authorities and conferred among themselves and with the judge. Mr. Howe made suggestions, and the District Attorney investigated them, but it was all to no purpose. They could not agree upon any solution of the difficulty.

Then District Attorney Youngs made an effort to have the new trial set down for next Monday. Mr. Howe objected to such haste, and the judge took his view of the case and gave the defense a week longer.

Justice Smith, of the Supreme Court, yesterday afternoon discharged the jury from further duty, and ordered a new trial for the murderer. Justice Smith was not in favor at any time of the proposition to retain the eleven well jurors and empanel an additional juror, but at the first session of the court yesterday he ordered a recess, so the opposing counsel could consider the matter. He set Monday, Nov. 22, as the date for the new trial, and ordered the necessary talesmen to be summoned.

Thorn, after learning that the case would have to be retried, passed his hands in a worried manner over his forehead, and remarked: "I don't un-derstand it at all. Why couldn't they get another juror? I am anxious to have the thing over with; what's the use of dragging it out in this manner?" When Thorn said he was anxious to the thing over with, it is supposed that he was thinking about his going

When the news reached Mrs. Nack all she said was, as she leaned forward in her chair: "Will I have to go on the stand again?" She seems afraid of Mr. Howe. Matron Glick says that the woman aged five years in appearance while she was under the cross fire of the defense's chief.

How Mrs. Nack Confessed.

The sensational confession made by Mrs. Nack is now said to be due to a sermon and the influence of a child. The two worked upon her mind, ed all the latent religious feeling of her woman's nature and caused her

onscience to assert itself. These two influences—a child and a ermon—did what the keenest detectives in Greater New York had been unable to accomplish. The sermon was preached by the Rev. Robert H. P. Miles, pastor of the Ravenswood Presbyterian Church, of Long Island City. The child was his 4-year-old son, Par-

Mr. Miles preached a sermon-a simple personal appeal—to her in her cell last Thursday week. He carefully re-frained from mentioning her crime. Suddenly she stopped him.
"Would God forgive me, too?"

asked, with tears in her eyes.

"If you confess your sins and truly repent he will," Mr. Miles replied. That was all that was said at the panied his father on the jail visits. Little Parker sat in her lap while his father read from the Bible and talked

cheeks as she stroked the child's head. The iron will had been broken. The woman's heart reasserted itself. She sent for her lawyer and insisted on making the confession which perhaps clinched the death penalty for both herself and her former lover. Religion and a child paved the way for the great dramatic climax in the strangest of murder cases.

KANSAS REDEEMED.

Her Reputation Now as Good as Her Character, Says Gov. Leedy.

Topeka, Kan., Nov. 13.—Gov. Leedy did not refrain from hitting the tra-ducers of Kansas a blow in his Thanksgiving proclamation issued yesterday. He said:

"After seven years of self-denial our people have so reduced their enormous indebtedness that at last their liabilities bear a reasonable ratio to their resources. The attacks upon this State to which it has been so long subject have been discontinued, and the reputation of Kansas is again as good as its character always has been. For these blessings let us return thanks to the Great Author of the Universe who watched over and guided our fathers when they established in the Western prairies the foundations of our State. In the day of our rejoicing let our peo-ple not forget the poor and needy of the great cities and of foreign countries, but send up our petition as a giver of all good things may enable them to be self-reliant, as self-supporting and as self-reliant, as sen-suppositions of

Has Spain Found a Loan?

London, Nov. 12.—The Daily Mail says that Ernest T. Hooley, the English promoter and financier, has made an offer to Spain to raise for her a toan of about \$17,500,000, the security to be on the lines of the old quicksliver toan. The Spanish Government will consider the proposal on Nov. 18. It is understood that the rate of interest suggested is 4 per cent.

Bookmaker's Cashier Held.

New York, Nov. 13.-Frederick Fishel, the defaulting bookkeeper of Joe Ullmann, the bookmaker, was arraigned before Judge McMahon yesterday afternoon. He pleaded not guilty to a charge of grand larceny, and was committed to the Tombs in default of \$7,500

His Sub-Committees.

THE JURY IS DISCHARGED CALLED TO MEET NOV. 27

Work on the Appropriations to Be Begun at Once and a Short Sension Anticipated - Possible Adjournment by May 1.

Washington, Nov. 13. - Chairman Cannon, of the House Appropriations Committee, intends to begin preparing for the appropriation bills at the earliest possible date. He has announced the sub-committees, and those on the Pension, Legislative, Executive and Judicial bills have been called to meet Nov. 27. a week in advance of the as-sembling of Congress.

As the House is fully organized, by the appointment of all the standing committees, it will be expected to get down to business as soon as it reas-sembles on Dec. 3. Ordinarily it requires a month to organize, but this year at least one of the regular appropriation bills, and probably two, will have been passed before the Christmas recess. Most of the members who have aiready arrived express the opinion that the coming session will be the shortest regular "long session" of Congress in years. Ordinarily the long session lasts from six to ten months. Mr. Hopkins, of Illinois, predicts that Congress will have completed its work and

adjourned before May 1. The sub-committees of the Appropriations Committee, announced by Chairman Cannon yesterday, are as follows: Sundry Civil-Cannon, W. A. Stone,

Northway, Sayers and McRae.

Legislative — Bingham, Hemenway Moody, Dockery and Livingston.

District of Columbia-Grout, Pitney Bingham, Dockery and Allen.

Pensions-W. A. Stone, Barney, Belden, Allen and Bell. Fortifications — Hemenway, Pitney Pugh, McRae and Bell.

Deficiencies-Cannon, Northway, Bar ney, Sayers and Livingston. Permanent Appropriations

Grout, Pugh, Allen and Bell. Chances of a Monetary Bill.

Washington, Nov. 13.-Representative Grosvenor, of Ohio, is very doubt ful about there being any financial legislation at the approaching session of Congress.

"I presume," he said "that there will be some agitation of a currency measure, but action on the subject is very uncertain. Everybody knows that there is very little chance of an agreement among the members of the Banking and Currency Committee on any financial measure, and it will be next to impossible to make a party question of such a measure in the House. Some proposition might be made which the Republicans would stand for, but there is no probability of a general agreement on any of the broad schemes that

have been suggested."
"You do not think that the Repub licans would unite on a proposition for the retirement of the greenbacks?

"Certainly not. I do not believe that the President will recommend such a thing. I have not talked with him on the subject, but I have no idea that he would make such a recommendation."

Speaking of Hawaii, Mr. Grosvenor aid that he thought there would be no difficulty in the way of the ratification of the annexation treaty. He thought that it would be acted upon favorably very soon after Congress met.

TRAIN HELD UP AND LOOTED.

Train Robbery Near Independence and a Big Loss Feared. Kansas City, Nov. 13.-The Missouri

Pacific Express, or train 8, which left here at 9 o'clock last evening and was due in St. Louis at 7.10 o'clock this morning, was held up east of Independence at about 10 p. m. by four bandits and plundered.

A special engine with officers left here at midnight for the scene of the rob-bery. It is believed that the bandits made a big haul, as it is known that the express car carried considerable treasure. Whether the robbers blew open the safe or not cannot be learned at this writing.

Shadow of Herself

Stomach Was Too Weak to Retain Food

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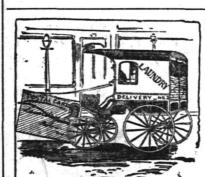
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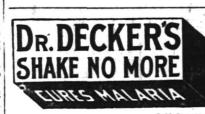
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Mr. and Mrs. George Goodwin, of Mr. and Mrs. George Goodwin, of from the case as private counsel for Yonkers, are visiting her daughter, the prosecution, said to the Court that Mrs. Ida Bowers, of 215 West Front

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Messrs. Hegeman and Eugene Foster, of New York, have been visiting at the home of their uncle, D. N. Groendyke, of Mercer avenue.

The three-year-old boy of J. A. Johnson, of Lynn Center, Ill., is subject to attacks of croup. Mr.Johnson says he a severe attack, saved his little boy's life. He is in the drug business, a member of the firm of Johnson Brcs. favorable. of that place, and they handle a great many patent medicines for throat and lung diseases. He had all these to choose from, and skilled physicians ready to respond to his call, but selected this remedy for use in his own family at a time when his child's life was in danger, because he knew it to be superior to any other, and famous the country over for its cures of croup. Mr. Johnson says this is the best selling cough medicine they handle, and that it gives splendid satisfaction in all cases. Sold by T. S. Armstrong, apothecary, corner Park and North

-Next Tuesday evening the Sons of Veterans will meet and hear a report from the fair committee. It is now thought that about \$280 will be made as profit on the recent fair.

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GEN. REEDER EXONERATED.

The Grand Jury Refuses to Indict Him on Conspiracy Charges. Easton, Pa., Nov. 13.-Fred Van Valtenberg's conspiracy case against Gen. Frank Reeder, Assemblyman Weiss and M. C. Luckenbach for conspiracy put on the prosecutor. He was sentenced to pay these costs this morning, as he was not in court last night when the Grand Jury made its return. William Shipman, who had withdrawn he appeared for Mr. Van Valkenberg,

The case was given to the G and Jury at 9.45 a.m. yesterday, after Judge Scott had explained the nature of the indictments which were to be laid before it. Gen. Doster, the special District Attorney, told Judge Scott that he vas ready to proceed with the case, although all his witnesses were not here. The Court declared that there had been sufficient delay and the case must be aken up.

and agreed to produce him in court to-

Later Constable Ackerman returned from Philadelphia and reported that he had been unable to find William A. Winsboro, the principal witness of the prosecution. He had searched in all the knows resorts of Winsboro, as well

as at his boarding house. Soon after this Sheriff Fenicle ariven from Scranton with Congressman Connell and four other witnesses summoned on bench warrants. They were called before the court, and the reasons they gave being satisfactory, they were excused and the costs of the attachments were made part of the costs of the prosecution. It was shown that there was carelessness in subpenaing the witnesses, and that H. A. Mackey, one of the counsel for Van Valkenberg, had told some of the witnesses they

need not attend.

The finding of the Grand Jury was expected. It was generally declared to be the belief that the prosecution did not subpena Winsboro because they wanted the case to fail before the Grand Jury in order to have some influence in securing a settlement of the prosecutions against E. A. Van Valkenberg, brother of Fred Van Valkenberg, which are called for trial next Monday in Pottsville.

Gen. Reeder said last night he had nothing to say with reference to the case. He looked pleased, and was overwhelmed with congratulations.

Washington, Nov. 13.-Preliminary reports to the statistician of the De-partment of Agriculture indicate an averages are as follows: North Caro-lina, 184 pounds; South Carolina, 189: cause his time is taken up in political Georgia, 178; Alabama, 155; Mississippi, work. He also means to do a great 120; Louisiana, 245; Texas, 165; Arkandeal of editorial work, and will work is satisfied that the timely use of 120; Louisiana, 245; Texas, 165; Arkan-Chambarlain's Cough Remedy, during sas, 215; Tennessee, 132; Oklahoma, 132; Indian Territory, 300. In the main the crop has been picked in excellent condition, the weather having been highly

Bridegroom Missing.

Chicago, Nov. 13 .- Warren Beckwith, troubles of the year and denounced the who eloped with ex-Secretary Robert T. Lincoln's daughter Bessie, is missng. He cannot be found at his hotel, and it is thought he has left Chicago. Since the young couple were married last Wednesday the bride has remained at her father's home, pleading for forgiveness, but he refuses to grant it. Foreman, L. D. Chamberlain, Colorado; Beckwith remained at a downtown homembers General Executive Board. tel until Thursday night, when he went away, no one knows where.

His Earthquake Prophecy True. Oaxaca, Mex., Nov. 13.-The predictions of Contreras, the earthquake prophet, have been fulfilled again. The shocks on the isthmus of Tehauanteper and in the southern part of this State were the severest of recent months. Many houses were thrown down, and it is feared that there was loss of life in the country districts. The coast towns south of here have suffered severely, and many believe that the formation of another active volcano is at

Daughters of the Confederacy. Baltimore, Nov. 13. — The United Daughters of the Confederacy ended their fourth annual convention yesterday. Baltimore and Maryland were honored by the election of Mrs. D. G. Wright as first vice-president. She is now president of the United Daughters of Maryland. Mrs. Helen C. Plane, of Atlanta, Ga., was chosen as the other vice-president. Mrs. Kate Cabell Currie, of Dallas, Tex., was elected presi-

Two Girls Tarred and Feathered. Holgate, Ohio, Nov. 13 .- Edith and May Roberts, of Oakwood, aged 19 and 17 years, received a White Cap notice warning them to leave the town and county, but paid no attention to it. On Wednesday evening they were awakened by a band of ten men. The girls were dragged from their beds to the

THE CUBAN SITUATION

Spain's Ability to Pay for Two More Cruisers Doubted.

NEGOTIATING WITH JAPAN

Reported Intention to Pardon Competitor Crew Confirmed-Friends in Congress Sure to Pass a Resolution Favorable to Cuba

London, Nov. 13 .- Striking evidence of Spain's financial straits is furnished in the dispatch of the Madrid correspondent of the Daily Mail, saying that the spanish Government, finding it impossible to raise £3,000,000 by loan or taxation, to carry out its original naval plans, has decided to build two new cruisers only, of 2,000 tons each. It is pointed out here that the cruisers referred to were to have been battleships, for whose construction Spain negotiated with the Armstrongs months ago. The contracts were eventually signed and the keels of the new battle ships were laid, but the Armstrongs refused to proceed without assurances of payment. Now it is doubtful if Spain will even be able to pay for the small and comparatively ineffective cruisers which are intended to replace the projected battleships.

American diplomats have learned that Spain recently endeavored to arrange with Japan whereby, in the event of war with the United States, the thirty or so war ships now building in various shipyards for Japan would be transferred to Spain, and it is supposed that upon the failure of these negotiations the Spanish Government entered upon a deal with Chili for the transfer to the Spanish flag of several vessels about completed for the South American republic.

It is said that, from the standpoint of international law, the completion of such a deal might be regarded as an unfriendly act towards the United States.

Besides the Rothschilds, other prominent financiers of London and Paris have entirely cut off the monetary supplies which Spain has hitherto succeeded in obtaining.

Cuba's Friends in Congress.

Washington, Nov. 13.-Speaking of the Cuban situation, Representative Grosvenor said: "The House this session will adopt a resolution favorable to Cuba by a large majority if a chance to vote on it is given. Whether a vote can be had depends somewhat upon the character of the information furnished Congress by the President. Undoubt-edly the strain will be somewhat relieved if it is shown that the Spanish Government is since. e in its professions of abandonment of the Weyler policy of concentration of non-combatants in narrow zones. There is no doubt that the reatest cruelties and horrors of the Cuban war resulted from this concentration, and if this policy is abandoned entirely it will mollify the feeling in this country.

But there is bound to be a very strong sentiment in Congress in favor of some Cuban resolution. I have no doubt that nine-tenths of the American people are in sympathy with the insur-gents, and would approve any action by Congress calculated to benefit the cause of liberty on that island. Talking to the people and mingling among them during the campaign, I found this sentiment everywhere. Members of Congress returning this session come with a knowledge of this almost uni-

versal feeling.' GENERAL MASTER WORKMAN.

New York Man Succeeds Sovereign

Louisville, Ky., Nov. 13.—The General Assembly Knights of Labor, at their partment of Agriculture indicate an session yesterday, elected Henry A. average yield of 181.9 pounds of lint Hicks, of New York City, to succeed cotton per acre. The principal State General Master Workman Sovereign. for the Knights of Labor on a salary. His successor has been engaged in the work of the order for twenty-five years and is a practical builder. Mr. Hicks

was elected unanimously. Mr. Sovereign read his annual address, which touched upon the labor holders of idle capital, the gold standard, and corporations. It contained no noteworthy recommendation, but urged

The election of officers resulted: General Master Workman, Henry A. Hicks, New York; General Worthy members General Executive Board, Henry Bostick, Indiana; Sarsfield Fitzpatrick, Montreal. The Knights will remain ten or twelve days longer in

FIRE IN A HISTORICAL HOUSE. Thousand Students Cheered When It Was Extinguished.

Boston, Nov. 13.-Excitement was caused in Harvard square early last evening by a small fire in Wadsworth House. The Cambridge Fire Department responded to the call. A crowd of more than a thousand Harvard students and many Yale men gathered about the building and cheered after the fire was put out. Little damage was done.

Wadsworth House is the most historic house in Harvard square, and one of the most celebrated buildings of Harvard University. It was built in 1726, and for more than one hundred years it was the President's home. In 1775 Washington made it his headquarters during his stay in Cambridge. The building is now used as a students' dormitory. One room is devoted to the use of the visiting preachers to Har-vard University, and another room is used for the office of the bursar.

To Suspend the Duties.

Washington, Nov. 13.-The President has issued a proclamation suspending the collection of discriminating duties upon Mexican shipping upon satisfac-tory proof that no discrimination is practiced against American ships in Mexican ports.

Reception to Sir Wilfred Laurier, Washington, Nov. 13 .- A formal reeption, largely attended, was given tonight at his residence by Secretary Sherman in honor of Sir Wilfred Lauier, the Prime Minister of Canada.

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COMING EVENTS.

November 14—Y, M. C. A. meeting 4:15 p. m.
Addresses by a converted bartender and a converted saloonkeeper, who will also sing.
November 16—Bible class at Y. M. C. A. taught by W. D. Murray. All men welcome.

A CHARACTER TO STUDY.

One of our silent delights is the study of human nature and one of our principal subjects is that fellow Runyon, who edits the News. We might refer to him as that gentleman or that editor or that man, but we like to say fellow because it reflects a companionable feeling, and we commune in our own mind so often and so gently with his varying emotions as evidenced in his professional or business conduct that actually sometimes we incur an interest that almost bears an interminable relationship to the subject. He interests us truly, Runyon does. Newspaper life in Plainwere it not for Runyon. He is always is served. adding spice to it, and fun, too Sometimes we set for days and days at our desk and grow methodical and Crescent Rink on the evening of No gouty reading column after column of such common-place things as murders. suicides, railway casualties, political developments, etc., etc. We long for something that will set our mind in a whirl, give us something to think about, not merely an intuition to write of. Just as we have decided to resign our thoughts to the even tenor of their way and soliloquize on the good old days, we are startled from the reverie by Bunyon. Alas and alack for whatever inspired it, it remains a fact that we are roasted and toasted over the sarcastic and humorous editorial fire lethargic mind is stirred and someflickers and pales in the glow cast by city.

wonderful character at close range. THE COLLECTOR'S SALARY.

indescribable pleasure of studying a

questions come to our mind. We

may have been misled by the reckless Meredith. statement made in the News that the City Collector's salary is \$2,500 a year, is only \$2,000 regularly, but that this incurred by the collection of the sewer taxes, \$500 additional was voted by the Council. Formerly the salary of the Collector was \$1,500, while over \$1,000 a year was paid to the delinquent tax collector. Now, however, the delinquent taxes are collected by the City Collector, thus actually saving the city \$500, and sometimes more, a year. It is recognized that the measure of a public official's salary should be at least ten per cent. of the amount of bonds he is compelled to furnish, but Collector Bird's salary is even less than this. Editor Runyon doubtless believes that the city officials should be remunerated on the same basis as he pays his own employes.

The Press is the only newspaper in Plainfield that publishes political news without bias or prejudice, and is therefore the only medium that can be depended upon to present all sides with fairness. This is recognized by every citizen who takes an interest in the forthcoming city election. Its columns are open for the discussion of the issues involved in any way.

The New Jersey editor of The Tribune wants to know the name of the author of the "Spielkartenfest" song rendered by Councilman Runyon at the great hospital benefit. Mr. Runyon is both composer and singer. We shall not be surprised if the facetious editor of The Tribune will now crown Mr. Runyon the poet laureate of New Jersey. You can't lose our Billy.

ENTERPRISINGLY GATHERED AND CONCISELY TOLD BY REPORTERS.

lewsy Notes of More or Less Importance Bunched Together for the Ready Reference of Press Readers

-R. A. Meeker, of West Front street, is improving his property very

-Several stone sidewalks are being laid on Chatham street, near Somerset street.

-A meeting of Old Glory Council, Daughters of Liberty, will be held Monday evening.

-Trinity Commandery, Knights Templar, will hold a regular meeting Monday evening.

-The last performance of the Spielkartenfest will be given this evening in the Crescent Rink.

-A regular meeting of Queen City Lodge, No. 226, I. O. O. F., will be held Monday evening.

-Randolph, the pharmacist, is making a special window display of Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil. -The Friends' meeting-house, on

oughly cleaned and renovated. -One of the horses of Alert hose carriage is ill, and only one horse is

Watchung avenue, is being thor-

now being used to that vehicle. -Your last chance to attend the Spielkartenfest comes tonight. Coun-

cilman William N. Runyon is to sing. -The city jail has now been connected with the sewer according to the demand of the Plainfield Board of Health.

-Supper will be served at the Spielkartenfest every evening, beginfield would be prosaic and uneventful ning at 5 o'clock. An excellent meal

> -Division No. 4, Ancient Order of Hibernians, will give a dance in the vember 30th.

> -This evening an entertainment, consisting of an illustrated lecture, will be given in the chapel of the Crescent Avenue church.

-The students at the New Jersey Military Academy have just received their new military uniforms, and they make a fine appearance.

-George Saunders, of Orchard place, has recovered from his recent illness and will soon be able to resume his duties at Howell's grocery.

-The Independent Fife and Drum of our professional brother. Our Corps will go to Newark Monday to take part in the exhibition drill by the times our spirit is stung. Our light National Fife and Drum Corps of that

Hadn't Runyon given it to us? Had in the borough is so great that Collecwe ought to do anything more than tor Spencer has secured the assistance take it as gracefully as we can? All of his son, Addison Spencer, to help these and many more perplexing him out.

-The reduction by Gavett in the finally conclude that Runyon is all price of the Welsbach gas burner to right and we're all wrong. Then once \$1.50 is increasing the sale of this more we are at peace with the world. popular gas saver. Save your money Out of it all, however, comes the and get more light.

-Since the establishment of the new laboratory at the Plainfield High School, a number of students return in the afternoon for experimental For the benefit of those people who work under the supervision of Prof-

-There is every prospect that the dance to be given in Washington Hall it might be well to state that the salary on the evening of December 2d, under the auspices of the drivers of the year, owing to the additional work Plainfield fire department, will be a great success.

-There is not much likelihood that the work of building the new chapel for the East Third Street mission will be started this fall or winter. The matter is now under advisement as regards the plans, etc.

-Justice Nash has issued summons in the following contract cases, returnable on the 18th: Duryea against French, et als, Duryea against French, et als, Travers against French, et als, O'Hara, et als, against French, et als.

-The Independent Fife and Drum Corps has sent a set of resolutions to Mrs. Sullivan, of Princeton, thanking her for caring for one of their number when he was taken ill in line at the time of the firemen's parade in

-An employe of the New York and New Jersey Telephone Company frightened a horse owned by Express man Farlee, while standing on North avenue yesterday afternoon. The man was climbing a telephone pole, to which the horse was tied, and it was with great effort that a serious acci dent was averted.

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his irridescent castigation, Crestfallen we go forth only to hear the allusions of our friend—or foe, which?—cast up to us by candid persons who say we are asses for "taking it"—meaning, of course, that we should reply in kind. Indeed, it makes us think earnestly and forcibly about replying. Then we fall to philosophizing, and when one earnestly philosophizes he does only reasonable, sane things. Had we not wished for excitement for mind? Hadn't Runyon given it to us? Had

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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS. THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH

PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

and Terse Observations Gath by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure DUNELLEN AND NEW MARKET.

A. W. Warden spent yesterday in ld with friends.

W. H. Terry has returned from a visit with New York friends.

Julius J. Stahl, of North Plainfield. was in town yesterday on business. Miss Minnie Van Middlesworth has been the guest of Plainfield friends.

Miss Lillian Staats, of Front street, entertained company from New York

is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Runyon. Mr. Kuhn and two companions, who

Mrs. James Manning, of Trenton,

went to Junction hunting, have re turned with forty-five rabbits. Samuel Merrill has almost recovered

made it difficult for him to walk, H. L. Terry and A. N. Randolph have returned from a hunting trip.

They brought back a bag of game. Gus. Warden has returned from very successful two days' hunting trip He captured a number of rabbits and

The Ladies' Aid Society of the M E. church met yesterday afternoon in regular session. A devotional meet ing was held, which all enjoyed.

re was an exceedingly large at ndance at the "Festival of Holidays," closed. The society under whose ausdoubt the receipts will be large.

The attendance at the M. E. church last Thursday evening was not large, owing to the storm. The members of

The trolley question is being agiare very few people opposed to the trolley and most all of the people are in favor of it.

SCOTCH PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

Miss Elsie Brown, of Fanwood, is

held a meeting in the lodge rooms last China will be taken up. evening and transacted routine busi-

the parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Hanson, Scotch Plains, occurred the funeral of Mr. Parks.

Miss Emma Adams entertained her Sunday-school class at the residence of Mrs. Thomas Whitenack last eve ning. The little folks spent the evening pleasantly in the playing of games, at the close of which refreshments were served.

The Greenwood evangelists, of Plainfield, consisting of Robert Love, Clif. Lee, of Elm street. ford Braider, Irving Brady, John Wolf and Mr. Cator, will conduct O. V. at her home on Union street last a meeting in the Scotch Plains Methodist church tomorrow evening. There will be special music, under the direction of Mr. Braider.

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VARIOUS BITS OF NEWS.

WESTFIELD HAPPENINGS SERVED UP TERSELY FOR THE PRESS.

Many People iGo and iCome in the Pretty Suburban Town-Items Interesting Because of Their Brevity The little village of Picton, on the Lehigh Valley Railroad, about one mile from Westfield, is now afflicted with a scourge of black snakes. Last summer a twenty-acre lot of the Scudder farm was leased by a local farmer and planted with corn. When the time came for harvesting the corn, the farm bands found the field a veritable nest of snakes. Hardly a day passed during the harvesting season when the hands did not dispatch a dozen or so of the reptiles. As fast as the snakes were killed they were laid along the road which passes the farm, and the sight was a source of terror to bicyclists who passed that way. A number of the farm hands left their work, terror stricken by the snakes, and could not be induced to enter the field again. As cold weather drew near. however, it was thought that the snakes would leave the farm and retire to their winter quarters. A few days ago the work of husking the corn began and it was then found that the snakes were still in the corn. The work would be interrupted at frequent intervals by a yell from one of the men, who would pick up a snake instead of a whisp of corn. It was necessary to spread the stalks on the ground and rake them over thoroughly with sticks to separate the snakes from the corn, before the work of husking could be completed. Picton Scudder, a nephew of one of the profrom his severe hip affection which prietors of the farm, has kept a count of the number of snakes killed there during the season, and places it at 162. They range in size from eighteen inches to over six feet. The field has

ful of encountering the reptiles. A successful supper was given in the Sunday school room of the Congregational church last evening under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor held in the chapel of the Presbyterian Society. The rooms were prettily decand the tables, seven in number, were pless it was held are much gratified arranged about the room. Supper with the results of the festival, and no was served by the members of the society from 6 to 10 o'clock. The proceeds will go into the church treasury.

not been cultivated for several years,

berries grew there, as they were fear-

The pastor will preach on the Sixth Commandment in the Congregational the Klondike Gospel Mission Band church tomorrow morning, and the gave excellent talks and related some annual collection for the American of their experiences. They started Missionary Association will be taken. yesterday for Clinton, Hunterdon In the evening a special musical sercounty, and expect to walk the entire vice will be held with selections by a number of soloists.

The Westfield Universal football Grace Bonny, of Mercer avenue, for tated considerably on the part of Dun | team has postponed its game with the over Sunday. ellenites, and a great many people are All-Around Athletic Association, of anxiously awaiting the result of the Elizabeth, for one week, and instead business between the Council and the will play the Echo football team, of Brunswick Traction Company. There Cranford, on the North Broad street grounds this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

The Westfield Club football team plays a game in the Journal trophy series with the Rahway Y. M. C. A. team at Rahway this afternoon. The game will be called at 4 o'clock.

The Ministering Children's League spending a few days with friends in of the Congregational church will meet in the Sunday school room this Twilight Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., evening at 8 o'clock. The study of

The members of the A. O. U. and friends will go on a bicycle run to improved as a result of the change. Yesterday afternoon at the home of Rahway this afternoon to witness the Westfield-Rahway football game. The Lincoln High School football

their infant daughter, Emma Hansen. team played a team from Jersey City fron's brother, George Saffron, to Miss The service was conducted by Rev. on the North Broad street grounds this morning.

Mrs. R. A. Fairbairn, of Kimball avenue, has returned from a visit with friends in New York city. Robert V. Hoffman has accepted a

position in the office of the C. & C. Company, at Garwood. Mr. and Mrs. Huyler, of Brooklyn. have returned from a visit with Walter

Miss Ada Buth entertained the A

evening. J. E. Townsend, of Plainfield, visited

friends in town yesterday. Wm. McKenzie has returned from

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PARTICULAR MENTION.

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

in Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Charles Kiderling, of East Front street, is confined to his home by ill-

Miss Mary VanEps, of East Front street, is entertaining company from Brooklyn.

James Daly, driver of the Gazelle hose carriage, had a day's vacation vesterday. Benjamin Schenck, of East Fifth

and has been known as "the snake patch." The people of the village street, has returned from a visit to have shunned it, although luscious Somerville. Edward F. Randolph, of West Front street, has recovered from his

recent illness. Mrs. L. W. Serrell, Jr., of Crescent venue, is entertaining her brother

from Jersey City. Herbert Chamberlain, of East Fourth street, is much improved from his severe illness.

Alex. Mallison, of North avenue, attended the firemen's parade at Trenton Wednesday.

George Feiring, driver of the chemical engine, went to the firemen's parade at Trenton Wednesday.

Miss Susie Smith, of Deposit, N. Y. is a guest at the home of her sister, Mrs. S. G. Smith, of Putnam avenue. Miss Wilhelm and Miss Punkham, of New York, are the guests of Miss

Rev. O. W. Snodgrass rode over to Plainfield from Madison yesterday

and spent part of the day at his home on Central avenue. J. Vincent Rittenhouse, of East Sixth street, has returned from Lehigh University to spend Saturday and Sunday at his home. He is ac

companied by his college chum, A. T. Armstrong. A letter received from Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Smalley, Jr., who are now at Ashville, S. C, states that violets and roses are growing profusely in their

yard. Mr. Smalley's health is much

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Saffron, of this city, will go to Somerville tomorrow to attend the wedding of Mr. Saf-Lizzie Rich, of the above place. The bride and groom will reside on Harmony street on their return.

THEATRICAL.

scene of special interest "O'Brien, the Contractor," which comes to Music Hall Tuesday night, will be a touch of nature introduced between O'Brien and the children. The little daughter of a wealthy lady meets O'Brien and with a child's intuitiveness recognizes the diamond in the rough, and through her friendliness, is the cause of her mother becoming the wife of O'Brien when he attains the fortune for which he has been working. It is all brought about gage. Geo F. Edwa ds, 17 Duer street so naturally and with so many deft Plainfield, N. J. touches of humor and pathos as to make it of special interest to all lovers of the good and beautiful in dramatic

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locks sat on the grass. ng up of posies fair. Liandy could a sunbeam pass Through the cloud that was her hair.

Purple orchids lasteth long. Primrose flowers are fair and clear, Oh, 'he maiden sang a song It would do you good to hear.

Sad before her leaned the boy, Goldilocks, that I love well; Happy creature, fair and coy, Think o' me, sweet Annabel.

The boy may clear his brow.

Looked with doubtful, boubtful eyes, Like a blossom in her heart, Opened out her first surprise.

Though she thinks to say him nay. When she sighs, "I cannot now; Come again some other day. -Jean Ingelow.

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"Yes, sir. That old shuntin' engine That's the very engine old John stoker. Let me see-I've been drivin' three year-aye, it'll be ten year come next September. He was a find figure of a man, was John. He stood six feet one an' a half in his stockin's an' was broad in the shoulders too In his greasy peaked cap, an' oily blue jacket, he looked a giant.

"Was he an old man?"

"Oh, no; he'd be forty odd, I suppose, but I was a young man of twenty-three, an' he seemed old, like, to me. As I've said, he was a bachelor an', as far as I knew, likely to remain one. There wasn't much of the ladies' man about John. But still waters run deep, they say, an' John Wright had his little secret.

"About three mile out o' town, I used to notice that he whistled three times and always looked across a couple o' fields, a bit farther on, as if were lookin' for somethin'. I asked him once or twice what it was, but he edged me off, an' changed the subject, so I didn't press it. But I kept

my eyes open. "It was early winter when I first went on to stoke for John, an', of

course, bein' a goods train, it was generaly gettin' on for eight o'clock at night when we passed this partic'lar spot, bound for Barnham, fifty mile away. It's 'up bank,' as I daresay you know, from here to Longbridge, eight mile up the line, an' we never got any great speed on until we'd passed that length, especialy when we'd a heavy freight. But all I could make out for some months was the dim outline of a cottage, that had an 'upstairs' window with a red blind. The cottage lay a couple o' fields away. What made me notice the red blind was that as we passed, the window was always suddenly lighted up.

"Aye, an' so was John Wright's face as soon as ever he saw it. Such a smile!-an' he had a kind face, nad old John-an' then he'd seem lost a bit, as if he were thinkin' o' somethin'

as was good to think about. "I chaffed John rarely about it, first time I saw it, an' he blushed-he did indeed sir! Though his face was grimy on the top, and copper color under that, I'll swear he blushed. But he looked pleased an' proud, for, by doom to which we were rushing. that .time, we'd grown such thick friends, that I'm sure he didn't mind me knowin'.

"Then, bit by bit, it all came out. John and her father, who used to be pointsman at Chubb Junction, half a mile farther up the line than the cottage, had been lads together. John had gone up for a 'camp' every Sunday for many a year. He'd known Mary Mathers since she was born, an' when she was a little lass he'd nursed her on his knee, an' told her he'd wait for her. I dare say he meant it in fun at the time, but, as she grew up, he knew he liked to be where she was better than anywhere else in the world, That's how he put it, sir. Then Tom Mathers, her father, fell ill, an' I learnt afterwards, an' I guessed even then, that John Wright made his wages keep four instead of one. Mary's on his back for eighteen months, an' then he died.

"An' then, you may be sure, John was a father to the fatherless, an' a husband to the widow-as far as lookin' after 'em went, at any rate-only he wanted to be a husband to the daughter, Mary.

"Mary seemed to make no objection. Why should she? She'd never met anybody she liked better, an' a finer fellow than John Wright never walk-

"One Saturday night he says: 'Harry, you'd better walk o'er wi' me

to-morrow." "'Walk o'er wi' you,' I says; 'where?'

" 'Why, to Mrs. Mathers', to be sure. I'd like you to know my Mary. An' then you can tell me what you think of my swetheart'. An' as he said it that sweet, far-off look came in his face, an' I knew he loved that lass as

few lasses are loved.

"Well. I went; an' I wished at the time I'd stayed away. It was love a first sight wi' me, an' I felt I should never, never be the same again. Cod forgi me! but after that Sunday I falt at times I hared John Wright, Waen she stood at the stile, at the crowing midway between the cottage an' the

signal-lox-as she did every eve in' from the very day I went wi' Jo an' waved her hand to him, bush tllike, an' he threw her a clumsy hiss I felt I could ha' knocked him on the

"I fought again' it-an', you must understand, I didn't feel that way all made in Heaven."

the time, for we were good friends, an' no one would have seen a difference: but when he talked of her, in his quiet way-of bein' wed, an' such-like it was like knives in me.

"Then he pressed me to go again an' spend Sunday at the cottage. I put him off, but he wouldn't take 'no' for an answer. So, whether for fear of hurtin' his feelings, or because I couldn't keep away, I can't say, but I yielded, an' went. After that I went several times, an' each time I got deeper an' deeper in love with John's sweetheart, aye, an' what seemed worse, I couldn't help knowin' that Mary was troubled the same way. But I will say this, I never tried to make Mary love me, an' never a word of love passed between us, but, sometimes, I thought I saw trouble in John's eyes, an' then I vow to myself to go no more.

"One evenin', in the early autumn of that year, we were goin' at as good a speed as the incline would let us, an' just gettin' towards the cottage. that's puffing an' snortin' like a John had sent me around to th' broken-winded old horse, could tell a front o' the engine with my oil-can, tale, if it wan't so short o' breath. an' I couldn't help lookin' ahead to see if Mary was standin' waitin' at Wright used to drive when I was his the stile. Yes, she was there as usual, right in front of us, for the line curved to the right just at the stile, an' was hidin' from view behind a little wood. I could see her print dress, an' the same white linen bonnet she wore when I first saw her in the garden on that spring evenin'. Oh, how my heart went out to her, an' how that old wicked feelin' towards John rushed through me, an' made my nerves tingle from head to

> "Mary had her back towards usa very unusual thing—an' I remember wonderin' why. Then the usual three whistles sounded, short an' sharp. She turned instantly, an' threw up her hands like one demented. We went thunderin' down to the crossin' where she stood, an' I saw her eyes starin' at me, like coals of fire set in a face as white as chalk. She fascinated me.

> "Just then old John shut off steam an' I heard him doin' a thing he'd never done afore-reversin' the engine! All of a sudden Mary seemed to wake up, an' find a horrible dream true, for I heard above the roar of the train, the grindin' of the rails, an' the shriek of the brakes, that had been ammed hard down-I heard one piercing scream. It was a word-my name-'Harry!'

> "Of course, all this happened in a breathless second or two. Half a lifetime is sometimes squeezed into half minute, sir. I took my eyes from Mary's face as we passed her, standin' as if turned to stone, an' I looked ahead. Heavens! what a sight! Bearin' down on us at a great speed was an engine an' tender—a runaway! It was comin' down the bank tender first, an' we were timed to meet at the junction. I saw it all in a flash. The train was jumpin' like a buckin' horse, an', with my body all of a tremble, I'd as much as I could do to get back to the foot-plate.

> "There stood John Wright, ot course. I seemed to see him, an' naught else. He'd done all man could do, an' was standin' stock-still, with one hand on the lever. But it wasn't his stillness that made the tears start to my eyes. It was the look on his face. It made me nearly forget the can't describe it. It was the look of a man who has nothing left to live for-whose hope had been suddenly

wiped clean out for ever. "The instant he saw me his face changed. He sprang towards me an' seizin' me by the arm with a grip of steel, spoke in a horse whisper that could be heard above everything: 'Jump off, my lad-you've time-you can do it. Jump off!-for her sakeshe loves thee, lad-she loves theefor her sake. Harry-for Heaven's sake!'

"I said, 'Nay, John.'" "'Quick,' he says. 'Harry! Harry!

Jump for your Mary's sake;' "I swung one leg off the enginelife was dear-an' prepared to spring into the grass. Then a great surgin' love for this man came over me, an' I turned sudden-like, an took him by father never worked again. He was the hand, an' I says, 'John, we'll stick together, an' die together—if it's God's will-for her sake'. An' he just gave me that sweet look, an' stepped in front of me, as if to put his great frame betwixt me an' death, an' there came a crash as if heaven an' earth had met, an' I seemed to roll over an' over, an' then it felt as if the whole earth had risen up an' smitten mean' I knew no more.

> "I woke from a troubled dream, that seemed to have lasted a lifetime, an' opened my eyes, half conscious, an' not sure but I was still dreamin' Then I slipped off again, an' I remember thinking that the sweet eyes, that mine had seemed to meet, were the eyes of my guardian angel. An' they were sir-for, when I opened my eyes again, all the past came back to me with the tearful face of Mary Mathers.

"I put my hand out on the counterpane, an' she put hers gently on the top of it. An', believe me, sir, that's the only way I ever 'popped the question.' We'd been through too much together to need much fuss.

"'Where is he?' I framed my lips to say. I don't know whether she heard, but she understood, for she put her hand into her bosom, an' drew out a black-edged card, an' held it before my eyes, whilst her own filled again with tears. I read: 'In loveing memory of John Wright, who was killed at the post of duty."

"And you've been happy in your married life?" it, sir. Ours is one of the matches

"SAYINGS OF JESUS."

THE RECENTLY DISCOVERED LOGIA -THE MEN WHO FOUND THEM.

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Last winter, on behalf of the Egypt Exploration Fund, says the London Daily Graphic, Messrs. R. P. Grenfell and A. S. Hunt conducted excavations at Behnesa, a picturesque little village, standing on the site of ancient Oxyrhynchus, upon the west bank of the Bahr Yusuf Canal, and their labors resulted in the discovery of larger quantities of papyri than had ever before been obtained from one site. The discoveries included literary fragments, accounts, business contracts and numerous documents relating to the conduct of municipal affairs. Many large rolls were obtained in perfect condition, and of these no fewer than 150 were presented to the Gizeh Museum, But the greatest treasure of the collection, and one of which it would be difficult to over-estimate the importance, is a small leaf of papyrus about six inches long by four wide, upon which is written a collection of logia, or sayings of Christ. The leaf had evidently formed part of a book which in all likelihood contained a collection of "sayings" of our Lord. It is probable that this collection was made before the second century; and the character of the writing affords incontestable proof that it cannot be of later date than the third. Hence it is at least a hundred years older than any known MS. of the Gospels, and consequently of the greatest interest to all students of the Scriptures.

Mr. Henry Frowde has recently published a pamphlet which contains illustrations of the precious fragment, renotes by the fortunate discoverers of the papyrus. All the logia commence with the words "Jesus saith," and it is natural to suppose that they are the teachings of our Lord as popularly reported in Egypt in the second and third centuries, which some early Christian of those times committed to writing, either for his own edification or that of his co-religionists. doubt there were many such collections made in those days, and as the Egypt Exploration Fund proposes to establish a special department for the investigation of Gaeco-Roman sites, we hope that further treasures such as Messrs. Grenfell and Hunt have this year secured for England may be forthcoming, if only the work meets

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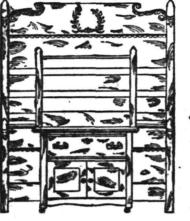
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DUN'S WEEKLY REVIEW.

cooler Weather Helps Trade So General Activity Not Apparent. New York, Nov. 13.-Colder and more

stormy weather, so long needed to accelerate distribution of Winter goods, has materially helped in some quarters. and the resulting improvement in reprepared a report on the sea otter
tail trade is mentioned in nearly every banks of Alaska to Secretary Gage, Northern dispatch this week, so that orders to fill stocks have been encour-aging, and in some branches the multitude of demands for immediate delivery show that the distribution to consumers has already gone much beyond the expectations of dealers. But this is not yet the general rule, and with many complaints of delayed trade He comes to these conclusions: from other quarters there still remains the volume of all payments through greater than the natural increase. clearing houses continues about as "Second. That it has actually cha large as in 1892, and 16.7 per cent. larg- its habits and is no longer found on or first week of November, and half the in area. mileage in the United States shows arrnings in October of \$50,354,496, or 8.0 hundred natives of the Aleutian Islprices do not rise farther and faster, animal be exterminated. and it is fortunate for producers and and after the lull which follows exten- grounds by the aid of schooners. sive replenishment of stocks, trade

crease. The boot and shoe manufacture surtotal for the year is not 1 per cent, below the greatest ever known.

orders.

Wheat dropped over 2 cents, but rimental to the sea otter herd. has since risen as much, with heavy buying for export. Western receipts use of firearms, although perhaps more continue heavy, in two weeks 14,028,007 wasteful, is more destructive to the bushels, against 10.581,192 last year, herd than spears. The banks of the ot-while Atlantic exports, flour included, ter district, where the spear was used have been 6.562,025 bushels, against 3.- exclusively, were the first to be aban-921,231 last year. An English authority doned by the otter. It is not only necreckons the world's yield at 161,000,000 bushels less than last year, which beautiful and valuable fur-bearing aniwould mean a market for all this coun- mal in the world, but to preserve it for try has to spare. Corn exports are the benefit of the natives, who have again larger than last year, and the been dependent upon it for more than

price has risen 1% cents.
Failures for the first week in November were \$3,009,637, against \$2,306,351 last year; manufacturing \$1,408,056, against \$963,203, and trading \$1,462,856, against \$1,273,108 last year. Failures for the week have been 291 in the United States, against 276 last year, and twen-ty-four in Canada, against forty-six

TRADE WITH CANADA.

Negotiations for a Reciprocity Treaty to Be Begun.

Washington, Nov. 13.-Definite preptrations have been made for negotiating a reciprocity treaty between the United States and Canada, Meetings have been arranged between Hon. John W. Kasson and Sir Wilfrid Laurier, the Canadian Premier, and Sir Louis Davies, Minister of Marine. This is the result of the long conference held yesterday between Secretary Sherman and Sir Wilfrid

The questions of border immmigration, north Atlantic fisheries, lake fisheries and all other subjects affecting the two countries will be taken up soon. ston to protect Bud Beard, the negro The meeting with Mr. Kasson, how-who is charged with assaulting Ella ever, will be confined to reciprocity. It May Crockett, aged 7 years, near Ren-

net advisers to the Blue Room, where wagons Thursday night, and succeede an informal and personal exchange of in preventing the lynching. Yesterday views occurred. The general sentiment morning the mail rider arrived at Euprevailed that the present time was opportune for more cordial intercourse found guilty and sentenced to be between this country and Canada. The hanged on Dec. 10. The military is still

officials believe the markets of the militia have been ordered out to pro-United States and Canada are so tect him. closely connected geographically that it is essential that the countries look to each other, rather than to markets thousands of miles distant and difficult

Buying Up Coal Mines. Pittsburg, Nov. 13.-It begins to look as if the coal operators, tired of conaging overtures from a syndicate which is to assume control as soon as the various properties can be assessed and turned over to it. Following the purchase of the Waverly mines from Robbins & Co. comes a report that Henry Floerschaim, who owns large mining inter- Texas on business when arrested. ests on the Wheeling division of the Baltimore & Ohio, is about to sell to the same persons who made the former purchase and to retire from business. The principals in the transaction are not yet known, as the business is done through brokers.

Won't Serve Under Eckels.

Rawson and Ware, of the Commercial him. The resignation will take effect children to fragments.

A majority of the Commercial Na-

ional's directors wanted to get Eckles ecause it would advertise the bank's

business. The three directors are op-

posed to this and decline to serve under Mr. Eckles. Reward for a Liquor Constable. Columbia, S. C., Nov. 14.-Gov. Ellerbe last night offered a reward of \$50 for the capture of Chief Constable W. H. Newbold, who shot down the Rev. J. H. Turner in Spartanburg on Tuesday, supposing him to be a blockade whisky dealer. The horse and buggy by which the constable made his escape from Spartanburg on advice of his lawyer, were returned to the livery sta-

has been heard of the murderer.

THE SEA OTTER OF ALASKA

at Beautiful and Valuable Fur-Bearing Animal Fast Decreasing.

Washington, Nov. 13 .- Capt. C. L. Hooper, of the revenue cutter service, during his stay in Washington in atwhich has just been made public. The sea otter, the Captain says, is entirely different from what he styles "that most stupid of animals, the fur seal," and it has disappeared from the Pribylov Islands, the favorite haunt of the seal, in latter years, even before they were transferred to the United States.

"First. That the annual catch of the the extensive shrinkage caused by sea otter has been steadily and rapidly fever and quarantines at the South. It decreasing for the past ten years, the is, therefore, the more surprising that number killed yearly being apparently "Second. That it has actually changed

er than last year. Railroad earnings near the shore; further, that the sea also nearly equal those of 1892 for the otter grounds are very much reduced

per cent. larger than 1892. Speculative on the sea otter for the necessaries of markets feel disappointment because life, and will be left distitute if the

"Fourth. That on account of the dedealers that the experience of some creased area of the hunting grounds past years in that respect has not been and the disappearance of the otter repeated. There is nothing to cause from the western Aleutian Islands, a general reaction, the purchasing power large number of the natives are iso-of the people is gradually increasing, lated and can only reach the hunting

sive replenishment of stocks, trade "Fifth By the withdrawal of the should give ample evidence of that in- Alaska Commercial Company's stores from the different settlements the natives are left dependent upon Unalaska passes all records in shipments from for the necessaries of life, and commu-the Fast in November, which have been nication between this and the other 27 per cent. larger than in 1892, and the settlements can be accomplished by vessel only. The present generation has not the art of building seagoing Woolen mills generally have orders bidarras. Sea lions, from the skin of for three months ahead, and are not which the covering is made, have also se king further engagements. Large decreased until there are only enough so es of speculative lots of wool at left to make the small bidarras, and in prices not stated suggest that it may any event the schooner is more combe lower before the mills need further fortable, safer, faster, and, made use of in a proper manner, will not be det-

> "Sixth. It does not appear that the essary to preserve the otter, the most a century, and who will be reduced to suffering and want without it."

> Capt. Hooper includes in his report a series of regulations intended to preserve the sea otter, which he recommends shall be approved and enforced, independent of the action of any other government, Judge Truitt of the Unit-ed States Court in Alaska, having held that the present resorts of the animals lie altogether in United States territory. A table accompanying the report shows that the catch of sea otter has diminished from 3,114, the greatest number in any year since 1872, to 598 in 1894 and 724 in 1896. He includes also a census of the native inhabitants of the Aleutian Islands.

MILITIA SAVED THE NEGRO.

Alabama Soldiera Reached Carrollton in Time to Protect Him.

Birmingham, Ala., Nov. 13.—A mail rider who arrived in Eutaw last night from Carrollton, in Pickens County, brings the information that the soldiers who were sent over to Carrollton from Tuskaloosa by direction of Gov. John-

taw, and said that the negro announcement of the meeting with Mr. guarding the prisoner, as the mob is Kasson followed this morning. unsatisfied. The mob has been after It is understood that the Canadian the negro ten days, and two forces of

Arrested for Train Robbery. San Antonio, Tex., Nov. 13.-Word has reached here of the arrest, at Palestine, Tex., of F. H. Merrill, a former prominent railroad man of Mexico, on extradition warrant, charging him with having committed a train robbery in Colombia, South America, a few years tention with one another, were encour- ago. It is charged that Merrill and his confederates obtained about forty thousand dollars in gold, which they were successful in getting out of the country without detection. Merrill returned to Mexico after the robbery, and was recently prominent in business affairs in San Luis Potosi. He was in

Children Blown Up.

Wichita, Kan., Nov. 13.-Near Garber. Okla., the two sons of Charles Walker, 3 and 6 years old, went to visit their bachelor uncle, a mile and a half distant, yesterday afternoon. They found no one at home. It is supposed that while playing with matches they Chicago, Nov. 13.-Directors Potter, set the house on fire, and the blaze communicated to a large quantity of National Bank, have resigned because giant powder that was stored in the of Comptroller Eckels' appointment as house. An explosion blew the house to president. They will not serve under splinters and reduced the bodies of the

New York's State Capitol.

Albany, Nov. 13 .- After twenty-four years one of the main approaches to the State Capitol Building has been

completed and is open for use.

Superintendent of Public Works G. W. Aldridge says that another would be completed by Feb. 1, and the main approach by April 1, thus practically completing the building.

J. C. Bullitt, Jr., a Suicide,

New York, Nov. 13.-John C. Bullitt, Jr., who, up to a few years ago, was assistant counsel of the Northern Pacific Railroad Company, killed himself with poison in the early hours of yesterday morning in his room in the Cenbles yesterday by a boy, but nothing tral Railroad Hotel, at 146 Liberty

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GOSSIP FROM GRIDIRON

HAPPENINGS AMONG THE LOCAL FOOTBALL PLAYERS.

Gam a That are to be Played and Point About Teams and Individual Players That May Prove Interesting to Cranks James Hennessey, who played full back on the Long Branch A. C eleven in this city a month ago, was killed several days ago at the Long Branch station. He was struck by a passing train and hurled some distance. When picked up he was dead. Hennessey wa- a good player and a gentlemanly on . He made many friends among the Plainfield players and all were sor y indeed to learn of his death.

The Irvington Athletic Club, whose eleven is to meet the Plainfield A. A. on the Martine common next Saturday afternoon, comes from the subur ban town of Irvington, not far from N wark. The captain is a college graduate, now a young lawyer in New ark, and the team is composed of young business men of a similar calibre as those of the Plainfield team To Irvingtons have the reputation of being a strong gentlemanly team and while the Plainfield boys may meet defe at their hands, the game is sure to be a clean and interesting one.

The football season is now almost over and Plainfield has seen a num- any of my alleged funny friends get ber t exciting games in this city. too frolicsome I shall tell them to de-The Plainfield A. A. has proved a liver their wares to the Plainfield San strong team and capable of holding itary Company. I know that it will its own among some of the best teams be a queicher. A Friend of Runyon. in this district. The tie games with the Long Branch A. C. and the San Remo Club were particularly creditable. The Plainfield A. A. team will play two more games at home. The one next Saturday will be with the Irvington A. C., and on Thanksgiving Day afternoon, the famous San Remos will again try conclusions with the local players.

BASKET BALL.

Last night the Y. M. C. A. team lined up for a lively struggle against the team from Summit, No sooner had the game commenced than the members from over the hill showed their intentions by making several sharp and well-directed passes. The time was called for first half with a score of 8 to 6 in favor of the visitors. Tine was again called in ten minutes to decide which team should wear the laurels. The second half opened with a change of goal, which meant to the home team "now or never." Brilliant w. dis of encouragement. Then it was that the agility of the home team was monfested. The game ended with a stops at Plainfield at 5:09 p. m. to se re of 16 to 12 in favor of Plainfield. take on passengers. The new table The team that represented the Plainti-id Y. M. C. A. in the game consisted o E. Moral er, right forward; Long, left forward; Egan, centre; Smith, Bible class in the Monroe Avenue M. right guard; M. Moraller, left guard The goals were thrown by E. Morai ler, 3: Long, 3; Egan, 1; M. Moraller, 1 There was only one foul called in the game and that was on Plainfield The game was rather a flerce one and several of the players received slight it inries.

Albert E. Nelson Dead. Albert E. Nelson, formerly a mem ber of the grocery firm of Nelson Brothers, whose place of business was on Somerset street, died at Mount Bethel last night, of typhoid fever.

RUNYON'S FRIEND TO HIS RESCUE. The Editor Was Very Funny, But H.

Made One Little Mistake. To the Editor of The Daily Press :-Mr. Runyon, of the Courier-News, is such a polished gentleman in his personal manner, and displays such fine culture and common sense in the conduct of his usually perfect journalistic product, that I was surprised, indeed

pained, yesterday, to see the egregious blunder that he committed in the otherwise convincingly funny view he took of the admiration that The Press editorially expressed for Mrs. Lease. For no other reason than that I am a very close friend of the genial editor, and dislike to see him make a fool of himself, I write this little note. Mr. Runyon presumed to infer in parenthesis that "garrulous" was a glaring and laughable grammatical error when used to describe the view that some people possess of Mrs. Lease's utterances. I have always realized that Mr. Runyon's diction is quite perfect, and I had always thought his perspicuity was very marked. That 'break" impairs my faith in his intelligence. I believe, however, that it was not due so much to actual ignorance of the word as it was to the hurry that he undergoes in the direction of such a monument of newspaper success as his paper represents. I am satisfied that that error is more than offset by the unctious humor that he displayed in reference to his advice that the sentimental thoughts of The Press be hereafter consigned to the Sanitary Company. Ah, but that was

FIRE LADDIES WERE SOCIAL.

bon mot, and I shall paste it in my

hat, so to speak, and hereafter when

Engine Company's Ball Given in Washington Hall Last Night,

The autumn ball given last evening in Washington Hall by the members of Plainfield Engine Company, No. 2, was a success socially and financially. An unusually fine supper was furnished by Mrs. William Townley, who worked very hard to assist the boys. The committee in charge consisted of R. B. Rogers, chairman; William Chamberlain, Charles Van-Winkle, Frank Eick, William Schaeffer and Charles Smith, William Chamberlain made an excellent floor manager. Music was furnished by O'Reilly. It was the general opinion of all that they never had a better time, and the for the excellent time provided.

Changes in the Time Table, A few important changes have been made in the time table on the Central and B. & O. railroads. The train mov s were made by both teams, but which formerly left Plainfield for Plaiofield's guards proved their effi- Newark at 7:50 a.m. is now scheduled ciercy by keeping the ball from their at 7:47 a. m., and the 7:58 a. m. train optonents' goal. Five minutes before to New York, now leaves at 7:55 a. m. tini was called the scores were tied. The Royal Blue line train which The came the exciting moments, usually stopped at Plainfield going Each captain inspired his men with west at 6:45 p. m. is now a through train, and instead the Blue Line train leaving New York at 4:30 p. m. now will go into effect tomorrow.

-A very cordial invitation is extended to young men to attend the E. church tomorrow afternoon at 3

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EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

-Neuman Bros. have received a large stock of genuine French Peas, which they will sell at 10 cents a can.

-The converted saloonkeeper, Jos. Fisher, and bartender, John Fairchild, will speak of their life and sing at the Volunteers meeting this evening.

-All young men are invited te attend the young men's Bible class which meets tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock in the Monroe Avenue church.

-John Ostrorer, of the borough, was fined \$1 this morning by Recorder Thomas for riding his wheel last evening without a light. Marshal Schenck made the arrest.

-Edward Nelson, the ticket agent at the North Avenue station, has assisted the managers of the "Spiel" very much by taking charge of the sale of reserved seat tickets at the rink.

-The city steam and hand laundry, 19 Somerset street, furnishes for factories, schools, stores and other places, a cabinet by the week for a very small charge which contains six clean towels, wisk broom, comb, brush

-The funeral services of the late Mrs. Christiana Jacobs were held yesterday morning at 11 o'clock from the house on Somerset street, and at 1 o'clock from the church at Myersville. Rev. George Hauser, pastor of the German Reformed church, officiated. The attendance of relatives and friends was large.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Thomas Doud, of the borough, is in Cranford today looking after some business matters.

Miss Nellie Rockfellow, of Park avenue, is recovering from a severe illness, which has detained her at MUSIC HALL!

Former Councilman Seymour G. Smith, of Putnam avenue, has returned from a business trip to Grand Rapids, Mich.

Miss Lizzie Coombs, of Bound Brook, has returned home after spending a few days with the Misses Searing, of Madison avenue.

and Mrs. Dudley S. Miller, of Orchard place, have returned home. Mrs. S. M. Stack, of Pougkeepsie, was the guest of Fred W. Stack, of

Sanford avenue, last night, and attended the Spielkartenfest. D. L. Linbarger, the agent of the

Mutual Benefit Life Insurance Co., was in town last evening looking after the interests of that company. H. B. Reed, brother of Senator Reed,

of the borough, who has been absent for a long time in search of health, has returned, and is feeling much

Mrs. John T. Baker and Miss Baker, of Stelle avenue, will be at home Friday evening, November 26th, from 8:30 to 11 o'clock. They also announce calling days December 9th and 16th from 4 to 6 p. m.

Boys Organize to Debate.

have formed a debating society and will meet next Wednesday evening for the first, when the question '(What). the first, when the question "Whether the trolley is an advance to Plainfield." will be debated. Clarence Waldron and Joseph Galbraith will support the affirmative, and Charles Peterson and John Kline will speak for the nega tive. The judge will probably be Olaf Saugstad, superintendent of the club.

city, who left Plainfield recently in company with William Flanders for the south. He is now in Washington. committee was highly complimented The letter was sent from Baltimore where the duo were yesterday. Both report being in the best of health and are getting along well. They will remain in Washington over Sunday, Herring, pastor. Evening theme, "Quo Vadis." after which they will continue their journey south.

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First to Drive Over the Bridge. The laying of the asphalt pavement on the new bridge over Green brock at Watchung avenue is now completed and the bridge will soon be Because if unchecked it may lead diopen to the public. The first person rectly to consumption. Catarrh is

Flowers From Far-away Dakota, yesterday received a box of cut blood Hoods Sarsaparilla, the great flowers, violets and pinks, from his blood purifier, cures catarrh by its brother, A. T. Shotwell, who is a power to drive out all impurities from flower grower having extensive hot the blood. Thousands of people testify houses at Fargo. The flowers were in that they have been perfectly and per good condition, having retained their manently cured of catarrh by Hood's

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SUNDAY SERVICES.

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St. Joseph's (B. C.) Church—Rev. William. H. Miller, pastor. Masses at 8:30 and 10:30 a. m.; Sunday-school. 2:30; evening devotions. 8. St. Mary's (B. C.) Church—Rev. P. E. Smyth, pastor. Masses at 7:30, 8:30, 9:30, 10:30 a. m.; evening devotions at 8. Sunday-school. 2:30 p. m.

mission Church of the Heavenly Rest. Clinton avenue, William Winans Moore and Francis Gregory Moore, lay readers—Morn-ing service at 11 d'clock. Sunday-school at 9:45 a.m. Evening prayer at 4 o'clock. First Baptist church, Rev. D. J. Yerkes, D. D. pastor—Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday-school at 2:30 p. m.

D. pastor—services at 2:30 p. m.

Runday-school at 2:30 p. m.

Park Avenue Baptist Church, Rev. J. W. Richardson, pastor—Preaching by the pastor. Morn'ng, 10:30; evening, 7:30. Sunday-school, 2:45 p. m. Morning theme, "Human Weakness Girded With Divine Power; or Conquering Trouble;" evening, "The Odds and Dyana of Human Life, Their Lesson," All sittings free.

7 o'clock.

Congregational Church, West Seventh street, Rev. C. L. Goodrich, pastor.—Morning service at 10:30, a sermon to young men. Offering for the Y. M. C. A. Sunday-school at 2:45 p. m. Evening service at 7:30, lecture on the Hebrews of today by a converted Rabbi.

All Souls' Church, Park avenue, (Unitarian.)
Bev. A. C. Nickerson, pastor-Preaching
service at 10:30 a. m. by Rev. Dr. James Y.
Blxby, of Yonkers, N. Y. Subject, "The Birds."
Sunday-school, 11:45 a. m. The pastor's talk
on Dr. Martineau's teachings will on this Sunday be omitted.

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W. C. T. U. Rooms, Watchung avenue and the doctors will be led by Fred Martin, and the 4 o'clock meeting by Rev. E. M. Rodman, who will g.ve a task on temperance. All are welcome.

Church of the Redeemer, Grove street and Mercer avenue.—Morning service and sermon at 11:15. Sunday-school at 3 p. m. Evening prayer at 4:30.

Trinity Reformed Church—Rev. Cornelling

prayer at 4:30.

Trinity Reformed Church—Rev. Cornelius Schenck, Ph. D., pastor. The day of prayer for young men will be observed. The pa-tor will preach morning and evening. Sunday-school at 2:30 p. m.

Reform Hall-Mrs. Swomsted will lead the p. m. meeting tomorrow The Volunteers of America, Front street-Meetings will be held at 11 a. m. and 3 and a p. m. tomorrow.

After which they will continue their ourney south.

A Sermon of Great Interest.

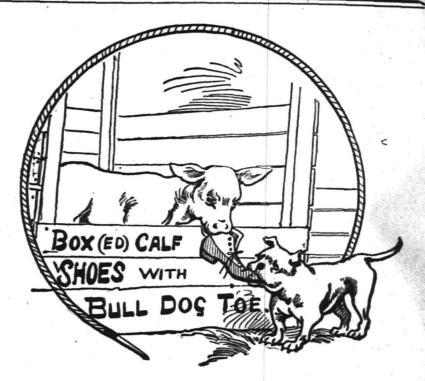
Rev. Charles M. Lamson, D. D., of Iartford, Conn., the new president of the continue their pastor. Evening theme, Quo vadis."

Y. M. C. A. Building -9:30 a. m., Workers' training class: 4:15 p.m., Young men's meeting in the half at which John Fairchild, the converted bartender, will speak, and J. seph Fisher, a former saloonkeeper, will speak and sing. 5:15 Bible class for gymnasium mea-bers.

First M. E. Church, Rev. Winfield C. Snodgrass, pastor — Public worship and preaching at 19:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday-school, 2:30 p. m. Epworth League prayer meeting. 6:45 p. m.

Catarch Means Danger,

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