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Official statistics show that Colorado has over 20,000 square milies of coal and the products of 1890 was 3,000,000

The London County Council has decided to purchase such of the London street railways as have a purchase provision in their charter. The roads are to be leased to operating companies by the Council.

The Supreme Court of North Carolina holds that a railroad company becomes liable for puritive damages in wilfully failing to stop for passengers at a regular station and cannot escape liability on the ground that there was not sufficient room in the train if it appeared that by reasonable diligence it might have provided extra cars.

A concession has been granted for the building of a railroad from Haifa to Damascus, Syria. "One of its termini," muses the Chicago Herald, "will be under the shadow of Carmel and the other by the gates of Damascus. The whistling of its locomotives will be heard in Nazareth and on the shores of Galilee, and its bridges will be flung over the Kishon, the Jordan and the Pharpar."

Farmers'on the Pacific coast are in terested in a discussion of the uselessness or usefulness of a pig's tail. One side argues that it is as useless as the letter p in pneumonia. The other side asserts that the tail indicates the exact physical condition of the animal. If it hangs loose, it indicates that the pig is not in condition and that its feed should be changed. If it be curled tightly, it indicates contentment and good health.

Says the Atlanta Constitution: "Humor has its fashions. The funny men of the past generation do not please the readers of to-day. Mark Twain realizes this, and he is trying to strike a new vein. The Danbury News man, Bill Nye, Eli Perkins and a host of others have found their popularity waning, and they are working hard to adapt themselves to the change in public taste. Their failure is inevitable. The average humorist has only one career. When the public drop him he is at the end of his row.

It is reported from Russia that the Czar is both enraged and depressed by the official corruption which could no longer be concealed when the famine set in. He was under the impression that there was an ample reserve of corn in the village magazines, but it was impossible to keep him deceived on this point, and his Ministers were compelled to tell him. nt last, that not only had the contents of the village granaries been sold, but that the military granaries had been depleted also in the effort to cover up these peculations. His enlightenment upon All kinds of Job Work done. \_\_\_\_\_ this point is said to have filled him with suspicions as to the actual condition of the military stores, and to question FORSAITH & HUNT the truth of the reports of the amounts of ammunition, forage, clothing, food, etc., in actual existence. Being naturally a man of timid disposition, this uncertainty is likely to make him anxious for peace, and, in this way, the famine may prove a not wholly unmixed evil.

The Chicago News says: "The reign of terror inaugurated by bandits known as train-robbers is increasing in extent and flagrancy. These outlaws invariably select some lonely spot in the country for their depredations. It does not follow that a rural police force could always prevent train robberies, but there can be no loubt that its effect would be to lessen the boldness of American banditti. A ural police patrol, especially in sparsely settled districts, would seem to be a ne cessity of the times. It is not often that train robbers become so bold as to select point near a large city for their fiendish work. That an express train only an hour out of Chicago on the St. Paul road has been held up by bandits proves how daring this class of criminals is becoming. They must be checked in the interest of the safety of the traveling public. If a system of mounted rural police should be generally adopted we would also soon ear the last of outrages by white-caps and their allied outlaws."

Our agricultural colleges deserve the favor and hearty support of our farmers, declares the New York Observer, for, taken as a whole, they are doing much good to the cause of agriculture. There are some individual schools that as vet have not fallen wholly into line with what should be the main purpose of their existence, but that is no reason why all should be condemned. The report of one of these colleges now before us shows that thirty-six per cent. of all its graduates are practically engaged in farming, while four per cent. are engaged in the other industrial pursuits for which the college fitted them, and seven per cent. are Presidents or Professors of other agricultural schools. Thus forty-seven per cent. are engaged in the line of work for which the college especially trains. We doubt if many technical schools can show as good an average. And it is to be presumed that as time passes a larger number will be found in agriculture, as many of the graduates are compelled to follow other avocations at first in order to earn and WITH A LAUGH AND AJEST. Even as a shadow Longvue Hospital. I noticed she avoided Over waving grass. the term "asylum," and felt it was be-As an imagostraightway Fadeth from a glass,

With a laugh-And a jest-Young Love doth pass. As it ever endeth With a tear or sigh, An empty world it leaves

And an empty sky, With a laugh and a jest-Bid Love Good-bye. -New York Truth.

A QUESTION OF SANITY

BY CAROLINE S. VALENTINE. Early in the summer of '87 I started for Longvue by the sea.

I was completely run down, having applied myself too closely to business. Although I had made several hundred thousands in lucky ventures on 'change, my nervous system was injured, and the noney did not give me much pleasure. After trying several physicians without relief, I concluded to run over to Long-

There was an excellent sanitarium there which was quite renowned for its

The moment I saw the place I liked it, and felt convinced that I would leave it a well man. The sanitarium was a large, handsome building, surrounded by beautiful grounds. The front yard was full of bright flowers and shrubs, which gave | ing walks that extended in every direca cheerful aspect to the place. And from the windows the bright blue sea, peaceful and calm, or full of angry billows, as its mood might be, could be plainly

I had not been at Longvue a month when I began to improve wonderfully. The air was bracing, there was no excitement, and the attendants were very In this peaceful atmosphere my over

worked nerves became invigorated and life became pleasant again. At the end of two months I was comoletely cured, but I lingered, for Longvue was more to my liking than a gay

resort. The sea had a strong attraction for me, and I took daily walks on the beach. At first a half-mile in one direction was enough to satisfy me. would wander along until I found a sheltered nook, and lie there dreamily looking at the waters for hours. One day, it was the first of August-1

the beach early in the morning. Feeling unusually vigorous, I walked farther than ever before and rounded a point I had never passed beyond. To my sur prise I beheld a large building, something similiar in architecture to the sanitarium. Never having heard of such a place I was naturally curious to find out something about it. It was not far off, and I walked on until the entrance gates were reached. Then I discovered that the windows were all barred, and concluded it must be an asylum for the

I had never had a desire to visit such a place before, but my idle fancy bule me open the gates and enter the grounds. As I touched the gates I found them locked and I shook them until a bell, fastened on the inside, rang

An elderly man appeared, turned the key in the lock, and looked at me. asked if visitors were admitted. H motioned me with a courtly wave of hi hand, and bade me enter. I said I did not wish to see any hopelessly instanc or violent patients.

The janitor directed me to a door is the west side of the building, saying that the patients I would see in the main sitting-room were all quiet and harm-

Entering the room indicated, I glanced around rather uneasily. A number of women were sitting quietly in their chairs, looking toward the end of the room. Good pictures were on the walls, flowers and papers on the tables. At the far end of the room stood a grand piano. Some one was playing a few soft notes as I entered. I had not noticed the musician until my glance fell on the piano. Then I started in surprise as my eyes beheld the loveliest woman I had ever seen.

A cloud of golden hair was caught up and coiled on the top of a perfectly shaped little head. Her figure, though slight, was exquisitely moulded, and he every movement betrayed grace. I could not see her face, as her back

was turned to me. As I stood gazing at her, waiting impatiently for her to turn toward me, she struck the keys a little louder and began to sing. I listened entranced, for the notes that came were sweeter than a lark's song. I had heard the great Patti and most of the world's renowned singers, but the voice of this inknown girl moved me as none had ever

There was such a pathos thrilling through the notes of the glorious voice that tears unbidden rose to my eyes. A I brushed them away, half ashamed o my emotion, an elderly woman, sitting in | ing in the grounds. I had formed no the middle of the room, called out, 'Enough, Miss Sibyl," and the music

Then the singer turned and I saw her face. A face as pure and lovely as the greatest artist could desire as a model, was revealed to my gaze. The contour of her face was Grecian. The great brown eves held in their depths an expression of sadness. The straight nose, the lips firm but sweet, the softly rounded chin, betrayed the refinement of their

As I looked at this golden-haired girl two feelings awoke in my breast. pitied her-young, beautiful and accomplished, doomed to spend her life, or part of it at least, in an asylum for the insane. I loved her-not because "pity is akin to love," nor only because of her beauty, but because-I could not tell why. I only knew that I loved her with my whole heart. The patients began to move here and

there around the room, some regarding me with curious looks. Seving me standing there, Sibyl-I e ready dared call her that in my heart-approached me.

She asked if that was my first visit to dislike for that word.

and complimented her on her singing, saying that words could not express the leasure it had given me. She accepted my praises very seronely, and said it was her one gift. Then she turned the conversation to the piano, which was a very fine instrument with remarkably pure tone.

to know more about her. She was seemingly sane at the moment; perhaps she hadonly occasionly spells of madness, or a distressing monomania. I felt sure she citald never be very violent. "Have you been here-long?" I fe't myself a clown and stupid fool, as I

"Oh, no; just a few weeks. I shall not stay much longer," she said with sweet precision of speech. "Do you know," she said, coming a little nearer to me and speaking almost in a whisper, 'I sometimes fear if I stay here much longer I, too, shall lose my reason and

be like these unfortunate beings." Poor girl! She imagined those around her insane-herself sane. She imagined she had only come on a visit, instead of being incarcerated there for an indefinite period.

I almost wept for the pity of it, but " answered her soothingly, and talked of the grounds which were laid off in windtion around the building. "Do you ever walk out alone?"

asked. "Certainly," she said, seemingly sur prised. "You do not suppose I spend all my time in here, do you? I should perish if I did not get out and spend par of the mornings and evenings alone. I remembered then that the fences

were very high, the gates massive and securely locked. There could, of course, be no danger in allowing the patients a little liberty, if they had no tendency to harm themselves or others. I resolved to watch for Sibyl and talk

with her alone during her walks. I felt positive that her malady was not deepseated. I determined to return to the sanitarium and search through the doctor's private library-to which I had free access-for books on insanity. Every day I would try to see Sibyl and study her case carefully, and perhaps by devoting myself heart and soul to the lingered at the asylum nearly an hour. She was so charming and lovely, and talked so sensibly and entertainingly, it was hard to leave her presence.

I would see her quite soon. The brown eyes took on a look surprise again, as if she wondered why I, a perfect stranger, should be so interested in her. But she answered me kindly and I left her. There was no peace, however, in my breast. I thought only of Sibyl's sad fate as I wended my way along the hot

the Ruler of all would help me find some the thralldom of insanity. I knew I had left my heart in keeping, and come what might. I would love her. My sudden passion was indeed so great that I felt willing to take her as she was, if no cure could be e.

fected, and knowing nothing of her autccodents or former life. I hastened homeward, secured the dea red books from the library, shut myself up in my room, and began to real. I read steadily until the shades of even-

ing dropped like a veil between the printed words and my cager eyes. I felt I had a clew; but I was strange ly weary, and my head ached terribly. When the physician dropped in to see me before bedtime he found me lying unconscious on my couch. The rapid walk along the hot beach, following my excitement, and the strange things

had read, were too much for me. I had a severe nervous attack that confined me to my room for a week. In the meantime I heard nothing of Sibyl. Did she think of me and wonder why I tried to speak to my physician about they intend to erect a plant for that pur-her, but words refused to come. I had pose. formed a theory in regard to her malady, and at last questioned him about it, if it were only an imaginary case.

"Did he think such a case incurable? Could the insanity be transmitted to posterity? My heart glowed with joy when he answered no to each question. forgot that I knew absolutely nothing about Sibyl's malady-that my theory was bused on supposition only.

Buoyed up with hope at the doctor's words, I started out as soon I was able to walk to the asylum. I was scarcely strong enough for the effort, but could restrain myself no longer. The face of Sibyl was constantly before me-her image was enshrined in my heart. When I reached the gates, and the lean usher admitted me, I gazed eagerly

plans, but I expected to reveal my love in some manner. A little cloud came over the brightness of the day when I discovered that she was not out-doors. To tell one's love in a room where twenty pairs of curious eyes may be watching you is not just what an ardent lover desires. But,

around, hoping that Sibyl might be walk.

stifling my regrets, I entered the sitting-All was exactly as on the day of my previous visit. All—with one exception. The graceful, girlish figure, with the crown of golden hair, was not drawing melody from the keys of the grand

I looked there instinctively at first, then my eager eyes looked around the room. But Sibyl was not there. A nameless terror seized me. Had they confined my poor darling in a solitary cell, or, worse still, might her tender body be lying in one of those cruel cribs? I shuddered at the thought. The middle-age I woman was sitting

with the patients, and was ovidently a nurse. At this moment she saw me and approached. In the terror and confu-She smiled, and the smile lifted the sion occasioned by my fears for Sibyl I once between the two materials is said to sadness from her face, and bade me seemed to lose the faculty of speech. All be that asphalt is a manufactured article good-morning. Young as she was- I could do was to seize her hand and say, made of bitumen and sand, while the not more than twenty—I could see by "Sibyl," and look at her imploringly. rook has practically the case of her manner that she had "Sibyl has gone," she answered, naturally combined.

been accustomed to the best society. betraying no surprise, although she must THE MERRY SIDE OF LIFE. have felt it at my emotion.
"Gone!" I groaned, and sank into FUNNY MEN OF THE PRESS

The woman regarded me with wonder ing pity in her eyes, but said nothing. I answered that it was my first visit, Presently I roused myself.

"Did she escape, or did her people re-move her to another asylum?" I asked, hoping that she would answer the latter half of my inquiry in the affirmative. For, dreadful as was the thought of the poor girl being shut up in an asylum, the thought of her wandering around in the cold, wicked world alone, with none I felt an almost uncontrolable desire to protect her, was far more dreadful.

> gled horror and amusement upon her "Did you—you surely didn't think her one of them?" she cried, waving her hand in the direction of the patients.

The nurse gazed at me, a look of min-

"Why was she here, then?" I demand asked the question. Her great, brown ed, stupidly staring at her. eyes looked at me in an odd, surprised "Dr. Holcombe, our Presie "Dr. Holcombe.our President, is Miss Sibyl's brother. When she came home from abroad, after finishing her education, she came here to visit him. Her brother and herself are all of the family that are left, with the exception of one aunt. When Miss Sibyl was here she felt so sorry for the poor unfortunates she did all she could for them, singing and playing for them by the hour. But being with them so much did not agree with her. She grew melancholy, and Dr. Holcombe declared she must go away. She didn't want to go, but he

insisted, and sent her to their aunt at Saratoga. Before she had finished my heart felt as light as if it would leave my body and fly to Saratoga to greet my love. "If you want to know anything more

about Miss Sibyl I'd advise you to go to Dr. Holcombe and talk to him." The nurse evidently understood the affair with a woman's ready intuition. "Thank you, I will," I replied. I slipped a bank note of such goodly

to their fullest extent in delighted sur-"You will never speak of my mis-take?" I said, and left the room to find the doctor, taking her promise with me. To my relief he was young and friendy in his manner. I told him my story,

value in her hand that her eyes opened

confessing all—my sudden great love for Sibyl, which had become a part of my life, and the absurd error I had made. He laughed at me a good bit in a riendly way, but said my mistake was perhaps natural under the circumstances. After I had told him about my family onnections and my standing in business circles, and we discovered we had sevremember the date perfectly, as it began work I might be able to find a cure. I desired here to write After a few moments he brought me a letter. It was addressed to "Miss Sibyl Holcombe,

> "There," he said, in his genial way, At last I went away, assuring her that "this will introduce you into Sibyl's good graces, I think, if you are not in them already.' I wrung his hands and tried to express my thanks, then hurried back to

the sanitarium to pack up. As soon as

Saratoga Springs, N. Y.'

possible I presented her brother's letter o Miss Holcombe. She was more lovely and attractive in the midst of the gay throng than at sands, and I sent up a silent prayer that Longvue. I devoted myself so assiduously to her that before she left Saratoga way to deliver my little princess from at the end of the season for her aunt's New York home I had her sweet promise that she would be mine. - Frank Leslie's

SCIENTIFIC AND INDUSTRIAL.

Cars are started automatically. Weldless steel chains are herc.

Some insects are in a state of maturity thirty minutes after birth. A Freuch beekeeper has experimented with his bees as carriers of dispatches. Recent calculations show that the sun's light is 600,000 times that of the full

A farmer in Vermont picks the apple seeds from his cider presses and sells them to manufacturers of prussic acid. Some naturalists assert that a rattlesnake placed in a circle of half ash leaves and half not coals will cross the coals rather than encounter the leaves. So convinced are the officials of the Coicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Raildid not come? I longed to know. Often road of the value of creosoting ties that

> A valuable antiseptic scap is made by dding twelve parts of sulphate of copper to eighty-eight parts of any good soap. It will readily heal sores and scratches and is devoid of any irritating

With steam at the full boiler pressure of 120 pounds the engines of the new screw ferryboat Cincinnati, making 100 revolutions a minute, have indicated 1016 horse power, giving a speed of fourteen miles an hour. Recent observation throws doubt on

the existence of the so called fatigue of metals. Two large iron links, one used for forty years in a suspension bridge at Kieff, Russia, and the other kept in store since the building of the bridge, were tested together, and were found to be of partically identical strength. When the atmosphere contains eightvfive per cent. of moisture it is satuated.

The amount of humidity is calculated on the eighty-five per cent. scale, so that when we are told that is seventy-five per cent. of humidity it does not mean that the atmosphere is only ten points away from saturated, but that it contains seventy-five per cent. of the humidity necessary so saturate it. The degree of delicacy which has been attained in the application of the

radiomi crometer for measurement of radiant heat-viz: from the candle, a fire. the sun, the moon, the stars, or anythir else which radiates heat in space—is pronounced marvelous by scientists, single illustration of this power being afforded by the fact that a really appreciable effect is produced on that instrument by a candle placed two miles away. A kind of bituminous rock which is found in several places is California is being extensively used for street pavements in that State. These pavements are very like the asphalt pavements in New York and other eastern cities, such

as that in Wall street. The only differ-

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Justifiable Query-1 High Light-The Aftermath-A Cold Thrust-From Discord to Harmony, Etc. Oh, woman, weirdly wondrous witch, Pray, why are you so ghoulish.
To make a foolish man so wise.
A wise man make so foolish?

-Detroit Free Press. THE AFTERMATH. She-"Ah, Jack, I'm afraid I'll make

ou a sorry wife." He-"I've no doubt. Any one who narries me will be sorry."—Colora to

A HINT.

"My daughter struck high 'C' just

hen," said the old gentleman proudly. "Is that so? Well, from the way she hollered, she must have landed on it pretty hard." PREP RING FOR HIM.

Mrs. Cabbage-"The new minister said he would call this evening." Cabbage-"Then you had better dust the Bible and turn down a few corners of the leaves."—Judge.

FROM DISCORD TO HARMONY. Biggs-"I'm glad to hear you playing one new pieces this year. Baggs-"No; they're the same ones l dayed last year, only I've had my piano tuned."-Harvird Lampoon.

A COLD THRUST. He-"Don't you think it is wrong for people to marry their intellectual ineriors?" She-"Yes; always wrong, and

some cases quite impossible."--Late. NOT AFRAID OF THE COMPARISON. "I never saw anything equal to Ethel's onceit; she actuals thinks she is a great leal prettier than I am!"

"She didn't tell you so, did she?" "Yes; that is, she asked me to be her bridesmaid."-Life. DIDN'T GAUGE HIM RIGHT.

Haberdasher-"What did you charge he architect for the one dellar tie?" Clerk-"Two dollars." Haberdasher-"Did he take it?" Clerk-"No: he said he wantel one for about three dollars and fifty cents.' \_Puck.

A POINT IN HIS FAVOR Jaysmith-"I'm going to sue the Novfor libel. It called me a thief." McWatty-"But papers are allowed to rint the news, you know." Jaysmith-"But that isn't ne vs." Mc Watty-"True enough. Every-

oody knows it now."-Judge.

THE REPINEMENT OF GALLANTRY. Fair but Unfortunate Maiden-"Dear ae! that's the twentieth time I've had to get up and let some fellow get by. It seems as if every man in the house wanted to pass me.

Gallant but Crude Companion-"Can ou blame them?"-Boston Courier. A CONVICTION FOR LIFE. Hicks-"There's one thing I like about Furmleigh. He's a man of settled

convictions. Wicks-"Yes. Furmleigh is a strong man. When he made up his mind to believe a thing, he sticks to it even if he knows it isn't so."—Boston Transcript.

A HIGH LIGHT. Artist-"Why have you hung my icture so hizh?" Member of Committee-"To get the light on it.' Artist-"What light do you get

Member of Committee-"The sky-QUITE A DIFFERENCE. Barker Casper-"I wanted my eggs soft! I told that girl that I wanted them 'soft as the breath of a maiden's

Man Opposite-"And how are they,

Barker Casper—"Hard, sir! Hard as the thud of a maiden's No."—Puct. THE CREAM TAKEN, ONLY. Scribbler-"Strange that that magaine doesn't accept my stories. It took the first one and paid me well for it." Cynicus-"Not so strange, either when you come to look at it. There's that new block over yonder. The owner

had no difficulty in letting the first story,

but nobody scens to want the other

stories."-Boston Transcript. "RAILBOADING" THE MATTER. He (shortly after the introduction) Excuse me, Miss, but do you think you could ever love me if-wellf you should try?" Bhe-"Well. I must say this is-"

He-"O'don't be offended. It cos ne more than three hundred dollars to find out whether the last one loved me or not, and I've got to economize, you know."-Life.

Hattie-"What was that horrid Mrs. Burns saying about me? Something hateful, I'll be bound." Mattie-"She said you were a perfect right, dear; but I gave her a rebuke she won't forget in a hurry."

Hattie—"Why, what did you say?" Mattic-"I told her there was no such

thing as perfection in the world."-

REINFORCING THE ENEMY.

NOT AT ALL STRANGE. "Isn't it strange," observed Banks, as he took off his mackintosh, "that this rain came up so suddenly? There wasn't s cloud in the sky an hour ago." And Rivers, who had come down

town without his umbrella for the first time in six weeks and had a brand-new plug hat on his head stood by the window with his hands in his pockets and looked gloomily at the pelting rain outside and thought hard, bitter, wicked thoughts, and said it wasn't at all strange elements -he knew exactly why it had rained!-

IT MIGHT HAVE BEEN WORSE. Two Irishman who had not met for

ears ran across each other, and after a period of handshaking adjourned for some wet congratulations. "Long time since we met, Clancy, isn't it? Great lot of things have hap-

pened since then," said the first.
"Yes, indeed. Look at myself. Sure it's married I am," replied Clancy.
"You don't tell me? Have you anything to show for it?" asked O'Grady.
"Faith and I have that. I've got a tine healthy boy, and the neighbors say

he's just the picture of me."

O'Grady looked at Clancy, who wasn't built on the lines of a prize "Ah, well, what's the harrum, so long as the child's healthy?"—Buffalo In-

NEVER SPEAK AS THEY PASS DY. Mrs. Singleton put her head over the

arden wall, and thus addressed her eighbor, who was hanging out the week's washing: "A family has moved in the empty

house across the way, Mrs. Clothline. "Yes, I know." "Did you notice their furniture?"

"Not particularly." "Two van loads, and I wouldn't give couple of pounds for the lot. Carpets! I wouldn't put them down in my kitchen. And the children! I won't allow mine to associate with them. And the mother! She looks as if she had never known a day's happiness. The father drinks, I expect, Too bad that such people should come into this neigh-

porhood. I wonder who they are?" "I know them." "Do you? Well, I declare. Who are

bev? "The mother is my sister." A painful pause ensues. - London Tit-

SOMETHING WRONG. At the breakfrst table yesterday morn-"Well," said the "brute" to his wife s he took his place, "who are the new eighbors next door?'

"Why, how should I know?" auwered the wife. "Don't you know their name?" "Of course not."
"Are they healthy?"

"I'm sure I don't know. "The man an old skinfliat?" "I don't know." "His wife extravagant?" "You will have to ask some one else."

and stuck up?" "Why, Harry? I don't know." secret conected with the family?" "I don't know anything about them."

"Any daughters? And are they proud

"What! You don't?" ".oK" "They have been here twenty-four hours-I'll send the doctor up as I go

down town." "What are you going to send the dcotor up for?" "Something must be the matter with rou. That family has lived next to us for one whole day and you don't know the first thing about them yet. You need attending to."

And then he buried himself in his paper .- Philadelphia Press.

WISE WORDS. Mirth is the sweet wine of human

Our lives are diamonds, digged from out the clay. All true manliness grows around a core of divinences.

barmony of the universe.

Destruction is the consequence, never the object, of a great mind. Nature repairs her ravages, repairs them with her sunshine and with human

A few books, well studied and thor-

Love is the life of the soul. It is the

oughly digested uourish the understanding more than hundreds gargled in the If a man empties his purse into his head, no man can take it from him. An investment in knowledge always pay the

Some things, after all, come to the

poor that can't get in at the doors of the rich, whose money somehow blocks up the entrance way. How much trouble he avoids who does not look to see what his neighbor says or does or thinks, but only to what he does himself, that it may be just and pure! The web of our life is of a mingled yarn, good and ill together. Our virtues would be proud if our faults whipped them not, and our crimes would despair

if they were not cherished by our vir-It is said of more than half the men that they resemble Napoleon; it is said of more than half the women that they have Madonna like faces. Still, there was only one Napoleon and only one Ma-

nonths she begins to find out that she can't have a good time unless her young man is around, and he begins to find out that he can't have a nice time if his girl is along. It is not a question how much a man knows, but what use he can make of what he knows; not a question of what

he knows; not a question of what he

After a girl has been engaged six

has acquired, and how he has been trained, but of what he is, and what he Our opinions are not our own, but in the power of sympathy. If a person tells us a palpable falsehood, we not only dare not contradict him, but we dare hardly disbelieve him to his face. A lie boldly uttered has the effect of truth for

Laughter Promotes Circulation.

In his "Problems of Health" Dr. Greene says that there is not one remotest corner or little inlet of the minnte blood vessels of the human body that does not feel some wavelet from the convulsions occasioned by good hearty laughter. The life principle of the cen-tral man is shaken to the innermost depths, sending new tides of life and strength to the surface, thus materially tending to insure good health to the persons who indulge therein. Therefore, In heaven's name, laugh! - London

## The Antrim Reporter.

C. B. GARDNER. - LOCAL EDITOR. Subscription Price, \$1.00 per Year,

Strictly in Advance A CROSS (X) before this paragraph signifies that the subscription has expired. We should be pleased to have it renewed.

Entered at the Post-office at Antrim as second-class mat WEDNESDAY, DEC. 9, 1891.

Miss Annette Knowlton of Hancock, is visiting her sister, Mrs. John

Moses Brown, son of Mrs. Lewis Gove has gone to Florida for the benefit of his health.

to shut down this forenoon, owing to the breaking of the water wheel. The meetings in the two churches

in this village were brought to an abrubt termination last Sunday forenoon by the alarm of fire. Mr. F. W. Sargent of Manchester, representing the New Hampshire the walls keeping the flames afresh, Mutual Fire Insurance Company, was | but the persistent, hard work of the

in town on Monday and Tuesday, to fire-fighters was, after an hour or adjust the loss sustained by Mr. Arthur H. Ingram, on his household goods, by the recent fire. A violent rain and wind storm pass-

ed over the village last Friday night. But bright skies and a mild temperature greeted us on Saturday morning. The winter thus far has been remarkably favorable. Still, a heavy rainfall is yet wanting for many purposes.

son than usual. Perhaps this view of from the engine, before "limbering the matter has no significance, still it county, that the number should grow the county is already over-burdened with a large debt.

The annual inspection of Ephraim Weston Post took place at their hall at the last stated meeting. A good number were in attendance, and the work and clerical duties well performed, much to the credit of the organization and satisfaction of the visiting official-comrade O. G. Burtt of Hillsboro' Bridge. The next regular meeting occurs on Friday eve. ning of this week.

How the store windows and counters will bristle with suitable articles in endless variety for the Christmas holidays. The little people will needs begin their collections of pennies, because they will come quite handy when they come to make their selections. Nice and appropriate things have been suggested by "Old Santa" this year as never before, and they may be procured at very reasonable

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. B. Paige have gone to Auburndale, Mass., where they will spend the winter with Mrs. Paige's mother, Mrs. Howard. Their household goods have been stored oection with the department hose, during their temporary absence. Mr. Paige has been in the employ of the Goodell Company in this town for the past thirteen years, and has proved quelling the flames. The Goodell them this winter. himself to be an industrious, capable workman. His smiling countenance will be much missed by his many friends, during his tarry down coun-

Internal Revenue Inspector, L. H. Lamprey of Manchester was in town last week, on official business it may be presumed. This would seem to indicate that there is an illegitimate will be good for all connections heretraffic in distilled liquors, somewhere in this vicinity. "Uncle Sam" is no respector of persons, unless permission has first been obtained, and even then the state of N. H., has a word to say. On the whole it is an unsafe business to engage in, and if it were not for the profit that there is on wet goods of this description, there is little doubt if nine-tenths of the liquor traffic in the country would not be swept away. It may therefore be safely presumed that those who engage in this nefarious business, do so by reason of the profit derived, which is the prime incentive to violation of law, rather than a love of the article for personal use. It is stated that the official above referred to, after an investigation, took away with him the names of suspected parties for future reference.

Three members of the Order of Iron Hall, resident in this village, completed their full seven years' connection with the order on September gaged in making extensive repairs, al- she expected to reach the next day. 17th last, and during the past week received the sums of money due them, agreeably to the constitution and by- their labors and gone away. The last Friday to see how all were getlaws of the order governing the set-tlement of maturity claims. The supervision of Mr. E. W. Colburn of They were met with a very warm regentlemen are Messrs. George C. Gib- Francestown, and it has been quite ception from the Supt. and wife, Mr son, whose claim was \$750; Charles Gibson, \$575, and Charles N. Foster. Gibson, \$575, and Charles N. Foster, J. C. Butterfield, has been completed. way things were cared for, especially \$500. Each of the above parties C. H. Griffin of North Branch, paint- the neatness of the place. Mr. Lawwere insured for \$1000, and had been allowed during the seven years for sick benefits, the amounts differing between \$1000 and the sums received. between \$1000 and the sums received. In the full occupancy. The addition of the tower on the south-westerly corner, schoolroom. That the parent's low 172 located at Concord. Thus again the new part on the north side, with lives of intoxication was the has the purity and just dealings of large pane windows and doors of mod- great cause of the wafe's lives being the Order of Iron Hall been fully ex- improved and somewhat palatial ap- ning after the service, a collection emplified. The order is now on its eleventh year of existence and has a Jameson may well be congratulated the unfortunate children this glorious membership of more than 63,000 in ant and comfortable home. over 1800 branches. Branch No. 693. of this town, lacks but three months of being four years old, and has a membership of twenty-seven, all but two of whom are insured for \$1000. and there has been no member on the sick-list for the six months past.

Two Families Burned Out.

Last Sunday forenoon, at about 11:30 o'clock, the usual quiet of our village was startled by the Goodell shop bell sounding an alarm of fire, and as both churches were holding morning services to large audiences, Main street immediately became an excited thoroughfare; scores of the worshipers and others hurrying to the scene of disaster, which proved to be the burning of the tenement house on Depot street, owned by Hon. D. H. Goodell and accupied on the Northern side by Geo. D. Dresser, and on the Southern side by Arthur H. Ingram, station agent. The fire-engine was at once placed in position at the pond near the handle-shop, and was soon sending a powerful stream of water upon the flames with telling effect. Meanwhile the household The large Goodell shop was obliged goods of both families were being removed to a place of safety by willing hands. The fire caught from a defective chimney in the east portion of the attic, and worked its way between the ceiling and walls, thus making it hard to get at, and a stubborn fire to fight for a while, and it seemed at one time, that the house was doomed, falling cinders between

the flames extinguished beyond recovry. That portion of the house above the second floor, especially on the southern side thoroughly was gutted. It was very fortunate that but little air was stirring at the time, or the consequences would have been far Falling cinders set fire to the roof

of the L part of E. T. Adams' residence, situated some forty feet from the burning building, but a few buck-County Commissioner Herrick says cts of water put a stop to further that a less number of inmates are at damage. His buildings were given the County Farm at Wilton this sea- a thorough wetting by the stream up," to ensure further protection.

The loss to the Goodell building is is encouraging to the taxpayers of the estimated at \$500, which is covered by \$1,000 insurance in the People's less instead of more, especially when Insurance Company of Manchester Mr. Dresser's loss is about \$50; no insurance, and the loss to Mr. Ingram is \$50, which is fully covered by insurance, in the New Hampshire Fire Insurance Company of Manchester, by a policy of \$300. Both com-

panies have adjusted their losses. Miss Minnie Gokey occupied the chamber in the L, and sustained considerable loss by damage to clothing. The household effects of the two families thus suddenly ejected from their homes, were later removed to the old box shop room in the Goodell block, while some were cared for by neighbors.

Generous hearted people gave the homeless ones shelter in their own families, until they could find new

Happily no accident occurred to further sadden the scene and the thorough wetting received by some of the "fire boys," which in some cases resulted in lameness and severe colds. was the only personal inconvenience.

CINDERS

The "Brookline" proved herself equal to the occasion, sending a powthrough 350 feet of hose.

brought into service, but from lack | ple," and a rich treat may be expectnf hose, being unable to make nf hose, being unable to make conowing to a difference in size, proved ineffectual. Much credit. however, should be given Supt. Oaks and his men, for their efforts to assist in shop hose has a 24 inch coupling, while the engine hose has a 2½ inch, and a portion of it, (old hose held in | Scarbo, in this place. reserve) 2 inch, a reducing coupling being in the hose cart to make connect to the house a few days, not being tion. The 2 1 inch hose will connect able to attend to his duties in Mr. with the Goodell Company's 21 inch, Downes' store. but not vice versa, nor would the 2 this is where the trouble laid. Supt. Oaks has since made a coupling that get shaved before you know it.

after. Ministers and laymen alike render-

ed assistance. Messrs. Ingram and Dresser have rented the northern tenement in the Whittum house on Main street, and day night, which could not be wholly will soon be "at home" again.

Best Vermont Cheese, 13c pound at Goodwin's. Three pounds of good Raisius for 25c at Goodwin's.

Next Sunday) forenoon, Catholic services will be, held at Hillsboro' Bridge at 7 o'clock, and at Bennington at 11 o'clock.

Two persons were taken into full membership at the Methodist church last Sunday morning, and eight received on probation.

The oyster supper and promenade concert by the Antrim Brass band to take place in the Town hall, Antrim Whitney one day last week, saying Centre, has been postponed to Thursday evening, Dec. 17th.

The carpenters, who have been enern style, gives the place a much cast in such a lot. The same eve pearance. The Hon. and Mrs. was taken for Christmas presents to

FOR SALF.—One good two-seated Wagon; 1 do 3 spring Wagon: 1 do Breast Plate Harness; 1 do Collar and year a happy one for our little friends E. C. GOODWIN.

Look at our Gent's Overcoats for \$15.00. Putney & Little.

The Opening Entertainment in The Lecture Course.

The second annual lecture course opened at the Baptist church on Tuesday evening, and it was the pleasure of the people of Antrim and vicinity to listen to the efforts of "The Boston Rivals," who held the attention of an intelligent and appreciative audience for a space of two hours. After an annoucement by Dr. D. W. Cooley, President of the Lecture Committee, the troupe were introduced and the first number in the programme was executed by Mr. Conant, the piano artist of the evening, whose efforts on the new "Prescott," were favorably received. The second number, called for Miss Hamlin, the soprano artist of the "Rivals," whose efforts were tested in the rendering of "In Sevelle's Groves." The selection was a difficult one and the lady exhibited great power of, and a thorough command of a cultured voice. In her second number, Miss Hamlin succeeded in touching a more God bless you all. responsive chord of her audience in the rendition of 'Autumn and Spring Time," while in her third effort. "The Star of Bethlehen," followed by an enchore, "Annie Laurie," the old and familiar Scotch song, it may be said that the artist fully reached the anticipations of her audience, who fire-fighters was, after an hour or more of labor, given the victory and the flames extinguished beyond recoval appearance, but lacking the dignity that her position before an average audience would seem to dictate, and which, no doubt the lady will acquire as she becomes better acquainted with cultured tastes in that direction. It may with propriety be said, that she is the happy possessor of a voice of great compass, but whose selections are not always in touch with the average audience. The third number called for Mr. Winternitz, the violinist. In this, as well as in succeeding selections, he exhibited the skill of a trained hand in his specialty by an exceedingly careful and gentle touch, and a smoothness of tone that won for him a full expression of the pleas-

ure derived by his hearers. Responding to an encore, he served his listeners with the familiar strains of "Yankee Doodle," in all the variations that his trusted instrument and talent would allow. He is a fine mu sician in his line. In the fourth number on the program, Mrs. Southwick appeared, appropriately attired in her role as dramatic reader; first n "The Honor of the Woods," taking for her character, "John Norton," in the Loat race, so graphically portrayed by "Parson" Murray the author of the story. Mrs. Southwick in this, as well as in all her succeeding selections was a favorite of her hearers answering an encore with an interesting and humorous delineation of tl characteristic "Negro Mammas," in the days of Southern slavery. She proved herself a great favorite and

deserves well of any audience. The opening of the course is not only a gratifying success, but receives a most favorable consideration of our people. The house was filled, it being necessary to augment the seating capacity by placing chairs

along the aisles. The next entertainment in the course will be a lecture on Tuesday evening, Dec. 15th, by Rev. A. C. erful stream up a forty foot incline, Dixon of Brooklyn, N. Y. His subject will be "Yourself and Other Peo-

Bennington.

There was a social dance at the town hall, Saturday night. Mrs G. W. Lamence's mother and son Frank are going to stop with

Mrs. White of Nashua, has been visiting with her sister, Mrs. Eugene George Knight has been confined

We understand that Byron Richinch connect with the shop hose, and ardson, has his barber's sign hung out. Now boys, look out, or you'll

Harry Knights has removed his butchering up higher, on the Knights hill. We don't know, but it may mean a higher price in his meat, pos-

A little scene occurred last Moncovered by the darkness, we hope it will be a sound lesson to persons in like position towards families, not to

let the temper have control of them. The Public schools commenced on Monday, under the successful instructors-Miss Jennie Nesmith in the Grammar department and Miss Sadie Ricker of Salmon Falls, N. H. for the Primary department, our for-

mer and popular teacher. John Dodge was at home a short time since, but has returned to his duties as engineer in a Winchester the young folks who have left the

We received a line from Mrs. N

that she was enjoying good health and an exceedingly pleasant trip, and had made many pleasant acquainten ces to San Francisco, which place Rev. G. W. Lawrence, A. W. Gray, dence of Hon. N. C. Jameson, since James Ross and M. M. Chaney made the first of Sept., have concluded a visit to the county farm at Witon,

> holiday. There was a committee appointed to receive funds in the next two weeks, or any other gift which any one might donate. We have tried to make this season of the year a happy one for our little friends the past two years, and we hope we may be able to cast a little light in their lives this year and years to come.
>
> The First National Bank of Francestown, N. H., lonated at Francestown in the State of New Hampshire, is closing up its affairs. All note holders and others, creditors of said the Association, are therefore hereby notified to present the notes and other claims against the Association for payment.
>
> G. W. CUMMINGS, Cashier.
>
> Dated, November 14, 1891.

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ANNUAL MEETING. The annual meeting of the Stockholders of the FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF FRANCESTOWN, N. H., for the election of Directors for the ensuing year, and the transaction of such other business as may legally come before said meeting, will be held at the Bank in Francestown, TUESDAY, JANUARY 12th, 1892, at 12 o'clock noon.

G. W. CUMMINGS, Cashier.

Francestown, Dec. 1, 1891. d2tj6

ANNUAL MEETING.

The annual meeting of the Corporation of the FRANCESTOWN BANK for the election of Directors and other officers, and the transaction of such other business as may legally come before said meeting, will be held at the rooms of the First National Bank in said Francestown, on TUESDAY, JANUARY 12th, 1892, at two o'clock in the afternoon.

G. W. CUMMINGS, Clerk.

Francestown, N. H., Dec. 1, 1891. d2tj6

ADMINISTRATORS' NOTICE, The subscriber gives notice that he has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Aiden C. Hutchinson late of Antrim, in the County of Hillsborough, deceased.

All persons indebted to said Estate are requested to make payment, and all having claims to present them for adjustment.

Dated Nov. 30, 1891.

MORRIS CHRISTIE.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

MORRIS CHRISTIE.

The subscriber gives notice that he has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Henry B. Swett late of Antrim in the County of Hillsborough, deceased.

All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and all having claims to present them for adjustment.

Dated Antrim, Dec. 1, 1891.

JAMES W. PERKINS.

The ANTRIM REPORTER until Jan. 1, 1893, for only \$1.00. ant affair.

Hillsborough Bridge. H. M. & S. have a new ad. this

Miss Cora Peaslee visited friends in Keene, last week. Miss Jennie Smart is at home from

her school at Concord. John Locke recently made a visit to his home in this place. Freeman Lincoln is moving into his

o'clock in the evening. Goodwin and

Newman were immediately secured

and the break was repaired sufficient-

ly to prevent further damage by rain. Mr. Towne estimates the damage by

Francestown.

last week.

first of the week.

were not satisfied.

G. Sargent, recently.

death of a relative.

over Sunday.

George F. Pettee was in Boston,

Miss. Emma Burnham from East

The program of the weather the

past week was a varied one, yet some

circle with Mrs. Cynthia F. Ward.

S. P. Newton is spending a few weeks with his daughter, Mrs. Carrie

Miss Jennie Bradford was in Bos-

Judging from the number of one

isfaction of being an excellent miller.

ance at the Academy and seventy more are wanted. Prof. C. E. Mont-

ague the Principal is a recent gradu-

most excellent satisfaction to scholars.

tion. With an earnest, faithful and

efficient teacher at the helm, why go

elsewhere for instruction? Come

at the residence of the bride's parents,

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel S. Henderson,

Adam Lorge of Boston, Mass., and

Miss Susie M. Henderson of this

marriage ceremony in the presence of

morning last for Boston, Mass., with

life may be fraught with health, hap-

piness and prosperity.

The officers of the Loyal Temper-

Maude Jellison; Vice President, Miss

Mrs. E. K. Jewett of Hollis, Coun-

ty Superintendent of the W. C. T. U.,

Mrs. Amasa Downes, Monday after-

work and the methods best adapted

to promote that work. In the eve-

ning, Mrs. Jewett spoke in Library

hall. The audience, though not large

talk of the speaker. Mrs. Jewett, has so pleasing, easy and kindly man-

ner of presenting her subject, that if

one fails to coincide with all her views,

can only do so after the manner of

the saying, "we will agree to disa-

gree." The speaker is perfectly at

home on the platform and those per-

sons who fail to attend her lectures.

miss the golden opportunity of a rare

treat. Mrs. Amasa Downes presid-

ed at the meeting, Rev. A. C. Hurd

offered prayer; singing by the choir,

Bargains in Fur Robes and Fur

Horsford's large size Bread

Goodwin's is the place to buy

We have just received a new

Best Canned Lobster, 20c at

The harsh, drastic purgatives, once

deemed so indispensable, have given

pared laxatives; hence the great and

growing demand for Ayer's Pills. Phy-

sicians everywhere recommend them

for costivness, indigestion, and liver

Fresh Confectionery for the

Holiday trade; also a tine assortment

of Bananas, Oranges, Dates, Figs,

The best Honey in town. Har-

Look at our Gent's new \$3.00

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum,

perfect satisfaction, or money refunded.

A faded or gray beard may be col-

The Best Salve in the world for Cuts,

Nuts. Grapes, etc., at Goodwiu's.

lot of Chamber Sets. Putney & Lit-

with Miss Maude Jellison, organist.

Coats, at Putney & Little's.

Patent Medicines.

Goodwin's.

complaints.

rington & Kibbey.

Shoe. Putney & Little.

Preparation, 18c at Goodwin's.

and test his qualifications.

Some thirty scholars are in attend-

sister, Mrs. W. F. Duncklee.

wind and rain about \$150. W. S. Marcy was in Boston last week making his Christmas purchases. Our village schools commence next Monday, after a two week's vacation. The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. J. B. Smith on Friday at 3

new house on Church street.

Mr. McKillips of Weare has moved into Chas. Kimball's house on High street.

Miss Ada Buxton spent Friday and Saturday, with her brother's family in Henniker.

Mrs. Geo. Boutwell of Nashua was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Clement, last Friday.

Miss Fannie Pease went to New port last week to work in the underwear mill in that place.

Miss Abbie R. Wyman has been confined to the house with a severe cold for the past week. treatment. Mrs. A. J. Praray and children left

for Woonsocket, R. I., last Friday. Mr. Praray will soon follow. The twenty-fourth annual conven

tion of the Y.M.C.A. will be held in Laconia on Dec. 10th to 13th. Comical Brown gives one of his en-

tertainments in Odd Fellows' hall, on Thursday evening of this week. Insurance men have been very busy of late about our village, looking af-

Gardner, in East Cambridge, Mass. ter the interests of their respective Ed. W. Colburn will occupy the William Colburn place in Deering, companies. W. E. Proctor has just received a vacated by Frank Crosby. Twenty-seven scholars attend the fine lot of furniture, he now having village grammar school; twenty-six the finese lot of chairs ever exhibited

in this place. The Methodist society are making are expected. arrangements for their Christmas tree ton last week purchasing holiday exercises to be held in Odd Fellows' hall, on Christmas Eve.

Norman Greely left for his home in and two horse loads of grain, going Boston last Thursday. He is soon to and coming from the Kidder mill at start on a tour through the west and the south-east part of the town, K. J. will go as far as California. Wilson the manager, gives good sat-

H. N. Favor and wife, with their little daughter have returned, and report an exceedingly pleasant time among their relatives in Massachu-

The Congregational Society are to ate from Williams college, assuming add twenty-five new chairs to the seating capacity of their church; they parents and trustees of the instituwill be placed in the alcove, opposite the pulpit.

Contoocook Mills Company have added two 48 inch setts of cards to their productive capacity, which may be taken as an indication that the McKinley bill has not worked injury.

Mr. John Merlin of Hemmingsford, P. O., arrived in town the first of the week with 19 horses, drivers and place. Rev. Mr. Hurd performed the dealer we ever met, and any one in the immediate relatives of the bride. vant of a horse should visit him at W. The newly wedded couple left Friday E. Proctor's stable.

The roofs on Hon. J. B. Smith's new house are now slated. Boilers have been set and a large portion of the piping done. Thus far everything seems to be very substantial and well proportioned Apparently no expense will be spared to have every thing the best.

The Ladies' Friendly League met with Mrs. Alonzo Hoyt, last Thurs-Woodward; Treasurer, Miss Emma Foote; Organist, Miss Annie Hulme; Chorister, Miss Annie Hulme; Literday evening. After prayer there was singing and recitations by Miss Ina ary Committee, Annie Hulme, Minnie White, Rosa Turner. Lookout Com-Carter and Miss Alice Ferry. The reading of the League Journal was Bertha Osborne. followed by more singing. The remainder of the evening was passed in social manner-conversation and

Chas. Pero, who has been employed in the woolen mill for the past few years and who occupied Chas. Kimball's house on High street, completed his labors with that Company and with his family started for Canada last Saturday. Mr. Pero was a nice man and much regret is express- in numbers, were attentive listeners ed by some of our citizens at his de- to the interesting, plain, practical

Last Friday evening not-withstanding the severe rain storm, quite a number of our people met at the residence of Mrs. Lucy Rolfe to celebrate her 78th birthday, carrying with them quite a number of valuable presents. At 8 o'clock all were invited to the dining room, where Mrs. R. had prepared a bountiful supper, consisting of hot oysters, cake, oranges and confectionery. It was a merry party and all went away wishing her many like

occasions. A good deal of interest seems to be shown in the Peoples' Lecture Course the first of which was held on Monday evening the 7th inst., before a crowded house. The readings of Mrs. Losey were exceptionally fine, and we consider her one of the best readers ever in this place; her particular charm was her perfect naturalness; her power of imitation was great, and all were thoroughly pleased with her. The Harpist, Mr. Rogers, was a great feature of the evening; he was repeatedly called back. Altogether, it was an evening long to

be remembered by all. place to milder and more skilfully pre-Mrs. J. B. Smith will hold a social at her home on Wednesday evening. All are invited. The following program will be rendered: Piano solo, Arthur Woodhead ; Vocal duett, Miss Butler and Mr. Merrill; Violin solo, Mr. Roach; Vocal solo, Mrs. Piper; Piano duett, Miss Jones and Mrs. McKnight; Reading, Mrs. Mabel Wyman; Reading, J. A. McKnight; Vocal Solo, Mrs. Ferry. "Home Sweet Home," "Old Folks at Home" and the hymn, "Bless't be the tie that binds," will be sung by the whole company, led by Mr. Geo. Van Dom-

The lemon social last Wednesday, given by the Y. P.S.C.E. was a grand success socially and financially. There was an evergreen tree loaded with Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruplemons made of lemon colored paper, each containing a prize and marked tious, and positively cures Piles, or no from 1c. to 25, according to the value pay required. It is guaranteed to give of the prize. There was also a lemon supper served, consisting of lemon Price 25 cents per box. For sale by pies, cakes, &c., in fact everything Harrington & Kibbey. in which lemons could be used. The lady waiters wore caps with lemon roses, and the gentlemen roseates of ored a beautiful and natural Brown the same color. It was a very pleas-ant affair.

or Black, at will by using Bucking-ham's Dye for the Whiskers.

The high wind played havoc with Gardner Towne's house on Henniker street during the storm last week, tearing the tin from the roof 45 feet long and 15 feet wide, throwing it against the chimneys and knocking them down. It happened about nine

At Popular Prices.

Combridge, Mass., was in town the Chamber Sets, Mattresses, Mrs. Almira Kemp has given up keeping house for the winter and gone to board with her niece, Mrs. P. M.

SPRINGS, BED LOUNGES,

A. P. Wilson of Boston, Mass., Sofas, Extension Tables, Chairs was at his father's, K. J. Wilson, George Sargent of Kansas City. Mirrors, &c. made a flying visit to his father's, G.

Mrs. J. H. Starrett has gone to Baldwinsville, Mass., for medical The Social circle met Wednesday with Mrs. A. J. Abbott; Benevolent STRAW MATTINGS.

David Sargent and wife from Keene, spent Thanksgiving with his We will sell you Furniture and Carpets as Low as you can buy the same quality of goods elsewhere, either for Cash or on Instalments. Please give Miss Mary Manning was called to Chelsea, Mass., last week, by the us a call.

- ALSO A NEW AND WELL SELECTED LINE OF -

In White and Colored Ware.

n the primary department and more Also Glass and Tin Ware.

Our line of GENERAL MERCHANDISE was never in better shape than

Lot of Odd Pants to sell Cheap for Cash.

his duties here last term and giving Men's Suits from up. Ladies' and Gent's Underwear.

Married, Saturday evening, Nov 28 FOR GIRLS AND BOYS.

TRUNKS AND BACS.

Harnesses, Horse Blankets, Whips, &c. buy. the best wishes of friends and acquaintances, hoping that their future

How are as follows:—President, Miss About Mamie Pettee; Secretary, Arthur Pictures?

very low.

Are you going to have any mittee, John Goodrich, Myrtie White, Framed this fall? Now is the time to attend to it, and we met the ladies at the residence of are ready to do it. We also noon, Nov. 30th. An hour was carry a line of Framed Pietspent in discussing the temperance

> RATTAN ROCKING CHAIRS

The most complete line ever shown in this town can be seen in our store. The styles Concord. N. H. and prices are sure to suit you. Look at them. It costs nothmg.

Quartered Oak Centre Tables

Are about the correct thing, and we have them in all styles and costs. You will miss it if you let this opportunity of getting a nice table go.

Over Savings Bank, HILLSBORO' BRIDGE, N. H. Office in Jameson Block.

Your Farm?

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ures, which we are selling Real Estate

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Agency, Antrim, N. H.

Fire Insurance Co., The Capitol Fire Ins. Co. of

The Concord Mutual Fire Ins.

Have arranged with one of the most reliiable and successful Real Estate Agencies in Boston, and am prepared to SELL FARMS, STORES, VIL-LAGE PROPERTY, &c., ON COM-MISSION.

Tenements Let & Rents Collected.

Office in JAMESON'S BLOCK, Antrim, Saturdays, 7 to 9 P. M.

BOSTON OFFICE: C. F. PIERCE & CO., 180 and 186

WASHINGTON ST.

JAP. WOLF ROBE! 1 Stable Lantern. 1 Second-hand J. R. Hill Harness.

I have for sale, 1 Fur Coat, cheap Damon Safe, 1 Pung Sleigh, 1 pair Traverse Runners, 1 Bed Lounge, 1 Soapstone Stove. Inquire of C. R.

JAMESON, Saturdays, 7 to 9 P. M.

MONDAY, Nov. 2, '91

WE STILL CONTINUED

The Largest Sale of Putney & Little's, CLOTHING!

> HATS & CAPS BOOTS AND SHOES,

Trunks, Bags,

That ever occurred in this town. We have filled our store and store rooms with the greatest and best selected stock of goods it was ever your privilege to examine. Our stock is larger and better than you may find in most city stores. You may doubt this, but look in both places and decide for yourself. There are a great many bargains to be offered by us at this sale, and we shall ask you to read this description, which will SAVE YOU MONEY if you are of the saving kind. First of all we will sell:

CLOYES AND MITTENS.

Children's Knee Pant Suits!

Double breasted, age 4 to 14 years, at \$2.50. worth \$3.50.

15 Suits Knee Pants at \$2.75, nearly all wool. 36 Suits in a Fine Pattern, at \$3.50, all wool; city prices \$4.50. 24 Suits Knee Pants, Fine Worsted, \$5.00.

20 Suits Knee Pants, Fine Worsted, \$6.00. All well made and good fitting suits.

Dress the Boys warm for a Little Money

24 Boy's Suits, Long Pauts, at \$6.50 : very heavy. 36 Suits of Boys' all wool Cheviot, square cut, and the best Suit ever sold at **\$8.00**; Worth \$10.00. 24 Boy's Suits, Fine Dark Plaid, at \$10.00.

These are nice goods and we have them in different patterns to suit any one. Do not let this opportunity pass.

More care is taken in regard to fit and style of Men's Ready-made Hothing, so that in many respects it is superior to custom work, and much heaper. We have this fall EXTRA BARGAINS IN

20 Suits of the Fast Brown Cheviot, in square cut, at \$14.00 per suit 10 Suits of the double-breasted Brown Cheviot, at \$15.00. 30 Suits of a bran new Black Cheviot, square cut and bound, an elegant uit at \$15.00

24 double-breasted heavy all wool Farmers' and Teamsters' at \$10.00. Just what you want, and they are going fast. 24 Clay Worsted Coats and Vests, \$14.00. The best of worsted that would cost you \$25.00 made to order.

The best goods always sell with us, so it is our aim to get the best we can

Do You Want to Sell SPEAKING OF PANTS!

We are selling some dandies at \$5.50 and \$6.00 a pair. Just think of it. \$6.00 for a ready-made pant. Try on a pair. Others at \$3.50 and \$4.00, and 100 pairs of our regular \$2.00 all-wool pants for business.

OVERCOATS! OVERCOATS!

It is safe to say that we have the Largest Line ever opened in this town. Come in and look at the large piles on our counters.

40 Ulsters at \$6.00 each, extra long.

36 Ulsters at \$8.00, extra long. 36 Ulsters at \$10.00 each, Blue and Gray. Regular \$12.00 coat.

20 All Wool Ulsters at \$12.00. This the is Best Ulster ever sold anywhere at the price. Come in before they are gone. If you want a FINE ULSTER we have them at \$15, \$18, \$22, \$25, right here in stock, Sizes on Ulsters, 34 to 14. CHILD'S CAPE OVERCOATS \$2.75, \$3.50, \$4.00, \$5.00 and \$6.00. A

BOY'S OVERCOATS \$3.50, \$5.00, \$6.00, \$7.00, \$10.00 and \$12.00. The Granite State 20 Black Cheviot Overcoats at - - \$13.00.

Sizes 33 to 42. A great seller. 36 MEN'S OVERCOATS AT \$6.00.

A heavy blue Chinchilla cheap at \$8.50. These are only a few of the many We have received 40 LEATHER COATS made of goat skin, and the best coat made at \$4.50. These are all firsts, as we carry no seconds.

SHOES! BOOTS AND

In our Shoe Department you will find all the Latest Styles, and at a Lower price than you can fiud elsewhere. 24 pairs Ladies' Cloth Top Tip Button Boots at \$2.40. 24 pairs Ladies' Tip Front Lace Boots at \$2.00. A very fine boot. 24 pairs Ladies' Kid Button Boots, common sense and opera toes, \$1.50. A full line of the Waverley School Shoes in stock. We are selling the Porpoise Shoes in plain toe and cap toe at \$2.50. 36 pairs Men's Grain Creedmoor Lace at \$1.50. Regular \$2.00 shoes.

24 pairs Men's Congress Boots \$1.20. Look at them.

Rubber Boots, Wool Boots, Felt Stockings, Men's Waterproof Grain Congress for wet weather. Oil Coats, Umbrellas, Trunks.

HATS AND The Latest Style Stiff Hat is the Flarrington. We sell them for \$2.00 and \$2.25, so dou't pay \$2 50 and \$2.75 for the same goods. Yacht Caps in Blue and Black, 50 cents each.

5 dozen MEN'S JERSEY OVERSHIRTS at 65c. each; regular \$1 goods. 5 dozen BLACK JERSEY OVERSHIRTS at 75c. Regular \$1 goods. These sell fast, so come quick.

Goods Sold at 10 Per Cent Profit Only. Buy of us, and save money.

KIMBALL & ROACH.

BOSTON STORE.

HILLSBOROUGH BRIDGE. N. H. TWO KILLED, SIX BADLY HURT

Madman Wilson's Attempt to Kill the Millionaire With Dynamite-

Mr. Sage is Not Fatally Hurt-Horrible Scones After the Lucatio Burled the Blomb - Naught Left of the Crank Except His Hend, Which Has Boen Idontified by Mr. Sage-The Muniac Was Modest, and Only Wanted a Little Overa Million NEW YORK, Dec. 5. -Not in many years has there been such excitement here as was created when it became known that the Arcade building on Broadway had been wrecked by an explosion, caused by the hand of a maniac who had demanded an enormous sur of money from Russell Sage, and who, on being refused, hal hurled a dynamite bomb at the millionaire broker.

The report of the explosion dealened every one in the building and was heard for several blocks. Its force was tremendous it shock the building. shattered the second floor from the Broadway side half way back to Church street, and its downward force wrecked the vacant room in the first floor underneath the office of Russell Sage. Win dows were broken from the basement to the fifth floor, as were also the inside glass partitions and the skylights.

The main force of the explosion expended in the two offices of Russel Sage-in the meeting room of the direct tors of the Manhattan Railroad Com pany, which is directly west of Russel Sage's private office, and in the telegrap room of W. E. Connor & Co., adjoining



the room where the bomb was thrown These four apartments were destroyed with all that they contained. Dividing walls were entirely torn away. Heavir n fireplaces were wrenched apart yawning cracks were made in the brick walls, doors were blown to pieces, hun dreds of pounds of brick were torn out o'a wal! a foot thick, marble wash s ands were broken into small pieces lead pipes were wrenched apart, mon was blown through the windows in e Rictor street, and a tombstone in Trinity Churchyard, 100 feet away, was shattered by the concussion.

wildest rumors became rife, and it was stated that a dozen people had been killed, and as many injured. The correct list of the dead and injur-KILLED.

"O. H. Wilson," the bomb-thrower, age about 45; home unknown. BENJAMIN FRANKLIN NORTON, 19 years old; unmarried, home, Far Rockaway. INJURED.

Russell Sage, aged 75; lacerations about face and head; suffering from shock. Frank Robertson, 19 years old; sight of one eye destroyed, the other badly injured,, severely cut all over body and face; recovery doubtful.
William R. Laidlow, Jr., 35 years old,

arms and left leg badly bruised, lacerated wounds on body and head; suffer ing from shock.

G. W. Osborne, 51 years old, com-pound fracture of the skull; face and hands bruised; recovery doubtful. S. G. Calhoun, bruised about the face not seriousty hurt.

Joseph J. Slocum, aged 50, bruised about face and neck. Mr. Sage was transacting business in Shortly after noon a clerk entered with a card bearing the name of H. D. Wilson.

Mr. Sage sent the clerk back to ask the man's business. The clerk returned and said the man was from John Rockefeller and wished to see Mr. Sage personally. Sage went out to see him.

found a neatly dressed man sitting is the ante-room, clutching between his knees a small black bag. He said to the man that he was very busy, and asked him to be scated a short time, when he would see him. He turned

to enter his office, when the visitor The Demand.

"Mr. Sage, here is a letter that will t ok the letter, told the man to sit "I hold in my hand ten pounds of dynamite. If I drop it on the floor it will blow this building and every one in it to pieces. For \$1,200,000 it will not

d op. Yes or no?

Mr. Sage knew at once that he had to deal with a lunatic, and in a collected "I have an important business on gagement in half an hour and cannot

ve the matter attention until then. You must return.' "Then you refuse," said the lunatio, as Mr. Sage handed back the letter. "Why no; I tell you that as sson as

have done with my engagement I will give you an answer. 'That will not do,'' the man replied as Mr. Sage turned to enter his office Then raising the autohal high over his led the visitor dashed it to the floor. i chended by the Bomb.

There followed the awful explosion and the mad robber was blown out o all earthly semblance into tattered bits of flesh, all but his head, which re mained unmarked, as neatly severed as if a knife had done the work.

Of all the men who were in the room when the bomb was thrown, the intended victim seams to have been the least injured. His hands were slightly burned, his face was cut by flying glass and his clothes were tern from his back. but he was able to walk to a nearby drug store, where he had his wounds dressed, and he is quietly resting at his

home in Fifth avenue.

George Gould, Jay Gould's son, was sitting in his office, which adjourns that of Russell Sage, when the bomb was thrown. He gives the following account of what he knew of the affair:

"I was writing a letter when I heard a noise like that made by the explosion of a cannon, followed by a shock which brought down the walls. I did not stop to inquire the cause, but made my way out of the building as fast as I could. When I reached the street I was told that some one had thrown a bomb at Mr. Sage. I was more frightened than hurt. Col. Hain, his private secretary, Mr. Fransioli, and Washington E. Conner got out of the building unburt with

Russell Sage's Statement.

statement to Inspector Byrnes: "I came out of my office, having been sent the Holy See if the Pope encourages the for. I found there a man with a French Hishops in their satchel. He handed me a card with the against the government.

name H. D. Wilson on it. He said he the same time handed me a typewritten letter in a sealed envelope. It was ad dressed to me. I opened it, and found it was a demand upon me for the immediate payment of a million and a quarter dollars. The letter stated that if the money was not given up at once to the possessor of the letter that he would blow me, himself and the entire place up with dynamite. I read the letter and placing it in the envelope handed it back to him, and turned to go into my private office when the explosion oc

Russell Sage, Jr., declares it to be his belief that the insane assailant of his father is the same man who has been for some time past sending threatening letters to his father, but beyond this no clew can be nad.

A half a dozen or more of these had been received. The name used in these letters was James Walsh. In these letters the writer demanded the payment to him of the sum of \$1,200,000, the dentical sum demanded by the man who called on Mr. Sage. Why this special sum was wanted the writer of the letters did not specify.

Not the Giens Falls Lunation A dispatch from Albany intimated that the dynamite thrower might be Hiram Wilson, of Glens Falls, who is known as a dangerous lunatic, and who ecently regained his liberty. A gentleman in this city, who was well acquainted with Hiram Wilson, of Glons falls, viewed the body at Duffy's undertaking rooms last night and sald:

"Hiram Wilson, of Glens Falls, who the bomb, is older than the man whose remains are at Duffy's undertaking rooms. His hair and mustache were gray, his face smooth shaven and his teeth decayed. The points he had in common with the dead man were fanaticism a betral of the rich and a habit of threatening to kill people who crossed his path or refused to lend him money

THE JEWETT AFFAIR.

A Former Bomb-Throwing Recalled b the Present Occurrence. NEW YORK, Dec. 5. -- On April 5, 1877, similar occurrence took place in the office of Jewett & Co, linesed oil dealers, at Burling Slip and Front street. The excitement was great, and the fatal results, together with the prominence of the victims, made the affair the reigning sensation of the day. Shortly before 12 o'clock on the day

of the tragedy there were present in a back room on the second floor of the Jewett ; I too of business George Jewett and his nephew, Orville Jewett, and Joseph A. Dean, now a dealer in linseed oils and also located in Burling Slip, was near by. All that occurred in the office has nover been made public, but it is known that for some reaon a bomb was thrown by Orville Jew The explosion startled every one in

the building and in the immediat neighbrhood, and people at once rushed to the scene of the accident. Mr. Dear was found coming down stairs with one leg badly shattered. On the floor of the back room lay George Jewett, terribly mangled. He had been apparently instantly killed. Near him lay Orvillo Jewett, the au-

thor of the calamity. He was still alive, and near him was a heavy Colt's revolver, two chambers of which had been discharge l. In young Jewett's breast were found two gaping bullet wounds. Surgical aid was at once called, and Jewett was taken to the Chambers Street Hospital, where he died at ( o'clock that evening.

Mr. Dean recovered from his injuries.

SEVEN DEAD

Walls Caving in Cause a Terrible Accident in St. Pant. St. Patt. Minn., Dec. 5.—The falling in of the centre wall of the west section of the Shepard building, receatly occupied by Farwell, Ozmun & Kirk, burying the workmen beneath the ruins, is the most horrible accident that ever ocourred here.

The accident occurred shortly after 1 o'clock in the afternoon. The list of the dead and injured is as follows:

EDWARD WILCOX, contractor. HANS HANSEN, Swede Inborer CHARLES KARINSKI, Pole laborer. GEORGE SHAPINSKI, laborer. CHARLES LARSON, laborar. John Adamsia, laborer. FRANK MARCO, Laborer.

INJURED.

Matthew Howe, forement Thomas Samatra, Frank Dether, Samuel Peters, William Foster, two naknowa men. It was a scene never to be forgotten, as the men were carried out, rome of them crushed aimost to a pulp. One of the men, a sub-foreman, was taken out in his fur coat, nothing but his feet and limbs being visible. His next and body were crushed out of shaps. There were men with all their limbs broken, faces bruised, and crushed out of all resom blance to humanity. Others were not so badly mangled, but had evidently been instantly killed by the brick fall ing on their heads

There were no groans or cries from the injured as the poor fellows were extricated from the ruins. Not one had retained consciousness. There were groans and exclamations without number from the spectators, however. The most careful handling possible seemed to be torture most horrible, for the rescuers were not well-fitted to their growsome task at the outset, and did not work together as they did later on. In their disconcerted efforts they seemed to be pulling the men almost to pieces. The faces of the workmen could not have been more ghastly if they had been dead themselves.

The cause of the accident as near as can be learned was that the wall which was so much weakened by the fire, became top heavy from the large amount of debris removel from the bottom and fell over of its own weight. for some time it has been considered dangerous by people who frequented the place, but the contractors who examined it pronounced the wall sound and the men continued to work without fear of accident. The wall had appeared firm and gave no sign of weakening up to the time of the fall, when it came down in a heap without a second's warning. The excavations about the base hav been carried on very rapidly, and the greater part of the debris had been re

Inspector Johnston says: "I examined the walls after the fire and thought they were solid. My opinion is that the removal of the debris and the excava tion from the base, together with the sudden changes of heat and cold precipi tated the fall.

That Insanity Story Unfounded. VIENNA, Dec. 5. - A newspaper of this city started the report, three weeks ago, that the German Kalser was considering the idea of having an inquiry by medical experts as to his own sanity, not that the Kaiser ever doubted his sanity, but that he wished to prove to the world that the French, and other rumors affecting his sanity are wholly unfounded. The Socialists, in Berlin, Vienna and Paris, are doing everything possible to spread these rumors, with riew of weakening the popular confi-

Germany Following America.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 3. -- According to information received by the Bu reau of American Republics the German government is attempting to follow the ead of the United States negotiating a reciprocity treaty with Brazil. There anve been several interviews between Count Donohoff and the Minister of For eign Relations, in which the prelimi-

PARIS. Dec. 5. -The French govern ment has sont an intimation to the Vat. Russell Sage has made the following lean that France will be constrained to inspector Rypnas. 44] withdraw the French Ambassador to

## TWENTY ARE

Twelve Canal Boats Sunk in Haverstraw Bay.

TORNADO STRUCK THE FLEET

Sixty Men Were on the Tow and But Forty Have Appeared.

he Tug Which Was Towing the Boats Had to Put About and All Went Down-Great Damage By the Storm in the Cumberland and Wyoming Valleys-Wires Down Everywhere.

HAVERSTRAW, N. Y., Dec. 5.-Twelve arges loaded with brick, which were being towed by the Cornell Towing Company's steamboat Townsend down tne Hudson, were upset at 9 p. m. when opposite Croton Point by a tornado: These boats were in the fleet: Ellen C. McGuire, Capt. G. Larkin; Mary G.

Burts, Capt. W. Devit; Blackstone, an Yellowstone, from Tompkins Cove. Tho 20 who were lost were on the barge Irene, Dodson, Louise, Lizzie and Louise. They include Capts. Kennely, Cahill, Bradbury, Foley, Brennan, Free man, Scott and Fox. When off Croton Point the swash of

the river was so great the tug was compelled to come about. This compelled to come about. This compelled the barges to bunt each other and they upset. The cause of the accident is attributed to the carelessness of the pilot of a tug.

W. Curran, a boat hand on the Louise

says: "We were playing the concertina in the cabin at the time the accident occurred. I ran on deck to see one scow run on top of the other." The boats did not sink, but toppled over. Upon each barge were five men making 60 in all, and of these only 40

non came ashore.

CARLISLE, Pa., Doc. 5 .- The storn of wind and rain which swept through the Cumberland Valley did damage to property to the extent of \$300,000. Throughout the afternoon the rain fell in torrents, and the streets were flooded. Roofs were blown from scores of build ing and several places were blown down. In Mechanicsburg the storm took on the strength of a tornado, and blew down 15 houses, among them being the National Hotel, Metholist church and other buildings. In all 23 buildings were damaged, and the loss is estimated at \$75,000. Several persons were in jured by flying timbers. In Waynes ooro the Landis Tool Works wers par tially wrecked. The Webster school house was completely demolished, and in the country, in the apper end of this valley, valuable barns and crops were destroyed. No lives are reported lost.

Damage in Wyoming Valley. WILKESBARRE, Pa., Doc. 5. - Great amage was done throughout the Wy oming Valley by the terrific rain and hail storm which swept through this region. The Susquehanna River rose three feet, and with the exception of the heights, the streets of this city were under water, and from the flooding o the celtars in the business portion of the city thousands of dollars damage re-

STARVING TO DEATH. Man Who Has Gons Without Food fo

sulted.

29 Days. SEABRIGHT, N. J., Dec. 5.-James Harley Sandfield, of this place, is a faster who bids fair to become a rival of Dr. Tanner. He has gone 20 days without food of any description. He was taken vory sick some time ago, and was in a convalescent state when his stomach refused to perform its functions. It could not contain food fo any length of time, and the man's physicians were compelled to administer medicines to keep him alive.

Sandfield's case is a most puzzling one. He is wasting away rapidly, and unless he is able to take nourishment soon death will be inevitable. The case is creating considerable comment, and the faster has scores of visitors daily.

Unsuccessful Attempt to Wrock a Train HUNTINGTON, W. Va., Dec. 5. -There is no clue to the authors of the attempt to wreck the "Fast Flyer" Virginia passenger train for Washington, near point. The wreckers had wrapped a huge log chain about one of the rails until it formed a great knot of steel with one end of the chain tied to a post that was driven between the rails. The obstruction was placed at a sharp turn, where it was impossible for the engineer to see it. A freight train came along in advance of the passenger train and ran into the obstruction. The engine of the freight was derailed and tore up the track before coming to a stop. Three of the cars tumbled into the river and the cars were piled about promisenously on top of one another. Fortunately no one was injured.

Three Cruisers Ordered South WASHINGTON, Dec. 5. -An order has been issued at the Navy Department ordering the cruisers Chicago, Ben'uington and Atlanta to the South Atlanta sta tion, and placing Rear Admiral John G. Walker in command of this station. This action was taken by the Department, it is understood, so as to have Admiral Walker in the vicinity of Brazil and Chili in case any trouble at these countries should occur. The or der a so revokes the instruction sent Admiral Benham some time ago ordering him to hold himself in readines.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., D.c. 5.--Mrs. Charles P. Johnson, of Wyandotte, Kan., has organized a band of Adventists, who have fixed Christmas Day as the end of the world. She has about 800 followers already, and has fitted up a residence magnificantly. There she receives her friends and holds seances She says she is in hourly communication with the spirit world, and that there can be no mistake as to her prediction

The Speakership Contest. WASHINGTON, Dec. 5. - Judge Holman will call the Democratic caucus to nominate officers for the House of Representatives to order at 2 o'clock. The friends of Mr. Crisp claim that he will be nominated for Speaker on the first ballot. The Republican Members will meet at 7:30 this evening to decide on the persons who shall raceive thair cam

Konrick's Jubiles Over. St. Louis, Dec. 8.—The chief feature of the closing day of the celebration of the golden jubilee of Archbishop Kenrick was the reception tendered to the venerable prelate by the Marquette Club at its club house and for several thousand invitations had been issued to visiting prelates and priests and prominent citizens. The Arch bis hop was received in the main hall of the club, and for several hours shoot hands with a steady stream of representatives of all denominations who availed themselves of this opportunity of testi-fying to their admiration and esteem of his life and services.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 3.—Samuel Pollock, 51 years of age, shot his wife during the morning, seriously injuring her, and then killed himself. She will recover. The cause was domestic trouble. For some time Pollock and his wife had been unfriendly toward each other. About 8 o'clock they arose and retired to separate rooms to dress. Pollock emerged first and waited for his wife to

Attempted Murder and Sulcide

THE MISUSED COUNTESS. Earl Russell's Wife Reiterates He

LONDON, Dec. 3. -The suit of Counters Russell against her husband, Earl Russell, for a judicial separation draw a large throng to the High Court yesterday, although there were not so many women present as on the previous day.

On the opening of the court the
Countess resumed her place in the witness box and Sir Charles Russell took up his cross-examination at the point where it was broken off by the adjourn-

ment of the court. Sir Charles put many questions to the witness regarding the relations between the Earl and Roberts, and tried in every way to lead her to contradict herself. The witness, however, persisted in the statements she had made regarding Roberts. She also repeated the statements she had made concerning the information furnished her by the Dowager Countess Russell, Lady Agatha Russell and the Hon. Rollo Russell. The Countess testified that these per

sons did not say anything about Rob erts, but they told her things about the Earl's past life that made her think him capable of the offence suggested. The Counters admitted that she had received a letter from the Earl's solicitor advising her to borrow \$1,500 from an insurance company for the purpose of sottling her debts.

When asked whether the state of her health had anything to do with her separation from her husband, the Countess replied that her doctor told her tha she was suffering much from worry and she would be better if she separated from the Earl for some little time. It was then agreed that she and the Earl should part for at least three

months Sir Charles Russell here read letters that were exchanged by the Earl and Counters during the time the latter was at Pembroke Lodge.

Other witnesses examined were Dr. Godson, the family physician of Lady Scott, and Eliza Vale, the maid to the Countess. Throughout the day the light-haired, spectacled, weak-looking young Earl, the object of universal contempt, sat in the seat provided for him, succring or

smiling at the evidence presented.

After taking some further and much similar testimony, Sir Edward Clarke, for the Counters announced that the case for the petitioner was closed.

Sir Charles Russell, for the respond ent, in summing up, made one of the most brilliant and adroit of his many remarkable addresses to juries. He spoke clearly, and contending, at length, that the Countess had been known to be of an extremely nervous nature and prone to exaggeration. The respondent he claimed, was willing now, in face o the dark insinuations made in Court, in

of any statements to the contrary, should return to his home. WORST WRECK IN YEARS.

Peculiar Accident on the New York & Ne

face of everything and anything, that

his wife, whom he dearly loved, in spite

England Road. PROVIDENCE, R. I., Dec. 5.-Three nen killed, four or more seriously injured, two of whom may die; four locomotives, two freight trains and the coaches of two passenger trains destroyed—this is the result of the accideat on the New York & New England

The following is a correct list of the killed and injured: Killed: -- Harry Tabor, engineer of Long Island express. Tabor's firem in, Jorry Fitzgeral I.

An unknown man in the sleeper Mid-INJURED: Engineer Wild of night fre zht, east bound; seriously. Fireman Boyco, also of the night Engineer Hurley and Fireman Lowdon

the boat train. man named Chandler of Chestnut Hill, Boston. Express Messenger Marshall of the boat express; shoulder injure l.

Baggage Master Chase of the boat The disaster occurre lat 6:45 o'clock yesterday morning at the little station of East Thompson, seven miles cast of Put-

nam.

The wreckel trains were a local freight, a through Boston freight, the Long Island and Eastern States express, and the New York train from Norwich The coaches of the Long Islan I express suffered most, for the train first ran into the wreck of the two freight trains and was then parely telescoped by the bott

There were but 12 passengers on the express, and all but one escaped. His name is unknown. He was burned with the Pullman vestibule car Midland. His watch is intact, but only a few bones scattered among the dobris of

the car are left of the m in. The Southbridge freight was either standing still or moving very slowly when, without warning, a train shot through the feg around the curve and crashed into it. The engines struck head on, raise I up an I fell over on their sides, battered masses of iron, from which aroso clouds of steam. Before on; could think, there was a screech and the Long Islant express

dashed into the wrock, killing the engineer and fireman, and then, inside of three minutes the fast boat train come along and pile litself on top of the other

Banks and Bank Failures. WASHINGTON, Dec. 3 -The report of the Comptroller of Currency shows that during the year ended Oct. 31, 1891, 193 new National banks were organized possessing an aggegate capital of \$20, 700,000, thus exhibiting a growth largely in excess of the annual average for past years. In number of faures the present exceeds any previous year, but others have been more disastrous in point of capital and liabilities. It is noted that more than one half in number of the banks which became insolvent during the period covered by the re port were located in two Western States. and that these failures were chiefly due to the effects of four successive crop

Burned to Death In Her House CANANDAIGUA, N. Y., Dec. 3. -Early yesterday morning James S. Crawford's house on Wood street was burned and the only occupant, Mrs. Sarah Gibson de Somoskeoy was cremate I alive. When the fire was discovered the entire interior was in flames and the attention of the department was directed to the adjoining buildings. After the flames been extinguished it was found that Mrs. Somoskeoy was missing, and further search revealed her blackened

A Verdict Against a Railroad. NEW YORK, Dec. 8.-Edward L. Cunningham was awarded \$7,500 damages yesterday by a jury in Julge Wheeler's court, against the New York Central &

Hudson River Railroad Company. In

October, 1890, Cunningham was injured

at Buffalo while employed by the railroad company. He instituted suit for \$20,000, and the jury, after being out two hours, gave him the above amount. NORWALK, Conn., Dec. 3.-A collision between two switching engines took place yesterday morning at Wilson Point, the Sound terminus of the Hous-

Claimed He is Insane BROCKTON, Mass., Dec. 3.—Charles T. Stoddard, of this city, was yesterday

sane, and, therefore, not responsible

for his actions.

atonic Railroad, by which a great deal

of damage was done to rolling stock.

Conductor Patrick Kelly was badly in-

the floor. He then turned the pistol to his and other emigent physicians are in the world.

THE TRUE THOROUGH BRED.

HE IS THE ONLY GENUINE ARIS-TOORAT IN THE WORLD.

The Story of the Blooded Horse From the Days of Mohammed, and on to Our Own.

The only genuine aristocrat on earth

s the thoroughbred horse. Compared with his pedigree, the blood of the best born man is a mud-puddle, for no family, however great, has remained long without the mixture of some humbler strain. But the presence of a single drop of blood from an animal whose name is not written in the stud book is enough to bar a horse from this class. It is true the stud book, with two excep-tions, gives no dates earlier than the eighteenth century, but every thoroughbred horse now in existence can be traced to one of three horses brought to England in the latter part of the seventeenth century, from a country where the reputation of a horse is a matter of pride and triumph to a whole tribe, and his capture or death almost as great a caamity as the loss of their chief; where he lives with the family, petted by the children, washed, and combe I, and decorated by the women, and where his edigree is their most precious record. The Arabs claim that every horse of the Kochlani, as they call their royal breed, can show direct descent from one of the mares that carried the prophet M tho net, and they are fond of asserting that these mares were descended from the horses which the Queen of Sheba brought as a present to King Solomon. The three horses who stamped themselves so indelibly upon the English breed were the Darley Arabian, the

Godolphin Arabian (or, more accurately

Barb, for he came from the Burbars States and differed somewhas from the true Arab, and the Beyerly Turk, so called, because he was the charger of Captain Byerly, an English officer in the Irish wars of King William III in 1689. The Darley was the true Arab, and be came the propenitor of a large majority of all the thoroughbre I horses now in existence. The Godolphin came to England from France, where a gentleman by the name of Coke saw him hitched to cart in the streets of Paris. Struck by his appearance, he inquired about him, and finding that he came from Africa, bought him, it is said, for ten guineas, and presented him to the Earl of Godolphin. His height was fifteen hands, and he had an enormously high crest. Each of these horses is represented by descendants whose brilliant records on the tur have made them historical, and modern pedigrees are not usually trace any further back. The Darley is represented by two lines, one through Flying Childers. Snap and Waxy were through the former line and Eclipse through the latter. Flying Childers was the wonder of his age and was never beaten. Of course the time-honored tradition of his running a mile a minute is a transparent fiction as a horse would have to cover eighty-eight feet—that is make more than three strides in a second. Eclipse was the property of a Mr. O'Kelly. his first race against a large field of horses, his owner offered, before the horses started for the second heat, to name the order in which every one would finish. This seemed to be an impossible offer, and bets at great odds were made. When called on to declare the order, Mr. O'Kelly slou'ed; "Eclipse first, and the rest nowhere." Eclipse distanced the whole field, they had, in turf language, no place, and Mr.

O'Kelly won a large fortune. Eclipse started eighteen times and was never beaten. The representative of the Byerly Turk is the great King Herod, foaled in 1758. Herod was a bay fifteen hands three inches, possessing great girth and length combined with immense staying powers. He was bred by the Duke of Cumberland, the uncle of George III. Of Herod's progeny Wood-pecker, Glencoe and Bay Middleton are the most famous. Gloncoe was imported to this country, and his daughters were bred to our immortal Lexington with such success that it was called the

golden cross. Bay Middleton was so fast that when his owner was asked if he could stay for four miles, said he couldn't say as no horse he had ever met could stay with him for a mile and a half. The Godolphin is represented by Matchless and Sorcerer. Speaking generally the Dar-ley is the stout blood, the Turk the speedy blood and the Godolphin the large breed, but with a tendency to die out, and nowadays extremely rare. To show the value of pure bleed, Samson, a horse of the eighteenth century, was of unknown pedigree. He was one of the best horses of the day and his son Bay Malton, was as good. Their success raised quite an outery against the theory of the breeders. But in the next gener ation the advocates of pure blood had the laugh on their side. No colt of Bay Malton was worth his feed, and today no intelligent breeder would touch a horse that had any trace of the Sam-

son blood. Our American thoroughbred is of truly royal blood. Almost every horse now on our turf who is not the result of later importations is decended from Diomed one of the best grandsons of King Herod. He was brought to Virginia and his son, Sir Archy, born in 1805, became so famous that his colts were eagerly sought by breeders. The great Lexington, who thirty years ago shared in the public heart a place with Flora Temple, was the best son of Boston, who was the best son of Timoleon, who was the best son of Sir Archy, who was the best son of Diomed, who was the best son of Florizel, a son of Herod. In looking at a thoroughbred one is

struck with the fineness of his head, with its broad forchead, delicate ears, taper muzzle and nostrils widely distented showing their lining of rich blood red. The neck is rather long and decidedly straight, the arch so much admired in the saddle horse being positively objectionable. This straight line is nature's provision that the circulation of air in the windpipe may be as free as possible. The body seems long, but it will be found that a large part of it is taken up by the shoulders and hind quarters, and that the middle piece is not actually longer than in the horse who from inferior shoulders and quarters appears eight inches shorter, just as the apparent slimness of the legs is deceptive. Stand in front and they look as thin as a deer's legs, but stand at one side and you see at once how wide this flat bone of the lower leg is. Put a cart horse alongside and his leg would make two of the thoroughbred's, but the bone of the latter actually weighs the most. One is as fine and dense as ivory, the other coarse and porous like a sponge. The mane and tail are very fine and silky, but rather scanty, and the hair is perfectly straight. A big flowing tail and tossing mane, sentenced to 12 years' imprisonment for indecent assault on two young girls. It is claimed for Stoddard that he is inveins which it hardly seems to cover .-Atlanta Constitution.

emerged first and waited for his wife to leave the room. As soon as she passed through the door he drew a revolver from his hip pocket and fired. The ball passed through her hip and she fell to daughter is with him, and Dr. Charcot powers as at present, it will be the rich-

DRUGS IN A NEW FORM.

Compressed Medicine For Use in the Army and Navy.

Army and navy officers, and paricularly those of the medical branches, evince great interest in a contract which was awarded at the War Department the other day for a new system of carrying medical and surgical supplies for an army. Ever since the last Sioux campaign there has been a growing demand for a plan by which supplies needed by the surgeons could be placed in a more compact form than in liquid and carried with greater safety and economy. The result of to-day's award is believed to be as near perfection as possible.

In a small, light, wooden chest 23 nches long, 141 inches wide, and 171 nches high are sixty square bottles containing as many different kinds of medicine, but in compressed tablet form, none of them being larger than an ordinary peppermint lozenge. One of these lozenges or tablets contains all the necessary ingredients of a famous liniment and when dissolved n an ounce of distilled water its healing properties are the same as if it was in liquid shape and in a big glass jar. Some idea may be formed of the perfection to which the art of comession has been brought by the fact that if the contents of this small brass-bound chest were liquefied and in their customary jars and bottles inches above the level of the bed. they would occupy nearly one-half of the space of a regular freight car. There are two of these chests to be

supplied to each battalion of 200 men. No. 1 is marked with the Geneva Red Cross and inscribed 'Medical Supply Chest," while the only difference in No. 2, so far as outward appearance is concerned, i the inscription "Surgical Supplies." With certain kinds of medicine, like a cough mixture, used in quantities, s bottle holding a gill of the compressed tablets is equivalent to a gallon of liquid, and should the bottle break the merits of the tablet are not impaired in the least.

Contract was awarded for 200 o these chests, and one of each kind is to be placed under the driver's seat of an ordinary ambulance, or in case of field service and when pack-mules have to be utilized the chests are suspended on each side of the pannier, their weight with contents being but eighty-five pounds each. On the top of each bottle-stopper is the name of its contents and fixed securely in the and comfort follows the use of Syrup of Figs lid of the chest is a list of contents as it acts in harmony with nature to effectually for the information of the surgeon or hospital steward in charge. Surgeon J. C. Merrill of the Surgeon-General's office, who has been supervising and conducting the experiments, declares that the new system will revolutionize the mode of supplying needed articles for an army and will be of value as well to the National Guard organizations of the various States. Iowa is already in the field with inquiries on the subject of these chests, and it is quite likely that at the next annual encampment of the troops of the Hawkeye State these necessary medical and surgical adjuncts will be seen n abundance.

Whisky, brandy, alcohol and caster oil are carried in liquid form, their ingredients rendering it impossible to form them into tablets, but codliver oil is compressed. In making the inestigations the English army system of carrying medical supplies was examined, but while lightness was obtained by means of wicker baskets covered with rawhide, it was demonstrated that if the hide became dampened it would twist in all shapes and destroy the bottles which the wicker baskets were filled with. Hence a light wooden chest was determined upon and a New York firm provided what proved to be the best and most attractive-looking model. It was accordingly awarded the contract

How They I'aid Their Fines. A Banning (Cal.) constable last week arrested two vagrants, who were tried and given "%5 or five days" each. They had no money, but they could both play the piano, so the judge suggested that they get up a dance, which was done and enough money raised to pay both fines.

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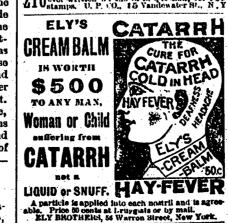
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The Attitude to Assume White Sleening First of all, the attitude for sleeping should be assumed immediately upon retiring to bed. "Sleep not on your back like a dead man," was one of the rules issued by Confucius for the guidance of his disciples. This was good advice, for although lying on the back may secure the greatest amount of rest to the muscular sys tem, yet this is the position assumed in the most exhausting diseases, and it is generally hailed as a token of revival when a patient voluntarily turns on the side. It is better to go to sleep on the right side, for then the stomach is very much in the position of a bottle turned upside down, and the contents are aided in passing out by gravitation. If one goes to sleep upon the left side the operation of emptying the stomach of its contents is more like drawing water from a well. It is particularly unwise to go to sleep on the back after a meal. The weight of the digestive organs and that of the food resting on the great vein of the body near the backbone compresses it and arrests the flow of the blood more or less. If the arrest is partial the sleep is disturbed and there are unpleasant dreams. It the meal has been recent or hearty.

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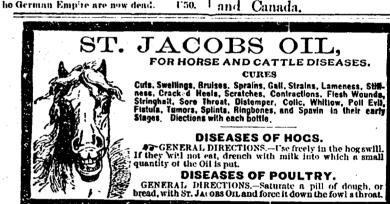
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