



EXPLOSION IN WESTVILLE

ATTEMPT TO BLOW UP THE HOUSE OF MAJOR ALBEE.

A Fuse Dynamite Bomb or Cartridge Placed Under the Dining Room Window and Ignited—Every Pane of Glass Broken—No One Was Hurt—No Clue to the Mischief—The Explosion Heard for Miles Around.

The explosion last evening which was heard over this town and for several miles around was caused by an attempt to destroy the house of Major George E. Albee in Westville. Some one had placed a fuse dynamite cartridge or bomb under the bay window of Major Albee's house and ignited it. The explosion which followed was terrific. Every pane of glass in the house was broken, and all those on the north side of Amos Dickerman's house, which is just south of the Albee house, were also broken. The foundation stone under the window were loosened as were also the timbers and boards connecting it with the main structure. The bay window is on the dining room, and Major Albee and his wife were sitting in the parlor, which is on the north side of the house. The major started for the door when the explosion occurred, not dreaming that it was so near to him. On reaching the outside he saw the broken windows and then looked for his daughters. Neither was hurt, although the younger one, Maria, had been struck by a silver goblet which was sent flying across the room by the force of the explosion. The Misses Albee displayed the utmost coolness, becoming in no way excited at any time. No trace of anyone who was likely to commit such a deed could be found. Officers Whitley and Lautenbach, who are on duty in Westville, were soon on the scene and they began an investigation, but could learn very little.

A few minutes before the explosion Mr. Amos Dickerman, who lives next to Major Albee, was walking down Barnett street, on which the houses of both are situated. With him were his wife and Mrs. Frisbie, who is visiting him. He noticed a man come out of the driveway from Mr. Albee's house and cross the street. There was nothing unusual in his actions and Mr. Dickerman took no particular notice of him. The party reached the house and had just seated themselves inside when the explosion occurred. Mr. Dickerman immediately started out of the house and up the street towards Fountain street. As he came in front of Major Albee's house he saw the major standing at the front door. Both inquired in one breath: "Where is it?" Major Albee then turned and said: "Why, Dickerman, look here."

Dickerman looked and saw the havoc which had been worked on the house. A crowd had soon collected and all manner of rumors were flying. It was learned that Willie Whitley, son of Officer Whitley, in rushing out of his house met a man who talked somewhat with the description of the one seen by Mr. Dickerman. The boy asked what the explosion was, where it was or what was the matter. The man did not answer, but quickened his pace down Fountain street towards the house.

Mr. McGuire, who lives on Barnett street, saw a man running towards Fountain street just after the explosion. Mr. Dickerman, Mrs. McGuire and the Whitley boy all describe the man as being tall, smooth-faced and wearing lark clothes. That is all that is known of him. Shortly after the explosion a woman boarded the Edgewood avenue car and she seemed excited. It was marked to the conductor that the explosion had scared her "almost to death." This gave rise to the rumor that there was a woman connected with the case.

Someone overheard the remark, and thought that she had something to do with it. A telephone message was sent to the Dixwell avenue police station in his city and an officer was sent to look for the car. The officer did not see her on that trip, but learned from the conductor that no suspicious characters had come in on his car.

The house is not as seriously damaged as was at first thought. The bomb or cartridge had been placed in a little arched plot just underneath the bay window, which adjoins the dining room. The lights were lit in this room, but no one was there when the explosion occurred. The air being drawn in through a fan by means of a fan, and after circulating in the room finds its way to the furnace, where it is burned. The ventilation is not provided for by means of windows. When asked if any site had been selected, the speaker said "that the old water property near Water street park had been selected once, but there never had been any money appropriated."

The idea of a pest house had taken hold of the citizens of that part of the town, and the matter had been allowed to drop. The doctor wished to disabuse everyone's mind of the pest house idea. The board of health was asking for a hospital for contagious diseases to save carrying patients five miles. The building should be erected in the center of the city. It would cost about \$20,000, including the fumigating engine. The interest on the balance, \$20,000, would go a great ways in defraying the ordinary expenses of the institution.

It is not intended that the hospital shall be a free institution, but that those persons able to pay for treatment will be expected to do so. Two cases were cited where men whose families were stricken with contagious diseases, told the attending physician that he would pay his fine if reported to the board of health for not giving an account of the case. Such a man would gladly avail himself of the opportunity of having his child taken care of and at the same time attend to his own work.

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ON THE BALL FIELD.

Results of the Games in the Big League Yesterday.

At New York—The New Yorks lost their third straight game to the Philadelphia to-day. Clark was batted out of the box in the second inning, and after that his comrades were out of it, although Irwin put in three of his strong pitches. McGill, too, was hit so hard in the first two innings that Carney was substituted with the result that little or no hitting followed. Nash made a home run. The game was called at the end of the eighth on account of darkness. The score: Philadelphia...1 8 4 0 2 0 2-19 New York...3 4 0 1 0 0 0-8

Hits—Philadelphia 17, New York 9. Errors—Philadelphia 4, New York 2. Batteries—McGill, Carney and Clements; Clarke, Flynn, Seymour, Doherty and Zearfos, Farrell, Wilson.

At Washington—Mercer won his second game from Brooklyn to-day. While batted hard he kept his opponent's hits well scattered. Stein had little speed, and the small score is accounted for by the sharp fielding of the visitors. The players on both sides disputed several of Keefe's decisions, and as much delay was thereby occasioned only seven innings were played. The score: Brooklyn...0 2 0 1 0 2-5 Washington...1 0 1 2 0 1-3

Hits—Brooklyn 10, Washington 13. Errors—Brooklyn 2, Washington 3. Batteries—Stein, Daly and Grim; Mercer and McAuley.

At Boston—Harvard won its sixth scheduled game to-day on Holmes' field from the Pawtucket team by a score of 15 to 8. Harvard's stick work was the feature.

At Baltimore—Boston to-day gave the Orioles the first coat of whitewash of the season. The champions were never in the hunt and were completely at Nichols' mercy, their six hits being well scattered throughout the nine innings. The fielding of the visitors was gilt-edged while that of the home team was rocky at times. Collins sprained his ankle in the second inning in sliding to second and had to retire. Stivett went to right field and Bannon to third. The score: Baltimore...0 0 0 0 0 0 0-0 Boston...0 1 1 0 1 0 2-7

Hits—Baltimore 6, Boston 7. Errors—Baltimore 4, Boston 0. Batteries—Boston, Clarkson and Robinson; Baltimore, Nichols and Ryan.

At Paterson—The Patersons opened the Atlantic league series to-day with Wilmington before 2,000 people and lost the game through the inability to hit Nops and the wildness of Cogan in the first three innings. Callahan relieved Cogan in the fourth and stopped the run getting for Wilmington. It was a pitcher's battle in which Nops came off victor. The score: Paterson...0 2 0 0 0 0 2-7 Wilmington...0 0 0 0 0 0 0-2

Hits—Paterson 6, Wilmington 1. Errors—Paterson 0, Wilmington 1. Batteries—Cogan, Callahan and Elftorn; Nops and Welch.

MANCHESTER IS ABLAZE

THE WHOLE TOWN IS IN DANGER OF DESTRUCTION BY FIRE.

Help Has Been Telephoned From Surrounding Towns—At a Late Hour the Fire Was Making Great Headway—Hartmann's Big Tobacco Warehouse is Gone Into Smoke and Cinder.

Manchester, Conn., April 24.—This town is all ablaze, and the large tobacco warehouse of Adolf Hartmann on Spruce street, located diagonally across from the railroad depot, was burned to the ground early this morning. The feed store situated on the same street was ablaze at 2 o'clock and is doomed to destruction.

The fire started in the Hartmann tobacco warehouse at 1 o'clock, and as the town has no fire department the fire is making great headway. Help was telephoned for at 2:30 o'clock from neighboring towns, and the inhabitants of the town are out with every conceivable description of water carriers and hope to check the flames before the whole town is destroyed.

LATER. Hartford, April 24.—The worst fire that North Manchester ever had broke out about 1 o'clock this morning in Strant's livery stable. Seven horses were burned, as was Hartmann's tobacco warehouse, with several hundred cases of tobacco, and two or three barns. The center of the town is threatened.

FOR EARLY ADJOURNMENT. It Cannot be Too Early to Please the Republicans. Washington, April 23.—The republicans of the senate favor an early adjournment, and the earlier, after the appropriation bills are out of the way, the better it will please them. This sentiment was developed this morning at the caucus held for the purpose of determining the order of business.

After a short discussion Mr. Sherman, chairman of the caucus, was authorized to appoint a committee on order of business, which will decide upon what matters outside of appropriation bills shall be brought up. The discussion showed that the almost unanimous opinion of the republicans was that nothing in the shape of legislation that will be contested or produce protracted debate should be pressed for action. An adjournment should be had, it was thought, by May 18, and the committee which Mr. Sherman will appoint will bear this in mind when making up the order.

Senators who attended this conference assert that there is no hope for the Pacific railroad funding bill, the Nicaragua canal bill, the bankruptcy bill, the staidhood bills or any other measure that will bring into debate conflicting interests. The "filled cheese" bill may pass and it is probable that the Peffer resolution to investigate the sale of bonds may also pass, but besides the appropriation bills there is little chance for else being enacted into law.

ALL BIDS REJECTED. Differences in the Way the Contractors Computed the Cause Given. Messrs. McGann, Gishop and Johnson of the board of public works, and Selectmen Farren, Beecher and Ludington, comprising the joint bridge committee for the construction of the new draw bridge over the Quinnipiac river, met last evening to open bids received for the substructure and for the temporary bridge. Those who bid for the work were Redfield & Son, Blakelee & Sons, the Connor Bros. of this city, Spark & Evans of Philadelphia, James J. Geary of Stony Creek and Soosmith & Co. of New York city.

Engineer Kelley and assistants were about three hours figuring the bids after they were opened. At 12 o'clock the committee went into executive session and remained for two hours, at the end of which time it was announced that all bids were rejected. The only reason given this morning was that there was no uniform method of computation among the bidders. Bids will be advertised for again.

A BRILLIANT PROMENADE

Given by First Battalion, Naval Reserves, Last Evening—A Scene of Rare Beauty Presented—Beautiful Costumes—Fine Decorations—A Rival of the Yale Promenade—Some of Those Present.

A scene of rare brilliancy was presented at the armory last evening at the promenade concert of the first division Naval Battalion of the Connecticut National Guard. That New Haven can produce something in the same line to fully equal the Yale Junior promenade was proven, and, in fact, in many respects the occasion much resembled that famous Yale institution. Large numbers of students were on the floor, and the decorations with the boxes elegantly furnished helped to carry out the idea. As one entered upon the dancing floor, the panorama presented was one not soon to be forgotten. The brilliant uniforms of the members of the Governor's Foot Guard present mingled with those of the members of the Grays and the Naval militia produced a color combination greatly enhancing the beauty of the scene.

The decorations were by the New Haven Decorating company and were entirely in pink and white, with a green effect produced by numerous potted plants and palms, the prismatic radiance being fully developed by the numerous large arc lights hung above. At the right of the hall the Second regiment band, stationed on a raised and decorated platform, rendered the concert program of four numbers, which began at 8 o'clock and shortly after the grand march, led by Lieutenants and Mrs. Reynolds, began. Immediately following the lieutenant came Lieutenant Commander Buckland, Cornwall, Ordnance Officer S. P. Punderson, and the committee.

Among the especially noticeable costumes were the following: Miss Elsie Mathias, in striped taffeta with pink satin ribbon trimmings. Miss Mabel Wilcox, in white satin, with a dress of black chiffon and hat of cherry satin ribbon. Miss Jane Dillon, in white taffeta and organdie, braided in pearl passementerie. Miss Susie Post, in white silk and chiffon. Mrs. William Loomis, in black satin chiffon lace. Mrs. George Watrous, in white satin brocade.

Miss Eunice Webb, in pale blue and white crepe. Mrs. Dana Foote, white satin, with white chiffon. Mrs. Charles Bushnell, in pale blue empire silk, carrying pink roses. Miss Amy Austin, in pale blue chiffon over taffeta of the same shade. Mrs. Edward Clark, deep magenta satin, with deeper velvet sleeves in the same color. Mrs. Harry Munson, rose pink satin, with bands of ermine. Mrs. Albert Deburry, in white gauze bodice, with silk skirt. Mrs. Walter Camp, white dotted Suisse, with black-and-white striped ribbon trimmings. Mrs. Edward Sargent, in pink satin, with puffed sleeves crushed in figured tulle. Miss Emma Gardner, white Duchesse satin, with point lace used on the body. Mrs. Charles W. Pickett, white organdie over pink satin, trimmed with pink satin ribbon. Mrs. Frederick Hauff, in red chiffon over red silk. Mrs. Edward V. Reynolds, in white satin, with sleeves of pale blue and sat in brocade and shoulder knots of blue velvet.

Miss Agatha Alling, blue silk and lace, gartered with white forget-me-nots. Miss Nellie Ryder, in blue crepe, spangled with gold. Representing the governor's staff there were present Adjutant General Graham and General Peck.

Among others present were Major Embler, General E. E. Bradley, Lieutenant Bostwick, Lieutenant Minor, Quartermaster Benjamin Dillon, Captain Peart, Major Francis G. Beach, James P. Earle, Miss Edith Hart, Miss Lela Bradley, Mrs. Ewen McIntyre, Mrs. John Gay, Miss Stafford, Miss Marguerite Sanborn, Mrs. Fleetwood, Mrs. W. H. French, F. Hooker, Yale '96, Mr. Chittenden, Yale '96, Roger S. Baldwin, Yale '95, M. P. Stires, Jr., Yale '97 of Jersey City; Miss Lovelidge, '97 of New York; Miss Nellie Miller, A. T. Wolf, Mr. Redmond, Ernest E. Ross, Miss Hayden, Homer Bradley, Miss Ann Cummings, George Meacham of the Twenty-seventh N. Y. regiment, Miss Hull, Miss Burgess, Miss Coombs, Miss Portey, Miss Dillon, E. A. Kendrick, Miss Strickland, Wilbur Clark of Milford, Miss Grace Sackett, Miss Nellie Thompson, Miss Bertha Wales, E. Thompson, Miss Louise Hitchcock, Jesse Hodley, Miss Nellie Cox, Miss Minnie Angus, Miss Jennie Coggins, Miss Cora Beebe, Mr. and Mrs. William French, Mr. and Mrs. George Kelley.

The box holders and their parties were as follows for the thirty boxes: Box 1, Mrs. E. V. Reynolds, Mr. Walter Camp, Mrs. A. H. Day, Mrs. Isham Henderson, Mrs. J. F. Veit, Mrs. John P. C. Foster, Mrs. J. S. Pettit, Mrs. W. K. Townsend and Mrs. George D. Watrous. Box 2, Commander E. V. Reynolds, Box 4, Lieutenant Commander E. G. Buckland, Box 5, Navigator George F. Eaton, Box 6, Lieut. F. S. Cornwall, Box 7, Lieut. S. F. Punderson, Box 8, Ensign S. D. Baker, Box 9, Clarence D. Webb, Box 10, J. B. Kirby, Box 11, Walter Meacham, Box 12, W. H. French, Box 13, H. C. Holcomb, Box 14, Sherman Hunt, Box 15, John English, Box 17, J. H. Diabrow, Box 18, C. P. Masden, Jr., Box 19, Judge H. L. Hotchkiss, Box 21, E. P. Shaw, Box 22, H. H. Kirby, Box 23, N. S. White, Box 24, S. Fred Strong, Box 25, F. B. Crabb, Box 26, General E. E. Bradley, Box 27, W. H. Dobbis, Box 28, A. J. Kenyon, Box 32, Captain E. A. Hardy, Box 33, W. H. Douglas.

Governor Coffin was to have occupied box No. 1, but was unable to attend.

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LOVELL'S SCHOOL REUNION

LANCASTERIAN SCHOOL BOYS OF OLD REUNITE.

They Recall Days of Yore and Honor the Grave of Their Departed Teacher—An Interesting Occasion Throughout—Many Reminiscences.

The annual meeting and reunion of the Lancasterian School association was held yesterday afternoon and evening at Stewart's cafe, the day being the one hundred and first anniversary of the birthday of John E. Lovell, the founder and a principal for nearly half a century of the school.

At 5 o'clock the members of the association began to gather in the hall over the cafe. Most of them are men well advanced in years, scarcely any of them being under fifty years of age. At 5:30 o'clock a considerable number of members had arrived and they then proceeded in a body to the grave of Mr. Lovell in the Grove street cemetery, where several ladies, relatives and friends of the members, were waiting. Rev. Horace L. E. Pratt of New York, a former pupil of Mr. Lovell, was to have delivered an address, but was unable to be present.

When it was found that Mr. Pratt would be unable to be present the committee requested General E. E. Bradley of this city to make the address. General Bradley has been in Washington for some days and did not return until Wednesday. Although he did not know that he was to be called upon to speak until yesterday, he nevertheless made a masterly address. It was in substance as follows: GENERAL BRADLEY'S ADDRESS.

My Friends—It is said with a strong probability of entire truth that the influence of a good life never dies. An evidence of this is shown to-day. The mouldering remains of the mortal part of our beloved teacher have been lying in this lowly grave for several years and it is perhaps more than a generation ago since he ceased teaching in our midst. And yet to-day the one hundred and first anniversary of his birth, finds loyal friends, having probably no blood relation to the dead and widely separated perhaps for many years, gathered here to do honor to his memory, to add their tribute to the value of his teachings, to the influence of a faithful, devoted, conscientious, active life. He put his entire soul into his work of teaching when actively engaged in that vocation.

Thousands of the youth of New Haven have felt the good of his instructions and of his example. Though the hand is widely scattered and the busy reaper—death—has been making vacancies on every side for many, many years in our ranks, still some are left to come here to-day, as for several years past, and put these beautiful symbols of affection, these lovely flowers of spring, on the lowly grave of our beloved teacher. In this way, though no ties of kin bind us to him who has gone, we certify not only to his life and respect for a faithful life, but also the permanent influence of it.

His stay on earth was prolonged far beyond the allotted span, and death came gently and quietly, not as a sorrow, but as a benediction, as a release from suffering and trouble. May we not think of him to-day as living in a brighter and better sphere, of enjoying the Rest of Paradise? And if the souls of the dead are permitted to hover around the abodes of their earthly homes or to be near those whom they knew and loved in life, may we not indulge in the thought that his spirit is with us here to-day and all that we do on this spot, where lie the remnants of his mortality, is receiving the sanction and benediction of his immortal spirit?

My friends: A word or two more, and I have said all I have said little that could be of especial interest to you for I have told you nothing that you did not know before. If it has had interest for you it was because of his life, his work, his influence, his teachings, his memory, that fill your hearts and create the interest. No one knows better than I how far short these few and crudely expressed words of mine come of either doing justice to the subject, or to the presence of dead around me at this time and in this place, and no one regrets more than myself that the reverend gentleman, who was to have addressed us here this afternoon and who would have done so at greater length and far more ably than I, was prevented at the last moment from keeping his engagement. It is little we can do for the dead. What we have done in the past, and what we are doing now—showing respect for their memory—compassionate and utmost ability in that direction. The real lesson conveyed in all such ceremonies as these, whether they be simple or elaborate, is for the living. It teaches them that a good life is ennobling and is appreciated. It points to higher aims and a truer life—that one who has lived for the good of others, earnestly, unselfishly, is the one whose example we should follow, whose life we should copy. This is the thought that is in your minds with regard to him who was our friend and teacher, and is the thought I leave with you as I close.

POEM BY MR. MERRIMAN. At the close of General Bradley's address a hymn written especially for the occasion by Colonel Charles G. Merriman of Westville to the tune of "Nearer My God to Thee." The hymn is as follows:

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KEY STONE STATE FOR QUAY.

Pennsylvania's Republican State Convention—Shouts for Quay for President—Chairman Boyer Endorses Him—What the Platform Says—It Endorses Protection and Reciprocity—The Financial Plank—Harrisburg, April 23.—The republican state convention was called to order in the opera house at 10:30 o'clock this morning by Frank Willing Leach of Philadelphia, chairman of the executive committee of the state committee. Mr. Leach officiated in the absence of Senator and State Chairman Quay, who went to Washington this morning. The auditorium was crowded and flags and bunting were profusely displayed. Ex-State Treasurer Boyer of Philadelphia was temporary chairman and in his speech on taking the chair eulogized Pennsylvania's record as a republican state for forty years with constantly increasing majorities and eulogized Mr. Quay as follows: "And now pointing to her fidelity in the past, promising the same measure of faith for the future, and representing to the people of the United States a man beloved and trusted by her people. Known and honored by the nation, unsurpassed in the wisdom of his statesmanship, unequalled in the distinguished services he has rendered to the cause of republicanism, Pennsylvania asks the great party to assemble in convention at St. Louis to listen to the voice of this great commonwealth and nominate for the great and distinguished office of president of the United States Pennsylvania's great and distinguished son, Matthew Stanley Quay. When the country's honor was endangered, and her life threatened by loyalty and faithfully fought her battles, on the field he was the hero of his men. In council he was the strong right arm of Pennsylvania's great war governors. From leadership in his state he advanced to leadership in the nation until he became the head of the party organization and the trusted adviser of all those engaged in its management. When the last republican president was elected those great abilities and untiring labors led his party through one of the fiercest of great presidential battles to triumphant victory! All the nation knows that the genius of Matthew Stanley Quay won for his party the memorable contest of 1888. In the language of a resolution of the republican national committee upon his retirement from the presidency he gave the superior generalship and that gave the victory, and received the plaudits of the entire republican party from the Gulf to the lakes and from ocean to ocean." At every mention of the name of Senator Quay the delegates cheered loudly. The platform submitted to the convention was as follows: "For fidelity to the principles of republicanism, Pennsylvania holds first rank among all the states. Year after year it has returned great majorities for the candidates of that party with no selfish demands for recognition of any of its own citizens as a national candidate. The time has come when the state which has so long and faithfully led the republican column may justly and properly submit its own preference for the republican nomination for the presidency. In the presentation of the Hon. Matthew Stanley Quay, the republicans, not alone of Pennsylvania, but of the entire union, will recognize one of their foremost leaders—wise in counsel and brilliant in action, a statesman, at once the type of the American citizen, scholar, soldier and statesman.

"First of all national issues stands protection, and first among its advocates have been the republicans of Pennsylvania. We believe in protection as a right to all American industries, but as a special favor to none. It should be neither partial, sectional nor hypocritical; it should be as nearly as possible, equal and universal. We are not pledged to any schedules, but we demand the restoration of the policy of protection, and we pledge it as soon as the republican party shall be fully restored to power in the executive and congressional departments of the government, and it shall be restored equitably to the farmer and the miner, to the manufacturer and the artisan.

"We demand the restoration of that wise policy of reciprocity which was framed by James G. Blaine and adopted by the wise and beneficent administration of President Harrison, to the great benefit of the commerce of the country, and which has been abandoned by the present democratic administration. We appeal to the policy of national protection to our ship owners and the shipbuilding interests, by discriminating duties in favor of American shipping. In order that the American flag be restored upon the high seas.

"We congratulate the administration of Governor Hastings upon its wise determination in keeping within its proper limits, and yet remembering that it reflects the interests and views of a great and progressive state. It is justly entitled to the continued confidence of the republicans and the people of Pennsylvania.

"We reaffirm the declarations contained in the state platform of 1895, looking to needed reforms in state and municipal government, and to the purification of elections and the exercise of the elective franchise. We earnestly recommend to the consideration of the next legislature the several reform bills promulgated by the republican state committee, and request the republicans of both houses to give them consideration and support."

The financial plank is as follows: "Faithful to its record, believing that the people are entitled to the use of the best money and anxious to restore and preserve the industrial and commercial prosperity of the union, the republican party favors international bi-metalism, and until that can be established upon a secure basis opposes the coinage of silver, except upon government account, and demands the maintenance of the existing gold standard of value."

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RELIEF CORPS WORK.

Mrs. Arnold, State President, Assumes Duties of the Office. Mrs. Lizzie H. Arnold of this city, the newly elected president of the Connecticut department, Woman's Relief Corps, has assumed the duties of the office and has made the following appointments: Secretary—Charlotte E. Wright, New Haven. Inspector—Merietta A. Wright, Norwich. Counsellor—Florence L. Hayden, Meriden. Instituting and installing officer—Fanny D. Woodworth of Lakeville, filling the vacancy caused by the resignation of Sarah L. Twitchell of Plantsville.

Assistant inspectors—Emma A. Coomes, Hartford, Annie E. Scantlin, Unionville; Hattie M. Johnson, Forestville. Hattie R. Chaffee of Derby has been appointed senior aide and chief of staff. The aides for special work are George W. Taylor of Norwalk, Olivia M. Peckham of New London, Julia E. Barker of Branford, Clarabelle Reynolds of Stafford Springs, Jennie E. Barnes of Wallingford, Abelena H. Adams of Canaan, Clarissa J. Higgins of New Haven and Josephine M. Hills of East Hartford Meadow.

Mrs. Arnold has appointed the following committee on patriotic teaching: Elizabeth H. Devlin, East Hampton; Ellen T. Lewis, Southington; Annie A. Preston, Wallingford; Nancie B. Howell, New Haven; Ellen F. Darbie, Danbury; Rae Hendrick, South Norwalk; Sarah D. Coomes, Hartford; Martha Hotchkiss, Ansonia; Alice B. Dickens, Danbury, and Maude Smith, Willimantic. Mrs. Harriet J. Bodge of Hartford, past national chaplain, has been appointed chairman of the committee on procuring a souvenir badge for the national convention. Her associates on the committee are: Jennie E. W. Smith, Winsted; Florence L. Hayden, Meriden; Mary E. Matthews, Bristol, and Cordelia A. Blakeman, Shelton. The Soldiers' home day has been changed to the second Wednesday in June. This is the day when all the relief corps in the state visit the Soldiers' home at Middletown.

The state corps have been invited to send contributions to the department treasurer, to renew the Jane Haines' account, for her maintenance, and if the amount received from the corps is not sufficient, the balance required will be taken from the department relief fund. Jane Haines is an insane nurse at Middletown. The corps have helped toward her support over a year.

Miss George W. Taylor of Norwalk has been the special aide to the Soldiers' home for five years, and is greatly loved and respected by the officers at the home as well as by the veterans. She is the city missionary for the Congregational church in Norwalk.

The relief corps of John M. Morris post in Wethersfield were instituted last afternoon by the department instituting and installing officer, Mrs. Fannie D. Woodworth of Lakeville, assisted by the department president, Lizzie H. Arnold; department secretary, Charlotte E. Wright, and department counsellor, Florence L. Hayden. The officers will be installed this evening.

A CONTESTED WILL.

Important Law Suit in Which Danburians Are Interested. Danbury, April 23.—A very important law suit, in which several Danburians are interested, is in progress at Columbus, O. William Fairchild, a former resident of this town, died about two years ago, leaving an estate that inventoried \$165,000. By his will Mr. Fairchild left almost all his property to his daughter during her lifetime. After her death, if she left no issue, the property was to go to Mr. Fairchild's nephews and nieces. Mr. Fairchild's daughter has been married a number of years but has no children. Her husband has a prospect of the property passing beyond his control, and has brought a suit to break the will upon the claim that when it was made Mr. Fairchild was of unsound mind. The heirs, among them Mrs. Julia Benjamin and Zabud Mead, have employed counsel to fight the contestant, and the suit is now pending.

Mrs. Ransome Brothwell of this city was Mr. Fairchild's sister. He provided in his will that she be paid \$1,000 annually during her lifetime, but she has never received a cent of two years' annuity due her. The will is said to be an exceptionally strong one, having been drawn by four of the leading lawyers of Ohio, among them being the late Hon. Allen G. Thurman, who was an intimate friend of Mr. Fairchild.

Both Brothers Dead.

Middletown, April 23.—Hon. S. C. Silliman, eighty-six years of age, and his brother Daniel, aged eighty, died at Chester last night. They were members of the firm of S. Silliman & Co., manufacturers of ship supplies. S. C. Silliman was for ten years commissioner of Middlesex county, and in 1862 he represented Chester in the legislature, and was known as such over the country. Four months ago his wife died, and since then he has fallen in health. He leaves three sons. Four hours after his death his brother Daniel died. He had held many offices, had been school visitor since 1872, and had represented Chester in the general assembly. He was a prominent musician. Two sons and one daughter survive him.

Both men were sons of Deacon Samuel Silliman, of whose children, only one, Joseph, survives.

MURDERERS PUT TO DEATH.

Herrmann and Pustalka Killed at Sing Sing—Herrmann Shot His Wife Through the Heart and Pustalka Cut His Wife's Throat—The Latter Issued a Request that His Three Orphan Children be Taken to the Dominican convent. Sing Sing, April 23.—There was a double execution at the state prison here this morning. The men put to death were Louis P. Herrmann and Charles Pustalka, both of New York city, both Germans, and both wife murderers. Herrmann shot and killed his wife in a quarrel on July 17, 1895, and Pustalka stabbed his wife to death on August 28 last because he suspected her of infidelity. Herrmann asked as a special favor that he be put to death first, and Warden Sage granted the request, though he had originally intended to send Pustalka to the chair in advance of Herrmann.

The warden was undoubtedly influenced in his first decision by a desire to have the more disagreeable part of the affair over as soon as possible. Pustalka was of a highly nervous temperament, and it was feared that he might make a scene in the execution chamber, while Herrmann was stolid and apparently indifferent to his fate, and no trouble was anticipated in his case. The witnesses to the executions were invited to be present at 11 o'clock, and the major part of them arrived on the train reaching here from New York at 10:53 a. m.

Shortly after 11 o'clock they assembled in the prison office and were escorted to the execution chamber by Warden Sage and his assistants. Herrmann was brought into the chamber at 11:16 o'clock and at 11:17:30 the current was turned on. After fifty seconds it was turned off and Dr. Irvine, the prison physician, made an examination, as a result of which he announced that the man was not dead. At 11:19 o'clock the current was again turned on at full force for five seconds. Another examination was made by Dr. Irvine, followed by the other doctors present, and at 11:20 o'clock Herrmann was pronounced dead.

Herrmann's body was removed from the chair and placed on a dissecting table in a room adjoining the death chamber, and a new set of witnesses was admitted to see the second execution. Pustalka was brought into the room at 11:42 o'clock. He didn't make the expected scene, but walked firmly to the chair. At 11:43:30 the signal was given by Dr. Jerome and the current was applied for fifty seconds. After a little more than a minute it was turned on again for five seconds, and at 11:46 o'clock the doctors declared him dead. Both executions were pronounced entirely successful.

Pustalka and Herrmann spent their last night as they had done ever since they were brought to Sing Sing. Herrmann was the life of the death house, while Pustalka was inclined to be morose and seldom talked to any one. When they were informed that their cases had been decided against them, they were also told that they had better prepare for death. Pustalka then began to allow the Rev. Father Creedon of this village to look out for his spiritual welfare, but Herrmann was not much inclined to pay any attention to religion.

Father Creedon and Chaplain Well had visited the two men daily since Monday, to prepare them to meet death. Chaplain Well talked to Herrmann while Father Creedon consoled Pustalka. The latter appeared repentant and told the priest he was ready and willing to meet death. His spirit, however, was broken and the priest told him to cheer up and die bravely. This he said he would do, and that he would not give Warden Sage any trouble.

Herrmann, according to Chaplain Well, died a Presbyterian. The chaplain says Herrmann was just as cheerful this morning as at any other time. Neither one of the men knew that this was to be his last day, but both knew perfectly well that the week was drawing to a close and that they were likely to be summoned at any moment.

Louis P. Herrmann shot his wife through the heart and killed her on the afternoon of July 17, 1895, in the apartments of Charlotte Palmer at 304 East 165th street. The wife's remains had just been released from the penitentiary after having served a year's term there. He found his wife at the place named and chided her for not having visited him while he was in the penitentiary. She did not receive her convict husband with much show of love. He went away and returned on the following day, when he produced a revolver and, notwithstanding her entreaties to be spared, shot her three times. One bullet entered the right temple, the second passed through the woman's breast and the third lodged in the abdomen. When the deed had been committed the murderer went out on the stoop of the building in which the crime had been perpetrated and sat down on the steps to smoke a cigar. Here he was found by Policeman Johnson, who took him back into the room where the wife lay dead.

When he was locked up the murderer protested that he had not intended to take his wife's life when he purchased the revolver. He asserted that the woman had been unfaithful to her marriage vows, and that it had been his intention to kill her paramour. Charlotte Palmer, with whom Mrs. Herrmann had been living before her death, had taken the unfortunate woman into her home when she was ill and friendless and had cared for her and made it possible for her to earn enough to keep her by working for the tenants in the house where they lived. The murder for which Charles Pustalka was tried and found guilty was a particularly atrocious one. Early on the morning of August 28, 1895, while his wife was sleeping, after having spent the night away from home, Pustalka entered his apartments, on the top floor of the flat house at 515 East Third street, and procuring a big knife, went to his sleeping wife and stabbed her in the throat. He then seized the woman by the hair, and dragged her into the kitchen which adjoined the sleeping apartment, inflicted several wounds upon her.

When the woman died the murderer took \$200 from her dress. He then washed himself, changed his clothing, and kissing his little ten-year-old daughter, who had witnessed the whole affair, left the house. When Pustalka was arrested he was found in the Cafe Waldorf, which was owned and operated by his wife. He

Experience of Others

is a most valuable guide. What others say, and what others do, has the greatest of all influences upon our actions; and when persons, such as the king of Denmark, emperor of Austria, king of Saxony and the emperor of Germany, take the trouble to write, commending a most meritorious article, it is well worth while to read what they have to say: CHRISTIAN, King of Denmark, writes:—"I have noticed the beneficial action of JOHANN HOFF'S Malt Extract on myself, as well as on others, and am pleased to acknowledge this."

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ALBERT, King of Saxony, appreciated the benefits derived from the use of the Genuine JOHANN HOFF'S Malt Extract, by Her Highness, the King's mother, and appointed JOHANN HOFF as Purveyor to his court. WILHELM I., Emperor of Germany, personally acknowledged the merits of the Genuine JOHANN HOFF'S Malt Extract by a letter, and appointed JOHANN HOFF as Councillor of Commission, and decorated him with the order of the crown.

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RECITAL TO-NIGHT.

The following program will be rendered at the invitation recital to be given by Mr. George Ansel Austin, assisted by his pupils and Miss Neva Ellwood Squires, soprano, and Mr. H. C. Webster, violinist, in Stelbert hall this evening, commencing at 8 o'clock: March and Two Steps.....G. A. Austin Sextette for Banjos, Mandolin and Guitar. Darkies' Parade.....Lansing Miss Nellie F. Monroe and Mr. George A. Austin, Banjos; Miss Estella C. Chadeayne, Piano. Spring Song.....Well Miss Neva Ellwood Squires. Romance.....J. Svendsen Mr. Harold C. Webster. Banjo Solo.....Mr. H. Konold. Selected.....Miss Neva Ellwood Squires. Allegro Vivace from Overture to William Tell.....Rossini Mr. George A. Austin; Banjo; Mr. Frank H. Kelly, Guitar. Dandy Fifth Quickstep.....Farland Banjo Club—Pupils of Mr. G. A. Austin. W. C. T. U. Quarterly Meeting Held Yesterday. The first quarterly meeting of the New Haven W. C. T. U. was held yesterday afternoon in Lincoln hall at the corner of Goffe and Sperry streets, Mrs. Jerome A. Downs, president of the New Haven County union, presiding. About one hundred members were present and listened to the reports of the superintendents of the various departments of the work. The districts represented were New Haven, North Haven, East Haven, West Haven, Fair Haven and Westville. The use of narcotics and alcoholic beverages was discussed, as were evangelical and jail work. At the close of the exercises, which in addition to the reports of officers consisted of music, a mandolin club, recitations by Miss Grace Dickerman and selections on the piano by Miss Genevieve Mansfield, refreshments were served. The next quarterly meeting will be held in East Haven, Rev. Mrs. M. L. Durand of this city spoke last Sunday on temperance work in Bethany, speaking in the M. E. church in the morning and in the afternoon in the Congregational church. On Tuesday evening she spoke in the latter church on Bible reading.

RAPIDLY INCREASING.

New York's Hotel Saloons—Defining the Law to the Police. New York, April 23.—Acting Chief Cortright said this morning that he would give each of the precinct commanders a copy of the opinion rendered yesterday by Corporation Counsel Scott regarding the saloon hotels that are being rapidly established. The precinct commanders are to make the best they can out of the opinion, which is very vague. There are several points which the police will have to give attention to. It will be their duty, in the first place, to see that places having hotel licenses actually have hotel accommodations for guests. There must be ten furnished bedrooms. No drinks can be served in the bar-rooms of these places on Sunday or between 1 and 5 o'clock in the morning on other days. The principal point is one on which the corporation counsel has not expressed himself clearly. The success of the saloon hotel depends upon the definition of "hotel guests."

Referring to this question the corporation counsel says: "Just who are to be considered 'guests' is by no means an easy question to determine, but I think it is clear that the legislature did not intend to include in this term persons who resort to a 'hotel' solely for the purpose of drinking, even though they go through the form of partaking of food." According to Mr. Scott's view of the matter, there is a special description of a "hotel guest" in the laws of the state.

The only interference the "hotel keepers" may dread is that of the building department, and it is likely that a number of the new "hotels" will have to close on account of the proprietors being unable to comply with all the demands of the building laws.

Delegates for Morton.

New York, April 23.—Mr. Thomas C. Platt received telegrams from Maryland stating that ten and possibly twelve of the delegates from the state to the St. Louis convention will vote for Morton. One only of the sixteen delegates from the state will be for McKinley on the first ballot, according to the information received by Mr. Platt. From Pennsylvania Mr. Platt had information to-day that about that Senator Quay will abstain from a solid delegation to the national convention.

Cleveland Goes Fishing.

Washington, April 23.—President Cleveland left Washington last night on a special train over the Washington and Ohio division of the Southern railway for Leesburg, Va., on a fishing trip. He was accompanied by Secretary Morton and Commissioner Miller of the internal revenue bureau. The party will spend the day in fishing in Mr. Bayard's fishing preserve near Leesburg, and will return to the city to-night.

Unveiled by Bayard.

London, April 23.—United States Ambassador Bayard and Mrs. Bayard arrived at Stratford this morning to take part in the several ceremonies held on the anniversary of Shakespeare's birthday. At 12 o'clock the ambassador unveiled a window in the Shakespeare church, and later he, together with a number of other guests, was entertained at luncheon in the town hall by the mayor of Stratford, Mr. Smallwood.

ANOTHER MCKINLEY BET.

A Stock Exchange Man Offers \$10,000 That McKinley Will be Nominated and Elected. New York, April 23.—Theodore H. Price of the New York stock exchange firm of Price, McCormick & Co. said this morning that he had been authorized to bet \$10,000, even money, that William McKinley would be nominated as the republican candidate for president, and that, barring his death or his declination of the nomination, he would be elected.

Cannoning Near Havana.

Key West, April 23.—Passengers by the steamship Mascotte last night reported that heavy cannoning was heard outside of Havana yesterday, and also that numerous bands of insurgents are coming from the eastern part of the island toward Pinar del Rio district.

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List of Patents

Issued from the United States Patent Office, Tuesday, April 21, 1896, for the State of Connecticut, furnished us from the office of Earle & Seymour, solicitors of patents, 868 Chapel street, New Haven, Conn.: G. A. Adams, New Britain, fastener for gloves. J. P. Anderson, New Haven, can opener. L. S. Beardsley, Naugatuck, fastening insulator brackets. C. E. Berger, assignor one-half to F. C. Berger, New Haven, coach step. G. Carlson, Hartford, aid to writing. W. A. Chapman, assignor to Strong Manufacturing company, Winsted, coffin handle. J. Christiansen, assignor to W. A. Lorenz and H. T. Buck, Hartford, railway switch. G. T. Culver, New Haven, hack saw. G. H. Cummings, Mystic, needle loom. W. H. Dayton, assignor to Exelsior Needle company, Torrington, machine for swaging round articles. R. J. Gatling, Hartford, combined cotton thinner and cultivator. F. A. Gooch, New Haven, assignor to Waldo Foundry, Bridgeport, producing hydrous chloride of aluminum, two patents. J. B. Howe, Danbury, hat finishing lath. C. T. Hunt, New Haven, padlock. A. W. Kinney, Hartford, assignor by mesne assignments to Pratt & Whitney company, Hartford, and A. J. Oehring, drilling machine. W. H. Mohr, assignor one-half to I. S. Bailey, Plantsville, shaving knife. J. H. Rabbitt, assignor one-half to D. F. Murphy, Wethersfield, trolley. F. H. Richards, Hartford, sewing machine, two patents. Same, needle for sewing machines. Same, reversing driving device. W. H. Taylor, assignor to Yale & Towne Manufacturing company, Stamford, door check and closer, two patents. Same, padlock. A. G. Waterhouse, Hartford, core for electro magnets. DESIGNS. J. S. Blinn, New Haven, campaign badge. S. E. Hotchkiss, Wallingford, delivery spool. F. T. Williams, assignor to Edward Miller & Co., Meriden, gas burner.

Racing at Sandown Park.

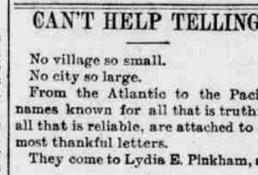
London, April 23.—The second spring meeting at Sandown park opened to-day. The Walton two-year-old race for 1,000 sovereigns, the winner to be sold by auction under Lord Exeter's conditions for 2000 sovereigns, the second to receive 20 sovereigns out of the race, five furlongs, was won by Mr. Rosebuck's Pretty Rose, by Geologist—Rose de Mai. Mr. T. Cannon's Magnificent, by Chittabob—Lady Mostyn, was second, and Mr. R. Sherwood's Holy Friar, by Gervase—Pilgrimage, third. Mr. Richard Croker's Red Banner and Westchester were entered, but did not start. The Princess of Wales' handicap of 50 sovereigns; the second to receive 50 sovereigns out of the race, five furlongs, was won by Mr. H. McCalmont's Devil-May-Care. Mr. G. M. Inglis' Southsayer was second, and Mr. G. E. Page's Gambard third. Mr. Croker's Eau Gallie was one of the starters, but was not placed.

To Make Oklahoma a State.

Washington, April 23.—By a vote of six to two the house committee on territories to-day agreed to report favorably a bill admitting Oklahoma to statehood. Those voting in the affirmative were Scranton, Perkins, Avery, Harris, Hadly and Cooper. The negative votes were cast by Taft and Knox.

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Lady Aberdeen's Peril.

Ottawa, April 23.—The Countess of Aberdeen while out driving yesterday along the Gatineau river had a narrow escape from drowning. Some water on the road caused the horses to step to one side, going into a hole and upsetting the carriage. Lady Aberdeen and the other occupants of the carriage escaped with a wetting, but both horses were drowned. Jimmy, do you get along well at school, now Yes; I've got big 'nuff to write my own excuses.—Chicago Record.

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All the merchants of Plymouth, Michigan, have entered into an agreement to hereafter do business on a business basis. None of them will in future offer chromos, prize packages, or any other gifts in the effort to secure trade.

There are some very wicked people in Chicago. One of them has feloniously emptied the poor-box in St. John's Church, relieved some of the good churchmen of their overcoats, etc., pried the sacristy wardrobe open, and carried off three of the rector's embroidered silk stoles.

A whole mountain of asbestos is said to have been discovered about four miles north of Mt. Vernon, Oregon. The asbestos fibre varies from half an inch to two inches in length and is of excellent quality. The discovery was made through the herding of sheep on the mountain. Where the animals had tramped the rock the asbestos threads showed up like bunches of wool.

The Emperor of Russia has ordered four hundred thousand decorated goblets to be distributed among his subjects who attend the festivities in connection with his coronation next month at Moscow. A magnificent table service of gold and silver is also being made for use at the Imperial table. The programme for the coronation festival is to be printed in two languages, Russian and French.

Roman fever is said to be almost a thing of the past. From 650 in 1881 the deaths from malaria ran down to 561 in 1891, while for the last five years the average has been 149, the number in 1895 being 128. These figures are all the more significant in that the population of Rome has increased from 300,000 to 467,000 in fifteen years. An equally remarkable diminution has taken place in the death rate for all other infectious diseases, so that Rome, even in the traditional unhealthy season, is one of the most healthy capitals in Europe.

Biblical scholars throughout the world will await with intense interest further particulars concerning the manuscript Gospel which was recently discovered in a village church near Caesarea, in Asia Minor, and which the Czar of Russia is said to have purchased. All that is known of it now is that it is very old and beautiful, being written upon the finest and thinnest vellum, which has been dyed a deep red purple. The letters are in silver, and are square, upright, and the abbreviations of the sacred names are in gold. The pages are 32 centimetres by 26, and the writing on each page is in two columns.

Some of the truth about some of the Cripple Creek mining schemes is told by the Denver Mining Industry, an honestly conducted mining journal, which has commenced a crusade against these bogus corporations. In a late issue it said: For unmitigated lying, internal scoundrelism in mining company promotion, we have seen nothing equal to our present one. Colorado has become the Botany Bay of mining bunco steers. It offers a premium to every such a thief, and says to him: 'Here is your field, and here is furnished every needed facility.' He can incorporate a company for as many millions as he wants to, if he pays the State the legal fees, and have paid up stock, even though the consideration given in payment is a shadow of a promise, and directors and stockholders escape personal liability, except in aggravated cases of obtaining money under false pretences.

The percentage of child employees in Illinois factories, which was 3.5 in 1893, when legislation was passed restricting their employment, fell to 4.5 per cent. In 1895, according to the recently issued report of the State factory inspector. In 1895 over 500 children under fourteen years of age were discharged from employment and sent to school, and 279 employees were prosecuted for violation of the law. In tenement-house or 'sweat-shop' manufacturing, where is found the greatest difficulty in enforcing the law, the number of child laborers increased from 721 in 1894 to 1,207 in 1895, nearly all of the latter number being girls, two-thirds of whom could neither read nor write. The inspector recommends that the law be

amended to provide that children under sixteen years of age who cannot read or write the English language shall be sent to school until such a time as they may be able to do so, and that the provisions of the law be extended to children in mercantile establishments.

A SOUND MONEY PARTY. The sound money declaration by the Connecticut Republicans is enthusiastically commended by all who were looking to them to do the right thing, and it is generally acknowledged that their declaration is the strongest and best that has been made by any Republican convention so far.

It is now plain that the great convention at St. Louis will not wobble or straddle in its all-important utterance concerning the gold standard. The Republican party will have the courage, the good sense and the honesty to be outspoken for the single standard and against the free coinage of silver. Every State convention so far held, except that of Utah, which is one of the distinctively silver States, has made a sound money declaration. These platforms vary in expression, but in every case their meaning is unmistakable. From Maine to Oregon and from North Dakota to Florida the Republicans utter the same sentiments, not because the politicians would have it so, but because the people have so willed.

Thus one great danger is already practically out of the way. The Republican party will in this matter show its fitness to govern, as it has often shown it in other emergencies.

"WOOLED." Mr. Meek is the owner of a woolen mill in Iowa. A few years ago he became convinced that free wool was what he most needed, so he became a Democrat and an advocate of 'tariff reform.' He got what he wanted and now he doesn't want it. His mill is closed and he is trying to sell his water power. The Burlington Hawk-Eye makes the following pertinent remarks: If an Iowa woolen mill runs at a loss with 'free wool' for raw material and 'the markets of the world' open for its output, and at the same time the Iowa wool growers are also heavy losers by the depression in the value of both sheep and wool, it will be necessary for some one to sit up nights and labor with the voters of Iowa to convince them that a Democratic reform tariff is the kind of a thing for which they are hankering.

A recent issue of the Textile Journal noted that in the preceding week twenty-five mills were compelled to shut down, reduce the hours of operation or suspend some of the hands employed. It called attention to the fact that at other mills there were strikes on because of enforced reduction of time or wages, and that there are still idle mills which have not recovered from the first blow to the woolen industry. This authority states that there are two-thirds of a million of spindles idle in New England alone, that wages have been reduced from 2 to 10 per cent., and that those engaged in this industry are patiently awaiting the results of the presidential election to improve business and restore the day of steady wages and home comforts to the thousands of idle operatives.

It is evident that those engaged in the woolen industries who were persuaded to vote for free wool were decidedly 'wooled.'

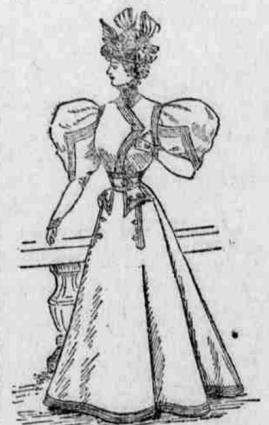
BICYCLES AS BAGGAGE. Those who ride bicycles will be interested in a suit which has been brought against the Missouri Pacific railroad to test the question whether railroads shall be permitted to discriminate against bicycles as baggage. The New York legislature took action compelling railroads in that State to accept bicycles as baggage and carry them free up to the point where the weight of the traveler's other commodities passed the limit prescribed for each passenger. In many States it has been the custom to carry bicycles free, but unchecked, the wheelmen paying some small fee to the baggagemen for keeping watch over their property. Lately, however, several roads have fixed a special tariff for carrying wheels, refusing to consider them as baggage in the ordinary sense and putting them in the list of articles of freight.

The new bicycle law of New York is much appreciated by wheelmen. The only hostile criticism of it thus far made is made by the Railroad Gazette, which says that it is unjust to the passengers who do not carry wheels with them. The Gazette believes that all kinds of baggage should be subjected to at least a nominal charge for the reason that revenue from this source will enable the roads to reduce fares and thus directly benefit travelers who do not trouble the baggagemen with trunks. The bicycle law, the Gazette says, will postpone the day of reduced fares, and as most if not all the roads are charging the full legal rate they cannot advance the ticket rates and make a discount to the passengers who do not offer bicycles as baggage. Consequently those who escape the bicycle fever will be taxed indirectly for the benefit of the wheelmen. Another objection urged is the possibility of delay at stations where fifty or more wheels are to be loaded.

These objections do not strike us as very weighty ones, but they are probably as weighty as any that can be made.

FASHION NOTES.

Tailor Cut. Ladies' tailors are striving hard against the current craze for elaborateness, and are putting out some very handsome gowns. One very striking tailor-made street suit has a frock coat that reaches to a few inches of the foot of the skirt. It is double-breasted and buttons to the waist, fitting like the proverbial glove. The sleeves are so moderate as to suggest that the maiden really had her brother's coat made over for her. When the coat is slipped off the bodice beneath is an India silk stamped with eschamere designs and laid in myriads of tiny



pleats, which fit the sleeve closely over the shoulders, the fulness escaping to form a puff over the elbow and being gathered at the fore-arm. The pleats cover back and chest, flowing loosely from the bust line to form a blouse below. The silk is so soft that it does not interfere with the fit of the coat, and so soft that the crushing of the coat does not hurt it a bit. Another handsome tailor rig is that the artist presents here. It is made of light weight navy blue cloth, its bodice skirt having a band of stout braid in blue and white mixture around the hem, with perpendicular bands at either side of the front. Over the latter are flaps of cloth edged with braid and ornamented with ivory buttons. The fitted bodice has a tiny plastron and stock collar of blue moire, with an overlapping front that fastens with a button and is edged with braid, the same forming the wide belt and trimming around the armholes and on the sleeves. This design might be carried out, too, in a smoky gray, a brown or a heather mixture with good effect.

Handkerchiefs are very pretty this season. Yet these dainty affairs that are all sheer and soft color, and that have funny frills at the edges and inlayings of flowers done in lace seem rather a something to carry in a dainty hand, than a handkerchief. They resemble the fancy muffs that are not a bit of use to keep the hands warm, but that serve as an adjunct to a dainty costume. So if you can afford it, and will supply yourself with a simply delicate, clear white handkerchief for use, you may have the dainty ones for pretty show.

EXCUSES.

"It is queer," said Mrs. Blocher, "that a man can take enough interest in his wife's letters to open them, but not enough to mail them."—Indianapolis Journal. Teacher—Now, Tommy, tell these bad boys who went off on their bicycles last Sunday why you did not go with them. Tommy—My wheel busted an' I couldn't.—Do Date. "Don't you think, Harry, you could induce one or two boys to come to Sunday school?" "I could bring one," he replied. "De udder fellers in our alley kin lek me."—Life.

Willie (with a wry face)—Mamma, did the Lord make quinine? Mamma—I presume he did. Willie—Well, it wasn't the Lord that put that awful taste in it, and I'll bet I know who it was!—Chicago Tribune. "I hope you have been very careful about the new minister's qualifications," said the deacon's wife. "Yes," replied the deacon; "we made him define exactly what he means by a few words more."—Exchange. "I hardly know how to begin, sir," said the would-be son-in-law, as a starter. "Permit me to help you out," said the old man. The words were polite enough, but the young man thought he saw a glare and got out unassisted. —Indianapolis Journal.

"Miram," said Mrs. Cornstassel, "you order pay more 'tention ter finance." "Which kind, Mandy?" "Why, how many kinds is they?" "Two. Giltin' money from the gov'ment, an' gittin' money from the gov'ment."—Washington Star. Head Master (addressing the class)—How simple and yet sublime is the beautiful and detailed description which Pliny the younger gives us of the house in which he lived! Solomon (aside to his neighbor)—Most likely he wanted to sell it.—Werner Luft.

A Thoughtful Creditor.—Hobson—Wilkes, you remember that fifty I loaned you two years ago?—Wilkes—You are not going to press a friend for payment, are you? Hobson—Certainly not. Take your time. I only wish to borrow it for awhile.—Harlem Life.

Riding for a Fall. It was a perfect day for wheeling. Even the slightest breeze that took the curl out of their bangs, as they sat on the piazza of the O'Shan House, seemed to invite Florence and her chaperone to go for a spin. But that good fellowship necessary to an enjoyable trip did not exist, because Florence had a well-founded suspicion that her dear aunt had that morning intercepted a letter from Fred Lumsden, and the aunt was feeling that her wholly unprejudiced lecture on the advancement of misplaced love and the durability of American dollars was not being properly appreciated. It is probable that in spite of the glorious weather nothing more exciting than an ordinary family quarrel would have happened had it not been for the effervescing energy of Fred, who appeared on the scene in that unexpected way peculiar to true lovers. "Good morning, ladies!" he called

with an effort at boldness that only made the blood mount to his cheeks. "Beautiful day—Isn't it?" "Beautiful! I'm so glad to see you," said Florence, with an accent of sincerity that was perhaps emphasized in order to spite her aunt. "Perfectly charming," said her aunt in the twinkling tone that reminds one of the chink of the ice in a glass of frappe tea.

"I did myself the honor to call on you," Fred explained, as he leaned his wheel against the hotel steps and took a chair near Florence, "because I am going west to-morrow. I have secured a position as civil engineer with a western railway company that is projecting a branch line, and as I had a day to spare, I thought I'd come down and bid you good-bye."

"So kind of you, I am sure," said the dear aunt. "I am so glad—for your sake, Fred—that you have this position, for I think a young man should begin his life as soon after leaving college as possible. I have no doubt that in a few years you will be a railway magnate."

She rattled on volubly in this vein for a couple of minutes, and all the while her words had the glib sound of wine being poured out of a narrow-necked bottle. It is a note that you catch only in the best society, and it means that the accomplished lady who is talking is all the time thinking hard about something else. The tenor of the aunt's thoughts were as follows: "I mustn't allow them to be alone together. I know what these partings mean. He has come down to propose to her, and she—the little hussy—will accept him. If I lock her in her room it will cause talk, and I can't keep track of them all day in these corridors. Oh, what shall I do?"

When the light finally broke a practiced card could have detected a change in her tone, as she exclaimed enthusiastically: "Really, Fred, I am glad you have come down, for I have been planning for several days to take a party from here to the little casino they have at Clam-Shell-on-the-Sea, about fifteen miles down the coast. We can spin down there in a couple of hours, have some refreshments and then spin back in time to catch your train for New York."

"They will be along with the other young people," she thought to herself, "and will be kept moving so that they can't have a long chat; and, anyway, it is hard to be confidential on a public road at midday."

The case didn't strike the young people in exactly the same light, and they accepted the situation graciously. The aunt hastened to canvas the guests at the hotel to get volunteers for the trip, and introduced Fred to so many charming young ladies during the next few minutes that he was embarrassed beyond words. Presently the party was organized, and made a start, amid much light-hearted laughter and badinage. The good, kind chaperone brought up the rear, feeling triumphant and self-satisfied.

"If they can pedal and propose at the same time," she thought to herself, "she's cleverer than I think." For the first mile the crowd was well bunched and nothing happened. At length Fred found himself at Florence's side and managed to stammer: "Don't you feel you'd like to spin a little faster?"

A glance showed that she understood, and a moment later they were quietly drawing away from the party. "He's a scoundrel," exclaimed the inevitable idler, "have we scorchers with us? Well, I feel like doing a little scorching myself."

With that they all struck into a gait that left the chaperone behind, but overhauled the runaways. That scheme was undoubtedly a failure. "Let us fall behind, then," suggested Fred. After a slight hesitation, for she did not wish everyone to see what her feelings were, Florence slowed up, and soon she and Fred were abreast of the dear, good aunt, who had noticed their race, and was following panting but triumphant.

"Really it is kind of you," she panted, "I am so glad you were thoughtful enough to wait for me. I am willing to go along just as slowly as you please, for I love to look at the scenery." Fred groaned and Florence bit her lip. Now, some may wonder why they did not strike down a side road and leave the party altogether, but it must be remembered that their love-making had not progressed yet beyond the language of the eyes, and of the hand-clasp—perhaps for years—that made their love so intense at this time. Fred's intentions had been frowned on for the past year by all of Florence's relatives, for they were all agreed that a student has no right to make love to a girl whose friends are ambitious for her future, unless he is heir to millions. Fred was not, so, of course, he was ineligible in every way. When he found that both attempts to be alone with Florence, and tell her what was in his heart, were unsuccessful, he was almost in despair. And the dear chaperone grew happier every minute as she prattled gaily about the weather and scenery, as if in the meantime the scorchers showed up, as no one had any real object in keeping up the pace, until the party was united.

It was then that an idea occurred to Fred that proved that he had engineering skill that will enable him to rise in the world some day. "I'll tell you what let's do," he called out. "Let's scorch from here to the casino, and have the last man who gets there pay for the refreshments, and let the first lady to arrive be given a prize of her own choosing." He had gauged the enthusiasm of the party to a nicety, and before the good chaperone could protest effectively, all the young people had gripped their handle bars, and leaned forward and began pedaling for dear life. They drew away from her rapidly, and were coasting down a long decline in five minutes. She had time to even guess at the significance of Fred's scheme. Soon a turn in the road took the whole party from her view, and she chewed the wholly bitter end of reflection. The best-laid plans of mice and men and chaperones are very apt to go agley from time to time.

Fred's heart rose correspondingly as he saw how his scheme was working. He calculated that they were traveling at about twice the rate of speed of the chaperone and that within half an hour they would be far enough ahead for his purpose. Florence didn't understand exactly what his plan was, but she kept the pace along with the foremost. She appeared to advantage on the wheel, and, as her color rose with the exertion, he thought he had

never seen a lovelier sight. Her lithe, active figure seemed to swim through the air with that peculiar grace that the poets ascribe to the gait of goddesses. Though he could, if he wished, have scorched ahead and distanced her with ease, he could not bear to have her out of his sight. So it was soon evident that he would have to pay for the refreshments. Up hill and down they went without abating their speed until the chaperone was probably three or four miles behind. Presently they coasted down a hill into a little valley where the road was wooded on both sides, and Fred saw that the opportune moment had come. Guiding his wheel until he was near enough to Florence, he said: "Wouldn't you like to rest for a few minutes?" She made no response but kept right on.

"We have both lost the wagers anyhow," he argued. Her only notice of this remark was a slight brightening of color. "And there is something I want very much to say to you." Her color increased. "Miss Camden—Florence?" "I mustn't," she half gasped. "I did wrong to run away from aunt."

"Well, wait for her, and I will, too." "No." The truth was that Florence's maiden modesty was beginning to assert itself, and she had been thinking that in attempting to rush ahead with Fred, and then to fall behind, she had been too forward. Poor Fred! In his college course he had been taught to deal with the laws of nature, but not with the whims of woman, and he was almost nonplussed. Already the others of the party were passing over the crest of the hill, and they were in danger of leaving the little valley without anything being accomplished. But still Florence kept scorching along. Even despair adds to the resourcefulness of some men, and suddenly the lines of Fred's face hardened and he raced past her up the hill. When he had gauged the distance and direction accurately, he turned and waved his hand at her as if waving "good-bye," while his wheel went directly toward a log that lay by the roadside. A moment later he struck and whirled through the air entangled with his wheel, with his arms and legs flying like a windmill. He was picking himself up as she passed. She wavered, the wheels wobbled as if she were going to alight, but she straightened up and disappeared over the crest of the hill.

His despair was complete. He didn't care if he had ruined his wheel, or shattered his anatomy. His heart, however, was the only part of him that was injured, and it was rapidly sinking out of its normal position. He had certainly been mistaken. She did not care for him. He hadn't had such a fall in his life, and yet she had left him there to die—for all she knew. Of course he had intended to fall, but the next time he fell to attract the attention of a heartless girl, he would do it on a bed of moss rather than on the side of a chestnut log and the rough edge of a gravel road. Without looking to see how much he had damaged himself, smarting inwardly and outwardly, he sat down on the log, buried his face in his hands and felt utterly miserable. He was beginning to hate himself, Florence, her aunt and the whole world, when suddenly he felt a light hand on his shoulder.

"Oh, Fred, are you really hurt? I saw that you really intended to take that tumble, but it was horrid of me to go along without asking if you were hurt—when I knew you had done it for my sake."

The humor of taking a header for any one's sake did not appeal to either of them just then. "Are you hurt?" "It was his chance to sulk, and what man can resist sulking when he has the most charming girl in the world to coax him into good humor?" "Speak to me, Fred. You are not hurt, are you? Oh, you must be, your jacket and—knickerbockers are torn, and you must be. Shall I get you some water from the spring? Oh, do speak. Look up at me!"

She pulled his hands from his face, and, as he looked up, he saw that there were tears in her eyes. Just then Florence gave a little scream. "Oh, Fred, there is auntie coming over the hill!" That was all the tonic he needed. Seizing her hands, he exclaimed hurriedly: "Florence, you know why I wanted to be alone with you. I love you—have loved you for months! And now that I am going away, I want to know if there is any hope for me. Will you be my wife?"

She looked down the road at the approaching Nemesis. "Will you be my wife? I know I don't deserve you, but I will work. I will work. Some day you may love me a little."

She blushed, then glanced at the figure coasting down the hill. "Yes, Fred! Yes! Oh, do let us hurry away. Aunt will be here in a minute or two."

"Then you do love me?" A moment later she was folded in his arms. What the sun saw and the chaperone suspected need not be described. A moment later they were wheeling along side by side, utterly oblivious of everything on earth but each other. When they had reached the casino the rest of the party had ordered their refreshments, and were pulling up a goodly bill for the loser—who was so infinitely a winner. He explained his loss by the tumble he had taken, and praised Florence for her kindness in waiting for him. When the chaperone arrived, Florence's absent-mindedness and high color and Fred's elation told her all. Not butter-milk, nor ice cream, nor all medicine brims of that sweet peace of mind she had enjoyed before Fred had appeared on the scene. If she were not so far from home she would probably have indulged in a fit of cultured hysterics; but she consoled herself with the thought that match breaking is almost as enjoyable a sport as match making.

Fred and Florence are not married yet, and much is being done to worry them; but the reader may rest assured that it will not be long before a youth so resourceful will win success that will enable him to come east and claim his bride.—Truth.

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LARD. Choicest kettle rendered, in 10-lb. tubs, per tub, 85c

Those extra large California Prunes, in 5-lb. boxes, pr. box, 70c

A large lot of choicest Java and Mocha Coffee received today.

We can suit the most particular. The price of Flour is advancing.

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La Lole Fuller and her company of entertainers will appear at the Hyperion on Tuesday evening next.

In these days of degenerates it is a pleasure to know that one of the most representative of American actresses, Miss Ada Rehan, is still in the freshness of her vigor.

The great actor, Henry Irving, with Miss Ellen Terry, will present the "Merchant of Venice" at the Hyperion on Saturday evening, May 2.

Alfred Collier's "Dorothy" was presented to a large audience yesterday. Mr. Drew's Squire Bantam was an excellent bit of character acting.

There were a number of changes in the pictures, a new one being shown in which little Baby "Della" was seated.

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FOR RENT. FLAT 6 rooms, all improvements, Olive street; flat 6 rooms, all improvements, Chapel street; flat 6 rooms, all improvements, Edgewood avenue; cottage, Morris Cove; cottage on Beach street, West Haven.

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GET READY FOR ASPHALT. HAVE your sewer connections made in time. Have the best work done and at the lowest prices.

ATTENTION! OFFICERS and members of Perseverance Council No. 38, D. of L. You are requested to meet at the house of Brother J. Stanton, No. 12 Woolsey street, on Saturday, April 24th, at 12:45 p.m.

FOR SALE. BLACK mare, 6 years old; sound; kind and fearless; very speedy. Can be seen at the McDONALD & RAMSON CO., Court street.

ESTATE OF HELEN L. WARREN, late of New Haven, in probate. The Court of Probate for the District of New Haven hath limited and allowed six months from the date hereof for the creditors of said estate to exhibit their claims for settlement.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN. A public hearing will be held at the office of the Board of Selectmen, Room 2, City Hall, on Tuesday, April 23rd, at 7:30 o'clock in the evening for the purpose of considering the following resolution adopted by the New Haven Commission of Public Parks at its meeting held April 10th, 1896, to wit:

FOR RENT. SEVEN rooms, nice location, brick house, improvements, steam heating; part of barn and lot, suitable for business. Write or call, CHAS. H. NICOLL & CO., 82 Church street.

FOR RENT. A VERY desirable apartment of ten rooms, steam heated, on the corner of Chapel and York streets, from May 1. Apply April 21. ROOM 10, Hoadley Building.

TO RENT FOR THE SEASON. ON the Crescent at Short Beach, a well-furnished cottage of some dozen rooms, with garden, bathhouse, boat, etc. Inquire of MR. FRANCIS POTTER, 23 Brown street.

Farm for Sale. Two hundred acres, with good buildings, -cheap. R. E. BALDWIN, 818 Chapel street.

Building Lots for Sale. LOTS on Foote street, \$18.00. Lots on Winter street, \$13.00. Lots on Shelton avenue, \$24.00. Lots on Ivy street, \$17.00. Lots on Goodbye street, \$20.00.

FOR RENT. A small farm near this city. Possession April 1st. GEORGE A. ISBELL, 768 Chapel street, New Haven, Conn.

FOR RENT. WHOLE house, 119 Park street. Flat 6 rooms, 122 James street. Flat 5 rooms, 23 Carpel avenue. Flat 5 rooms, 291 Exchange street. Flat 6 rooms, 82 State street.

FOR RENT. Comfortable tenement of five rooms on Center street, \$11.00 per month. Also desirable properties for sale, all centrally located in West Haven; easy terms.

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FOR RENT. BARN in Lincoln street, inquire of M. H. NEWTON, 405 Orange street.

FOR SALE. FARM, sale or exchanged, 125 acres; good buildings, fruit, etc. HINMAN'S AGENCY, 82 Church street, City.

TO LET. 787 WHITNEY avenue, house with lawn, garden, bath, modern improvements and first class order. EDWARD M. CLARK, mh20 tf 42 Church street, Room 206.

FOR SALE. HOUSE and lot No. 118 1/2 John street. Inquire of H. W. WARREN & CO., No. 108 Orange street.

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FARM WANTED. IN exchange for a two-family house with modern improvements, a farm, preferably large lot, fine location, near electric cars. Call on or address GEO. A. ISBELL, 708 Chapel street.

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FOR RENT. THE best single tenement on second floor of premises 25 State street, six rooms, side kitchen; possession immediately. For particulars inquire at this office. mh20 tf

FOR SALE. SHORE lots at South End; very desirable; near electric cars. Inquire J. Smith at mh20 tf 137 STATE STREET.

SUNSET COTTAGE. NEWTOWN, Conn., has been nicely fitted up for summer boarders; everything first-class and terms reasonable. Write or call. MRS. OLIVE P. SMITH, Newtown, Conn.

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TO RENT. FIVE or seven rooms; heat and water; also bath on adjoining lot. Inquire, near Olive, mh20 tf 184 ST. JOHN STREET, near Olive.

FOR RENT. FIVE or six-room tenement at 71 State street. Apply to W. M. GLEASON, mh20 tf 71 STATE STREET.

FOR RENT. 159 BRADLEY street brick house, 12 rooms; all modern improvements; newly refitted; possession at once. Can also be bought on easy terms. mh20 tf ROOM 17, 82 Church street.

FOR RENT. A DESIRABLE small farm, suitable for a summer residence; land and buildings are in good condition. Woodbridge, Conn. mh20 tf

FOR RENT. EIGHT rooms, modern conveniences; bath, if desired. JOHN MOHRS, mh20 tf 60 Center street.

FOR RENT. NUMBER 69 Lyon street; eight rooms and bath, furnace and pleasant yard. mh20 tf Room 20, Benedict Building.

FOR RENT. FIRST and second floor, 7 rooms each, 255 and 287 Grand avenue; all improvements, including cooking range; \$12.00 and \$15.00 per month. Inquire at premises or EDWARD ENGEL, mh20 tf 284 Center street.

57 TRUMBULL STREET FOR RENT. THIS double house of 12 rooms, southern exposure, is undergoing thorough repairs, extensive improvements to plumbing, and will be decorated to suit tenant; street to be paved this spring. CHAS. H. WEBB, 830 Chapel, mh20 tf or owner, 67 Trumbull street.

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WANTED. GERMAN or Swedish girl for general housework, 146 MINOR STREET, mh20 tf near Howard avenue.

WANTED. GIRL wants situation for general housework, 424 W. W. FRANKLIN ST.

WANTED. A COMPETENT girl for general housework; must be a good plain cook and waitress; good references required. Apply mh20 tf 125 W. PROSPECT STREET.

WANTED. A SITUATION by a willing girl, lately landed, to do general housework. mh20 tf Inquire at 84 WALLACE STREET.

WANTED. A SITUATION by a competent girl to do general housework in a private family; good references. Inquire at mh20 tf 281 GRAND AVENUE.

WANTED. A SITUATION by a competent girl as cook and laundress. Address mh20 tf LAUNDRESS, this office.

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WANTED. TRAINED chambermaid and waitress. Swede preferred, with references. Call early morning or evening at mh20 tf 125 W. PROSPECT STREET.

WANTED. A GIRL to cook, wash and iron; references required. Inquire mh20 tf 1081 CHAPEL STREET.

WANTED. AN experienced Swede girl for general housework; must go away with family in summer; good references required. mh20 tf Apply at 140 COLLEGE STREET.

WANTED. BY a family of three, a house of 8 or 10 rooms in first-class location. Address, stating price and location, mh20 tf P. O. Box 647, City.

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WANTED. SITUATION to do second work or take care of children. Inquire mh20 tf 63 HAVEN STREET.

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AN INTERNATIONAL AFFAIR

ADDRESSES AT THE CONFERENCE IN WASHINGTON.

E. V. Smalley as a Distinguished Element—A Reply by Mr. Schurz—A Permanent Committee—Judge Baldwin of New Haven Appointed on the Committee.

Washington, April 23.—The second day's session of the arbitration conference was called to order by ex-Senator Edmunds this morning. There was a large attendance of delegates, but the absence of congressmen and government officials was again noticeable.

Several sets of resolutions were offered by delegates, and referred to the committee on resolutions. The program included addresses by Professor John B. Moore of Columbia university, New York; President Merrill E. Gates of Amherst college, Massachusetts; John J. Valentine of California, and the Rev. W. J. Bachmann of Tennessee.

Professor Moore's paper was read by President Capen of Tufts college, Massachusetts. It declared that the establishment of tribunals of arbitration, even when they were not resorted to, would restrain from war.

President Gates answered the question, "Why should we have a permanent tribunal?" One of his arguments was that by arbitration the chances of war would be avoided, the party with the best cause rather than the strongest would win. In conclusion he said: "The international policies of the last few months as they have displayed themselves at Constantinople, St. Petersburg, and in Pekin and in Africa, make thoughtful men serious. If we are to welcome and not to dread the inevitable oncoming into the arena of world politics of these races, numerous in population, how important it is that self control, regard for justice, reverence for law as an obligatory between nations as between persons. The conscientious citizens of the United States and England, loving liberty embodied in law and institutions, will insist upon a permanent international tribunal in the interest of justice and peace."

Dr. Bachmann said it had pleased God to put the English-speaking people in the front rank of the nations of the earth and that rank imposed the obligation of leading in all the ways of peace.

E. V. Smalley of St. Paul, Minn., formerly a Washington newspaper correspondent, announced that he must dissent from the proposition that the country should not extend the extension of the power of Great Britain over the world as an agency of civilization, but it should limit its own strength within its present borders. "The cry that for us to establish ourselves as a sea power among the nations of the globe is Jingoism," he said, "I do not believe in the sentiment of the American people."

Carl Schurz of New York replied to Mr. Smalley. He said that if the United States was to be a great sea power, it must establish a navy as large as that of any two European powers.

"Are you ready for that, gentlemen?" asked he, and was answered by cries of "No."

Such a project, he said, would require an entire change in the habits of thinking of this nation. Moreover, the battle-ships of to-day were merely experiments. No admiral knew what they would do in battle, but experience had been that when two of them touched they were both sunk. The United States should carry its ideas, its civilization, to all parts of the globe, but not its guns.

General O. O. Howard made a brief speech for arbitration, and before adjournment the following permanent committee was announced: Pennsylvania—Charles C. Harrison, Herbert Welsh, J. H. Converse, Missouri—Henry Hitchcock, Virginia—J. Randolph Tucker, Tennessee—Judge D. M. Key, Minnesota—Ex-Governor Pillsbury, California—Horace Davis, Kentucky—Alexander T. Humphreys, New York—William E. Dodge, L. T. Chamberlin, John B. Moore, George L. Rives, Carl Schurz, Illinois—Lyman J. Gage, William C. Gray, W. A. Fuller, Massachusetts—Charles Francis Adams, President Eliot, Harvard university, Edward Atkinson, Louisiana—Charles E. Turner, Connecticut—Simon E. Baldwin, Maine—Joseph B. French, New Jersey—Chancellor McGill, Alabama—Oscar R. Hundley, Ohio—W. H. Taft.

MORE MEMBERS. Young Women's Christian Association. Additional members can be received in the dress cutting class, which meets on Friday evening, also in the Wednesday evening dress finishing class. Applications for the new classes in millinery on Monday and Tuesday evenings should be made this week.

By a Narrow Margin. Baltimore, April 23.—The proposition to admit women as lay delegates to the general conference of the Methodist Episcopal church has been defeated by a narrow margin.

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COLUMBIA STUDENTS ROBBED.

Personal Articles Valued at Fully \$500 Have Been Stolen Mysteriously. New York, April 23.—For a period of over three months Columbia university oarsmen practicing for the crew at Manhattan A. C. gymnasium, have lost various articles, including two watches, two scarf pins and wallets from their lockers. No public mention was made of it. Then the track team began to miss jewelry and money.

The latest victims are members of the student company which produced "The Buccaneers." According to Student Ryerson "The Buccaneers" have lost four watches, a dozen pairs of cuff buttons and \$25 in cash. Part of these were taken before a performance in New Haven, and the rest at the Carnegie lyceum on Monday night.

The total value of the booty obtained by the robbers is believed to be fully \$500. The fact that Columbia men have been pursued so relentlessly leads to the inference that the thief is one of the student body.

THE HOADLEY WILL CASE.

Evidence of Mrs. A. H. Kimberly Continued Yesterday—Unimportant Testimony—Case Will Continue To-day.

Mrs. A. H. Kimberly yesterday morning in the superior court continued her testimony in her appeal from probate of the will of the late Dr. Frederick Hoadley, a brother of Mrs. Kimberly. She testified that she frequently visited her brother during his illness at the home of Mrs. Dutton, where he went in 1884. She also stated that Dr. Hoadley was ill about three weeks before he left New Haven and when next she saw him he was in the Bloomingdale insane asylum. She afterwards corrected herself and said that she did see her brother once between 1884 and 1886, when the estate of her father, George W. Hoadley, was distributed.

Mrs. Kimberly said she met her brother before the estate was divided and told him that she was not satisfied with her income. He was also dissatisfied with what he was receiving and said his brother Edward received too much. She could not remember who first suggested the division of the estate. The estate of her father was divided, Mrs. Kimberly thought, in May, 1885. There was no clash or conflict between herself and her brother, she said in this matter.

Raid was made to certain statements in a letter from Dr. Hoadley to Mrs. Pond, which Mrs. Kimberly said were a fabrication, and the delusion of a diseased mind. Before the cross-examination of Mrs. Kimberly, Mrs. Pond was called to the stand and asked concerning a photograph of Dr. Hoadley, which she stated Wednesday she received from him. Mrs. Pond said she had not found the photograph. Ex-Judge Stoddard, counsel for the executors, produced a picture, which the witness identified as a duplicate of the photograph she received.

The case will be continued this morning.

SHE ATE DOGBERRIES.

Little Matilda Otto's Death Results From Her Eating Poisonous Fruit.

The death of little Matilda Otto, the daughter of Frank Otto of 131 Harriet street, was reported to Medical Examiner White yesterday. The little one was not quite six years old and her death resulted from her eating dogberries. She had been sick since April 13. It is supposed that on that day, or some time previous, the little girl while out playing ate the berries, which she found in a lot near her house. When she was taken sick Dr. Converse was called, but all that he could do would not check the progress of the poison.

Physicians say that the poison from the berries acts slowly on the system, and that is the reason why the little Otto girl held so long after the poisonous berries had been eaten. There were several little children playing with the Otto child when she ate the berries, but it is not believed any of them followed her fatal example. At least none of them has, so far as known, been taken ill.

A PRETTY WEDDING.

Miss Florence Strong Fowler and Edward M. Bradley the Happy Couple—Reception Held After the Ceremony.

The wedding of Miss Florence Strong Fowler and Edward M. Bradley, both of this city, occurred yesterday afternoon at the home of John S. Fowler, assistant clerk of the superior court, at No. 27 Dwight street, Rev. George Ives of Stratford officiating. The maid of honor was Miss Jeanette E. Fowler of Smith college, class of '96, a cousin of the bride. Lucius Bradley, a brother of the groom, was best man. The bridesmaids were Miss Maud Hull and Miss Kate Hofer; the ushers Robert F. Fowler and Clarence R. Hooker.

The bride wore white satin trimmed with old lace and pearl ornaments, carrying white roses and lilies of the valley.

After the ceremony a reception was held at the house. A sumptuous collation was served by Caterer C. A. Bradley.

Mr. Bradley, the groom, is of the well known prominent firm of H. C. Warren & Co., bankers and brokers. Among those at the wedding were: Miss Dorothy Walters, Smith '96, Miss Eunice Denison, Smith '98, Miss Mix of New York, Miss Florence Strong, Mr. Mrs. W. H. Douglas, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Spalding, Mr. and Mrs. John C. Bradley, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Cowles, Rev. and Mrs. Poter, John F. Gillespie of New York, Guy H. Hubbard of Brooklyn and Philip F. Farnsworth, L. L. S. '97.

Swedish Lutherans. New Britain, April 23.—The Swedish Lutheran conference was continued today at the Elm street church. Nearly all the Lutheran churches of the diocese were represented by delegates. Bishop Melinius of Pontiac, R. I., presided over the gathering.

CALEDONIANS B.N. The bowling contest between the Caledonian club and Clan McLeod, played last night, resulted in a victory for the club by a majority of 13 points, or 62 points for each of the competing rinks. The skips who were on one rink for the club were W. Paterson and John Brown and for the clan John C. Morton and R. C. Bruce.

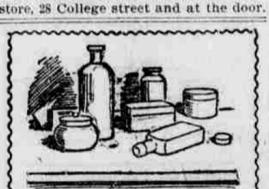
TRIED TO DROWN HIMSELF.

Intoxicated Milford Shoemaker Sued From a Water Bath. Milford, April 23.—Dr. W. S. Putney, while driving across the gulf bridge yesterday afternoon, discovered a man about 300 feet from shore apparently trying to drown himself. The man had waded out on the mud flats until the water reached his waist when he fell, rolling over and over. Dr. Putney and another man jumped into a boat and rowing out to where the man was pulled him out of the water in an unconscious condition. He proved to be John Schweiger, a shoe maker. He had been drinking heavily of late and was intoxicated when he tried to end his life.

AT WAEER HALL.

Lecture Under the Auspices of the D. A. R. There will be given at Warner hall on Monday evening, April 27, an illustrated lecture under the auspices of the Daughters of the American Revolution. The subject of this lecture will be "Concord," by the Rev. R. H. Gesner. Tickets on sale at Judd's book-store, 28 College street and at the door.

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The general conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, a body which meets every four years, whose proceedings will enliven the city of Cleveland, and, to some extent, the country at large for an entire month, beginning with the 1st of May, will consist of about five hundred and fifty delegates, one-third of whom will be laymen, and all of whom will have been chosen by ballot, on account of some real or imaginary fitness for this honor, from a denomination which numbers about two and three-quarter millions, and has a traveling ministry of only a little less than seven hundred thousand.

In a fraternal way the Methodism of Canada will also be represented. Rev. John Lathrop of Halifax, N. S., will bring the greetings of that church, while British Methodism will be heard from through Rev. W. L. Wilkinson, a distinguished church editor, and the great Methodist Episcopal church south, through that eloquent southern and prospective bishop, Dr. J. C. Morris. To the words spoken by the delegate from the southern church, the conference will listen with unusual interest. It always does; but at this gathering the address will occur, it may be presumed, in connection with the report of a committee appointed four years ago on fraternal co-operation and organic union, and as there has been lately, in both churches, a growth of sentiment favorable to such union, some happy developments may be expected. Dr. Morris, it may be hoped, will be more cordial than was Dr. Tipton, the southern delegate of a quadrennium ago, and he will of course, in that case, be more cordially welcomed by the conference of a church from which his own separated fifty-two years ago on the question of slavery.

In this great gathering of Methodists trouble is expected from a very ancient cause of trouble; that which is commonly reported to have cast the shadow over Eden—a cause of trouble which, according to a crusty, but somewhat discerning king, will be found presumably at the bottom of all trouble; for the darky in his Methodist wood pile, if one may so speak, will be no other than "woman, lovely woman." In the abstract, it will be woman as represented in two-thirds the membership of the church, who will be pleading for recognition, but in the concrete the appeal will be made by four regularly elected delegates of that sex: Mrs. Bashford, wife of Dr. Bashford, president of the Ohio Wesleyan university, and three foreign missionaries, Miss Lydia A. Trimble of China, Mrs. Lois S. Parker of India and Mrs. Ada C. Butcher of India.

To say that these women have been regularly elected is, perhaps, saying too much, and this is the point which threatens trouble. It is the great divide point in the whole controversy; and what makes it particularly serious is that in addition to driving into a camp by themselves those who are opposed to women's admission, it creates still another hostile camp by driving into opposition those who are favorable to her admission, but who want her to come in, as they express it, "upon proper invitation and by the front door."

Just now an element of thrilling interest is added to this controversy by the fact that a constitutional amendment providing for her admission has failed by something like fifty votes.

It has been contemptuously characterized by even the warm friends of woman's admission, as an attempt to get her in by a back door; in other words, by a short cut that is of questionable regularity. Many voted for this measure at Omaha disclaiming it afterwards, and large numbers of ministers have positively refused to vote either for or against it.

If the Hamilton amendment is constitutional, the women lack now only a two-thirds majority of the conference about to convene to make them eligible for seats in that body, for, of course, that amendment, in so far as it has been voted upon, has failed to carry—enormously so; and hence, as "laymen" doesn't mean men only, it means men and women. But upon this there will be a desperate fight, the prospect being that while the general conference will be favorable to women, it will not uphold this Hamilton amendment.

Still, however, the question recurs, what will be done with the four women already elected? It will be impossible for the bishops to interfere as they did eight years ago, for the last conference voted that the roll should be made up of those presenting certificates of election. This makes it certain that these women will at least have the pleasure of answering to their names. There is talk, to be sure, of an injunction from the courts; but this would be resorted to by the conservatives only in the event of extreme measures on the part of the radicals. It has been the basis of the latter that when woman is once in by the action of Secretary Munroe in calling her name, they will take precious good care she shall stay in. But it is by no means certain they will have votes enough for this, and a reasonable forecast makes it seem probable that after roll call the question of her eligibility will be referred to a committee, and that this "new woman" of Methodism will have to wait for her full general conference crowning until 1900.

To very many of the delegates this woman question is far less interesting than the great question, who will be elected to the various offices. A Methodist general conference is unique among ecclesiastical convocations from the fact that, it has within its gift twenty-five influential positions, all of them paying good salaries, and most of them being commonly regarded as stepping stones to something higher. Of the thirteen editors it is probable that all will be re-elected, though some will by no means have a walkover, for when a man has been twenty years or so in an editorial chair, he is sure to have enemies if he has grit; and besides, it is so very easy to edit a paper that naturally there is a desire to have so soft a snap passed around among them.

Still another thing which complicates the editorial situation is that some who are editors would not object to be bishops. This creates a quasi-opening, and it sometimes happens that when the editor returns from his chaise after the Episcopal butchery, he finds his seat pre-empted by another. But this doesn't apply at all in the case of Dr. J. M. Buckley of the New York Advocate, who probably would be a bishop if he would, for those who are intimate with him are saying with an air of authority that he wouldn't be a bishop though he could. In very truth the grace of resignation is spreading in this church. A presiding elder in New Hampshire berates his brethren for voting for him as a delegate to general conference. With a good chance of going, he declines. Less than four years ago Dr. W. N. Brodbeck declined to become general secretary of the Epworth league, preferring the pastorate. About the same time Dr. H. A. Buttz let the editorship of the Methodist Review pass lightly from his grasp, and here now is Dr. Buckley emulating such distinguished men as Wilbur Tisdale and A. G. Haygood in virtually declining a bishopric.

The vacant general secretaryship of the Missionary society will probably be filled by Dr. S. L. Baldwin, who is at present supplying the place. Or, falling of an election as bishop, Dr. J. F. Goucher of Baltimore may capture this prize, though I'm sure he'll not do it if certain aspirants around New York can have their way. Should Chaplain McCabe or Dr. A. B. Leonard be pro-

moted to the Episcopacy, or should both be so fortunate, there would be no difficulty in getting men to take up their work. Probably, in that case, one of the new missionary secretaries would be taken from New England. In the event of admission to the Episcopacy there is almost certain to be a vacancy in the Western book concern, for Earl Cranston was nearly elected eight years ago, and he would surely have been made a bishop had any been chosen four years ago. For this possible vacancy Dr. Lasby of Nebraska is being urged, as also is Dr. E. D. Whitlock of Ohio, not to mention other good ministers, while among laymen the most likely election, should he consent to run, would be George B. Johnson, the long-time cashier of the Western House.

For the vacancy in the New York Publishing house, candidates are very numerous. Many think Dr. J. M. King ought to get it; others that it may be captured by Dr. G. P. Mains of Brooklyn; still others, that Dr. A. J. Palmer of New York, or Dr. Gray of New Jersey, may walk off with the prize. But here again the laymen are to be reckoned with. Charles R. Magee of Boston would fill the bill admirably, many think, and there are others who say that Dr. H. K. Carroll, or R. R. Doherty should be chosen.

The one thing which could prevent the re-election of Dr. J. W. Hamilton, or Dr. J. C. Hartzell, or Dr. W. A. Spencer to the prominent positions they now hold would be the possible success of those who are pushing them strenuously for the Episcopacy. Dr. C. H. Payne is a sure and worthy winner for re-election to the board of education, as also is Dr. J. L. Hurlbut for continuance at the head of Sunday school interests.

Should any bishops be elected, which the conference itself must decide, the number will probably be four, exclusive of several possible missionary bishops. Most of those prominently canvassed for the office are men who hold official positions already. Some of these I have mentioned. Others whose names are in the air are Dr. S. F. Upham, professor in Drew seminary, Chancellor Day of Syracuse university, President Buttz of Drew, Dr. W. V. Kelley of the Methodist Review, Dr. C. W. Smith of the Pittsburg Advocate, President George E. Reed of Dickinson college, President J. W. Bashford of Ohio Wesleyan, and President C. J. Little of Gerret Biblical Institute. When, however, it comes to selecting men from the pastorate, as the conference will surely see the propriety of doing, it will be impossible to overlook such men as Dr. William Nast Brodbeck of Boston and Dr. Frank H. Bristol of Chicago, the former of whom represents admirably the Evangelical sentiment of the Methodist ministry, and the latter of whom is a good representative of its more purely intellectual tendencies. But really, there are so many good men and true thinking of themselves, or being talked of by others, for the various offices to be filled, and especially for the Episcopacy, that the list here offered is impressive only by reason of its exceeding brevity.

FAIR HAVEN.

Rev. Mr. James has arrived home from a three weeks' vacation trip in the south. He visited Old Point Comfort, Hot Springs, Va., and his old home in Hinton, Va. Mr. James took the trip for much needed rest and has returned in good health. He will preach in his pulpit at the Second Congregational church next Sunday.

Miss Edna Gates of Lloyd street and Walter Keeley will be married at Davenport church May 14.

Three candidates took the mark master's degree at the meeting of Pulaski chapter, R. A. M., on Wednesday evening. As the appropriation providing street car tickets for letter carriers by the post office department has been reduced the Fair Haven carriers will not be able to ride as much as formerly. The cost of car tickets for these carriers is about \$500 per annum. If the new reporting station is not opened additional carriers will be required to perform the service.

Financial.

The break in the stock had little influence on the general list, which held steady to the close. Net changes show losses of 2 1/2 per cent. Sugar leading. The grangers, however, show slight gains for the day. Tobacco lost 4 per cent.

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Financial.

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Financial.

In the last hour of business Tobacco suddenly broke to 6 3/4. Early in the day the stock brought 7 1/4. The slump was due to an unconfirmed rumor that an injunction had been obtained restraining the payment of the scrip dividend recently declared.

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The break in the stock had little influence on the general list, which held steady to the close. Net changes show losses of 2 1/2 per cent. Sugar leading.

Bonds were unusually active and strong. The transactions footed up \$2,875,000.

Following are the closing prices reported by Prince & Whitely, bankers and brokers, 46 Broadway, New York, and 15 Center street, New Haven:

Table with columns: Bid, Asked. Lists various stocks and bonds including American Tobacco Co., American Cotton Oil Co., Am. Sugar Refining Co., etc.

Government Bonds.

Following are the quotations for United States bonds at the call to-day:

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Entertainments.

BUNNELL'S THE GRAND. Week of April 24th. Matinee Daily. WILBUR OPERA CO. High Art Living Pictures.

HYPERION THEATER. Tuesday, April 23rd. LA LOIE FULLER. In Her Marvelous Dances.

HYPERION THEATER. Wednesday, April 23rd. ADA REHAN. THE COUNTESS GUCKI.

HYPERION THEATER. Saturday Night, April 25th. Second Annual Engagement. DELLA FOX Comio Opera Company.

HYPERION THEATER. Saturday, May 2nd. ENGAGEMENT OF HENRY IRVING. Miss ELLEN TERRY.

POLY'S WONDERLAND THEATRE. CONTINUOUS PERFORMANCE. Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Drew.

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THE HOME Refrigerators. Champion & Lapland. Early to talk Refrigerators? May be, but we have taken care, and the warm weather of the last few days has compelled people to buy Refrigerators.

The Home Furnishing Co. 755-763 Chapel Street. MR. MANFIELD OUTDOSE. A Mansfield Selectman Tells a Bigger Snake Story.

Journal and Courier. THREE MONTHS, \$1.50; ONE MONTH, 50 CENTS; ONE WEEK, 15 CENTS; SINGLE COPIES, 3 CENTS.

Friday, April 24, 1896.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS TO-DAY.

Asphalt—J. R. Whitby. Attention—N. J. Glorioso. Black and White Checks—Howe & Stetson. Creamery—D. M. Welch & Son. Daily Chat—Malley, Neely & Co. Entertainment—Hyperion Theater. Estate Helen L. Warren—Probate Notice. For Rent—Rooms—R. T. Merwin. For Sale—Eggs—McDonald & Hanson. For Rent—Flat—W. D. Judson. For Sale—House—W. D. Judson. Furniture—Chamberlain Furniture Co. For Rent—Floor—G. Wilbur Clark. For Rent—House—George M. Grant. Grand Shopping Expedition—E. M. Brown & Co. Keeping Everlasting at It—Chas. Monson Co. Mattings—S. H. Winslow Shade Co. Notice—Board of Selectmen. Shoes—C. H. Ayers. Shud—A. Wolfe & Co. Shoes—M. F. Bristol's. Varnish—Thompson & Holden. Wanted—Help—338 Howard Avenue. Wanted—Girl—141 Chapel Street. Wanted—Cook—307 Lawrence Street. Wanted—Situations—Cedar Hill Avenue. Wanted—Girl—146 Minor Street. Wanted—Situations—164 Franklin Street. Wanted—Girl—34 Wallace Street. Wanted—Situations—31 Grand Office. Wanted—Situations—Laundry, This Office.

WEATHER RECORD.

AGRICULTURAL DEPARTMENT. OFFICE OF THE CHIEF. OF THE WEATHER BUREAU. WASHINGTON, D. C., April 23, 1896, 8 p. m.

Forecast for Friday—For New England: Generally fair, but with increasing cloudiness during the day, northerly winds, shifting to easterly. For eastern New York—Fair with increasing cloudiness, possibly light local showers, winds shifting to southeasterly.

Local Weather Report.

FOR APRIL 23, 1896.

Table with 2 columns: Time (7:40 A.M., P.M.) and Weather (Barometer, Temperature, Humidity, Wind Direction, Wind Velocity, etc.)

U. G. MEYERS, Observer. Note—A minimum of 30.0 indicated temperature below zero. In connection with rainfall indicates trace of rain, too small to measure. Snow is melted and resulting depth of water not known.

LOCAL NEWS.

Brief Mention.

High water to-day at 7:45 a. m. Morris Cove lots—E. M. Clark, 42 Church Own a home—\$1,600. R. E. Baldwin. Loans and insurance furnished by Charles Wilson & Co., 42 Church street. Manure specially composted for fertilizing lawns. Connecticut Concrete company, 49 Church street. Gas: Persons about to move and wishing to use gas in their new homes will please notify the Gas Light company as soon as possible.

The Copsford Mystery, or, is he the Man?—W. Clark Russell's new book, is for sale by T. H. Pease & Son. As a writer of sea stories Russell is unequalled, and the book will have a large sale.

The oyster steamer Amanda, which was fastened to the wharf of Lancastr Brothers in Fair Haven, filled with water and sank early yesterday morning. Captain Nathan Thomas, who was the only person on board at the time of the accident, escaped from his room just as the water rushed through the doorway. Cards were issued yesterday announcing the coming marriage of Miss Mary Cowles Gay, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Erastus Gay of Farmington, to Attorney John Wallace Banks of Bridgeport. The ceremony will take place at the Congregational church in Farmington on Tuesday evening, May 7, at 7 o'clock.

Detective Sergeant Cowles yesterday arrested George E. Wilbur, who is wanted for embezzlement from Phil D. Armour & Co. of Chicago. He made collections in this city for that firm. The detective made the arrest just as Wilbur stepped off the Trave when she arrived in New York from England. He is wanted for like offenses in Meriden, Waterbury, New Britain, Bridgeport and Hartford.

Edward F. Mansfield, of the firm of Strong, Barnes, Hart & Co., missed in a crash in trying to board a moving car in Washington, D. C., Wednesday, fell against the car, striking with such force as to fracture his left leg near the thigh. He was taken to the emergency hospital, and thence to his hotel. Mr. and Mrs. Mansfield were in Washington with a party of New England people enjoying Washington life.

Fire in Vanderbilt Hall. About 8 o'clock last evening fire was discovered in room 58, Vanderbilt hall. One of the students in the next entry smelled the smoke and called help. The room was broken into and the fire was extinguished. About eight or ten sofa pillows and a divan were destroyed. The occupants of the room were out. They are Lenahan '96 and McCoy '97. The origin of the fire was not known.

A Pleasant Social Event. The following committee arranged a very pleasant reception in the Boston Dancing academy last night: Messrs. G. N. Nettleton, H. S. Jackson and Charles S. Klein. A program of sixteen numbers, with five extras, was carried out and a most enjoyable evening was spent. Those who enjoyed the affair were: Messrs. Klein, Jackson, Nettleton, Broadbent, Gillespie, Hart, Brown, Eldridge, Maybury, Loomis, Marsh, and Misses Latham, Yale, Beardsley, Keller, Marsh, Linsley, Walker, Hayden, and Roberts.

AT CHASE A CO.'S. Growing more and more in favor with the large class in the community who like to patronize a first-class gentleman's furnishing goods store, Chase & Co., under the New Haven house, are constantly enlarging their field of operations and the large patronage they receive is well earned and well merited. They can suit every taste, and their stock of goods is at all times admirable. They are known widely in the city as a first-class house, and being constantly in touch with the great trade centers and dealing largely, they sell goods at prices that ensure continued success.

YESTERDAY IN THE COURTS.

DECISION HANDED DOWN IN THE WRITTEN CASE.

He Must First Exhaust All Remedies in the State Courts—Perfetto Gets Two Years—A Case Similar Somewhat to the Playfair Case—Other Cases of Interest—A Suit for the Price of a Cow—A Grocer's Settlement With Creditors—The William Sawe Estate, Etc.

A decision has been handed down in the habeas corpus case of Dr. George E. Whitten and the supreme court finds no error. Consequently Dr. Whitten is still held.

The Dr. Whitten habeas corpus suit just decided is the result of litigation, which has been going on for the last year. Dr. Whitten was brought to this city on a bench warrant in January, 1895, charged with murder in the second degree of Maggie Schloss of Ansonia. He was put to plea and pleaded not guilty. He was then released under \$5,000 bonds. He returned to New Haven and was surrendered to the sheriff. Habeas corpus proceedings were brought in the United States district court on the ground that the governor of Massachusetts signed the papers for the extradition of Dr. Whitten without the knowledge of the fact, which his attorneys claimed, that the grand jury in indicting Dr. Whitten, jointly with Dr. Lee, did not mean to find a true bill against Dr. Whitten, but only against Dr. Lee, and that their indictment against Dr. Whitten was a clerical error. This case was carried to the United States supreme court, which decided that Dr. Whitten must exhaust his remedies in the state courts. Meanwhile he had been admitted to bail in the United States court.

Superior Court—Criminal Side—Judge Shumway.

Francisco Perfetto was sentenced to two years in state prison yesterday. He was charged with aggravated assault upon Maria Barione. Attorney Martin Conlan and Attorney E. J. Maher appeared for Perfetto. Attorney Conlan made a most eloquent plea, for which he was complimented by Judge Shumway.

Francisco Malfucci, charged with assault with intent to kill Dominick Di Biazio, pleaded guilty and was given three years in Wethersfield.

Howard Payne of West Haven pleaded guilty of forging an endorsement on a check given to him by Dr. Adams of West Haven for the Metropolitan Manufacturing company and was sentenced to one year in jail.

Sturges Tuttle of Stony Creek is now on trial for embezzlement. Tuttle worked for Dennie Page of Stony Creek and took some money which he had collected for Page. He claimed Page owed him the money.

Superior Court—Civil Side—Judge Shumway.

Wednesday evening Judge Shumway heard a motion asking for a revocation of the court order which compels William Holmes of Ansonia to pay his wife, Mary Johnson Holmes, a novelist of some note, five dollars per week. Mrs. Holmes lives on Blatchley avenue in this city. She formerly lived in Ansonia. The motion was made by Attorneys Arvine and Ford and was opposed by Attorney Goodhart.

The lawyers presented as a reason for their request an affidavit from Dr. Pulford of Tiffin, O. Dr. Pulford formerly lived in Ansonia. This affidavit is said to seriously reflect on the chastity of Mrs. Holmes.

The case is somewhat similar to the now celebrated case of Kitson vs. Playfair in England, which has attracted universal attention.

Judge Shumway, after hearing counsel on both sides, denied the motion made by Messrs. Arvine and Ford.

Mrs. Holmes was in court prepared to testify in denial of the charges contained in Dr. Pulford's affidavit, but she was not called upon. Dr. Pulford, it is understood, is to come from Ohio to testify.

Court of Common Pleas—Civil Side—Judge Hotchkiss.

The case of Mary Chichester against A. L. Bennett of Cheshire was on trial in the court of common pleas before Judge Hotchkiss yesterday morning. The suit is to recover \$75, which Mrs. Chichester paid to Bennett for a cow. She alleges that the cow was one which Bennett purchased from her husband, and which, she claims, her husband had no right to sell.

In consequence of the sale of the cow, Mrs. Chichester has left her husband, and has not lived with him since.

The case was tried before a justice and Mrs. Chichester was given judgment. The defendant appealed to the common pleas court. L. N. Blydenburgh appears for the plaintiff, and James H. Webb for the defendant.

Court of Common Pleas—Civil Side—Judge Cable.

Yesterday in the old bar library Judge Cable of the city court sat as a judge of the court of common pleas to hear the appeal of the case of John P. Kennedy of Orange against John Farley of Westville. The suit was for the conversion of a horse valued at from \$75 to \$100, and before Justice George F. Hall the plaintiff was given judgment to recover \$5 and costs.

Kennedy came to this city August 17, 1895, and drove around. He became intoxicated and while in this condition swapped his horse with Farley for an animal alleged to have been comparatively worthless. A conservator had been appointed over Kennedy the day before the deal.

Farley was arrested in the city court here, but was discharged and the suit was then brought against him in which he was given judgment. The defendant appealed the case.

Probate Court—Judge Cleveland. Henry Bahnsen, the State street grocer, who is being forced into insolvency, offered as a settlement \$3 1-2 cents on the dollar of the claims against him yesterday morning in the probate court before Judge Cleveland. Some creditors showed a disposition to accept, while others refused. The case was continued till Monday. Bahnsen owes \$2,500.

THE SYMPHONY CONCERT.

The Last of the Series—An Excellent Program.

The last of the series of concerts by the New Haven Symphony orchestra took place yesterday afternoon at the Yale Music hall. The audience was of gratifying size, although not as large as at the last but one. The program was of unusual interest and Mrs. Lines, the soloist, made an excellent impression.

The program opened with Schubert's "Unfinished" symphony. The orchestra played this at one of the concerts in Alumni hall last winter. The repetition at this time was well calculated to show the advance that the band has made this year. The quality of all the various choirs is vastly improved. This winter's training has been severe, but beneficial. The quality of the strings yesterday was better than it has ever been before. In the matter of precision in attack, gradation of tone and other technical fine points, the improvement was most marked. The quality of the wood-winds in the second movement of the symphony was very creditable yesterday. There is still room for improvement in the chorus.

The second number was the lovely concerto of Edward Grieg in A minor, played by Mrs. Isabelle Frushour-Lines, who has been studying with Professor Samuel Sanford for some two years now. Mrs. Lines had the advantage of playing one of the most grateful works in all piano literature. This concerto has all the characteristic merits of Grieg's music and is idiomatic of the piano. It presents tremendous technical difficulties both for the solo instrument and for the orchestra. Hence the credit of the performance must be divided between Mrs. Lines and Professor Parker. Mrs. Lines plays with real virtuosity and astonishing brilliancy. She did great credit to Professor Sanford's instruction.

The musical department is making good showings in all directions. Two pianists have appeared this year and now comes Mr. William E. Haesche, a pupil of Professor Parker, with a delightful bit of writing for the orchestra. Mr. Haesche calls his composition a "Forest Idyll" and it is melodiously descriptive of a woodland scene. The subjects are of a simple pastoral nature, and the composer shows no decided talent for orchestral color throughout. The orchestra played it with great finesse and gave their fellow member a warm reception at the close. Mr. Haesche has worked faithfully and it is a pleasant duty to commend the result of his labors.

The program closed with Chadwick's "Rip Van Winkle" overture, which was one of the first compositions to be recognized among continental orchestras. It is a beautiful and characteristic work, and it closed a delightful program.

Both Mrs. Lines and Mr. Haesche received floral tributes from their friends.

The selection of Waterbury last night opened bids for the masonry work for the bridge over the Naugatuck river which will replace the one carried away last February. The contract was awarded to C. W. Blakelee & Sons of this city, who underbid five Waterbury contractors.

COOK HAS NOT DECIDED.

J. Hazleton Cook has not yet decided whether or not he will appeal his suit against the Hotel Hans estate.

SUED FOR \$300. A. Goodman & Co. have sued Peter Stanford of Congress avenue for \$300 for debt. The attachment in the suit was recorded in the town clerk's office yesterday.

ROGERS TO APPEAR IN COURT. The cases of George and Arthur Richards, who assaulted John Rogers of 24 Greenwood street on March 5, came up in the city court yesterday, but was continued until April 26. Rogers at one time was not expected to live. It is now thought that he will be able to appear in court for the trial.

Denies the Report. Winsted, April 23—It was authentically stated here to-night that C. H. Coster of the firm of J. P. Morgan & Co. of New York denies the report published in Philadelphia to the effect that Philadelphia, Reading and New England bonds would be exchanged for new securities under the Reading reorganization plan. The Reading controls the Philadelphia, Reading and New England, but the latter was forced into receivership on the failure of the Reading to pay the interest guaranteed on the bonds.

New Haven Colony Historical Society. The regular monthly meeting of the society will be held in Colonial hall on Monday evening, April 27, at 8 o'clock; subject, "What European Countries Do for Their Citizens" (illustrated), by Mr. George L. Fox, rector of Hopkins grammar school.

The monthly meetings of the society are open to the public and all are cordially invited.

Funeral in Hamden. The funeral services of Adelia Chatterton of Hamden, widow of the late Joseph Chatterton, took place yesterday afternoon at her late home, attended by a large number of sorrowing friends, among whom were many of the old residents of the town. Rev. Mr. Clark of Whiteville Congregational church officiated and spoke words of consolation and of hope; also referring to the long and excellent life of the deceased, who was an old member of the Whiteville church. Stahl & Son of this city were the funeral directors.

New Haven Wins. The Bridgeport duck pin rollers tried conclusions with a New Haven team at Bowling hall, and had the same luck at all visiting teams get when they roll here—three straight defeats. The score:

Table with 4 columns: Team, St., Sp., Tl. NEW HAVEN: Fox 87 85 93 0 2 265; Hotchkiss 77 89 96 0 1 256; Winchee 82 75 79 0 1 247; Beers 87 76 80 0 1 245; Wakefield 86 91 88 0 3 275. BRIDGEPORT: Wilson 66 75 91 1 3 232; Grumman 99 90 75 1 2 255; Miller 82 75 79 0 1 247; Dimer 74 82 58 0 1 234; Moore 74 84 76 0 0 234. Total: 386 407 370 2 6 1172.

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—promises to prove a white elephant. We started it with a lot of odd pieces, fancy rockers, reception chairs, etc., and though prices were cut to half we thought there was at least enough to last for a week.

Now we find that each day makes a demand on new stock and that our promise to sustain this feature of the furniture department is likely to prove expensive.

But it's a little too late now to retrace, so feed the "Lucky corner" we must.

There are some new additions. Tables. Many kinds and sizes made of oak, curly birch, mahogany, and chetry.

Some square, others round, or oval, with and without shelves beneath.

This is how we'll sell them in the "Lucky Corner."

20.00 tables for \$10.00. \$16.00 " " \$8.00. \$12.00 " " \$6.00. \$10.00 " " \$5.00. \$7.00 " " \$3.50. \$6.00 " " \$3.00. \$5.00 " " \$2.50. \$4.00 " " \$2.00. \$3.25 " " \$1.625.

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So many people ask us about those Chinese and Japanese matings.

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We bought our stock cheaper than usual, because we went direct to the weaver for it, instead of buying from third parties.

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There are less than a hundred left and you may choose—at 75c each. 8 styles at 50c yd. 6 styles at 75c yd.

Laces

You should see those 6-inch Orientals we're selling now at 10c per yard. Colors are ivory and beurre tint, patterns are new and out of the ordinary.

Valenciennes reached us so we can sell the 3/8 inch fine grade at 9c per yard, the 1/2 at 12, and the 5/8 at 15c.

There's a mint of tints in the Lace dept, and they're just in season now. Suppose you spend a few minutes looking.

Reminders

The Crockery Sale. The Bicycle Feature. The \$2.25 Hat Table. The Baby Carriage chance. The Keystone Egg-beater demonstration.

"Marline" hair curling and Crimping exhibit. "Bromangelon," that delicious Jelly made in a few minutes. The Electric Radiator demonstration. —Gloves Cleaned free of charge.

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We prefer to do the harder thing—buy good Furniture, sell it reasonably and make a living profit in the bargain.

Spring Cloakings

Just to remind you of our Cravenettes, Corduroys, Tweeds, Serges, Diagonals, Boucles and Broad cloths.

Modest prices prevail—75c per yd up. Outing Flannels. 27-inch widths at 63/4c yd, very handsome Scotch flannels, checks, stripes and plain, 28-inch widths 19c yd, cream twilled tennis flannels 54 inch at 59c yd. (Woolen dept).

Childrens' Empire Gowns

—of very fine muslin, insertion yoke, and sailor collar with deep Hamburg ruffle, in sizes for 6 to 14 year olds—89c and 98c.

Children's Umbrella Skirts 4 yards wide, sizes for 8 to 16 years—59c. Babies Nainsook skirts, and night slips, for 6 months to year olds, 50c to \$1.50.

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