THE EVENING CRITIC.
ESTABLISHED AUGUST 1868.

Weather Indications.

For the Middle Atlantic States, fair weather, westerly winds, higher barometer and no decided change in temperature.

Social Gossip.

Mrs. Morrell will receive her friends at the National Academy of Fine Arts on Thursday evening, and an unusually pleasant time is anticipated. A large number of her students will be present.

The family of General Spear have gone to their summer resort in Maine. The General will leave the city later.

The daughters of Mr. Adolph Cluss are off recreating. Mr. Cluss says he can rest and recreate at home as well as anywhere, and feels very well if he runs down the river now and then.

Mrs. Paul Livingston has returned from New York and will go to Virginia soon to spend the rest of the season.

Increased Postal Business.

The shooting of the President has had the effect of adding an increased amount of extra labor to the postal clerks and others who handle the mails. It is stated at the Post-Office Department that since Saturday the mails going to and from Washington have increased to a very large extent, and during that period, up to 10 o'clock to-day, 35,000 more letters were handled in the office here than during a corresponding period last year. Letters arriving are mostly addressed to members of the Cabinet, though the largest proportion are for the Executive Mansion. They bear postmarks of every section of the country, and are poubtless letters of sympathy and condolence, but it may be safe to say that not a few contain suggestions to the President's physicians with reference to a better mode of treatment of his case.

And Still Another Crank.

The fourth crank is not crazy, or if he be so, his madness is methodical and of a money-making order. This time it was a horse of another color, being an old darkey from the Island, Isaac Jones by name.

Isaac entered Police Headquarters suspiciously, and with an air of vast mystery. He sat down and wiped his forehead with the cuff of his coat and heaved a deep sigh from his middle.

"Fo' de Lawd! Mr. Lieutenant dis thing am awful" sighed the sorrowful Isaac. "It am awful!"

"What's awful?" all han ls interrogated.

"To think jus' how easy I mighter saved President Gyawfiel' from a-bein shot an' I never thought of hit."

"How could yer have saved anybody from anything?"

"I swah to Gaud I'se tellin' the truth. I was a-settin' in the Smithsonian grounds, a-wippin' off the pearsperation off a' my head that very Satu'day, and two white gen'lmen walked by kinder slow, and they was talkin' about the setuation in Albany. One was a big man and one was a little man, and the big man he said he hoped Conkling and Arthur would win. And that very same day Mister President Gwawfield was shot."

And heaving another sigh and again wiping his face with the cuff of his coat, Isaac paused.

"Well, what of that? They were merely discussing the condition of affairs in Albany. Thousands of people were doing the same thing the same day all over the country."

"Oh, you can't fool me. Dar's a clue. What I come hyar for is, I ain't got no job now and plenty of leesure on my hands," responded the additional crank. "An' ef you all 'ill jess pay me, jess hire me for a speshul dectective fo' a month. I kin work up the case. 'Twon't make no harm no way ef nothin' comes out of it, but I reckon I kin find something, may be."

But Isaac was informed that the circumstantial evidence was not sufficient to guarantee an addition to the detective force, and he departed melancholy and chagrin.

He should lend his valuable assistance to Detectives Gibson and Cook.

One Man Who Did Not See the Shooting.

Robert Williams was arraigned in the Police Court to-day for disorderly conduct.

"Did you see the shooting of the President at the depot?" asked the Court, pausing in his perusal of the extra CRITIC.

"No, I did not," was the honest answer.

"Thank Heaven," broke forth the Court, with a sigh of relief, "here is one man at least who admits that he was not an eye-witness. You may go, sir."

Thus it is, virtue meets its own reward.

Native Wine.

Jas. Tharp, 818 F street northwest, has on hand domestic wines equal to imported, and at very low prices. Go there.

Transfers of Real Estate.

To-day, in the Recorder's office, deeds were filed as follows: Wm. Taloe Snyder, trustee; to Nelson A. Ryon, lots 30 and 31, in Payne and Fendall's sub-lot 5, square 945, $—; James W. Somerville to Edwin Salter, lot 10, square 940, $2,000; Emma and John H. Walter to Sarah E. Hannay, part of lot 5, in square 317, $2,000; Louis Rheb and wife to Henry Conradis, lots 32 and 33, in Uhlman's subdivision of square 616, $900.

District Government Notes.

—The Commissioners to-day notified Booth Bros. of the acceptance of their proposal for furnishing additional granite paving blocks under the terms of the present contract.

—Chas. King was granted a permit to-day for building a large three-story brick store on Seventh street, between G and H streets, at a cost of $5,300.

—Three hundred-odd dog licenses have been issued since Friday last by Collector of Taxes Cook.

—Mary A. Brown and E. W. Hurley were granted permits for improving their residences.

—The office of the Engineer Commissioner has been temporarily removed from the second to the third story of the Columbia Building.

—Dr. Loring yesterday requested an appropriation from the Commissioners to help the support of the Eye and Ear Infirmary of this city.

—The Commissioners to-day furnished the First Comptroller of the Treasury with maps and statistics, showing the boundaries of the seven school districts and the authority by which they were created.

—The custom of watering horses at the pump at Third and H streets will be hereafter prevented, as it is complained of as a nuisance, and the well is nearly exhausted.

—Water Register Cox reports that a couple of hundred stop-cock boxes, which were dangerously high above the level of the pavement, have been lowered by the property-holders.

—A permit was granted yesterday for the erection of a large Congregational church on Ninth street southwest, between B street and Virginia avenue. The building will be 62 feet front by the same depth, and will cost about $10,000. Mr. William W. Hicks, who will be the pastor of the church, is at present with the congregation worshiping in the evenings at the Westminster Presbyterian Church through the courtesy of Dr. Bittenger. The congregation of this church, which is to be known as the Tabernacle, are what is known as the seceders from Ryland, but it is stated that only a small portion of the congregation are from the Ryland association. The congregation object to the misnomer of the Methodist Association of South Washington.

DRAFTS on London, Dublin and Paris, at H. D. Cooke, Jr., & Co.'s, 1429 F st.

RAYS OF HOPE.

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THE NOON BULLETIN.

The President Still Comfortable.

EXECUTIVE MANSION,
July 6, 12:30 p. m.

The President remains quite as comfortable as at the date of the last bulletin. He takes his nourishment well. Pulse, 100; temperature, 99.7°; respiration, 24.

D. W. BLISS,
J. K. BARNES,
J. J. WOODWARD,
ROBT. REYBURN.

Unless unfavorable symptoms develop, no further bulletins will be issued till 8:30 this evening.

How the President Bears His Sufferings.

The President shows great interest in the movements of the physicians when they make their examinations upon which to base the bulletins. He is cheerful and tractable, and does as he is told without a murmur. He undoubtedly suffers considerably from having to lie in one position all the time, but never complains. When it becomes necessary to move him to examine and dress the wound, he assists in the operation to the best of his ability and asks questions of his condition. During the examination this afternoon he asked, "How am I, doctor?" "You are doing very nicely; your pulse is 98." "That's normal, isn't it?" Upon being answered in the affirmative he sank back with a satisfied air and submitted to the examination without further interruption.

How the President Bears Himself.

When Dr. Reyburn left the consultation room he was asked by THE CRITIC reporter, "How does the President bear himself?" "Oh! cheerful," answered the doctor, who added with a laugh, "but he complains that we don't feed him enough. He expressed a desire for a steak just now, but, of course, we couldn't allow that. We give him chicken broth and beef tea and it seems to be very beneficial."

"His pulse seems to have gone up a little. How about that?"

"Oh, that's nothing serious. We expect his pulse to rise a little during the afternoon."

A crowd had gathered about the doctor by this time, and it was with difficulty that he could make his way through.

What Guiteau Said When He was Arrested.

Guiteau, who has become very talkative since his arrest, denies that he made the remark, after the shooting, "I am a Stalwart, and this makes Arthur President." A CRITIC reporter this morning saw Officer Kearney to learn what Guiteau really did say. Kearney replied: "If Guiteau says he did not make the remark attributed to him he tells a base falsehood." The officer further said that if necessary he would go to the nearest notary public and make oath that Guiteau did use the above language.

Officer Kearney also denies the reports which have been published in many newspapers that he had seen the prisoner lurking around the depot several days before the tragedy acting in a strange manner and regarded him as a crazy man. "Had that been the case," said the officer, "I should have arrested him without hesitation."

How the Bulletins are Distributed.

The bulletins issued by the attending physicians, in addition to being sent all over the country by the newspaper men, are telegraphed specially to a large number of prominent men in each of the States. Innumerable copies are made of them by means of the hectograph, in addition to being posted at the main entrance and at the gates and supplied to all executive departments and displayed in conspicuous places.

A PARALLEL CASE

To that of President Garfield and From Which the Patient Recovered---The Treatment Pursued---An Interesting Extract.

As a matter of exceedingly interest at this time, the following, copied from the June number of the San Francisco *Western Lancet*, a medical magazine, is published. Dr. H. M. Pond, M. D., of St. Helena, makes the report. The importance attached to the matter just at this time is that it is a parallel case almost, in severity and treatment, to President Garfield's. The report was written and published long before the President was shot:

Bullet Wound of the Stomach—Recovery.

BY H. M. POND, M. D., ST. HELENA.

On Sunday, April 17, I was called to a patient shot in the abdomen. The bullet wound was two and a-half inches above the umbilicus and one inch to the right of the median line. From information gained as to the position of the parties when the shot was fired, it seemed probable that the ball had passed backward and slightly downward and to the right. Beyond ascertaining that the ball had not been turned from its course before entering the abdominal cavity, no probing was attempted. The patient was in a condition of extreme collapse, almost pulseless and frequently vomiting blood. The unanimous prognosis of the three physicians who saw him was that the wound would certainly prove fatal, either immediately from shock and hemorrhage, or in a few days from peritonitis. Hypodermic injections of morphine to quiet the stomach and small doses of laudanum and brandy to aid in procuring reaction were first administered. In about five hours, as reaction came on, the latter was discontinued. At about midnight I was summoned, to find that my patient had fainted twice, had had a severe chill and was suffering the most intense pain in the abdomen. The pulse was 140 and hard, temperature high (I neglected to make a memorandum of the number of degrees), intense thirst, nausea and frequent vomiting, though blood was no longer raised. I regarded this as the onset of general peritonitis. Gave morphine, one-third grain, every hour until the pupil became contracted, and ordered hot turpentine stupes. The next day the pain in the abdomen was circumscribed to the right lumbar region; pulse less frequent, temperature 102°. The morphine was continued in less frequent doses for the purpose of allaying pain and keeping the bowels absolutely inactive, if possible, while the diet was restricted to liquid food. The wound in the superficial tissues was kept open by a plug of lint, and frequently syringed after suppuration took place. The patient steadily improved till Wednesday night, when a violent diarrhœa set in. Laudanum was administered in half-teaspoon doses after each passage till the diarrhœa was checked, and in diminished doses thereafter, preventing any further evacuation for several days. The bowels were then allowed to regulate themselves. From this time the improvement was rapid and steady. Two weeks after the shot the first solid food was allowed. The patient's appetite was good and his digestive powers unimpaired, so that he rapidly regained his strength, and is now (May 10) able to do light work.

Military and Police Arrangements to be Maintained.

Gen. Sherman and Chief of Police Brock were among the visitors to-day, and state that it is proposed to maintain the present military and police arrangements as long as the President remains in a critical condition. The regular troops are still bivouacked in the grounds, and those not on guard are encamped under the shade of the trees, where they sleep during the night and eat and lounge during the day.

Strict Rules to Preserve Quiet.

The strictest rules are still observed in regard to admission to the Mansion. No one is allowed to enter the grounds without a pass signed by Private Secretary Brown, and no one is allowed to pass the doorkeepers at the lower stairs until their card has been seen by Mr. Brown. If he can see them, they are allowed to pass up stairs to his office, but have access to no other part of the house. The President's doorkeeper guards the door opening into the Cabinet room and private library, and no one is allowed to enter except the Cabinet officers, their private secretaries and the personal attendants of the President. These two rooms open on a hall leading to the President's room, but no one is permitted to intrude there.

Notes and Incidents.

The Italian Minister, the Mexican Minister, and Chin Lan Pin, the Chinese Minister, were among the foreign ministers who left their cards at the White House this morning. Among the other callers were Gen. Tyner, Gen. F. A. Walker, Representative Dezendorf, Prof. Powell, Col. Ingersoll and Representative Updegraff.

It is stated on good authority that Drs. Agnew and Hamilton were not summoned at the instance of Dr. Bliss, but at the request of friends of the family. The story that Dr. Bliss drew these names at random from a hat is pronounced utterly absurd.

A gentle breeze prevailed in the President's apartments all day, thanks to the excellent arrangements made for thorough and complete ventilation, and he does not suffer at all from the heat.

The soldier mentioned by Dr. Bliss as having recovered from such a severe wound of the liver, was a member of President Garfield's own regiment during the war.

Messrs. Judd and Montgomery, the telegraph operators at the White House, who have been working night and day since the shooting, had a respite to-day. The increase in their work made it necessary for them to secure larger quarters and the instruments were placed in a bedroom in the northeastern corner of the building. About the only telegrams sent to-day were to members of the family who are out of the city and such intimate friends of the family as have expressed a desire to be kept advised of the President's condition.

Steady Improvement Noted.

Dr. Bliss was asked at 3 o'clock about the President's condition, and he replied: "Well, he is about the same, with a trifle higher pulsation, but his symptoms are as favorable as we could wish or expect at this time. Every hour that this state of things continues improves his chances of recovery."

Sensation at the War Department.

Somewhat of a sensation was caused at the War Department this afternoon by a drunken man who was threatening that he would kill Vice-President Arthur in case the President should die. He had a large round clock in his hands and in reeling around happened to drop it. So intoxicated was he that he could not pick it up. The police were notified of his conduct, and an officer conducted him to the Fourth Precinct Station, where he will remain till he sleeps off the effects of his potations. The man is a clerk in the Adjutant-General's office, and created the scene in Gen. Drum's room. He was there yesterday, and being under the influence of liquor, acted in a disorderly manner, but was allowed to leave.

Resolutions of the Albany Convention.

ALBANY, N. Y., July 6.—The joint convention to-day adopted resolutions expressing sympathy with the President and a hope for his recovery and denouncing the assassin.

LATEST UNOFFICIAL BULLETIN.

3:15 p. m.

There is no particular change in the President's condition. He is still resting comfortably.

Variations of Pulse, Temperature and Respirations.

The following tabular statement, prepared by Dr. W. H. Hawkes, from the official bulletins, shows the variations of pulse, temperature and respirations since the rise of the surgical fever:

Date.	Time.	Pulse.	Tem.	Res.
July 3.	10:30 p. m.	120	100	20
" 4	12:30 a. m.	112	99.8	20
"	8:15 a. m.	108	99.4	19
"	12:30 p. m.	110	100	24
"	7:45 p. m.	126	101.9	24
"	10 p. m.	124	101	24
" 5	8:30 a. m.	114	100.5	24
"	12:30 p. m.	110	101	24
"	8:30 p. m.	108	100.9	24
" 6	8:30 a. m.	98	98.9	23
"	12:30 p. m.	100	99.7	23

Alderney Dairy "Gone West."

To-morrow morning will be opened branch No. 4, at 527 Fifteenth street, in Corcoran Building, where will be for sale milk, cream and fresh-churned buttermilk, all ice-cold, by gallon, quart or glass. At midday there will be a rustic dairy lunch, something very nice and cheap. Will be open from 5 a. m. to 8 p. m. Sundays and holidays will close at 10 a. m. Give this place a call or send and try our goods. Butter in half-pound prints, pure Alderney and our own make, 35 cents a pound; cottage-cheese, made from cream, in balls, 5 cents.

F. K. WARD, Proprietor.

National Hotel Arrivals.

Hon. B. Wilson, West Virginia; A. F. Christiani and wife, New York; L. R. Brumby, Georgia; C. H. Hatch and wife, Philadelphia; S. Lipscond and wife, Richmond; Miss F. E. Wilson, New Jersey; A. W. Hicks, New Jersey; I. Y. Menifee, Virginia; Oscar Faust, Pennsylvania; Dr. W. G. Marsh, Pennsylvania; R. E. Gill and wife, Virginia; Hon. Jas. Keith, Virginia; Capt. H. R. Garden, Virginia; L. L. Lewis, Virginia; Dr. D. C. Gordon, Virginia; N. O. Bond, Virginia; Ambrose Breese, Iowa; W. H. Colden, Pennsylvania; F. W. Dyce Fraser, Scotland.

MRS. F. C. COSLERY, F. Reynolds and wife and Capt. and Mrs. Wheeler, of Washington, were registered in Paris on June 20.

CHARLES SCHUMAN, an old white gentleman, was suddenly taken sick at Tenth and L streets last night and carried to his home by the police.

All-Wool Blue Flannel Suits, 10;

warranted fast colors. I. Hamburger & Sons, 615 Pennsylvania avenue.

NEW YORK SENATORS.

The Voting at Albany To-day.—Caucus of Half-breeds and Featherheads to be Held this Evening.

ALBANY, June 6.—Joint convention met at 12 o'clock. The first ballot for successor to Conkling resulted as follows:

Conkling, 32; Wheeler, 42; Cornell, 6; Crowley, 6; Lapham, 11; Rogers, 4; Folger, 1; Potter (Dem.), 53. Total, 155.

The official first joint ballot for a successor to Platt resulted:

Kernan, 53; Depew, 53; Cornell, 18; Crowley, 19; Chapman, 4; Evarts, 1; Fish, 1; North, 1; Wheeler, 2; Tremain, 1; Daniels, 1; Lapham, 1. Total, 155.

After the ballot for Platt's successor the convention adjourned until noon to-morrow.

Previous to adjournment the Featherhead and Half-breed call for a caucus, signed by sixty-five Republicans, was read. The caucus will be held this evening. The signors agree that any candidate who receives 54 votes in a caucus of 65 members voting, shall receive the solid vote of 65 in joint convention.

THE POTOMAC'S WIN.

Washingtonians Carry Off the Prize at the Richmond Regatta.

Yesterday was looked forward to with the intensest interest by the lovers of sport and manly exercise in Baltimore, Richmond and Washington, and the telegraph offices besieged by night time with visitors anxious to learn the results of the contest for superiority between the crack boat clubs of the three cities.

While in Baltimore, and here in Washington, amateur boating has ever been an organized recreation, it is rather new in Virginia not receiving its lasting impulse until about four years ago when it was decided to form a State convention. Rev. J. McBryde, of Fredericksburg, was chosen president; Carter R. Bishop, of Petersburg, treasurer, and U. S. Whyte, of Fredericksburg, secretary. The clubs forming the convention are the Rives, of the University of Virginia, the Appomattox and Cockade City, of Petersburg, and the Olympics, of Richmond.

Yesterday was as warm in Richmond as it was here, but a pleasant breeze sprung up some time before the race and cooled the temperature. The start was in the James river, from Warwick's wharf, which is about ten miles and a-half below Richmond, and the course one mile and a-half straight away.

THE FIRST RACE.

was single-scull for strangers, the prize a solid silver cup. There were six starters: W. H. Boberts, Frank Barbavin, L. C. Moore, E. C. Bruce and G. G. Kimball, of this city, and J. O'Brien, of Boston. Roberts won easily in 10 minutes and 41½ seconds. Many claim that O'Brien would have won but for an accident, his boat colliding with a buoy and upsetting.

THE SECOND RACE

Four-oared shells for strangers, prize a silver cup, four starters. The Potomacs and Columbias, of this city, the L'Hirondelles and Undines, of Baltimore. This was the most interesting and closely-contested event of the day. The four crews got off in fine style, the Potomacs taking the lead, with L'Hirondelles second, the other two following close behind. In this race the L'Hirondelles also fouled a buoy, which resulted in the Undines taking second place. The Potomacs held their lead to the finish, winning the race in 8 minutes 55 seconds, Undines second, L'Hirondelles third and Columbias last.

THE THIRD RACE

was for single-sculls, open only to members of the association; prize, a gold medal, W. M. Habbiston, of Petersburg; Y. Marriott and T. C. Daniel, of Fredericksburg, entering. Daniel won by half a dozen lengths; time, 11:18, Habbiston coming in last.

THE FOURTH RACE

was four-oared gigs for the Association prize, the French challenge cup and four individual silver cups. The Rives crew, of the University; the Appomattox and Cockade City, of Petersburg, and the Rappahannock, of Fredericksburg, contesting. The University boys took the lead and kept it, winning in 8 minutes 57½ seconds. The Richmond crew second.

IN THE SINGLE-SCULL

race for strangers, a bad start was made. The distance was one and a-half miles. Mr. W. H. Roberts, of this city, winning in 10:41½.

THE COURTS.

CRIMINAL COURT.—This morning, in this court, Henry Holmes pleaded guilty of larceny; sentence suspended. James Curtis, indicted for an assault and battery with intent to kill Thos. Robinson, on the 13th of May by shooting him in the back, entered a plea of not guilty. Henry Powers, assault upon Officer Chas. P. Wright, pleaded not guilty. In the case of John Donohue, convicted of manslaughter, in killing Elizabeth Bailey, on the 13th of February. Mr. C. S. Moore filed a motion for a new trial on the ground that the verdict was against the evidence and that the verdict was not recorded as rendered.

Richard Basey, embezzlement; verdict, guilty, and sentenced to pay a fine of $5 and be confined in jail for thirty days.

Mary Keenan pleaded guilty to a second offense of petit larceny and was sentenced to the Albany penitentiary for one year.

Mrs. Emily Souder, who shot Constable Hubbell a few weeks since, was admitted to bail in the sum of $500, Mrs. Belva Lockwood becoming her surety.

CIRCUIT COURT.—The session of the Court to-day was occupied with the hearing of the case of Wright vs. McClintock, an action for damages for loss of baggage; verdict for plaintiff.

EQUITY COURT.— To-day — Bailey vs. Bailey; testimony ordered taken before Mr. John N. Oliver. Bailey vs. Bond; bonds ordered to be placed in safe deposit and case referred to the auditor. McDowell vs. Connolly; sale ratified and execution of deed ordered. Frazier vs. Frazier; sale ratified and case referred to auditor. Shehan vs. Shehan; sale ratified *nisi*. Waldron vs. Waldron; reference to auditor ordered. Walter vs. Krentler; *pro confesso* against absent defendant and reference to auditor.

COURT IN GENERAL TERM.—To-day, in this court: On motion of Gen. Henkle, Mr. Theodore C. Cone, of the Georgia bar, was admitted to the bar of this court. Forsyth vs. Hibernia Building Association; Judge Hagner, delivered the opinion of this court, reversing the decree below. S. L. Perry, appeal on *habeas corpus*; decree below affirmed. Hibbs vs. Naylor & Willett, and Libby vs. Naylor; decree affirmed. Wiesenfeldt, Stern & Co. vs. Hetzel; motion to quash attachment filed. Burche vs. Wallach, and Wallach vs. Burche; decree in favor of Mrs. Wallach affirmed. Mattoon vs. McGrew; decree below affirmed. Alexander vs. District of Columbia; leave to file bill of review refused. Barker vs. schooner E. M. Wright; judgment below reversed. Adjourned to Friday next.

Pure Native Wine.

Chris. Xander, 911 Seventh street, has all the summer wines, some of his own manufacture. The Clinton, Concord, Ives, etc., which he guarantees equal, if not superior, to imported wines.

Marriage Licenses.

Marriage licenses have been granted to Stanley Lipscomb and Celeste Powers, Richmond, Va.; Wm. Waters and Martha Hughes; James Kell and Mary Bros.

DANIEL LEE, a white boy of twelve years, was drowned while bathing near the poor house last evening, and a burial permit was given to-day by Coroner Patterson.

THE DEPARTMENTS.

TREASURER GILFILLAN reports the distribution of standard silver dollars for the week ending July 2, 1881, at $205,988; for corresponding week in 1880, $118,498.

CHIEF BROOKS, of the Secret Service, yesterday received information of the arrest in Philadelphia of Col. L. J. Sherman, William Williams, J. J. Williams, J. W. Whendricks and F. Hartbauer for engaging in counterfeiting coin.

ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY FRENCH has the following: "Department order of May 13, 1881, suspending the granting of leaves of absence to employees of this Department until further notice, is hereby suspended."

COMMISSIONER FRENCH, of the Pacific Railroad, received his formal bounce today at the Interior Department. He was paid in full to date and left the scenes of his splendor. Mr. F. B. Pickerill, head bookkeeper of the bureau, was placed in charge of the accounts. He is a trained statistician and understands the business workings of the concern thoroughly.

Accident.

A carriage and pair of white horses belonging to Mr. Wm. MacDuff was passing down Ninth street northwest, taking a party of three ladies and two children to the Baltimore and Potomac depot, at about 2 o'clock this afternoon, when a wheel broke and the carriage was tipped over, the ladies narrowly escaping injury.

Laconic Locals.

AT A colored hop given by the black residents of Freedman's Village, near Arlington, on the night of the 4th, a general row occurred, during which razors and knives were used with a generous liberality by the denizens of that neighborhood. Several of the men were wounded, but the dark-skinned damsels came in for the worst of the warfare, the males being exceedingly ungallant, cuffing, kicking and beating the women in a manner at once lively and unpleasant. Several were arrested, and the ringleader, Anthony Kent, was sent to jail for six months.

AT A MEETING of the Alexandria Hebrew Benevolent Association, held in the Synagogue at that city, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year; President, Henry Straus; vice-president, M. Ruben; secretary, Joseph Kauffman; treasurer, J. Eichberg; trustees, H. Swarz, D. Bendheim, and L. Genzberger.

THE SENTENCE of dismissal found against Capt. George A. Armes, formerly a real estate agent of this city, has been mitigated to suspension from rank for six months, with forfeiture of one-half year's pay, and confinement to limits of the post where his company may be stationed.

BENJAMIN E. WALLER, a convicted horse-thief, who escaped recently from the Richmond, Va., penitentiary and was captured here, was returned to Richmond to-day.

THE OLD MANSION, 416 Tenth street, adjoining the Sixth precinct station, has been formally taken possession of by the Central Free Dispensary folks.

THE police to-day arrested Reuben Brown, Edward Coates and Braxton White, all colored, drivers for Ford & Wimsatt, and lodged them at the Fifth Precinct station on the double charges of cruelty to animals and fast driving. These men, although the thermometer ranged 105° in the sun, indulged in a race down Fifteenth street, their jaded teams being weighted with wagons heavily loaded with bricks.

The "Utter" Kangaroo Soup.

London Globe.

Any one in London desiring to indulge in a basin of kangaroo tail soup can do so much more readily than if he were living in any of the great Antipodean towns. Several of the Colonial meat companies have made the tails of the kangaroo an article of export for consumers in England, and a shilling or two will place a Londoner in possession of a luxury of Australia which the colonists there can generally obtain only after a hard day's work on horseback. As a matter of fact, it is the rarest thing possible to see a kangaroo hanging in a colonial butcher's shop; and *potage queue de kangaro* is a rarer item on the *carte de jour* of a Melbourne or Sydney dining room than it might be in the restaurants of the Boulevard des Italiens or Regent street. The soup is a thing which, if once tasted, is to be forever remembered. Prepared, as it ought to be, with a due admixture of white wine and the yolks of hard boiled eggs, it is richer than that made from hare or grouse, with a peculiar and quite indescribable flavor. But except the liver and digestion be sound, it is not to be partaken of with impunity. Had Brillat Saverin but tasted it he would have immortalized its merits. No pen except his could do justice to its appetite-inspiring aroma and its gastronomically quite "too utter" savor.

But, for the rest, travelers have asserted that the hams of the kangaroo—the only other parts of the animal which ever find a place at table—are equal in taste to venison. In this opinion few who have partaken of them will concur. Every allowance may be made for men weary with hunting in the Australian bush; but *experto crede*, any one capable of making such an assertion never deserves to eat a venison pasty again. Not the skill of a *cordon bleu* of the kitchen, however celebrated—not all the sauces in the world—could disguise or subdue the rankness of kangaroo or wallaby ham.

Can't Keep Them Back.

The emigration statistics of Germany are engaging the serious attention of the Imperial Chancellor, who has submitted to the Bundesrath tables showing that during the year 1880 no fewer than 11,454 young men liable to military service quitted the Fatherland for America. As the exodus during the past year was nothing beyond the common, whereas this season the numbers are assuming alarming proportions, it seems likely that the military service will be deprived of at least 20,000 young men. The worst feature of the case, of course, is that the emigration of this class means a twofold loss to the country—the sinew and backbone of the land are leaving it, and the aged, infirm, and children are left behind. The chief exodus seems to be from Prussia. Bavaria, with a population equal to one-ninth of the whole of Germany, only supplies one-twentieth of the emigrants, seeming to demonstrate the fact that life in the south is not so unendurable as in Prussia itself.

Doing a Favor.

Free Press.

They met on the stairs.

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"Hello!"

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