SCHLIEMANN IN THIS CITY

The Distinguished Archæologist Had His Home for a Time on Noble Street.

There He Waited a Decree of Divorce from His First Wife and in the Meantime Bought Some Property Here.

The news of the death at Berlin of Dr. Henry Schliemann, the great Grecian Archæologist, published in yesterday's Journal, recalled to many of the older German residents of this city that he at one time lived here. "Oh, yes," replied Mr. Herman Lieber, when asked by a Journal reporter if he remembered Dr. Schliemann, "I met him a number of times while he was here. He was not then recognized as a great person. He had no particular business that I knew of, and visited among well educated Germans. He was a very entertaining talker and excellent company. If it had been suspected that he would ever be such a lion he would certainly have received greater attention."

"I know Dr. Schliemann very well, indeed," said Mr. Adolph Seidensticker to the reporter who called upon him for information concerning the archæologist. "He came here from Fort Wayne in 1869, or perhaps it was in 1868. He was looking about for investments, and at one time came near buying an interest in the starch-works. He did buy a few small pieces of real estate, all of which have long since gone into other hands. He did not seem much impressed with Indianapolis, and he could not be induced to invest. I afterwards found that he was interested in a divorce suit, having brought one against his wife. At that time the law required the applicant for a divorce to reside in the State but one year. The suit was brought it the old Common Pleas Court before the late Judge Solomon Blair. Hord & Hendricks and myself were his attorneys."

"Who was his first wife?"

"She was a Russian lady, whom he had, I believe, married in St. Petersburg. He did not, for some reason, feel quite at home in Russia, and endeavored to persuade her to live elsewhere on the continent of Europe, but she would not consent. I think she had three children by him. She was a devoted member of the Greek Church, and would not leave Russia because she wished to bring them up as orthodox Russians. Schliemann had been all over this country, and during the gold fever he was in California. Wherever he went he made money, and in the time of the war he was in cotton speculations on the Mississippi. He afterwards went to Paris, where he lived and acquired property. He finally came to the conclusion that he was well enough off to retire from trade and settle down to literary pursuits."

"I understand," suggested the reporter, "he was somewhat of a linguist."

"He spoke when here nine different languages fluently. He was remarkable in that respect, and before he came to this city he had been at Ithaca, Greece, where he claimed to have discovered the spot where the house of Ulysses had stood. The only point of difference between Schliemann and his wife was her refusal to leave Russia and live with him elsewhere. He had written to her for several years, and the decree of divorce was largely granted upon translations of her letters to him."

This suit, bearing the title of Henry Schliemann versus Catharine Schliemann, was filed in the Court of Common Pleas of Marion county April 3, 1869, but the record does not show when the decree was granted. There was no defense, and Schliemann was given the custody of the children, but it is not likely that he ever succeeded in getting them out of Russia. "While he was here," resumed Mr. Seidensticker, "he had the idea that he wanted to surround himself with another family. He was in splendid middle age, and despaired of ever inducing his wife to join him. He made ample provision for his family, giving his wife and children all his possessions in Russia, a very considerable amount. He went from here to New York, and thence to Greece. His rise in fortune was to some extent based upon his knowledge of the Russian language. When a young man he was employed in a mercantile house in Holland, at which time he also studied languages. It seems the person having in charge the Russian correspondence of the house died suddenly, and they were in a quandary as to how to supply his place. Schliemann volunteered his services, but he was looked upon with suspicion until he went to work with the correspondence, and showed them that he had really mastered the language. After that he was sent by the house to Riga, on the Baltic, and afterwards to St. Petersburg, where I believe it was he married. His ambition at that time was to acquire a large fortune. He succeeded, and then came to him the desire of his youth, to prosecute researches in archæology. He told me while here that the object of his life was to discover old Troy. I knew him to be sincere, but I thought him oversanguine and enthusiastic, and was surprised when the first news came of his undoubted discoveries."

From other sources it was learned that Dr. Schliemann went through the form of purchasing a half interest in the starch-works merely as a part of the formality necessary, under the law, to secure a divorce. The law required him to show that he had an interest in business here. He paid a small sum as a forfeit binding him to carry out the transaction, which, however, went no further, as the legal requirements in this particular had been satisfied. The amount paid was, of course, forfeited. Another requirement was that he should own real estate here, and accordingly he bought a piece of property on the west side of South Illinois street, just north of Ray street, which was some time after ward sold for him at a profit. During his stay in Indianapolis Dr. Schliemann lived at No. 22 North Noble street, a small house on the west side of the street, between Court and Washington streets. When he left the city his household effects were, at his request, sold at auction, Lorenz Schmidt taking charge of the sale and buying in several of the articles himself, which he still possesses.

When Dr. Schliemann, after he had taken up his residence in Athens, Greece, consulted an architect relative to the erection of a home in that city, he gave the following brief instructions: "I have lived in a little house all my life. Now I want to spend the rest of my years in a large one. I want plenty of room. Make it in any style you choose. I will limit you only in two particulars. I must have a broad marble stairway leading up from the ground, and a terrace on the top." The architect chose a good Greek style and the result was the most elegant and artistic house in Athens. It cost 390,000 francs, and the interior decoration is a marvel of richness. The first floor is occupied by the reception-rooms, through which three hundred or four hundred guests might move with comfort. On the second floor are the Doctor's library, private studies and the family rooms. Here, as in the rooms below, the wall decorations are Pompeiian frescoes, and the pavements are mosaics, with patterns taken from objects found at Troy and Mycenæ. The cornices and ceilings of the sleeping-rooms are perforated for ventilation, which is a difficult problem in an Athenian house, where the windows can never be kept open during the night on account of the malarial air. One of Dr. Schliemann's cherished mementoes was a letter from a merchant who offered to employ him when a young man at a salary of $45 a year for a period of nineteen years. This last letter has suffered shipwreck, and is stained yellow with salt-water, but the Doctor carefully preserved it, and showed it with pride as a witness of the slender beginning out of which he built up the fortune that yields him an annual income of £10,000. Other of the Doctor's mementoes were the naturalization paper which testify that he was a citizen of the United States of America, bird's-eye views of Indianapolis and New York, and photographs of his native village.

The manner of the Doctor's second courtship and marriage with an Athenian girl is told as follows: While dining one day at her father's house he was struck by the young lady's brilliancy, and proposed for her at the table. The family accepted his offer, and from that time until their marriage teachers were employed every day in fitting her to become the wife of the distinguished archæologist. Naturally a person of quick intelligence, she has become, through careful study, a remarkably cultivated woman. She speaks Italian, French, German, English and Greek all about equally well; but it is not true, as reported, that she knows the "Iliad" and "Odyssey" by heart, though she can quote a large part of them. Andromache, the oldest child, promises to rival her mother in accomplishments. Though only eleven years old, she speaks German, French, English and Greek with ease. Agamemnon, a pretty, light-haired boy of five, is not a remarkable linguist as yet, though his father read Homer to him for three hours on the day of his birth, probably with the hope of impressing ancient Greek upon his brain while it was still in a formative condition.

FRANCIS MURPHY'S EFFORTS.

He Tells How the Women Can Assert Their Best Rights and Help Men to Let Liquor Alone.

There was a large audience at the Murphy meeting at Y. M. C. A. Hall, last night, and the music was by no means the least of the feast. Nine boys from Edwin Ray Sunday-school, with clear, ringing voices "sung in the meeting" in great style, after which an older choir from the same church carried the music on with much enthusiasm. Mr. Murphy read as the Scripture lesson a part of the tenth chapter of John, and Rev. C. W. Lee led in prayer.

"These meetings," said Mr. Murphy, at the outset of his remarks, "are to help men to start a bank account; to have their own savings bank where they can be president and cashier and get their dividends every night, and every child in the house will get its dividend. It is an awful thing to see a man going down for the last time. We all need to be very careful now while we are in for repairs that the work is done well. There are so many of us that will not submit to the doing of it well. I am so glad that Jesus Christ is the center of this work; that it has no sectarian, no political fragrance. It is the greatest art in the world to get a man to pray, to get him down on his knees to Jesus Christ, and then to have him make a public profession. You must go further than to get men to put on the blue ribbon. This work is to be proved. I think the first thing we want is to regulate our little evil tempers for there is a great deal of mischief in them. Mind you, a man who has signed the pledge and says I'm going to be a better man and join church, if he is put out at home, may go again to drink. Be tender with him, wife, he is only a baby yet. If the baby breaks a tea-cup you don't punish it. The first thing the mother does is to take care of the baby, to see it isn't scalded with the hot tea. Take care of your husband; he is a big baby just now. He will say naughty things and do naughty things, as all children do when they are being weaned. [Laughter.]"

Remarks were then made by Revs. Wells, Lee and Mitchell, and by Stephen Gray, Henry Pontius, James Martin and others of Murphy League No. 1. The president of the Lurphy League of Haughville also spoke. "On Christmas evening," said he, "my wife and myself were comparing notes as to our condition now and two years ago. Then, I was a slave to drink, and my habits were such that my wife could no longer live with me, and my children were taken from me by friends. I resolved that I would become a man, and I thank God that, after signing the pledge I had my wife and children again with me, and Haughville has no happier family than my own." [Applause.]

"I want to give a lecture to the women who want to vote," said Mr. Murphy, resuming. "They want women's rights, but I wish they would put the rights they have to use. If the women of this country were loyal to their own sisters there would be no divorces. Oh, I hear so much about women's rights, and that this country will never be right until the women vote. If it will never be right until that time then it never will be right. The way to have it right is to keep things right at home. Take care of your husband; if you don't some other woman will take care of him. This flirting with other women's husbands is doing as much injury to this country, to morality, to purity, as whisky. But nobody dare talk about this but a traveling preacher like me. If they attack me I can take my valise and leave in the morning. My religion is to wrong nobody, to corrupt nobody. How everything is dragged on top of the temperance question—forty-five different departments. Paul says: there is one thing I do. That's it, one thing. When you get married to one fellow he's yours. Let us all begin to lead a new life—every one of us. Be as kind, and courteous, and graceful to your husband, to your wife, as to people who come to visit you. It is a mockery to sign this pledge unless you intend to keep a holy life. No lewd man can keep this pledge. Jesus Christ is the plummet line of this work. We must be clean."

This evening a gospel temperance mass-meeting will be held in Tomlinson Hall. There will be a 10-cent admission fee, but no one applying for admission will be refused. On New Year's day the Murphy League will give a lunch to all comers at Lorraine Hall, southwest corner of Washington and Tennessee streets.

CULLINGS FROM THE COURTS.

Violators of the Postal Laws Discharged Under the Poor-Convict Act.

Two convicts, W. J. Reasons and W. J. Wilson, were brought here from Michigan City yesterday and discharged by Commissioner Van Buren under the poor-convict law. They were sent from New Harmony on Jan. 22, 1889, to the prison north for violating the postal laws. They presented four postal notes for payment to the postmaster at New Harmony, which they had stolen from the Eldorado, Ill., postoffice, having forged the name of the postmaster there. Two of the notes were signed Charles Ryne, one John Chapman and another W. J. Wilson.

Owners of a Building Sued.

William Bosson, administrator of the estate of Eliza Mueller, brought suit in the Superior Court yesterday against Edward Hawkins and Simon P. Sherin, owners of the building known as the Indiana House, on South Illinois street, for $10,000 damages. Mrs. Mueller was an employe at the hotel, and while sweeping the front porch, on the second story, the iron-work gave way and she fell to the ground. Her injuries were fatal, and Mr. Bosson alleges that the owners of the building had known for two years that the porch was unsafe.

Took Oath of Office.

Robert W. McBride, recently appointed judge of the Supreme Court for the Fifth judicial district in place of Judge Mitchell, deceased, took the oath of office yesterday and will assume his judicial duties when the court reconvenes in a few days.

Notes from the Dockets.

Moses Reese, charged with shooting at his wife, and John Ferriter, charged with stealing ducks from John Smeede, were bound over to the county grand jury by Mayor Sullivan yesterday.

The case of Anton F. Kiefen, of Evansville, indicted by the United States grand jury on a charge of violating the internal revenue laws, was yesterday transferred from the federal court here to Evansville. Kiefen's alleged offense was selling liquor without a license.

Judge Taylor listened, yesterday, to argument on a motion for a new trial in the case of Frank Ueberlacker against the Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chicago & St. Louis railroad, in which the plaintiff was given a verdict for $13,000 damages. The court will rule on the motion to-morrow.

A damage suit brought by Laura Harris versus Clarence Norpin was tried yesterday before Justice of the Peace Alford and a jury. The cause grew out of an assault of the defendant, who is a colored school-teacher, upon the plaintiff, for which Morpin was fined by Justice of the Peace Smock. The jury returned a verdict of $25, with costs, in favor of the plaintiff.

Commissions to Militia Officers.

William L. Kiger, Jacob W. Goodyear and Maurice J. Sawyer, of Bluffton, were yesterday commissioned by the Governor captain, first and second lieutenant, respectively, of the Bluffton Light Guards. Grant Needham, Hugh H. Hosford and Edward Firstbauer were commissioned captain, first and second lieutenant, respectively, of the Mishawaka Rifles. These two companies have just been organized and are unattached, not having yet been assigned to any regiment. Daniel Gunder, of Marion, was commissioned captain of Company D, Third Regiment, Indiana Legion.

Collection of Duties.

Duties on imports to this city for the week ending yesterday were collected from H. T. Hearsey, two cases bicycle parts, $98.30; Daniel Stewart, twenty-five cases drugs, $32.40; Murphy, Hibben & Co., two cases laces, $455.60; Kingan & Co., two thousand sacks salt, $537.60; Indiana Bicycle Manufacturing Company, four cases steel piping, $78.10. Total, $1,202.

IDENTIFIED AS A CRIMINAL

The Dead Highwayman an Ex-Convict, Who Was a Desperate Character.

Alexander Cronin's Career of Crime Suddenly Terminated by Seeley's Revolver—How His Identity Was Established.

The dead highwayman, whose sensational killing was published yesterday morning, proves to be Alexander Cronin, a Louisville character of very bad repute. He was identified yesterday afternoon by Thomas Hoben, a potato peddler, who lives at No. 146 Massachusetts avenue. Hoben was led by curiosity and the crowd to take a look at the body lying naked in a casket, with the head and shoulders visible through the glass. "I took one look at him," said he to a Journal reporter yesterday, "and I thought his face looked familiar. Then I changed my position, looked again from one side, and recognized Aleck Cronin. I turned around to one of the undertakers and said, 'I know that man. If you will take that lid off you will find a scar across the back of one hand, and another, a long one, in the right groin.'"

The lid was then removed and the scars found as described, confirming the identification. Mr. Hoben said that the scar on the hand was received in a fight, but, while the other was probably received in a similar encounter, he did not remember when. Speaking further of the dead man, he said: "I last saw him about three weeks ago, at my gate here, and knew him at once, though I had not seen him for about three years. He told me he had come here to look for a job, and thought of going to cobbling (mending shoes) if he could find a suitable shop. He and I used to play together when we were boys, twenty years ago. He is about thirty years old. His home was always in Louisville, but his father lives in St. Louis. He had one brother, John, who, I think is dead, and a sister who married a brother of Detective DeForester, of Louisville, who was here a few days ago in search of the negro porch climber. Cronin and I used to work together in a rolling-mill at Louisville. I have not known much about him of late."

From other sources it was learned that Cronin is a confirmed law-breaker, having served three terms in penitentiaries—one year in the Kentucky penitentiary for larceny, one term of three years for highway robbery, and another for burglary, the two latter at Jeffersonville. His brother John was shot and killed as a sand-bagger in Chicago.

Bert King, a colored man employed as a grader by the Western Paving Company, said yesterday that he recognized Cronin as a man who, last summer, worked two days for the company shoveling gravel on the Ohio-street pavement, but could not stand the heat and quit. Other persons thought they identified the deceased, but their statements proved incorrect.

No conclusion as to the disposition of the body will be reached till Coroner Manker completes his investigations as to the identity of the man. The coroner ordered driver Seeley dismissed yesterday, and Superintendent Travis commended the man for shooting so promptly and with so certain aim.

The search for Cronin's companion has so far been unsuccessful. The marshal of Haughville yesterday arrested a man named Timothy Sullivan on suspicion, and detectives Splann and Quigley had him viewed by Seeley and a driver named Charles Hereth, of the Central-avenue line, but both say he is not the man wanted. Hereth reports that a tall man, with a smooth face, entered his car at the south turn-table shortly after the shooting and rode to South street. His agitated manner, pale face and short breath attracted his attention. It is thought the passenger is the man wanted, as the descriptions tally. He says he would know the man again, if he met him, so much impressed was he with the strange actions of his passenger.

The New Albany correspondent of the Journal sends the following concerning Cronin's career: "Alexander Cronin was a native of this city, and was a thief from early childhood. His violent death calls to mind the part he took in one of the most daring and successful highway robberies ever made in this section of the country. Eleven years ago Meredith Featheringill, a very wealthy citizen of this city, was driving along one of the most frequented roads in this county, and when about three miles from New Albany two men compelled him to halt and alight from his carriage. They then relieved him of $390 in cash and a gold watch worth $200. Miss Mariah Hart, who was with Mr. Featheringill at the time, was robbed of a quantity of jewelry. The robbers then cut the harness on the horse into small pieces and departed. Cronin and Thomas Bohannan were arrested on suspicion and recognized as the guilty persons by the victims of the robbery. While being taken to jail Cronin made a break for liberty, but was stopped at the muzzle of a policeman's revolver. He was tried and convicted, receiving a sentence of ten years in the penitentiary at Jeffersonville. He served his time, but made several unsuccessful efforts to escape, and had to be repeatedly deciplined by the prison authorities. Going to Louisville he was caught in the act of robbing a child and was sent to the penitentiary at Frankfort, Ky., for one year. After his release, which was in December, 1889, he left for the West, and his death at the hands of the Indianapolis street-car driver was the first that had been heard of him here since that time.

GENERAL SHERIDAN'S VISIT.

The Famous Lecturer Spending a Day or Two Here at the Close of Engagements.

Gen. George H. Sheridan, famous as a lecturer and a thorough Republican, is registered at the Denison. He was here once during the campaign of 1888, and since that time has been confining himself to the lecture platform. He has just completed a successful tour through southern Indiana, Ohio and Illinois. "I always like to spend a few days in your city," he said to a reporter last night, "because the people are to my liking and because your hotels are first-class. I always feel at home here."

"Were you not recently through the Bad Lands of the Northwest?" the reporter asked.

"I passed through that territory some time ago, and certainly an accurate description of the land is absolutely impossible. We rode for miles through land that looked as if it was worthless for agricultural purposes, except a few spots here and there. The death of Sitting Bull recalled to my mind that trip, for I had seen the man never to forget him. He was a warrior with very little bravery and yet he had that subtle power of inducing others to be brave. You may not know it, but I am a heathen on the Indian question. I believe, as my namesake once said, that the only good Indian is the dead Indian. Indians are not numerous enough in this country to do any great harm, yet there are just enough of them to terrorize the border villages. I never refer to this subject on the lecture platform, though, because it is so closely allied with politics, and I always let politics alone except when I am at a political meeting."

Diseases, Births and Deaths.

During the past week there were forty-two births and thirty-three deaths in the city. Contagious diseases are on the decrease, there being only thirty-four cases of diphtheria and twenty-eight of scarlatina on record. Chief Clerk Hedden, of the city health office, is making out his report for the year ust closing. From Jan. 1, 1890, up to yesterday there were 2,395 births reported, and from Jan. 1 to July 1, there were 1,002 deaths. This was an increase of one hundred deaths over the corresponding six months in 1889.

Filed with the Secretary of State.

The following incorporations were filed with the Secretary of State yesterday: North Vernon State Bank; capital stock, $30,000. German Bank of Evansville; capital stock, $400,000, half of which amount has been paid in. Newark Lodge, No. 270, Knights of Pythias, of Newark, Greene county. Calumet Transfer Company of Chicago; capital stock, $100,000. The last-named company is to build, equip and operate a railroad through the northern part of Lake county, and the termini are to be the State line between Indiana and Illinois on the west, and a point near Miller's Station on the east, a distance of some fourteen miles. The directors are all Chicago men. The bonds of John A. Reitz, as president; Philip C. Decker, vice-president, and Henry L. Cook, cashier, of the German National Bank named above, were also filed. They are in the sums of $10,000, $20,000 and $20,000, respectively.

HONORS AT CHESS.

Tourneys of the Local Club for the Championship, Best Player and Representative.

The three tourneys in which the players of the Indianapolis Chess Club have for some time been engaged have come to a close. One of these was for the championship, one for the best all around player, and the third for representative of the club at the next meeting of the State Chess Association, to be held at the Hotel English, beginning Jan. 13. The results of these contests are appended. In the three-game tourney for the club championship, the score stood:

	Won.	Drawn.	Lost.
J. P. Avery	27	1	12
C. F. Barron	10	1	22
W. H. Bass	19	..	20
C. T. Bedford	22	..	12
W. H. Blair	26	5	14
C. S. Bonsall	31	3	17
O. M. Dillman	21	7	23
R. W. Furnas	6	2	20
C. Glazier	4	2	28
F. M. Lacey	2	2	14
E. R. Lewis	2	1	4
A. F. McCoy	19	5	21
L. D. Moody	6	..	28
Ewald Over	30	7	11
W. H. Ripley	41	5	11
S. E. Tilford	2	..	28
E. A. Wales	23	2	18
Jesse Warrington	10	3	11
W. H. Wilhelm	32	4	15
H. C. Wright	10	2	14

W. H. Ripley was declared the winner in this tourney by the tournament committee.

In the one-game tourney for the best all-around-players, J. P. Avery was decided the victor. Following is a summary of the score:

	Won.	Dr'n.	Lost.
J. P. Avery	13	..	2
C. F. Barron	6	..	7
W. H. Bass	7	..	7
C. F. Bedford	7	..	6
W. H. Blair	6	2	8
C. S. Bonsall	12	1	6
O. M. Dillman	11	2	5
R. W. Furnas	2	..	8
C. Glazier	2	1	9
J. S. Jenckes	1	1	11
F. M. Lacey	1	1	4
E. R. Lewis	3	1	2
A. F. McCoy	7	3	7
L. D. Moody	2	..	10
Ewald Over	12	3	4
W. H. Ripley	15	1	4
S. E. Tilford	1	..	9
E. A. Wales	10	..	6
Jesse Warrington	4	1	4
W. H. Wilhelm	9	2	7
H. C. Wright	3	..	7

In the three-game contest for representative at the State tournament Ewald Over was the winner. The summary, excluding the names of those already entitled to play in the major class at the State meeting, the names of those whose score of games played is incomplete, and the names of those whose percentage of won games is small, is as follows:

	Won.	Drawn.	Lost.
C. S. Bonsall	12	1	8
Ewald Over	12	3	6
E. A. Wales	7	0	14
W. H. Wilhelm	12	1	8

Eighth Game a Draw.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—The eighth game of the match for the championship of the world between Messrs. W. Steinitz and Isidore Gunsberg resulted in a draw. The score now stands: Steinitz, 3; Gunsberg, 2; drawn, 3.

LIST OF ENTERTAINMENS.

Concert of the Mendelssohn Quintette Club at Mænnerchor Hall.

The Mendelssohn Quintette Club, than which there is no musical organization better known or appreciated, will give a single concert in this city this evening at Mænnerchor Hall, under the auspices of the Mænnerchor society. The company includes Mr. Thomas Ryan, without whom the club would not be complete, as his viola and flute music is up to a very high standard. Mr. Isidore, Schnitzler, violin, Mr. Samuel W. Jennison, violin, Mr. Paul Henneber, flute and viola, and Mr. Paul Jennison, violoncellist, also of the company, are soloists of high merit. The vocal soloist this season is Miss Marie Barnard, a young woman of California. She has a highly-cultivated voice that has been greatly praised by critics and the press wherever she has been heard. Miss Barnard has been here for a few days, and several leading musicians have heard her sing and are delighted with her. She is a fine acquisition to the company of artists composing the club.

Commercial Travelers' Association.

The annual meeting of the Commercial Travelers' Association that is to occur on Saturday next will be preceded by a reception and ball at Tomlinson Hall. This event will be in charge of Paul H. Krauss, John Titus, Ira Jones, Roy H. Jones, Lew W. Cooper, H. D. Hayward, Brice P. Brown, Lew Deitz, P. M. Smith, Edwin Finney, G. R. Rhoads, R. C. Miller and S. H. Fletcher. The business of the association will be transacted on Saturday morning and afternoon, and that evening there will a reunion at Tomlinson Hall. The latter occasion will be marked by excellent music, as solos will be given by Miss McCorkle, Miss Daisy White, Miss Ida Sweeney and Mr. Scheiwen, the violinist. The Appolo Quartet is also to take part, and Mrs. Cora Wentworth Wells is to give recitations. Speeches will be made by G. C. Webster, jr., L. Deitz, G. W. Geiger, C. McPherson, Rev. R. V. Hunter, Hon. John L. Griffiths, all of this city, and by J. C. Tennman, Columbus, O.; T. E. Nash, Fort Wayne, and Mr. Robie, Richmond. The committee on arrangements consists of J. C. Norris, J. W. Muer, George A. Weadon, S. L. Morrison, T. P. Swain, A. L. Koehne, George W. White, W. F. Henley, E. C. Sewall and W. W. Wright.

Industrial School Festivities.

The Industrial School entertainment at Tomlinson Hall yesterday afternoon attracted about two hundred girls to the place, and an equal number of friends and philanthropic persons interested in that special phase of work. The misses were allowed to talk, laugh and have a good time generally. A bountiful supply of candy was given each one, and short talks suited to the age of the pupils were made by Rev. W. F. Taylor, Drs. Hyde and Haines and others.

Events to Occur.

The annual exhibition of the State Poultry and Bench Show will be held at Tomlinson Hall, Jan. 20 to 25. Cash premiums so far amount to $800, and extra and special premiums are announced.

The Indianapolis Mænnerchor will give a ball on Wednesday evening, when the operettas "Schcne Geister Treffen Sich," by V. Hollander, and "Die Reiche Erbin," by W. Kanzler, will also be presented.

The sixth annual meeting of the Indiana Academy of Science will begin on Tuesday, and continue through Wednesday, in the room of the State Board of Agriculture. On Monday evening the executive committee of the academy will meet at the Denison.

The second series of tickets for the Indianapolis lecture course can now be had at Baldwin's music store or Plymouth Church. The first lecture will be given at the church named Wednesday evening, Jan. 7, by Dr. James Hedley, his subject being "Sunny Side of Life." This will be followed by Rev. Con Hanney, Jan. 21, who will talk on "Ireland and Her Wrongs." Feb. 11 Sergius Stepniak will speak on "Nihilism—Its Past History and Prospects," and Feb. 18 Edward Fabian, reader and singer, is to appear, the course closing March 11 with the Howard Quartet.

Real Estate and Building.

There were seventy-three deeds filed with the county recorder last week, with a total consideration of $336,599. Charles F. Wœrner sold, yesterday, his property on the northwest corner of Illinois and Ninth streets, to Danie Craycraft, for $13,000. Since Monday ten building permits were issued by the city clerk, representing an expenditure of $7,380. Among those issued during the week were the following: Ellis W. Boyce, frame dwelling, No. 1045 East Michigan street, $1,500; Francis Filley, frame dwelling, Brookside avenue, near Clifford, $1,100; R. S. Turrell, frame dwelling, Park avenue, near Clyde street, $1,000; Thomas Taggart, brick barn, Market street, near East, $2,000.

On a Trip of Inspection.

The members of the Board of State Charities will go to Richmond to-morrow morning to visit the Eastern Hospital for Insane. On Tuesday they will visit the Soldiers' and Sailors' Orphans' Home at Knightstown, returning to this city Wednesday.

Opening at the Grand Hotel.

The opening of the Grand Hotel's new billiard-room attracted a large crowd last evening, and the handsome equipment was the subject of universal admiration. The bar is mahogany, with brass mountings, and one of the handsomest in the State. The billiard-tables are of the latest pattern, and the other furniture in keeping with the general elegant character of the room. H. T. Perry, of Cincinnati, gave several fine exhibitions of finger-billiards, in which line he is an artist.

The Dinner to Mr. Johnson.

Mr. O. R. Johnson, late vice-consul-general of the United States at London, was the recipient, last night, at the Grand Hotel, of a complimentary dinner from his Indianapolis newspaper friends. The menu was elaborate and faultless, including entrees of puree of pheasants and diamond-backed terrapin, and a full course of accompanying delicacies. Mr. H. S. New presided as symposiarch, and toasts were responded to, as follows: "O. R. Johnson," himself; "Ain't Got Nothin' to Say," James Whitcomb Riley; "Journalism in the New West," S. E. Morss; "Newspaper and Play-house," Morris Ross; "The Newspaper Man in Politics," J. O. Henderson; "The News-gatherers," H. U. Brown; "Newspaper Bohemians," Maurice Perkins; "Home for Good and All, Home Forever and Ever," J. B. Jeup; "Hustlin' for the Pay-roll," W. J. Richards; "Newspaper Literature," Meredith Nicholson; "Fellowship of Newspaper Men," William Fortune; "Semi-Journalists," J. P. Dunn, jr.

Miller in Good Condition.

Tommy Miller, who will fight Tommy Warren, of Chicago, at Tomlinson Hall Tuesday night, says that he was never in better physical condition. "I walk on an average twelve miles every day," he said to a reporter last night, "and am very careful about my diet. There is every difference between the way I feel now and when I fought Warren in New Orleans."

Olive Branch Lodge.

Olive Branch Lodge, Knights of Pythias, at its regular stated meeting last night, elected the following officers for the ensuing term: Chas. C. Doran, P. C.; G. W. Huggins, C. C.; Carroll L. DeWitt, V. C.; W. D. Crane, prelate; W. H. Roberts, M. A.; E. F. Harris, K. of. R. and S.; W. H. Orpwood, M. F.; Fred Ward, M. of E.

Local News Notes.

The station-house is draped in crape in memory of the late patrolman Peter Smith, whose funeral occurred yesterday afternoon.

Harry P. Wood was arrested yesterday by detective Page on a warrant charging him with stealing an overcoat worth $35, the property of John Walters.

Gil R. Stormont, department commander of the Indiana G. A. R., will publicly install the officers of John F. Rueckle Post and Woman's Relief Corps New Year's evening.

Marriage licenses were issued yesterday to Green A. Williams and Annie Watkins, Ernest Bloemaker and Louis Jasper, William S. Tingle and Eliza L. Spaulding, Harry D. Dunmeyer and Mary A. Jones.

Rev. R. V. Hunter, pastor of the Seventh Presbyterian Church, was presented, Friday evening, by his congregation, with an elegant gold watch. Mrs. Hunter received from the same source a very fine tea-set.

Professor Towers's son has successfully passed his final examination at the new Veterinary College, Edinburgh, Scotland. He thus becomes one of the youngest members of the Royal College of Veterinary Surgeons in Great Britain.

W. S. Dumont, a cripple, sixty years of age, slipped and fell yesterday on the corner of Washington and Delaware streets. His limbs were badly sprained and Kregelo's ambulance removed him to his home, No. 101 Bates street.

The night force at the postoffice desire it understood that they arranged the Christmas burlesque mentioned in yesterday's Journal, and packed 150 boxes with paper as a joke upon the day force. The affair occasioned much merriment.

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Pretty floral designs finely embroidered, or 3-inch Hamburgs in heavily embroidered leaf patterns; also, colored edgings and Scotch match sets, point edge, 7 and 8c.

Fine assortment and splendid material, exquisite designs, beautifully embroidered, at 10c.

4-inch Point-Edge, new floral designs; Nainsook edging, match patterns, 9-inch edging, oak leaf design, rounded point, Scotch match sets, 12½c.

4-inch Hamer's pattern, rounded point edge, upper floral designs; 6-inch insertion, blossom-and-leaf pattern, beautifully worked, 15c.

5-inch Marquise, heavily embroidered, rounded point; 6-inch Point de Suisse, very wide and handsome embroidery; also, drawn work, fluted edge, 18c.

Heavily embroidered Zurich Edgings, fluted points, Mauchlin insertions, 20c.

Newmiln's novelty floral designs, 9-inch edging, fluted points; also, Point de Venise, a 9-inch edging, 25c.

Very heavily embroidered, pointed edge, new designs; also, a 9-inch Swiss Embroidery, fluted points, 30c.

10-inch Pine patterns, new designs; other floral novelties; also, 21-inch "All-over" Embroidery, 35c.

11-inch St. Gall Embroideries, new geometrical designs; also, narrower open-work Edging, upper floral designs, with fluted edge, 37 1-2c.

Triple row Overlaid Embroidery, fancy point; also, double Vandyke points, with ornamentation of pin-head dots in embroidery, 40c.

Fleur de Geneve, 14 inches deep, handsomely embroidered; 10-inch ivy-leaf and pine pattern combination, 45c.

Beautiful "All-over" Embroidery, 23 inches wide, severe Grecian scrolls. Point a Marguerite, a daisy and leaf combination, a very beautiful Edging, 50c.

FLOUNCES.

Misses' India Linen Flounces, Hemstitched hem and finely embroidered, 35c to $1.25.

Hamburg Flounces in all sizes, elaborate Embroidery, some really choice things, 35c to 65c.

20-inch flounces for children; 23-inch flounces, very prettily embroidered; 43-inch flounces, very handsome, heavy embroidery and choice patterns, 50c.

44-inch Flouncing, 44-inch openwork Hemstitch, fluted edge, six rows of floral designs, some elegant novelties, 60c.

44-inch Flounces, Seal-lapped edge, 6 rows of embroidery, wide hemstitched hem, embroidered with polka dot, 65c.

44-inch Flounce, crescent and vine design, 4-inch hemstitched hem; 46-inch White Jacquenet Flounce, 15 rows of embroidery, double hemstitch hem, one of the choicest, 75c.

44-inch India Linen, Grecian patterns, in heavy embroidery, Wide Hemstitched Hem and six rows of floral designs, 85c.

44-inch "Point de Lucerne," a very elegant thing: also, a fine Rose Leaf pattern embroidery and wide hem, 95c.

The "Golden Rod" pattern, 45-inch flounce, eleven rows of embroidery, wide insertion, in design of golden rod, very wide hem; also, designs in geranium leaf and fancy pattern, ten rows of embroidery; also, 46-inch Swiss Muslin, flounce, Irish point pattern, very rich and handsome, $1.

48-inch flounce, 4-inch Hemstitched Hem, double Van Dyke point embroidery, an India Linen flounce of great value, $1.10.

44-inch India Linen flounce fluted Van Dyke points, in heavy embroidery and leaf combinations, 4-inch Hemstitched Hem; also, 44-inch Dimity flounce, Irish point pattern and six rows of embroidery; also, 46-inch flounce, double Hemstitched Hem, handsomely embroidered and scalloped, $1.15.

41-inch India Linen, 4-inch Hemstitched Hem and a single wide insertion of elegant embroidery, a 3-inch fancy Hemstich, seven rows floral embroidery, etc.; also, 44-inch India Linen flounce Van Dyke point pattern in combination with Fleur de Lis; also, 42-inch India Linen, fancy Hemstitch, Forget-me-not designs in embroidery, in combination with fancy circles, $1.25.

Innumerable designs in all the handsomest and most delicate of embroideries, the combination of wondrous brain power and clever handiwork; some of the most beautiful flounces in the store, $1.25 to $2.

46-inch White Lawn, flounce, 5-inch Hemstitched Hem, double Van Dyke points and eight rows of embroidery, $2.25.

46-inch India Linen flounce, 5-inch Hemstitched Hem, peculiar and almost Oriental designs in embroidery, a beauty, $2.65.

48-inch India Linen, "Convent de St. Ignatius," a rare and quaintly beautiful novelty, lace-finished edge and wide lace insertion, $2.75.

MATCHED SETS

Hamburg and Nainsook, 25c, 35c, 45c, 50c, 65c, 75c, $1. A great assortment.

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We have decided not to carry over a single muff. We have put them down to prices which make

Each Muff a Special Bargain.

Silver Martin Muffs that were $3.50, are now $2.50.

Astrachan Muffs that were $5, are now $3.50.

Astrachan Muffs that were $7, are now $5.

Elegant Feather Muff and Boa, formerly $25, now $18.50.

Children's White Coney Sets, formerly $2.50, now $1.50.

Children's Angora Sets worth $5, now $3.

Ladies' Fur Capes at lowest possible prices.

Special Bargains In Newmarkets and Jackets.

One lot Ladies' Newmarkets, formerly $12.50, $14 and $15, now $10.

One lot Misses' Newmarkets, formerly $12, $14 and $16