MRS. GEORGE GOULD IS SAFE.

She Was Close to Death from an Attack of Heart Failure.

Heroic Measures Saved Her, and She Has a New Daughter.

The tenderness of George Gould's voice and manner, and his pressure of the hand of an EVENING WORLD reporter, when he said to-day that Mrs. Edith Kingdon Gould was doing as nicely as could be hoped for, indicated how thankful he was to be able to say that she had passed safely through the ordeal of motherhood, attendant, as it was in this case, with extreme danger to her life.

"Dr. Anderton is our physician, and all his skill was called into play," said Mr. Gould. "But Mrs. Gould was brought through and is doing nicely to-day. So is the baby."

Mrs. Gould, he added, had suffered greatly, and Dr. Anderton had been called to attend her in confinement. Her heart began to grow weak, but she refused to take any stimulant. The heart beat more and more faintly until her pulse-throb was almost imperceptible, and finally the physicians announced to the young husband, bending over the bedside, that it had ceased altogether.

It was feared that she was dying, and the excitement in the household was intense. Servants hurried to and fro. One of them brought a flask of whiskey, and hypodermic injections of the fluid were administered. Still the beautiful young mother lay motionless and pulseless.

A messenger brought nitro-glycerine pellets, several of which were forced down the patient's throat, but life did not return.

As a last resort, a tank of oxygen was procured. A tube was attached, and the rubber mouthpiece pushed between the lips of the patient, and the gas forced into her lungs.

These heroic efforts were rewarded after a few moments by a faint response from her lungs. Signs of life returned, but very slowly. The struggle against death was waged for a full hour. At the end of fifteen minutes Dr. Anderton shook his head despairingly. Thirty minutes later he said to the anxious husband that there was hope, and shortly afterwards he heard a sigh of relief as he said, "The crisis is past."

Mrs. Gould revived rapidly after that, and at 8 o'clock, when the baby, a chubby little girl, arrived, she was, the doctor said, "as bright as a button." Dr. Anderton declares that her generel good health was all that carried her through.

George Gould was, according to his custom, busy in his shirt sleeves at his Presidential desk in the Missouri Pacific Railway offices when found by the reporter to-day.

He said with a subdued smile that his new daughter, who is the fourth child of the union of the young millionaire and Daly's former charming actress, weighed nine pounds and was "just as beautiful and well-behaved a little daughter as I have ever seen. Mrs. Gould was very near to death, but she has recovered wonderfully," he concluded.

PAVERS TO GO ON STRIKE.

Will Be Ordered Out to Back Up Stonecutters' Demands.

Contrary to expectation, there was no strike ordered by the Pavers' Union of this city this morning. A meeting of the pavers was held last night in Clarendon Hall, and it was expected that arrangements would be completed for the strike to begin to-day.

There was some hitch, however, and another meeting will be held at 52 Union Square to-morrow, when a strike may be agreed upon for Friday morning, which will be much larger in its scope than was at first intended.

The men to be ordered out will include pavers, rammermen, freight-handlers and every other branch of the paving-stone industry.

The object of the projected strike in this city is to force a speedy settlement of the New England strike ordered by the National Paving-Cutters' Association, on the refusal of contractors to there to renew the yearly scale of prices in April, as has been the custom. The contractors desire to have the scale decided upon in January each year, as they could then make more advantageous terms, work being slack. With the assistance of the other branches of the trade in this city the paving cutters think their position will be strengthened and their demands sooner acceded to.

Work will be stopped on Third avenue, West Fifty-eighth street and West street. The strike will not include the men on Contractor Beard's job, as he has signed the scale of prices.

TO FEED STARVING RUSSIANS.

The Red Cross Society's Delegate Sailed on the City of Paris.

Mrs. M. Louise Thomas, who goes to Russia in behalf of the Red Cross Society to deliver to the starving peasantry of that Government the cargo of grain contributed by the women of Iowa and shipped on the steamship Tynehead, sailed for Liverpool to-day on the Inman liner City of Paris. Mrs. Theophilus Kraemer, the Polish woman who expected to go with her, did not board the vessel.

CAN RAID SALOONS IN MUFTI.

Supt. Byrnes Carries His Point as to Excise Arrests.

Police Commissioners Deny that They Wished to Hamper Him.

The recent clash of authority between Supt. Byrnes and Commissioner Martin, President of the Police Board, in regard to the mode of arresting violators of the Sunday Excise law, has resulted in the partial backdown of the Commissioner and leaves Supt. Byrnes practically a winner in the fight.

The Superintendent has Commissioners MacLean and McClave behind him, and it is settled now that arrests of saloon-keepers can be made by policemen in citizen's attire, and that arrests so made are not repugnant to the instructions contained in the resolutions of the Board, passed in September last, directed against the "spy and sneak" system.

Commissioner Martin comes out to-day with a denial that he intended to hamper Supt. Byrnes in his efforts to enforce the Excise laws, and says his motive in reminding the captains of the resolution was to counteract the demoralizing influence of a system which resulted in making police officers spies and sneaks in tempting and inducing saloon-keepers to violate the law.

Although the resolution still remains in force, Commissioner MacLean's effort to rescind it at yesterday's meeting resulting in a tie vote, in which Commissioners Martin and Sheehan voted against the motion to rescind, it is settled that Supt. Byrnes may send out men in citizens' dress to enter saloons that are open, and make arrests where the law is being violated.

The result is that next Sunday the raiding of all suspicious places will be continued with as much vigor as before. If the Superintendent follows out the policy which he has laid down, and the saloon-keepers who are found violating the law will be shown no quarter.

Commissioner Martin, since the meeting of the Board yesterday, has said:

"My action last Saturday was not intended to be hostile to the Superintendent, nor did I intend to interfere with the enforcement of the law, and especially the Excise law. There is no difference between the Superintendent and the Board on that subject.

"The so-called anti-spy resolution is not a rule governing the Department, but merely an advisory opinion. Wholesale arrests by policemen in plain clothes will not take place, but the law will be enforced."

LIVES LOST IN STORMS.

Mail Driver Missing in Manitoba—Snows in the Northwest.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

ST. JOSEPH, MO., MAY 4.—News has reached here from the track of the storm that passed within two miles of McFall, Gentry County.

Mrs. Alph Daniels and a child named Baird were killed, an old man by the name of Sharp received wounds which will probably prove fatal and three children of James Daniels were seriously hurt.

Those who escaped did so by resorting to cyclone holes. Many people waded in water knee deep. Houses and barns were blown down and live stock killed.

MINNEAPOLIS, May 4.—Reports from Winnipeg and the northwest territory indicate that last week's storm in Manitoba, in which two settlers lost their lives, was quite as severe in the Northwest.

The McLeod mail, which started from that town on Monday, has not yet been heard from, the driver not reaching the first stopping place, fifty miles from McLeod, and it is supposed he has been lost on the prairie.

Dr. Lovinghart, who left nearly two weeks ago for Knee Hill Creek, has not been heard of since, and it is thought he has been lost in the storm. A party of mounted police has gone in search of the missing men.

Snows were reported yesterday covering the ground at Hayward, Wis., Pine City and Carleton, Minn., and Gary, S. D.

WHOLESALE CHILD MURDERERS.

Conviction of Part of the Band of Russian "Angel-Makers."

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

ST. PETERSBURG, May 4.—At Vilna to-day six men and women were convicted of murdering babies that had been intrusted to thei charge, and were sentenced to from six to twenty years' penal servitude.

In many cases the murders were committed with the connivance of the mothers of the little victims. The preliminary inquiries into these crimes lasted nearly two years, each case being most thoroughly investigated before any arrests were made.

Forty men and women were arrested in all and 350 witnesses were summoned to testify against them.

The prisoners had gained the colloquial name of "angel-makers" from their practice of killing children whose existence was inconvenient or distasteful to parents.

BUY COAL BEFORE FRIDAY.

Then the Retailers Will Levy the Reading Robbers' Tribute.

Prices Will Be Advanced, No One Now Can Tell How Much.

The Retail Coal Dealers' Association of this city has called a meeting for Friday, when action will be taken on the advance in prices made by the Reading Coal and Railway Combine.

Then the retail prices will be increased, so as to cover the expense added by the combine and as much more out on as the Association may think the situation warrants.

This means more than appears on the surface. Heretofore the wholesale agents of the big coal companies have met periodically and fixed a schedule of prices, but they have always been left free to take contracts for big shipments of coal at prices very much shaved, and thus the more extensive dealers have been enabled to give the consumers the benefit, as in any other line of trade. But now all the big coal companies are banded together, and schedules must not be broken, which means that the big dealer must pay as much per carload as the little dealer, and the consumer must always pay the highest price, so that the Retail Association may find it necessary to advance domestic coal in May to $4.00 or even $4.75 a ton, and independent dealers who try to break these prices will find their freight rates going up proportionately.

The combine has struck its blow in New Jersey, where nearly every coal dealer is only an agent of one or other of the companies in the Reading deal.

An advance has been ordered of 25 cents over January prices, which is 50 cents a ton more than the Jersey towns paid for coal a year ago. Jersey city alone goes unpunished for the refusal of the State to legalize the combine, for in Jersey city the retailers are not agents of the combine.

New Jersey consumes 3,000,000 tons annually, and her tribute to the combine this year will be $1,500,000.

WALL STREET IS DULL.

Slight Advances in Stock Prices Were Not Maintained.

WALL STREET, Wednesday, May 4.—Dulness continues in speculative circles. The market, however, had a firmer look this morning, and a general advance of ¼ to 1 per cent. took place.

As the day advanced American Sugar and Northern Pacific yielded ¼ a 1 per cent. The rest of the list yielded fractionally in sympathy. London was a moderate seller of its specialties, but made an exception of Louisville and Nashville, which it bought.

The Quotations.

	Open.	High.	Low.
American Cable	84¼	84½	84¼
American Sugar Ref	93¾	93⅞	93⅞
American Cotton Oil	38½	39¼	38½
American Cotton Oil pref	78½	78½	78½
Atch., Top. & Santa Fe	34⅝	35⅛	34⅝
Baltimore & Ohio	98⅝	98⅝	98⅝
Canadian Pacific	88	88	88
Canada Southern	60¼	60¼	60¼
Central Pacific	31⅛	31⅛	31⅛
Chesapeake & Ohio 1st pref	62⅞	62⅞	62⅞
Chesapeake & Ohio 2d pref	47⅝	47⅝	47⅝
Chic., Bur. & Quincy	107¼	107¼	107¼
Chicago & Northwest	120	120½	120
Chic., Mil. & St. Paul	78	78⅛	78
Chic., M. & St. P. pref	123¼	123¼	123¼
Chic., Rock Is. & Pac	84	84¼	84
Col. & Hocking Valley	33¼	33¼	33¼
Colorado Coal & Iron	31⅞	31⅞	31⅞
Del., Lack. & West	159⅝	159⅝	159⅝
Delaware & Hudson	144¼	144¼	144¼
Denver & Rio Grande pref	31¼	31½	31¼
Dis. & Cattle Feed	4⅞	4⅞	4⅞
Edison Gen. Electric Trec	106	106	105¾
Great Northern pref	126	126	126
Laclede Gas pref	60	60	60
Lake Shore	134⅛	134⅝	134⅛
Louisville & Nashville	75	75½	74¾
Louis., New Alb. & Chi	26¼	26¼	24¾
Minn. & St. Louis	12	12	12
Missouri Pacific	58⅝	59⅛	58⅝
Mo., Kansas & Tex	16	16	16
Nat. Cord Co.	101¼	102	101
Nat. Cord Co. pref	106	106	106
New Jersey Central	139	139	139
N. Y. & Northern pref	17⅛	17⅛	17⅛
N. Y. & New England	37¼	37¾	37
N. Y., Lake Erie & West	20⅝	20⅞	20⅝
N. Y., L. E. & W. West pref	71⅛	71⅛	71⅛
N. Y. Susq. & West	11⅛	11⅛	11⅛
Norfolk & West pref	46⅛	46⅛	46⅛
Northern Pacific	20⅝	20⅝	20⅝
Northern Pacific pref	58⅞	59¼	58⅞
North American	14⅛	14⅛	14⅛
Ontario & West	13⅛	13⅛	13⅛
Pacific Mail	35⅝	35⅝	35⅝
Phila. & Reading	50⅝	50⅝	50⅝
Pitt., Cin. & Evansville	136⅛	136⅛	136⅛
Rich. & W. Point Ter. T. Cer.	21⅛	21⅛	21⅛
Rich. & W.P. Ter. T. Cer. pfd.	55	55	55
St. Paul & Omaha pfd	116	116	116
Southern Pacific	27¼	27¼	27¼
Texas Pacific	10¼	10¼	10¼
Union Pacific	43½	44	43½
Wabash pref	20⅝	21	20⅝
Western Union Telegraph	93⅞	93⅞	93⅞
Wheeling & Lake Erie	33⅝	33⅝	33⅝
Wheeling & Lake Erie pf	74⅛	74⅛	74⅛

A full account of Wall street affairs will be found in THE EVENING WORLD'S Sporting Extra.

Wire News in Brief.

Henry B. Werner arrested at Dalton, O., charged with poisoning his dead step-daughter, Ada Ebersole.

Beaver Falls, Pa., left in darkness for some time last night by unpaid electric light company employees, who took possession of the plant and turned off the current.

Miss Dezie Simons, adopted daughter of the late Samuel Simons, of Pittsburg, has been declared his rightful heir by the courts. The estate is valued at $100,000.

LAUTERBACH'S TENANTS HELD.

The Ex-Grand Juror Evades Explanation of His Action.

His Houses Caught in a Big Tenderloin Precinct Raid.

William Lauterbach, the silk manufacturer at 60 Bleecker street, who was a member of the March Grand Jury that brought in the presentment charging the police with bribe-taking and corruption, spent the best part of this morning in evading newspaper reporters.

Mr. Lauterbach is part owner of the houses 406 and 408 Sixth avenue which are alleged to be disorderly houses and which were raided last night and this morning by Capt. McLaughlin of the Tenderloin Precinct. Five women and two men were arrested by the police in these houses, and the proprietresses of the houses were held this morning for examination in Jefferson Market Court.

Capt. McLaughlin says that these houses have been disorderly for at least three years, during the whole of which time they have been owned by William Lauterbach in common with his brother and sister.

It was in order to obtain from Grand Juror Lauterbach his explanation of why he allowed the premises mentioned to be occupied as disorderly houses, while officially denouncing the police for not suppressing them, that reporters sought him to-day.

There was a further statement by the woman who kept 406 Sixth avenue, that Lauterbach knew that she had hired the premises for the purpose of conducting a disorderly house and made her put up real estate security for the rent. The reporters also wished to question Mr. Lauterbach on this point.

But Mr. Lauterbach did not want to see the reporters, and his employees and his family helped him to avoid them.

An EVENING WORLD reporter called at Mr. Lauterbach's office this morning and was told by a man who represented himself as the manager of the concern that Mr. Lauterbach had been out of the city for two days and was at that time without the boundaries of the State. He professed to know nothing about the ownership of the Sixth avenue houses and evaded questions in a way that showed he had either given the matter considerable thought or else had been especially instructed for such an ordeal.

Another EVENING WORLD reporter called at the same office a short time subsequent to the first one's visit and was informed by the same man that Mr. Lauterbach was not in, that he had not come downtown yet, but was expected from his home every moment.

Another EVENING WORLD reporter's ring at Mr. Lauterbach's residence, 60 East Sixty-sixth street, was answered by a young lady member of the household, dressed in deep mourning.

"Mr. Lauterbach is not in," she said in response to a question, and added, "I don't know where he is."

"Is he in town?"

"It is none of you reporters' nor the public's business where he is. His whereabouts is a matter that most concerns himself."

The house 406 Sixth avenue was the first place raided by Capt. McLaughlin. Four women and three men were arrested. The house 408 Sixth avenue was raided at 5.30 this morning, but only one person, Alice Lambert, the proprietress, was found, the inmates having fled.

The other houses raided in the Tenderloin were: Mary Slocum's, 14 West Twenty-fourth street; Caroline Hastings's, 16 West Twenty-fourth street; Emma Fulker's, 29 East Thirtieth street; Mme. Emma Charles, 121 East Thirtieth street; 518 East Thirteenth street.

The houses of Mamie Sinclair, 207 West Thirty-third street; Hannah Lesley, 202 West Fortieth street; Fannie Johnson, 243 West Thirty-ninth street; Harriet Taylor, 204 West Fortieth street; Jennie Ward, 224 West Forty-first street; Annie Lewis, 203 West Forty-first street; Rose Bell, 74 West Thirty-sixth street, were raided by Capt. O'Connor, of the Twenty-second Precinct.

Mme. Belle English's house, 112 West Thirty-second street, and Nell Stevenson's, 18 West Twenty-fourth street, were also raided early this morning by Capt. McLaughlin's men.

The number of prisoners of both sexes arrested in these raids was over one hundred.

All of the prisoners were arraigned in Jefferson Market Police Court this morning. There was such a crowd of spectators that court officers were stationed among the crowd to keep order.

The female prisoners came to the court in hacks, which were kept in waiting until after the disposition of their cases, when they rode back to the houses which were raided.

Counsellor Abe Hummel appeared for Mmes. Slocum, Hastings, Harrison, La Belle, Parker, Charles and Leslie. In each case he asked for an examination, which was set down for Wednesday, May 11, at 10 A. M.

The inmates of each of those houses were discharged with the exception of three women from 18 West Twenty-fourth street, who were fined $10 each.

Mr. Hummel secured the discharge of the inmates on the ground that they could not be held on the charge of being disorderly persons unless they had been arrested in a public place, and that it could not be shown that they were inmates of disorderly houses until the houses were proven to be disorderly on trial and the principals convicted.

Ex-Grand Juror Lauterbach was interviewed by a World reporter at his residence last night prior to his going "out of town."

"I do not own the premises," he said, "but they belong to an estate of which I have charge."

"Well, you are aware of the character of the tenants in that house?" the reporter asked.

"The same people have lived there for years," he replied, "and to my knowledge they were never before complained of nor in any similar trouble."

"Do you not think it rather inconsistent to knowingly let your houses to such people, particularly in view of your well-known ideas on the rental of houses to disorderly persons?"

"That," he responded, calmly, "is something over which we have absolutely no control."

Capt. McLaughlin believes that Lauterbach has not left the city, but is keeping close at his residence to avoid the unpleasantness of an interview with the reporters.

The Captain sent an officer to look for Mr. Lauterbach this morning, but the search was no more successful than that of THE EVENING WORLD reporters.

SUSPICIOUS FIRES IN A FLAT.

Marshal Mitchell Investigating Two Outbreaks in the New Richmond.

Fire Marshal Mitchell is investigating two very suspicious fires, one of which occurred Sunday afternoon and the other on Monday evening last in the Richmond, a new and handsome double apartment-house at 3 and 5 Bank street. The fire on Sunday afternoon was discovered in the elevator shaft, and was put out by a tenant before it did any damage.

On Monday night, about 10.30 o'clock, a top-floor tenant named Becker went up on the roof of the building, and found a lively fire blazing in the narrow space between the tin roof and the bottom of the water tank.

It was quickly put out, although the bottom and sides of the wooden tank were badly charred. The fire had been started with old newspapers and a lot of curled hair, such as is used in mattresses.

The janitor of the building is a man named Lewis, and the flat is owned by Tracy & Russell, the brewers. There are ten families in the house. The Fire Marshal spent two hours there yesterday investigating the origin of these fires, but has not yet succeeded in clearing up the mystery.

The Fire Marshal learned that the tenant Becker, who discovered the fire on the roof, has had his furniture packed up ready to move for some time past. He also learned that the janitor had not been on friendly terms with a woman who is one of the tenants on the top floor, and it was said that he had made threats that he would get her out of the house.

Sued the Railway and Won $700.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

NYACK, May 4.—Jane Ann Conklin, of Tappan, sued the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company in the Rockland County Circuit Court yesterday for $10,000 damages for injuries received by being struck by a handcar on the West Shore road near her home. The jury last evening gave her a verdict of $700.

STRONG EVIDENCE OF GUILT.

Hamilton's Movements Traced to a Meeting with His Wife.

His Clothes Stained by the Water in Which She Was Found.

[SPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD.]

NEWTOWN, L. I., May 4.—Coroner Brandon said this morning that the further he investigated the murder of Mrs. Annie Hamilton, who was found with her throat cut near Winfield on Monday, the more he was convinced that the woman's husband, James L. Hamilton, was guilty of the crime. The inquest will be held to-morrow at 2 P. M. in the Town Hall here.

Officers working on the case under the supervision of the Coroner have learned that the walking-stick belonging to Hamilton, and which was found in pieces lying near the body, was carried by Hamilton on the night of the murder. He was seen carrying this cane on the streets of Flushing that night.

The officers have also learned that Hamilton and his wife were on the 8.17 train Sunday night from Flushing, although they did not ride in the same car. Apparently they were not aware of each other's presence on the train, as when they alighted at Winfield Mrs. Hamilton greeted her husband as though they had just met.

It is not clear yet whether Hamilton made an appointment to meet his wife that night at Winfield. He has made contradictory statements about his movements Sunday night, and says that he allowed his wife to use his cane because she was lame with rheumatism. The persons who saw the couple together at the Winfield station say that Mrs. Hamilton did not carry the cane, and that it was in possession of her husband.

One of the strong points in the circumstantial evidence against Hamilton is the condition of the drawers which he wore at the time of his arrest. This garment was stained with muddy water up to the knees, while above the knees the garment is clean and white. The body of the murdered woman was found in a shallow pond of water, and Coroner Brandon is of the opinion that Hamilton got his drawers discovered while wading in this muddy water.

Another link in the damaging evidence against Hamilton is supplied by a pearl cuff button found near the body. It is of similar make to a set known to have belonged to the prisoner.

The Coroner has found a person who will testify at the inquest to-morrow that Mrs. Hamilton told this witness last week that her husband once took her to Winfield and walked her through the woods to Bowery Bay on the pretense that he was going to show her a house which he said he intended to hire so that they could go to housekeeping. The Coroner said to-day he believed Hamilton intended to kill his wife at that time, but that his courage had failed him.

Hamilton, who is now confined in the Queens County Jail, spends much of his time singing hymns and praying.

There are many peculiar, not to say perplexing incidents connected with the case which the Coroner seems unable to explain and at a loss to account for.

The absence of bloodstains from the dead woman's clothing and the presence of water in the lungs, as revealed by the autopsy, suggest that she may have been strangled almost to unconsciousness before being placed in the water, and then gashed with the razor.

Another theory is that she was first reduced to insensibility by the forcible administration of some anæsthetic and then carried to the pond and murdered in the water. As there were no bruises or wounds save those on the throat and a slight cut on the forehead, the Coroner is inclined to credit this latter theory.

Hamilton's clothing was critically examined in the County Jail this morning, but not a trace of blood could be found. His room in Mrs. Morris's boarding-house at 112 Broadway, Flushing, was searched for some evidence of the crime, but the search was futile.

Mrs. Morris stated that Hamilton returned to the house at about 6 o'clock Sunday night and changed his Sunday clothes for his every-day suit. He did not, however, remove his patent-leather oxford ties, but wore them away. These shoes could not be found among the effects in Hamilton's room to-day.

BATTLE WITH HORSE-THIEVES.

Two Hours' Fight with Winchesters Stopped by a Storm.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

GUTHRIE, O. T., May 4.—Thieves stole six horses near Orlando last Friday and started with them for the Creek country. A posse was immediately formed and at once started in pursuit.

The posse came up with the nine thieves near Stillwater yesterday morning, and a fight with Winchesters, lasting two hours, took place. Finally a heavy storm came up, under cover of which the thieves escaped.

One member of the posse, named Stormer, was shot and killed, and the thieves left one wounded on the field and one dead horse. The posse is still on the trail of the bandits and news of another battle is expected. The posse are determined to avenge the death of their comrade.

CIGAR THIEVES HELD.

The Men Who Robbed Baranco & Co. Remanded Until Thursday.

Capt. Edward Slevin, of the Oak street station, arraigned James Quigley, alias Wells; Paisey Carrol, alias Harrison, and Thomas Campbell in the Tombs Court and charged them with having robbed the warehouse of Barranco & Co., at No. 281 Pearl street, of 60,000 cigars, worth $5,000.

M. Kalton, a cigar dealer at 1 Cortlandt street, to whom the burglars attempted to sell the plunder, was one of the witnesses. It was through his instrumentality that the detectives were able to capture the men and recover the booty at a house on York street, Brooklyn.

The prisoners were held in $5,000 bail each for examination on Thursday afternoon.

SCHOOL TEACHERS MUTINY.

They Complain that Principal Steinson Is a Tyrant.

The teachers of the Fourth Ward Public School, Long Island City, are up in open mutiny against their principal, George Steinson.

Teachers Carrie A. Hays, Ella Brogan and Bridie J. Kelly complain that Mr. Steinson is tyrannical and has humiliated them by scolding them in the presence of the pupils.

Principal Steinson says the teachers disobeyed the rules and he was compelled to upbraid them to maintain discipline.

The matter will be investigated by the Board of Education.

Mr. Steinson has been principal of the Fourth ward school since September last. Previous to that he taught school in Guttenburg, N. J.

A CITY IN IMMINENT PERIL.

Floods May Destroy Every Manufactory in Marseilles, Ill.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

MARSEILLES, Ill., May 4.—From appearances a miracle only can save Marseilles from threatened inundation. The rivers have been rapidly rising since yesterday, and the Illinois from far above Marseilles to the navigable waters below La Salle is nearly a mile wide and deep enough in the channel to float the largest lake vessels.

In this city the situation is desperate. A large force of men have been raising the levee with piles and earth in an endeavor to fight back the rapidly rising waters, but the rise is slowly gaining upon them, and the waters are gradually creeping over the eastern end of the levee, which may break at any moment.

The break of the levee may mean the sweeping away of nearly every manufacturing institution in the city.

LOTS OF ROOM FOR THE FISH.

More Than $100,000 to Be Spent on the Castle Garden Aquarium.

Proceedings of the Park Board Meeting Held To-Day.

Commissioner Paul Dana presided for the first time since his election as President at the meeting of the Park Board to-day.

The Board voted to suspend traffic on the McComb's Dam Bridge next Monday, if the contractors shall be ready to begin work on the piers of the new bridge, which is to be built by the Passaic Rolling Mill Company.

An addition is to be built to the New York and Northern Railroad bridge at Eighth avenue to accommodate foot passengers while the work on the new structure is in progress.

Plans were submitted by Architect J. F. Munckovitz for changing Castle Garden into an aquarium, in accordance with a law recently passed. The expense of the work is estimated at $100,000.

President Dana thought the estimate was too low, and he suggested that Mr. Munckwitz confer with Engineer Kellogg as to the cost.

The suggestion was acted on and the matter laid over.

A communication from Morris K. Jessup, President of the American Museum of Natural History, for the transfer of $25,000 on account of the $400,000 appropriation for building an extension to the institution, was referred to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment with approval.

The Board made an important departure from the long-established rule to grant the use of the parks for public meetings by granting the Socialistic League, who demanded the right of free speech, the privilege of holding a meeting in City Hall Park at 4.30 o'clock next Saturday afternoon.

The Columbus Statue Society requested a site at Fifty-ninth street and Eighth avenue for their monument.

Commissioner Gallup thought the new Park roadway to be built, and which is to lead past the proposed St. John's cathedral, would be a good place for it.

The society's representatives thought not.

The subject was postponed until the next meeting.

ALMOST ANOTHER TRAGEDY.

One of Simonds's Non-Union Men Draws Revolvers on a Striker.

[SPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD.]

LONG ISLAND CITY, May 4.—The strike in the Simonds stove foundry almost resulted in another tragedy last evening. John Clark, one of the strikers, was conversing with one of the new men when C. D. Martin, another non-union workman, sprang from the factory gate with a revolver in each hand and told Clark that he had no right to interfere with the new men. They were separated, however, before the pistols could be used.

Martin then went before Justice Manley and obtained a warrant for Clark's arrest. Clark also applied for a warrant for the arrest of Martin, but it was refused. Martin asked the police to serve his warrant and when the request was refused he went to the strikers' headquarters himself to arrest Clark. The latter resisted at first, but when Martin displayed a deputy sheriff's badge and his revolvers, Clark submitted to arrest.

This morning Clark's lawyer obtained a warrant from Justice Kavanagh for the arrest of Martin. The case will come up for a hearing to-morrow.

MRS. BLIZZARD'S ACT PASSED.

A Bill to Pay Her for Her Island Passed the Legislature.

After nearly a quarter of a century Mrs. Mary A. Blizzard, of this city, has secured through legislative enactment a claim she has been fighting for years in the courts.

About twenty-eight years ago Mrs. Blizzard settled on an island rock in Eastchester Creek, what is now in the confines of Pelham Bay Park, and built a hotel there. When the city was acquiring title to lands for the park, the island and building were, among other property, condemned, their value being appraised at $13,350.

The city disputed Mrs. Blizzard's title to the land and the Courts declared her a squatter, but since then she has proved the equity of her claim and the city officials approved of the introduction of a bill in the Legislature for her relief.

The bill was passed and has just become a law. The Comptroller is authorized to settle all reasonable demands of Mrs. Blizzard.

Assistant Corporation Counsel Sterling said to-day he thought that Mrs. Blizzard was justly entitled to payment for her building.

SIXTEEN DECLARED INSANE.

All Sent to the Ward's Island Asylum from Bellevue To-Day.

Sixteen insane persons were transferred this morning from Bellevue Hospital to the asylum on Ward's Island. Nine were women and seven men.

One of the latter was William Roberts, a veteran telegraph operator, who attempted suicide some weeks ago by cutting his throat in the Western Union Hotel, at 113 West street. Frances Rainbant, a music teacher, twenty-nine years old, was one of the women.

MINISTER SMITH RETURNS.

Back from Russia on the Fast Steamship Teutonic.

The ocean record-breaker Teutonic was sighted off Sandy Hook at 11.09 this morning after a very fast trip from Queenstown.

She reached her dock at 2.30 P. M. Among her passengers is Charles Emory Smith, the United States Minister to Russia, who returns on leave of absence from the State Department.

The Duke of Newcastle was also a passenger on the Teutonic.

SOCIALIST GRAHAM SUSPENDED.

He Interrupts a Speaker in the British House of Commons.

[SPECIAL CABLE TO THE EVENING WORLD.]

LONDON, May 4.—Mr. Cunninghame Graham, Socialist Member for the Northwest Division of Lanarkshire, was first named and then suspended in the House of Commons today.

He interrupted a speaking member and refused to come to order.

Heavy Failures of Foreign Grain Merchants Announced.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

LONDON, May 4.—The suspension is announced of Dominique & Morel, grain merchants, of Dunkirk, and of Schiffman & Meyer, of Hamburg and Rio Janeiro. The liabilities of each firm amount to $250,000.

Banker Kountze Laid to Rest.

Banker Augustus Kountze, who died last Saturday, was buried in Woodlawn Cemetery this morning from his residence 238 Madison avenue. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. J. R. Reinensnyder and Rev. Dr. John Hall. Many distinguished people attended the funeral.

Arrived at This Port To-Day.

Steamer Teutonic (Br.), Liverpool, April 27, Queenstown, 28.

Steamer Bonavista (Br.), Progreso, April 26.

Steamer Comal, Galveston, April 27, Key West, April 30.

Steamer Corean (Br.), Glasgow, April 22, Moville, 23.

Steamer Uritic (Br.) Leith, April 16; Dundee, 18.

[BY CABLE.]

Genoa.—Sailed—No. German Lloyd steamer Fulda, for New York.

Passed Scilly—No. German Lloyd steamer Trave, from New York.

Havre.—Sailed—Hamburg-Amer. steamer Suevia, for New York.

Queenstown.—Arrived—Guion steamer Nevada, from New York.

Moville.—Arrived—Anchor line steamer Ethiopia, from New York.

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MYSTERIOUS MISS DOE.

An Elegantly Dressed Woman Charged with Shoplifting.

False Hair and Eyebrow Pencils Among Her Effects.

At Jefferson Market Court this morning, Judge Divver held a woman of about thirty-five in $500 bail, on a charge of shoplifting.

The woman refused to give her name and was extemporaneously dubbed Jane Doe. She was finely dressed in black silk, and had a heavy silver girdle about her waist. She had been detected last night in the act of concealing a silver pin at Ehrich Bros.' dry goods store on Twenty-third street and Sixth avenue, and was arrested by Detective William H. McFadden, who was on duty at the store.

A satchel which the woman carried was opened before Judge Divver and was found to contain two cubes of solid silver, with a card of the Meriden Silver Plate Company, of No. 30 East Fourteenth street; fourteen yards of silk; four pairs of kid gloves; a card of the Newton Shoe Company, of No. 4 Main street, Newton, N. J.; a package of false hair; a mask; pencils for blacking the eyebrows; a card of Zimmerman & Forsay, bankers, 111 Wall street, and an invitation to the wedding of Miss Helen McLaughlin, daughter of Hugh McLaughlin, to Dr. Alexander F. Carroll.

The false hair and eyebrow pencils are supposed to have been used for purposes of disguise. And the police think that the woman is an old shoplifter for whom they have been looking a long time.

NEW "SPARROW" SERGEANTS.

The Park Commissioners Promote Two Roundsmen To-Day.

The Park Commissioners to-day promoted Roundsmen Christopher C. Collins and William J. Morgan, of the Park police, to be sergeants.

Collins, who was appointed in April, 1879, was the first on the eligible list, and Morgan, appointed in 1871, was senior roundsman and third on the eligible list. Their salaries are increased from $1,350 to $1,800.

There are now eight sergeants on the Park police. No appointment in place of the late Capt. Beatty was made. Sergt. Flock remains acting captain.

FIXING NEW LICENSE FEES.

Liquor Dealers Much Interested in This Meeting of the Excisemen.

The Excise Board held an executive meeting at 10 o'clock this morning, the three Commissioners being present. The purpose of the meeting was to fix the scale of fees for licenses under the classifications of the new Excise bill.

President Tekulsky, of the local Liquor Dealers' Association, was closeted with the Commissioners during a part of their session, and a number of other saloon-keepers were in and about the building. After the meeting the Commissioners told the reporters that the new scale as agreed upon would be made public late this afternoon.

ACCUSED HER AGED EMPLOYER.

Good-Looking Mrs. Holland Charges that Degarmo Insulted Her.

Lawrence Brooks Degarmo, seventy-five years old, proprietor of Brooks's Assembly Rooms, at No. 361 Broome street, was in the Tombs Police Court this morning on complaint of Mrs. Elizabeth J. Holland, who was in his employ.

The woman, who is young, good looking and of shapely form, said that Degarmo had annoyed her for the past two months, and had made insulting proposals to her. Degarmo denied the accusation, but Justice McMahon held him in $300 for his good behavior for three months.

MILLIONAIRES' CLUB PLANS.

The New Club-House on Fifth Avenue to Cost $750,000.

Plans were filed to-day in the Building Bureau for the Metropolitan or "Millionaires'" Club, McKim, Meade & White, architects, for a five-story club-house at the northeast corner of Sixtieth street and Fifth avenue, to cost $750,000.

The club-house will have 90 feet frontage and have 142 feet on Sixtieth street.

Jay Gould's Travels.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

EL PASO, Tex., May 4.—Jay Gould, accompanied by his two daughters and Dr. Munn and E. L. Sargent, left El Paso yesterday by special train for a trip through New Mexico over the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe. Mr. Gould will visit the principal cities of the Territory before returning to El Paso.

Made a Custom-House Inspector.

William H. Fiske was to-day appointed a Custom-House Inspector, at a salary of $4 a day.

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