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MAYOR GRANT'S APPEAL.

The appeal made by the Mayor to the people of New York is timely and deserves serious attention. The local authorities, from the Executive down, are doing their duty faithfully and well. Mayor GRANT shows courage and energy in his efforts to protect the city against a cholera invasion. The Health Officer has been acting with so much intelligence and vigor in his Quarantine precautions that he will doubtless soon recognize the propriety and importance of putting himself in harmony with the corresponding efforts on the part of the General Government. The Commissioner of Public Works and the Street-Cleaning Department are co-operating with the other public authorities in their plans to avert the peril of the pestilence.

But the labors of the municipal government will be obstructed and crippled unless the people help in the work by seeking to protect themselves. As Mayor GRANT truthfully says, every individual should remember that "vigilance at this time may be the price of many valuable lives, and keep from our homes this dreaded scourge that is now devastating portions of Europe."

Cleanliness is one of the essentials in guarding against the disease. The street cleaners may clean the streets as thoroughly as possible, and it is to be hoped they will. But the people must keep them clean by refraining from casting out refuse and dirt after the sweepers' work is done. The health inspectors may visit tenement-houses to see that sanitary laws and regulations are not violated, but their visits may be valueless unless the hundreds of tenants are careful to observe the rules laid down by the Board of Health and to be cleanly and prudent in their own persons and dwellings.

In a common danger like the present every tenant should be a health inspector and detective on his own account, and not only exercise caution himself, but report every case of carelessness and neglect on the part of his neighbors. The man who violates the Sanitary laws now, is a common enemy whom it is every good citizen's duty to expose.

The best advice to be offered to the people now, and especially to the residents of the thickly populated localities, is to keep cool, to live prudently, not to give way to fear, but to follow the Mayor's advice and to assist personally in the work of protecting themselves and their fellow-citizens from the threatened danger.

DR. JENKINS IS WRONG.

Public opinion will not sustain Dr. JENKINS in setting up his authority in opposition to the order issued by the President.

The Federal programme is that a twenty days' quarantine shall be enforced against all immigrants.

This is what the country wants. Dr. JENKINS's programme is that even the infected ports of Europe shall be allowed to ship immigrants without restraint, and that these may bring pestilence up to the Harbor of New York in order that he may decide how long a quarantine is advisable. This is what the people do not want.

Details of the manner in which steerage passengers from infected centres are huddled between decks and hustled off to this country are sickening, and it would be criminal recklessness to tolerate it when it is in our power to prevent it.

The President's order shows that it is in our power to prevent it, and Dr. JENKINS should repudiate his reported intention of disregarding it.

JUDGES DIFFER.

The Assembly Apportionment mandamus boot is now on the other leg. Justice RUMSEY, Republican, of the Seventh Supreme Court District, some time ago refused to grant a mandamus ordering the Monroe County Supervisors to apportion the new Assembly Districts, which they had refused to do because the Apportionment law of this year is unconstitutional, and each Board of Supervisors has a right to be its own judge of the constitutionality of the law.

Now comes Justice WILLARD BARTLETT, Democrat, of the Second Supreme Court District, who refuses to mandamus the Board of Supervisors of Kings County to undo its work of apportioning the new Assembly Districts, on the ground that the Apportionment law of 1892 is constitutional.

The Republicans won a small victory in the first case. The Democrats achieve a little triumph in the last case. The General Term for the Fifth Department may possibly sustain Judge RUMSEY. The General Term for the Second Department will certainly confirm Judge BARTLETT's decision.

So the question will probably go on appeal to the court of last resort. As the Brooklyn case will be pushed there will doubtless be an early final decision.

LOOK TO THE 100.

There is to be a large addition to the Health Inspector's force. It ought to be increased a hundred fold, if necessary, to the proper inspection and protection of the city. To hesitate about the cost at this time would be madness. There should be no needless and reckless extravagance, no trickery perpetrated under cover of the cholera danger, but whatever outlay is actually required for the public safety should be unhesitatingly incurred, while the character of the appointments should be a guarantee against political jobbery.

One of the most important functions of the Health Inspectors is to look after the food supply and to take care that no unwholesome or prohibited article of food is offered for sale to the public. Especially should the cheap butcher shops be looked after. Bad meat is even worse than decayed vegetables and fruit, and there is plenty of it in the market.

It would be good policy to appoint a certain number of extra Inspectors to look especially after the sale of all kinds of perishable food and also of canned and preserved food products. Men should be chosen for this duty who have not only intelligence but experience to guide them, and who can tell spoiled and unwholesome meat as soon as they see it. It is not easy to detect spoiled meat after it has been frozen on ice, and it requires an expert to discover the almost invisible green tint that betrays it.

This is a subject worthy the consideration of the Board of Health. The homes of the poor may be kept clean and well ventilated in vain, provided the cheap dealers are suffered to supply the people with bad meats, decaying vegetables, suspicious fish and poisonous canned articles for their daily food.

FOOLISH PECK.

Labor Commissioner PECK will not take our advice to hide his head and hold his tongue. He is at it again. This time he endeavors to explain the letter in which he endeavored to explain his report.

PECK now says that he never claimed to have received any "confidential" returns from any manufacturers. Pray what does PECK understand by a "return" which the receiver binds himself to keep secret, pledging himself to conceal the name of the author? Is not that a "confidential" communication.

The fact is PECK is—well, his action is simply idiotic.

Here's a chance for a Jersey Justice to exercise Solomonesque wisdom. ALEXANDER DIXON captured a shark after a hard battle. Now a Mr. O'TOOLE alleges that in a fight with the huge fish a few days previously he so disabled it that Mr. DIXON's capture was rendered easier. Consequently Mr. O'TOOLE claims the shark, and is about to move on the Dixon stronghold with a view to securing possession.

It would be welcome news to the inhabitants of New York to learn that the Health Board had taken measures to secure the valuable services of the members of the Sanitary Advisory Commission, who retired on account of the prevalence of politics in the Board.

After being fished out of the river, a supposed would-be suicide was discharged upon his statement that he had no money to pay ferriage and was about to swim the river from Brooklyn to this city. Perhaps he was tired of walking.

It is no small distinction for Columbia College that one of its students should have won the prize in the competition for the Columbus Memorial Arch against all designers. Mr. HEERS has a brilliant future before him.

A pet superstition is upheld. A Massachusetts wife broke a salt-cellar, and trouble immediately followed. Her husband shot her dead and then put a bullet into himself.

In any case of doubt about the possibility of introducing the epidemic into the United States we believe in giving the United States the benefit of the doubt.

It is better to keep all intending immigrants three thousand miles away than to allow a single cholera germ to be brought into the United States.

The general tone of the press comments on the possible dangers lurking in water does not promise any great boom for the Prohibition ticket.

Labor Commissioner PECK now says: "I am afraid I have talked too much already." He could not talk at all without doing that.

A Jerseyman is critically ill from the bite of a house fly. The festive mosquito must look to its laurels.

ALASKAN SEALERS BACK.

Schooner White's Crew Leaves Victoria for Puget Sound.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

VANCOUVER, Sept. 2.—The steamship Islander arrived yesterday from Alaska, bringing Capt. McLellan and several of the crew of the British steamer Coquitlam, seized some time ago in Behring Sea. Application was made before Judge Truett for her release, but a clause was omitted in the bonds, making them responsible for any penalties which the captain and mate were liable, for infringment of the customs regulations.

VICTORIA, B. C., Sept. 2.—United States Consul Myers has received instructions to look after the crew of the schooner White, but they had already left for Puget Sound. The sealing schooner Annie Moore has arrived here after a cruise of seven months, with 964 skins.

On Aug. 2 she lost two boats and six men during a heavy fog off Copper Island.

The E. B. Marvin lost a boat and crew under similar circumstances.

HARRISON'S NEXT JOURNEY.

Via Loon Lake to Ogdensburg, to Poughkeepsie.

Chairman Hackett, of the Republican State Executive Committee, has arranged a schedule for President Harrison's itinerary, which he will resume about Sept. 15, beginning at Ogdensburg and ending at Poughkeepsie.

Mr. Harrison will probably leave Washington for Loon Lake to-day. He will remain at the latter place until about Sept. 15.

Administration Republicans were greatly disappointed at the news from Maine this morning that Mr. BLAINE will not take the stump for President Harrison. Instead, it was said, he will issue a letter in which he will discuss at length the political issues of the day.

Forbidden by Law to Enter a Church

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

BRAZIL, Ind., Sept. 2.—Judge McGregor, of the Circuit Court, yesterday granted a judgment against the Dubsites, restraing them from entering the Evangelical Church. This gives the Evangelical Association proper, full sway. The defeated faction is in a state of fury.

BURIAL OF GEORGE W. CURTIS.

Simple Funeral Ceremonies at His Late Home.

Interred in the Old Moravian Cemetery at New Dorp, S. I.

The funeral of George William Curtis at his late residence on Staten Island this afternoon, in compliance with his wishes expressed before his death, was very simple. There were no pall-bearers and only a plain religious ceremony, after which the body was taken to New Dorp for burial. None but intimate friends of the family was present.

Interment was in the historical old Moravian Cemetery at New Dorp, which contains the famous Vanderbilt mausoleum. The simple religious observances were conducted by Rev. Dr. Chadwick, a Unitarian clergyman, of Brooklyn, who had long been a close friend of Mr. Curtis.

Dr. Frank G. Curtis, son of the dead man, has said that no autopsy was deemed necessary to ascertain the exact cause of death. Dr. Donovan's certificate assigns exhaustion, followed by general dropsy.

Messages of condolence from ex-President Grover Cleveland, Carl Schurz, Sherman Rogers and many others were received by the Western Union Telegraph Company, but at Mrs. Curtis's express wish the messages were not delivered until after the funeral.

A short essay written by Mr. Curtis for the "Easy Chair" of *Harper's Magazine*, which was designed more especially for the Christmas season, has been set apart for publication next December, and will be the last writing of Mr. Curtis to appear in *Harper's*.

Among those present were Richard Harding Davis, J. H. Harper, A. P. Storey, H. M. Alden, Edward F. Bierce, Prof. Chas. Elliott Norton, Drs. J. Curtis and H. Curtis, Col. Burt, James R. Parsons, G. R. Johnston, Asa O. Gallup and Dr. John Chadwick.

The funeral was concluded at 1.15 o'clock.

DOORMAN EMPIE CONVICTED.

Fined in Court on a Little Girl's Complaint.

Doorman Frank Empie, stationed at the House of Detention, was fined $10 this morning in Yorkville Court on a charge of disorderly conduct, and will probably have to answer before the Police Board to a charge of conduct unbecoming an officer.

Empie was arrested by Policeman Shanley in Central Park yesterday afternoon on the complaint of the father of eleven-year-old Jennie Lydall, of 974 Park avenue.

Little Jennie ran home Wednesday afternoon and told her mother that while playing with other children in the Park, near the Eighty-seventh street entrance, a man had kissed one or two of the other little girls and then attempted liberties with her.

Jennie's father yesterday afternoon went to the Park with her. Empie was pointed out as the man by little Jennie, whose father immediately pounced upon him, called Policeman Shanley and made a charge of assault.

When Jennie told her story in court this morning Justice Welde ordered a complaint of disorderly conduct to be drawn against Empie and then fined him $10.

Doorman Empie lives at 1072 Park avenue with his wife, a handsome woman, and a beautiful four-year-old daughter. He said he had taken his little girl to the Park Wednesday afternoon, as was his custom, and that she, knowing Jennie Lydall and the other children, began to play with them.

He said he had taken up some of the children and kissed them, and innocently sat down by little Jennie. He denied any improper motives or acts.

Empie's wife and child were in court, but were not permitted to testify. Mrs. Empie said her husband could not have been guilty of improper conduct.

Mr. Lydall said he would prefer charges at Police Headquarters against the doorman.

NEWSMEN TO DANCE TO-NIGHT.

Whitelaw Reid to Be at the Picnic of the Newsdealers' Association.

The second annual picnic of the Newsdealers' Protective and Benevolent Association of New York City will be held to-night at Lion Park, Columbus avenue and one Hundred and Eighth street. Great preparations have been made for the event, and besides the delightful time that will be afforded the members and their friends a good sum will be added to the benevolent fund of the association. Whitelaw Reid and a number of other prominent men have promised to speak. The Ida B. J. Gorham Fife and Drum Corps will give a fancy drill, and a glee club will make music for the multitude.

Over 250 of the leading newsdealers in New York belong to the association, and they have done a vast amount of good, in their modest way, since their organization two years ago. They pay a sick member $3 a week and in case of death the family of the deceased gets $25.

The officers of the association are: President, A. Michaelman; Vice-President, G. Bancker; Recording Secretary, J. W. Dunn; Financial Secretary, Alexander Boggs; Treasurer, W. H. McKiernan; Sergeant-at-Arms, J. J. Jackson.

STABBED BY A WOMAN.

Ernest Allenburg Seriously Hurt by His Daughter-in-Law.

A murderous stabbing affray occured at noon to-day at 611 Clinton street, Hoboken.

Mrs. Annie Wolff and her father-in-law, Ernest Allenburg, quarrelled, when the woman caught up a knife and plunged it twice in Allenburg's breast, inflicting two serious wounds near the heart. Allenburg fell to the floor unconscious, and before the police could arrive Mrs. Wolff made her escape.

Dr. Pender attended Allenburg, but was unable to decide whether the wounds were fatal. Detectives are searching for Mrs. Wolff.

Failure of the London and General Bank.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

LONDON, Sept. 2.—The London and General Bank (Limited) suspended payments to-day. The bank was founded in 1836 with a capital of £1,000,000.

Twelve Persons Bitten by Mad Dogs.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

ANDERSON, Ind., Sept. 2.—During the past thirty-six hours over a dozen persons have been bitten by dogs supposed or known to be rabid. One case has already been fatal and the terror-stricken people are expecting many more.

Knapp's Root

I'm a Trade-mark. While I'm here, You're to think of Knapp's Root Beer.

Extract Root Beer

"YOU WANT TO KNOW THIS."

"THE WORLD" will print on Sunday the first complete life history ever published of Grover Cleveland, written by Richard Watson Gilder, William S. Bissell and George F. Parker. With it will be an art supplement containing half tone portraits of Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland, and a striking picture of Gray Gables. Tell your newsdealer to save you a copy.

GRACE AGAINST THE WIGWAM.

Anti-Tammany Men to Run a Local Ticket.

Indications that the Ex-Mayor Will Be Placed at Its Head.

Political indications seem to point at present to the nomination of an anti-Tammany local ticket, and while no human agency can with certainty predict the nomination of any man or men for any office or offices present signs point to the candidacy of W. R. Grace for Mayor in opposition to the Tammany nominee. Every recent political action of ex-Mayor Grace confirms the belief that he is in the field for the Mayoralty nomination.

No one questions that the Anti-Snappers have been playing a hand, and a big one, to unite the anti-Tammany political forces for action in the municipal campaign.

As pointed out in THE EVENING WORLD yesterday, Mr. Grace has been coquetting with the County Democracy. He wants to make a "deal," it is said, whereby he will get the votes of the Counties in the event of his candidacy, and in return he will pledge the support of the Anti-Snappers to the nominees of the Counties for other offices.

It was allowed to become known this morning that Mr. Grace wanted to make a similar trade with the New York or Voorhis Democracy, but that in that attempt he was balked. At least that coalition has been frustrated for the present. The deal included the "turning down" of Leader Voorhis, after which all would have been plain sailing. Mr. Voorhis holds office by the grace of Tammany Hall, and while he denies that he has made an alliance with that organization, it is suspected that he would not openly oppose the Wigwam interests.

For that reason his overthrow, it is claimed, was designed. That is admitted by a leader of the New York Democracy. As long as Justice Voorhis remains at the helm Mr. Grace, so politicians say, has little to hope for in the way of solid support from the Voorhis Democracy as a body.

Many of the Voorhis followers, however, are identified with the Anti-Snap movement, and these may go over to Mr. Grace as individuals. But Tammany is more than pleased that the May Convention Democrats did not succeed in capturing the whole organization.

While Tammany leaders say there is no rival organization in the field worthy of recognition, they do not deny that Mr. Grace would be a strong candidate, with the organization he is building up at his back.

Mr. Grace, his friends say, is daily increasing his forces. His lieutenants are able and influential men. He has now strong organizations in four districts—the Seventh, ex-Alderman Flegenheimer and Otto Kempner, leaders; Eighth, W. E. Hall leader; Eighteenth, ex-Congressman John Quinn leader; Nineteenth, H. De Forrest Baldwin, leader.

The Tenderloin District, the Eleventh, of which John J. Scannell is Tammany leader, will next be reorganized under the new apportionment.

The belief that Mr. Grace will be a candidate is strengthened by the fact that the men who are active in the anti-Tammany movement are mostly his personal followers. But whether they are working under the ex-Mayor's orders or not, the impression prevails among politicians that Mr. Grace will soon openly announce himself as a candidate for Mayor.

FASSETT GOES TO MAINE.

List of Famous Speakers Sent Out to Help Tom Reed.

Democratic National Chairman Harrity had many prominent callers this morning, among them Senators White and Gibson, of Louisiana; Kate Field, of Washington; Orlando B. Potter, W. C. P. Breckinridge, Police Commissioner J. J. Martin, Congressman J. A. Geissenhaimer, of New York, and P. J. White, President of the Board of Aldermen of Long Island City.

President White promised Mr. Harrity 2,000 majority for Cleveland in Long Island City.

Chairman Carter has sent J. Sloat Fassett, Gen. George A. Sheridan, ex-Congressman Benjamin Butterfield, of Ohio; Senator Hawley, of Connecticut; F. K. Schoonmaker and Col. Fitzwilliams into Maine to talk for the Republican ticket.

Mr. Carter has Senator Sewell and John Kean, the General's candidate for Governor of New Jersey, as visitors to-day.

HOW WAS MEYERS DROWNED?

Relatives and the Police Reject Theories of the Artist's Suicide.

The belief is gaining around to-day that young Alfred Meyers, of 202 East Seventy-eighth street, was drowned while bathing in the Hudson River off Fort Washington, and that he did not commit suicide.

Police of the Washington Heights station say that they have learned that Meyers had started on a sketching trip in a boat. His palette and other sketching implements, with an unfinished picture and his clothing, were found in his boat, which was moored.

Meyers was twenty-eight years old, unmarried, and lived with his parents at the address named. He was at the head of an art school in the Studio Building on Fifty-seventh street. His body has not yet been recovered.

EX-POLICEMAN SIMMS AGAIN.

He Uses a Revolver in a Scuffle on a Brooklyn Street.

Ex-Policeman Henry Simms, of 541 Fifth avenue, Brooklyn; Richard Donohue, of Grand and Pacific streets, and John Mulligan, of 634 Classon avenue, were arrested this morning for fighting on Fulton street.

Simms alleges that Donohue and Mulligan had him down, and that as he was unable to defend himself he fired four times.

During his connection of two years and a half with the Brooklyn police force Simms was before the commissioner twelve times on different charges.

ONE THIEF'S PLUNDER.

Watches, Clocks, Plate, &c., Recovered on His Pawn Tickets.

There is displayed to-day at Police Headquarters a large amount of property gathered from pawn shops on tickets taken from Isaac Levy, who was arrested Aug. 24, charged with burglarizing the flat of Joseph Armstrong at 501 Lexington avenue.

The property recovered includes many watches, clocks, silver plate, opera-glasses and other articles of value, many of which bear their owners' initials or other inscriptions.

Two United States Warships Arrive at Genoa.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

GENOA, Sept. 2.—The United States warships Newark and Bennington, which are to take part in the Columbus fetes here, arrived to-day.

Guests Driven to Cover by Frost.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

KINGSTON, Sept. 2.—There was a heavy frost last night in various parts of Ulster County. In the Summer resorts in the Catskills grate fires are burning and the guests slept under heavy blankets.

Saloon-Keeper McDonald Held.

Kiernan McDonald, saloon-keeper, of 343 First avenue, was held in the Yorkville Court this morning on a charge of selling liquor to a six-year-old boy, named John Hurley.

NOW IT'S $14,114.75.

The Sick Baby Fund Nearing the $15,000 Mark.

The Free Physicians Are a Bulwark Against Cholera Also.

By Your Subscription You Help Protect the City.

All letters containing money for the Sick Baby Fund should be addressed to the Cashier of the New York World, Pulitzer Building.

Donations of clothing, &c., should be sent to Mrs. Roberts, 347 West Forty-ninth street.

THE SUBSCRIPTIONS.

Previously acknowledged	$13,992.11
Third avenue fair	25.05
East Broadway entertainment	21.20
Grove Social club	20.07
Bayonne fair	19.50
Jackson Villa reception	16.00
East Seventy-first street entertainment	13.25
Brooklyn fair	3.25
City Island concert	3.00
Percy and Willie	.02
G. E. T.	1.71

With the double advantage which the free doctors now have of curing sick children and guarding the community at large from any spread of cholera, the Sick Baby Fund should not be long in reaching $15,000.

It is a great incentive for people to subscribe just now, as not only the lives of the little ones, but the safety of the public at large is to be looked after.

Several entertainments swell the fund to more than $14,000 to-day, and a few more such benefits will have the desired result.

All together, then, and help the little ones as much as your means will permit.

JACKSON VILLA ENTERTAINMENT

A Pleasing Programme Gotten Up for the Babies.

An entertainment and reception in aid of THE EVENING WORLD Sick Baby Fund was held at the Jackson Villa, Far Rockaway, on Saturday evening, Aug. 27. A host of professional talent volunteered their services for the occasion, among them being Mlle. Leo Ville, England's lady wizard, who, by her skillfulness and witty sayings, amused the large crowd present for half an hour.

The great Unity Musical Quartet, who play all pieces without notes; Miss Julia Stilling, the beautiful soprano, and Mr. M. Greenhall, the humorist, who delighted the audience.

Miss Nellie Muslimer, twelve years old, recited many humorous recitations, and she was heartily encored.

Mr and Mrs. Altstadt entertained the audience for three-quarters of an hour. A better pianist than Mrs. Altstadt or a better violinist than Mr. Altstadt was never heard in Far Rockaway.

The entertainment was concluded about 10.30, and the audience was enthusiastic in its praise of the success of the entertainment, which realized $16.

The affair was conducted by Mr. and Mrs. Bauer, Mr. Sam Metzger and Miss Tessie Metzger, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice B. Quitman, Mr. Louis Muslimer and Counsellor Max D. Quitman.

Among those present were Miss Clara Stern, the Misses Bauer, Miss Bertha Kahn, Mrs. Scheuer and Miss Flora Scheuer, Miss Traub, Miss Adeline Wolfsheim, Mr. Sam Schiff, Mr. Albert Eikus, of Sacramento; Miss Annie Jackson and Mr. Harry Jackson, Miss Bertha Jacobs and Mr. H. A. Jacobs, Mr. Sol Glicksman and his two sisters, and many others.

THREW A SICKLE AT THE BOYS.

It Gashed a Cheek and Now Decrepit Mr. Murphy Must Answer.

William Murphy, a decrepit man of sixty, living on Baltic street, Brooklyn, was held for the Grand Jury in the Butler Street Court this morning.

George Christiansen, of 121 Smith street, who is fifteen years old, was one of a party of boys who teased Murphy as he was going home last night. Murpey threw the sickle he carried at the boys, and it struck Christiansen in the cheek, cutting it severely. The boy was taken to the Brooklyn Hospital.

TRACTION'S BIG FUND.

The Street Railroad Syndicate's Capital Raised to $30,000,000.

The stockholders of the Metropolitan Traction Company, the corporation which has bought many New York surface-car lines and is reaching out for more, to-day increased the capital of the Company to $30,000,000.

Marquis de Mores Makes a Broad Allegation.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

PARIS, Sept. 2.—The Marquis de Mores has written a letter in which he states that Baron de Mohrenheim, the Russian Ambassador to France, in a recent conversation with him said that the entire press of Paris appeared to be in the hands of Hebrews.

The Ambassador, according to the Marquis, added that he was not provided with funds to combat them.

He further said that the Rothschilds had openly opposed the Russian loan, and at the moment of its issue, in order to promote a collapse of the markets, they sold enormous parcels of rentes.

Mr. Bynum Will Not Accept.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

CHARLOTTE, N. C., Sept. 2.—At a conference of Chairman Eaves and Republican managers in Washington and New York it was decided to nominate Judge W. P. Bynum for Governor. In an interview to-day Mr. Bynum says he will not accept the nomination.

Dropped Dead in Third Avenue.

An unknown man dropped dead about 5 o'clock this morning in front of 2107 Third avenue. He was about fifty-five years old. The body was sent to the Harlem Morgue.

Cement Laborers Win a Strike.

The striking cement laborers claim to-day that all except two or three of the eighteen bosses have signed the wages contracts and nearly all the strikers are at work.

Collecting Canadian Statistics.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

OTTAWA, Ont., Sept. 2.—J. N. Whitney, Chief Clerk of the Bureau of Statistics of the Treasury Department, Washington, is holding a consultation with George Johnston, the Dominion statistician, in reference to the collection of statistics of domestic exports.

Big Ballot Contract to M. B. Brown.

The Police Board to-day awarded the contract for printing 7,390,500 ballots for candidates and 4,442,100 ballots on the constitutional amendment, to Martin B. Brown. The price is $43,370.

Wire News in Brief.

Mrs. Catharine Horan, of Syracuse, stumbled and fell last night, and a pencil she held in her hand penetrated her brain through the eye.

Sir Edwin Arnold, accompanied by Mrs. Harewara, a Japanese lady, has arrived in Winnipeg on his way south.

Maggie Jonas, eighteen, shot at her lover, William Swartz, but missed him. She then shot herself in the heart.

HOUSE AND HOME

How to Dress Cheaply.

A young woman who dresses beautifully on a limited allowance says that the secret of it all is in choosing the time when she makes the purchase. "If I want furs, I buy them just before the furriers pack away their goods in the Spring, when they are glad to sell all kinds of trimmings at cost price to avoid the risk and expense of 'carrying them over' to another season. For my Winter's hats and jackets I will wait until after Christmas, when the rush for novelties is over and one can get lovely bonnets and wraps at the best places at just about half price. For Summer fabrics and hats, and trimmings of all kinds, ribbons, artificial flowers, gloves, stockings, everything, in the fact, that goes to make up an attractive Summer wardrobe, one will find the June and July reductions something quite wonderful, a hundred dollars going fully twice as far as it would in the Spring. Large dealers do not want to keep a surplus stock to store and bring out another season—they must sell even at a sacrifice price to make room for the Autumn goods; and to get rid of ephemeral materials and fashions, they undersbid each other in a way that is delightful to the possessor of a slender purse."

Collars and Pelerines.

The little collars and pelerines which have been so popular still hold their ground and are constantly becoming more fanciful. One has only to make her choice between the shoulder cape, the camail or the jacket. The latter has attained a high degree of artistic excellence, especially when made of white or of some delicate, light-tinted China crepe, exquisitely embroidered with fanciful raised flowers. When such light material is used this garment must be lined with silk of contrasting delicate colors—as, for example, white or blue if the China crepe be rose, white or rose if it be blue, and blue or rose if the crepe be white. This novel fancy will undoubtedly cause many an old-time shawl to be taken from its hiding-place and restored to the dignity of a ribbon-trimmed and silk-lined jacket.

Autumn Costume of Harris Cloth.

A very stylish Autumnal jaunting and jaunty costume is made of the highly fashionable Harris cloth, with its faint suggestive odor of the peat-warmed huts where it is woven. The tailor coat has a frilled vest which only the slenderest of women may attempt, to the envy of all their adipose sisters. The finish of this effective suit is simple machine stitching of heavy silk, but the gleam of colors, warm and rich, which is given by having both the wavy frills and the triple shoulder capes lined with nasturtium red shot with yellow, must "be seen to be appreciated."

A Dainty Bonnet.

Those Absurd Ribbons.

How absurd are the long ribbons that are worn at the back of gowns and cloaks! Sashes tied at the neck are all very well on teagowns, but on outdoor dresses they look better fastened at the waist. Satin ribbon tied at the back or side is the prettiest kind of sash for a cotton gown.

Russian Walking Jackets for Fall.

The ultra fashionable man has developed a love for feminine sashes, which he has worn all Summer, and now the Summer girl, after appropriating his suspenders, goes him one better again by adopting a very masculine Fall jacket, which is even more manly in effect than her last Spring cutaway coat. The new model for Autmn uses is an adaptation of the long English frock coat, with double-breasted waistcoat and a bit of rather fancy shirt waist showing beneath. It is called the Russian walking jacket.

Pretty Handkerchief Case.

Cut a piece of pasteboard six inches square and cover with wadding or make a pad of batting to fit on it. Cover this with any shade of silk desired. Finish the edge with buttonhole stitch made with knitting silk and have the stitches about an eighth of an inch apart. The buttonhole stitching forms the foundation for the sides. Then crochet in one stitch one treble, chain two, one treble in the next stitch; chain two, one treble in the next stitch. Repeat all the way round. The second row is made the same, catching the trebles under the two chains each time. Make as many rounds as desired and in the top run a ribbon, which may be drawn up. This case is very pretty as well as convenient. It will hold a large number of handkerchiefs or a few. When only a few are in it it takes little space.

Dainty Bureau and Table Covers.

Plain book muslin makes the daintiest kind of bureau and table covers. If the room where it is used is pink or blue, the muslin is stamped with a bold conventional design of wild roses, which are to be embroidered in the simple short and long stitch or with buttonholed edges in shades of pink. The leaves are outlined in dull green and the whole cover cobwebbed coarsely with fine silk in pink or blue, according to the lining, which may be of pink or blue silesia. The cover should be cut exactly the shape of the bureau itself and have a plaited frill to hang over the edge. Another delightfully cool and dainty effect is obtained by simply lining the plain muslin with pale green and making the covers for everything, bed, bureau and mantle, the hangings of the bed and of the windows. It is such a fresh and dainty room as this that visitors who admire the renowned Mme. de Stael, now inspect with interest as the apartment which the gifted lady once fitted up for herself, and which has never been disturbed.

A Pretty Morning Gown.

To Clean Delicate Goods.

When the embroidered flannel skirts and blankets belonging to the infants of the household become somewhat soiled by little spots scattered here and there, it is a good plan to wash out the spots without putting the entire garment into the water. As usually laundered the beautiful embroideries that have taken many hours are half ruined after their first contact with water, and if much soiled had best be sent for a dry cleaning. When only a little soiled, put the soiled places over a bowl and pour boiling-hot water over them until they disappear. Then press the spots in a dry towel until most of the water is absorbed and press while damp. Flannels should never be rubbed, and crocheted skirts and bands should be pulled and shaken into shape before drying. If pressed with an iron the wool will be matted and lifeless.

Little hoods from Angora wool may be cleaned by heating two or three quarts of wheat flour until so hot that you can scarcely bear the hand on it. Put the flour in a clean earthen or tin vessel and rub it well into the hoods before it cools. When cold pin the articles on the line and leave them out in a strong wind, or beat thoroughly with a rattan beater. Angora furs may be cleaned in the same way. The flour must be stirred while heating to prevent scorching.

To Make Devonshire Cream.

Not many people know what Devonshire cream is, supposing it to be the particularly rich cream of the county in question; whereas every American housekeeper may have Devonshire cream on her own table if she will take the trouble to prepare it. Rich, new milk is put in a shallow vessel with an extended surface, and is then set on the range, where the milk will be warmed, but on no account must it boil or even scald. The heat will cause all the cream to rise to the surface in a very short time and the pan is then taken off and placed in the ice-box or in a cool place. When thoroughly chilled the cream may be taken off and will be nearly of the consistence of newly-made butter. This is put in jars, and at breakfast is helped with a spoon and is delicious with oatmeal, jams, berries—everything in fact that ordinary cream is used for, its merits being that not only does one obtain the richest of cream, but it will keep for two or three days without becoming sour. Why this English dainty is not used in this country to the same extent as in England is to be wondered at, but our dairy folk seem to know nothing about it. If they would only provide it and put it in the same cunning little stone jars in which one buys it abroad it would be delightful. One can never forget the delight of the creamiest of cream as may be found in all the little London shops, and nowhere in all this big country.

MENU.

SATURDAY, SEPT. 3.

BREAKFAST.

Baked Apples. Wheaten Grits.
Broiled Ham. Fried Eggs.
Toast. Coffee.

DINNER.

Boiled Corned Beef. Cabbage.
Potatoes. Beets.
Squash-Pie.

SUPPER.

Kidney Saute. Sliced Tomatoes.
Stewed Pears. Baked Biscuit.
Tea. Fruit Cake.

Novel Way to Seat Guests.

Rather a pretty method of indicating where the guests were to sit was adopted a few nights ago at a reception. Instead of one large table down the entire length of the large marquee, little tables were introduced, with a far happier effect. Each table was decorated with different flowers. Red, white and pink roses, sweet peas, white water lilies, pink and white geranium, Iceland poppies, yellow sweet sultans, and many other flowers were brought into requisition. Each lady had a wee fan decorated with the flowers of the table where her place was to be found, presented to her when the gentleman who was to escort her was introduced. At the same time the man received a tiny boutonniere of the same. The idea was a pretty one, and it saved a great deal of unnecessary scrambling.

Societies for Invalids.

It isn't at first quite easy to see how an organization of invalids could be of especial comfort to its members, but an association of this sort, started more than fifteen years ago, has prospered exceedingly, and several other organizations, also having for their aim the cheer and entertainment of invalids, have sprung from it. The first society was started by an invalid, and was called the "Shut-in Society." One of the societies which has been the outgrowth of the first society is the "Sunshine Makers," which is composed of invalid children. Another is the "Little Cupbearers to the King." The members of this society are not invalids, but are pledged to assist those who are. Still another is the "Pass it Along Society," whose members make it their business to circulate periodicals among members of the "Shut In Club." There is still another organization which is known as the "Wheel Chair Committee," which devotes itself to providing wheel chairs for such invalids as need them and could not otherwise procure them.

Uses of Glycerine.

Do you happen to know for how many different uses glycerine is really invaluable? It moistens and softens the skin, and, when properly diluted, both prevents and cures the painful and unsightly cracks known as "chaps" on the hands. It will allay the excessive thirst of a fever patient which nothing else could effect. Two or three drops given to a baby will often stop its stomach ache, if wind be the cause.

It will frequently soothe an irritable cough by moistening the dryness of the throat which gives rise to it. It is the most efficient means at our command for the prevention of bed sores.

It has been found excellent as an enema in treating constipation, and half a teaspoonful every half hour will relieve Summer complaint, water brash or dyspepsia. In household medication it must be pure and wholly unadulterated.

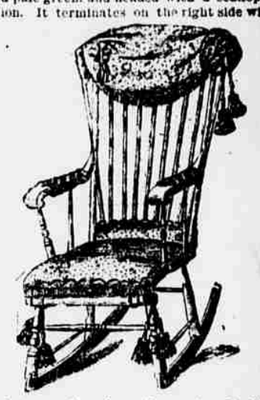
Another use may be added, which is not generally known. When you are about to seal fruit jars, drop in half a dozen drops of glycerine, and it will help to keep the contents and prevent mould from gathering on the top.

If you want to show your husband a little attention, place a bottle at his hand of equal parts of glycerine and bay rum, for use after his morning shave, and he will rise up and bless you. I have tried it and recommend it.

Glycerine is also excellent for rubbing into shoes as the preventive of wet feet, as well as to soften the leather and keep it in good condition.

Fancy Rocking-Chair.

Here is an idea for a fancy rocker. The foundation is of plain wood, lacquered white and pink and draped with a valance in Pompadour silk, edged with a narrow fringe, pink and pale green, and headed with a scalloped galon. It terminates on the right side with



a large rosette, from the centre of which droop heavy tassels and cord, while on the opposite side a band of plain plush secures it to the chair, next to a rosette and tassel. Small padded cushions encircle the arms and are striped with Nile green plush; on the seat large down cushion to match.

From My Window.

Above the water, from my window shines
The crescent moon, soft holding in its sway
A fleecy cloud just left from parting day.
Round either horned side it intertwines,
And falling, forms in drooping lines
A bridal veil around the queen of night;
Within the folds, half hid, the quivering light
Of stars like jewelled pins in quaint designs
To catch and hold the veil in place.
As in the water dips the gauzy trail,
Wave follows wave in glittering crystals strewn
And silver rings go widening into space—
Then lo! 'tis gone, in a crescent crown and veil,
And I am in the darkening world alone.

—*The Chautauquan.*

A Costly Kiss.

I came—I saw—I pressed her hand—
I begged her for a kiss.
She blushed—looked down. I stole the phiz—
It was a dream of bliss.
I've woked from my dream since then;
That kiss has cost me dear,
I'm paying all my money now
For it twelve times a year.

—*Providence Telegram.*

To Get Rid of Ants.

To the Editor:

A constant reader of your valuable EVENING WORLD seeks your advice. Do you know of any method or means to get rid of ants? My residence is swarming with these little pests.

LOUIS MOELLER.

Here is a method which is said to be very effective: As soon as the ants are discovered remove all the old papers from your shelves and burn them up. Wash all the shelves with strong soapsuds and sprinkle insect powder around the edges. Put on fresh papers and sprinkle the powder around the edges of them. This will sometimes drive them away and they will not come back again. If they do put out fresh powder. Some say that they will not cross a heavy chalk mark, and one lady who made a heavy chalk mark around her bread jar, leaving about an inch between the jar and the mark, says the ants did not go into the jar. If the chalk mark will prevent them from getting to anything, pulverized chalk sprinkled around will take the place of the insect powder and will be perfectly harmless.

Here is a recipe for destroying them: Half a pound of flour of