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THIS CITY A DUMPING GROUND.

Massachusetts Authorities Practically Confirm the Stories of Husted and Foley.

GEN. BEN BUTLER SAYS IT'S SO.

Paupers and Lunatics Have Been Shipped Here Systematically for Years.

The exposé, published exclusively in yesterday's EVENING WORLD, of the practice of the authorities at the Massachusetts State Almshouse at Tewksbury, who were discovered by alert reporters to be sending almost weekly large batches of paupers, lunatics and idiots to New York, and turning them loose upon the streets of New York to beg, steal or starve, has created a profound sensation not only among officials of the Board of Charities and Correction, but among the taxpayers of this city.

MARVIN HUSTED.

Members of the Board of Charities and Correction, as well as Supt. Blake, denied very emphatically to an EVENING WORLD reporter this morning the statements made by Thomas Doane, Transportation Agent of the Massachusetts State Board of Lunacy and Charity, that no secret had been made of the wholesale transportation of paupers from that State to this city.

Certainly they had never been informed by Mr. Doane or any one else that eight diseased paupers and lunatics were to arrive here yesterday morning on the Pilgrim, as described in THE EVENING WORLD yesterday, and the first they heard of this wholesale dumping of Tewksbury inmates in the city was when they saw the news in print.

"Once in a long time," said Supt. Blake "we receive a lunatic or pauper from Massachusetts, or send one from this city up there.

"But we always receive first a notification from the State Board of Massachusetts that they desire to send on such a person and they give me time to investigate the case.

"I would never receive a pauper or a lunatic from any other State unless I had positive proof that such person belonged here.

"On the other hand, if we are going to send a person out of the State we always inform the authorities where he is going that we have such a person and ask permission to send him on.

"We know absolutely nothing of this system of sending on paupers by the batch and turning them loose on the city; if we did it would have been stopped long ago.

"That this has been done surreptitiously there seems to be no doubt, and when the business is carried on in such a way it is very difficult to detect it.

"I have no doubt that thousands of paupers are assisted to this city every year in this or like manner.

"We have about three hundred applications a day and could fill up every institution in this city with a new lot every month if we took them all in.

"Our only protection is to be watchful and do our best to keep the undesirables out. I do not see what more we can do than is being done now."

Blake Does Not Vouch for Doane.

Supt. Blake says that he does not vouch for Mr. Doane at all. He has had very few dealings with him, and only knows that he is an agent of the Massachusetts State Board of Lunacy and Charity.

Commissioner Shehy expressed himself very strongly in regard to the disclosures made exclusively by THE EVENING WORLD yesterday.

"I have known that this practice of sending paupers to New York City from adjoining States has been going on for years," he said, "and that they have been dumped here in shoals. I know this not by positive knowledge, but from the fact that so many of this class of persons from other States are continually turning up in New York.

"It is an outrage and ought to be stopped. The difficulty is in detecting the people who send them here. It is done in an underhand manner, and I believe they are coached as to what they shall say when they fall into the hands of the authorities here. In my opinion most of them are sent by the authorities themselves in the places where they come from.

Hard to Catch the Pauper Smugglers.

"In spite of all our watchfulness, however, we have never been able to detect any one in the act of bringing paupers into the city. They take them to the ferries in Jersey City and send them over or pay their fare into town on the railroads.

"They come from New Jersey, Connecticut, Massachusetts and other States.

"I am in favor of investigating this whole business thoroughly, and if there is no law which makes it a felony to bring such people into the city and turn them loose here there ought to be one passed.

"I think that THE EVENING WORLD is doing a great work in exposing this abuse. The practice is a fraud on the taxpayers of the city, and every citizen is interested in having the whole matter shown up.

"There seems to be a good opportunity offered now to expose these practices, at least so far as Massachusetts is concerned.

"If we cannot keep these assisted paupers out in any other way, we ought to have detectives at every ferry, steamship wharf and railroad depot to keep watch of the arrivals."

Steps for an Investigation.

Commissioner Porter said this morning, after he had seen the affidavits of Marvin Husted and Michael Foley, that he was prepared to go in for an investigation of the matter.

He said that if these two men would appear before Supt. Blake and make application, in the regular way, to be returned to their homes and furnish affidavits in the usual form that the Board will take cognizance of the matter and bring it to the attention of the Mayor with the request that he communicate officially with the Massachusetts authorities.

"I want it understood," said the Commissioner, "that this Board is doing all it can to keep paupers out of New York City who do not belong here. It will push this matter vigorously as soon as the case can be presented in proper form.

"The affidavits which these men have already made will not answer for our purpose and they will have to appear here and submit to a regular examination."

The State law which applies to the case of paupers from other States and provides the penalty for bringing them here without permission is found in chapter 277 of the Laws of 1831.

Provision of the Statute.

The law reads as follows:

SECTION 1.—Any person who shall bring or remove or cause to be brought or removed any poor or indigent person from any place without this State into any county or town in this State, and there leave or attempt to leave such person, with intent to make such county or town chargeable with the support of such pauper, he shall forfeit and pay $50, to be recovered before any Justice of the Peace of the county into which such pauper shall be brought, to be sued for and recovered by and in the name of the superintendents of the county poor of said county or by the overseers of the poor, &c. * * * and, moreover, shall be obliged to convey such pauper out of the State or support him at his own expense.

The rest of the section relates to security to be exacted from the person so fined to comply with the justice's order, in default of which "it shall be the duty of the justice to commit him to the common jail of the county for a term not exceeding three months."

Under section 385 of the Consolidation act the Charities Commissioners of New York are held to exercise the same powers in all respects as County Overseers of the Poor.

Consequently, it is the duty of the Charities Commissioners to prosecute all offenders under the foregoing law relating to the importation of paupers.

Should the Commissioners of Charities take action against the offenders—under the law it is compulsory upon them to do so—they may sue and recover dues extending over a period of fifteen years.

Computing that one pauper on an average has been imported each day, the number in fifteen years would be 5,475.

A fine of $50 in each of these cases would turn into the coffers of the county not less than $273,750.

It is claimed by some that by the statute of limitations suit can be brought only for offences during two years back. But lawyers say that where an offence is committed fifteen years ago and then repeated at intervals within the statute of limitations—that is within periods of less than two years apart—up to the present time, all repetitions of the offense put together constitute one act, so as to make it possible to sue for the offense committed fifteen years ago, just the same as if it had been committed within the statutory time of two years.

BEN BUTLER SAYS IT'S SO.

He Turned Tewksbury Inside Out When He Was Governor.

BOSTON, Dec. 10.—Gen. Benjamin F. Butler, when seen by an EVENING WORLD correspondent, said:

"I have no doubt of the truth of the story printed in THE EVENING WORLD, and I have no doubt that the class of persons referred to have been sent to New York and elsewhere for many years past. So far as I can recollect, the practice was carried on before I was Governor, and, indeed, I believe it went on while I was Governor.

"I could not prevent it, for the Governor had no control over the matter.

"I think I made some allusion to the matter in what I said some eight years ago, but after such a long interval, and as I am only speaking from memory, I have no distinct recollection of the facts of the case.

"I believe moreover that the State Board claims the right to send those people where

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MANY PATIENTS EXPOSED.

Typhus Carries Off an Inmate of Bellevue's Alcoholic Ward.

Park Row Lodging-Houses Now Closely Watched.

John Carney, a laborer, thirty-two years old, died at the Riverside Hospital on North Brother Island early this morning from typhus fever.

He was taken there last night from Bellevue, where he was an alcoholic patient.

He walked into Bellevue Tuesday suffering from alcoholism.

Last night, when Dr. Dillingham, of the Board of Health, paid a visit to Bellevue he discovered that Carney had typhus, and at once had him removed.

Carney had been living in the lodging-house 194 Park Row, and doubtless caught the disease from William Bell, another lodger at the same place, who died from typhus at Riverside Hospital last week.

Under instructions from Acting Chief Inspector Dr. Dillingham thirty-two patients, who have been exposed to typhus, have been placed under quarantine at Bellevue Hospital.

The new alcoholic cells are being used for the purpose.

The patients will be held in quarantine for three weeks.

Edward Deevy, not Beebe, as was first reported, who was taken up to North Brother Island from Bellevue Hospital sick with typhus yesterday, is a waiter and worked in a restaurant at 128 Park Row.

He stayed at the lodging-house 160 Park Row. It is not known how he contracted the disease.

The lodging-houses 194, 173 and 160 Park Row are being kept under observation.

MME. LESLIE WASN'T TIPPED.

Justice Ryan Now Thinks Her Absence Was Purely Accidental.

There was a marked change in the attitude of Justice Ryan this morning concerning the supposed tipping of Mrs. Emma Leslie, the alleged proprietress of a disorderly house at 30 East Twelfth street, which was raided Thursday night by Capt. Haughey.

Yesterday morning, when the cases came up for a hearing, it was found that Mrs. Leslie had not been arrested.

It was learned that ten minutes before the raid was made a cab rattled up to the door of the house and a man jumped out, who hurriedly entered the house. He returned a moment later with Mrs. Leslie, who was without hat or coat. The two got into the cab and drove away.

When these facts were related to Justice Ryan he was very indignant and called upon Detectives Sloane and Carey for an explanation.

Justice Ryan said that it was plainly a case where the proprietress had been warned.

To-day, however, he said that after thinking it over he had concluded that the woman's absence was purely accidental and that it was nobody's fault.

Mrs. Leslie was later arrested by Capt. Haughey and taken before Justice Ryan, who held the woman in $500 bail for appearance before him next Wednesday afternoon.

OLDEST BANDMASTER DEAD.

Charles Rehm Dies This Morning After a Long Illness.

Charles Rehm, said to be the oldest bandmaster in the United States, died at his residence, 230 East Thirteenth street, this morning. He had been ill for a long time.

Mr. Rehm was born in Hanover, Germany. He received his first instruction in music at the age of nine years. His father and all his relatives were musicians.

At the age of fifteen years he joined the Seventh Infantry Band, stationed in the city of Nienburg, Germany. In 1854 Mr. Rehm came to America and appeared as cornet soloist in numerous concerts. In 1856 the members of Dodworth's Second Regiment Band elected him as their bandmaster, and he was also engaged at Niblo's Garden in English and Italian opera, and at Laura Keene's Theatre and the Palace Garden.

In 1859 he was elected a member of the New York Philharmonic Society. In 1860 he became bandmaster of the Governor's Island Recruiting Service Band. During the late war Mr. Rehm wrote "Our National Union March," which was dedicated to President Lincoln.

In 1871 he was made bandmaster of the Twenty-second Regiment Band, N. G. S. N. Y., the late P. S. Gilmore's Band, and in 1872 he received the appointment as bandmaster of the United States Military Band at West Point, N. Y.

Mr. Rehm resigned his position at West Point in 1887 because of illness. He was sixty-six years old.

He leaves a widow, a daughter and a son. His son, William C. Rehm, is musical director of the Washington Seminary and Miss Thornbury's Institute at Atlanta, Ga.

FORGER WALLACE INDUSTRIOUS.

He Bought Lots of Goods with Worthless Checks.

James Wallace, an ex-convict, thirty-two years old, of 208 East Fiftieth street, was held in $3,000 in the Tombs Court to-day on the charge of forgery, passing worthless checks and larceny.

It was in evidence that Wallace, who has already served three terms in State Prison for forgery, attempted to victimize Albert Hainemann, a bartender at 816 Third avenue, with a forged check for $35, purporting to be signed by Edward Thatcher, the steward of the Aurora Club, in East Forty-ninth street.

Hainemann was suspicious and refused to cash the check. Wallace tried the same game with F. Fraenegwick, a butcher on third avenue, whom he wanted to cash a check for $25 purporting to be signed by J. J. Jones. The butcher also refused.

Then, Nov. 27, Wallace bought twenty-seven yards of canton flannel at the drygoods store of Joseph Kahn, 322 East Fourth street, and paid for it with a bogus check for $10 purporting to be signed by James Harding, and got $9 in change.

He ordered the flannel to be sent to 334 East Seventeenth street. When Kahn's boy got there he found three other boys with bundles and a coal man with a ton of coal, all sent there by Wallace.

The people of the house didn't know anything about the goods or the man who directed them sent there.

Detective Sergeants Mccarthy and Cull gathered Wallace in last night.

Canadian Appointments Published.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

OTTAWA, Ont., Dec. 10.—The *Official Gazette* contains the formal notices of the appointment of Hon. Mr. Caughan to the Lieutenant-Governorship of Quebec, of Mr. Angers and Mr. Ives as Members of the Privy Council and of the different Ministers which it on Wednesday.

Plymouth Church's Annual Report.

The annual report of Plymouth Church, Brooklyn, shows 1,815 members. Deaths, 34. Total number in Sunday-schools, 2,285. The collections amounted to $14,027.55. The pew rentals netted $17,500. Gifts amounted to $12,000. Deacon S. V. White was re-elected Treasurer.

PROOFS OF MURDER.

Startling Developments in the Ellen Newton Case.

Inquest to Be Held by Coroner Drew This Afternoon.

Evidence That the Prisoners Were Seen Following the Girl.

MOUNT VERNON, N. Y., Dec. 10.—Sensational features of a most startling nature, made public this morning, tend more than ever to strengthen Coroner Fred Drew's theory that foul murder was done to pretty black-eyed Ellen Newton, whose dead body, weighed down with anchor stones, was found in Gas Chester Creek at Invermere-on-the-Sound last Monday afternoon.

Coroner's detective Jere. Moore put in a busy day yesterday on the case, and when night came he had subpœnaed nearly a dozen witnesses, whose testimony shows that a girl answering the description of the dead victim was at Invermere about 2.30 o'clock, or one hour before her body was pulled out of the water by ex-Chief William W. Howe, of the Mount Vernon Fire Department.

There is a long shed for horses at Invermere only a few rods from the dock which leads almost directly to the spot where the body was found. This shed fronts towards the creek, and could easily be entered by pedestrians unobserved by the two or three persons who stay in the hotel at this time of year.

Monday afternoon Proprietor Clough and his men were at work on the chicken dinner for Chief Howe and Joe Weber, Mr. Clough's partner. Joe Weber says they were all inside the hotel about 3 o'clock.

Half an hour later John Grace, the watchman, happened to go out towards the dock and saw the body floating in the water.

Detective Moore says he has a witness who found the paper bag with the fragments of cake in it, which she purchased at Baker Stubding's about noon that day, lying near this horse-shed. It is not improbable that the girl entered the shed to eat her lunch.

Possibly she sat down in one of the several Summer horse-cars that are stored in the shed, which would have prevented any one passing along the creek from seeing her or her supposed assailants.

Detective Moore says he himself found evidence of a struggle in the dirt under the shed. The fallen tree where the girl's hat and sacque were found, is but a few rods from the shed.

Leading up to this evidence is the testimony of Mrs. Maggie Brundage, Essie Brundage and Mrs. John Nugent, who saw a girl they are very positive was Ellen Newton pass their house on the town dock road at 2.20 o'clock.

The girl asked Essie where Invermere was, and Essie told her. After the conversation she had with her, the girl went to Invermere.

These three witnesses, according to Detective Moore, saw two negroes answering the description of the men Fugsley and Landrine pass down the road about ten minutes after the girl had passed. The colored men also went towards Invermere.

John White, who with Ira Brown keeps the Sportsmen's Retreat at the junction of the town dock road and Boston turnpike, according to Detective Moore, says both Fugsley and Landrine were in his saloon drinking all the morning of Monday and left in the afternoon.

He says both men returned Tuesday, the day they themselves say they were first at Invermere, but he insists they were also there on Monday.

Regarding Jimmie Meyers, the other suspect, Detective Moore says that ten or twelve minutes after the two negroes passed the Brundage House, Justice of the Peace Tomine, who lives opposite, saw a man go towards Invermere, and that he looked very much like the son of the intelligence office keeper.

This is the evidence which Detective Moore says the Coroner will present to the jury at the inquest, to be held at 4 o'clock to-day at Undertaker Burr Davis's establishment.

The Coroner had intended to hold the inquest next Tuesday, but on receiving word late last night from George Newton, the dead girl's father, that he could come on to-day, he decided to hold it this afternoon.

The evidence given, Detective Moore says, is likely to be supplemented by still other testimony of a damaging nature, and he intimates that another arrest may be made.

That the Coroner's theory of murder has been accepted by the dead girl's father, as we has Rev. Father Slattery, of the Church of the Annunciation, is shown by the fact that the girl was buried yesterday in consecrated ground.

Lawyer Stephen J. Stillwell has been retained by James Meyers's mother to act as counsel for him, and will appear for him at to-day's inquest.

Mr. Stillwell intended to apply to County Judge Mills at White Plains this morning for a writ of habeas corpus for Meyers, but up to noon had not done so. Later his associate, Lawyer Penfield, thought it probable that he would await the inquest, and attempt to secure his client's discharge there.

All three prisoners will be brought down from White Plains this afternoon to attend the inquest.

MAN BURNED TO DEATH.

Explosion in the Central Railroad's Gas Storage-House.

Peter McCabe, thirty years old, of 624 East One Hundred and Fifty-second street, was burned to death shortly after 10 o'clock this morning in a fire that resulted from an explosion in the gas storage house of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad at One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street and Sheridan avenue.

Several men, including McCabe, were at work in the building when the explosion of gas occurred in one of the cylinders.

All the men managed to escape with the exception of McCabe, who was hemmed in the burning building.

When found his body was burned almost beyond recognition. It was removed to the Morrisania Police Station.

HE WEDDED FOUR TIMES A YEAR.

Arkansas Man Who Has a Wife for Every County.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Dec. 10.—Z. L. Gorforth, who is described as neither good-looking nor intelligent, has a wife, if reports be true, in nearly every county in Arkansas, with a few Missouri girls thrown in.

He has been marrying and giving himself in marriage ever since 1881 at the rate of about four ceremonies a year.

His last bride was Miss Della Dawson, of Hinley County, Mo., whom he led to the altar last May, deserting her soon after.

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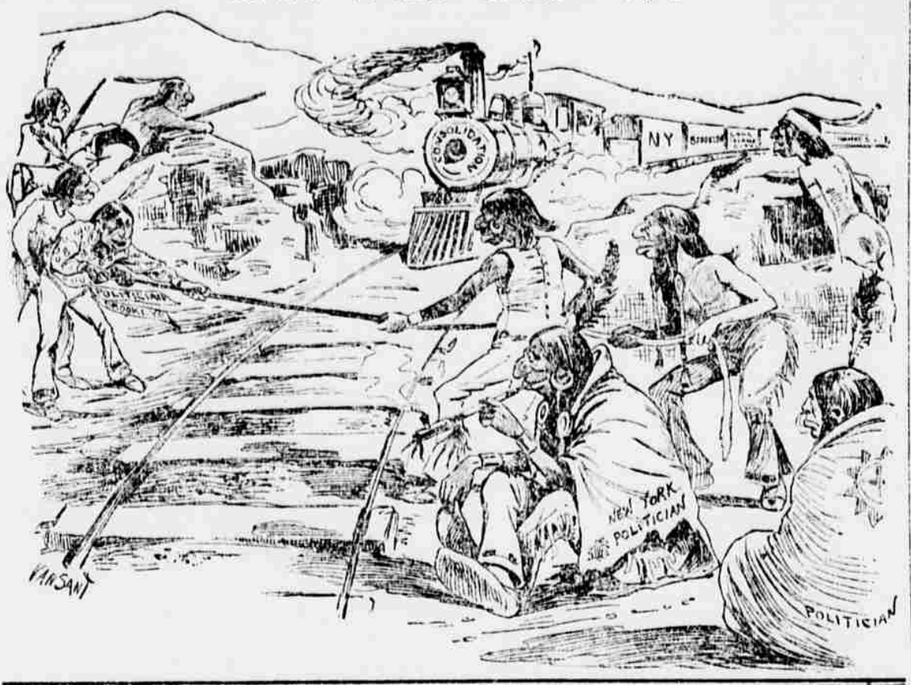

PAZLIARO AND WIFE IN JAIL.

The Italian Girls Held by the Immigration Officials.

Col. Weber has issued orders that the four Italian girls who, it is alleged, were brought to this country by Francisco Pazliaro and his wife, Clementino, on the ship Glava, for immoral purposes, be held till Monday.

The names of the girls, all of whom are about twenty years of age and very pretty, are Fortuna Enbieni, Nicoletta Salerno, Vittoria Gantke, and Assunta Ruggiero. There is also a child about three years of age, named Rosini Bopiss, but the woman says Rosini is her daughter.

Pazliaro, his wife and the child left Ellis Island on the 10.15 boat this morning, and were arrested by Marshal Bernard as soon as they touched New York shore.

Pazliaro says he used to keep a grocery and fruit store in Italy before he came to this country. While here before he lived on One Hundred and Fifteenth street. Neither he nor his wife would say anything about the case further than to deny that they knew anything about the girls.

One of the officers recognized the couple as having been the proprietors of a disorderly house in Harlem which Capt. Westervelt once raided.

In the man's luggage was found half a dozen pairs of fancy gold house shoes and a lot of women's wearing apparel.

The girls will be brought to the city Monday and have these things tried on.

Pazliaro, besides having a large amount of fine jewelry, had about $600 in his pockets. The couple were taken before Commissioner Shields and remanded to Ludlow street jail until Monday in default of $3,000 bail.

PROF. VON BISSLER SENT TO JAIL.

Well-Known Brooklyn Music Teacher Held for Grand Larceny.

Wolfgang von Bissler, aged twenty-four, of 17 Central avenue, Williamsburg, a music teacher for families of the highest standing in Brooklyn, and Frank S. Plister, who keeps a restaurant at the corner of Flushing and Central avenues, Williamsburg, were taken to King's County jail to-day to await trial.

Plister is held for interfering with Court Officer Train when he arrested Von Bissler.

Thomas Willert, of 772 Grand street, Williamsburg, is being sued by a young woman, Josephine Smith, for breach of promise. He says that he was induced by Von Bissler to give the latter $100, all the cash he had, that the night's avoid responsibility, and that he has been unable to recover his money.

The case was called before Justice Watson in the Ewen Street Police Court, but when Officer Train explained how Plister had interfered the magistrate refused to accept his bond as surety for Von Bissler and sent them both to jail.

DR. CECIL ARRESTED.

A Glenham Hotel Guest in Jefferson Market Court.

Dr. Thomas Cecil, who lives at the Glenham Hotel, 27th avenue and Twenty-second street, was a prisoner in Jefferson Market Police Court this morning.

He was held in $200 to answer a charge of practising without a license.

The representative of the New York Medical Society who made the charge did not claim that Cecil was not a physician.

Cecil had a diploma from a Cincinnati medical college, and said he had practised in India, where he was physician to a Rajah.

He intended starting on his return to India to-day.

The Medical Society sent a woman to the Glenham Hotel the other day and Dr. Cecil prescribed for her. On her evidence he was arrested.

The proprietor of the Glenham hotel signed the doctor's bail bond.

Polly Frisch to Be Freed To-Day.

Polly Frisch, who was sent to prison for life for murdering her husband and two children in Genesee County, is to be liberated from the Kings County Penitentiary this afternoon. She has served thirty-three years, and was pardoned by Gov. Flower.

Contractor Sent to an Asylum.

NEW ROCHELLE, N. Y., Dec. 10.—Sylvester D. Hill, formerly a well-known Government contractor, has been sent to the Asylum for the Insane at Middletown, Conn. Mr. Hill furnished the stone for the Execution Lighthouse, near here.

Mount Vernon's Electric Road.

MOUNT VERNON, Dec. 10.—The second day of the voting on the question of giving the franchise to build an electric railroad through the city is now in progress. The chances are that the Union company will be successful. The election is to all the sense of the people for the gain of the Aldermen.

Wilson Barrett's Leading Lady Here.

Miss Maud Elmore, leading lady in Wilson Barrett's company, arrived this morning on the steamer City of Chester from Liverpool.

To drive a cough from the system use Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup. It never fails.

THIS STATUE STORY TOO LATE.

Not Likely That the Rehan's Hopes Will Be Stranded on This Beach.

BOSTON, Dec. 10.—A special from Chicago says Mrs. A. L. Beach, of Montana, has finally been chosen instead of Miss Ada Rehan for a model for the silver statue of Justice.

Mrs. Beach is said to be now studying for the stage in Chicago. She is reported as the wife of a Helena (Mont.) lumberman, and to have been chosen as the model from her photographs, submitted to the committee with those of seven other applicants for the honor.

This story is not regarded with a great degree of credence in New York. The suspicion is expressed in some quarters that it will figure later among the lore announcements of an aspiring theatrical debutante.

As the contract for the statue has been let, and as Miss Rehan has herself acknowledged that she is the chosen model, while the designer and other interested parties have been heard from to the same effect, there does not seem to be a great deal of room for the Chicago yarn on the ground floor of general credibility.

MRS. CLEVELAND COMES TO TOWN

To Visit Her Mother in Buffalo Before Returning to Lakewood.

LAKEWOOD, Dec. 10.—Mrs. Cleveland, with Baby Ruth and the nurse, left this morning for New York. They took the 8.30 train and will not return for several days.

Mrs. Cleveland will spend several days in New York and go to Buffalo to visit her mother.

Afterwards she will return to Lakewood to spend the greater part of the Winter, not going to New York finally until within a few days of the time when she will start for Washington.

M'LAUGHLIN IS INCURABLE.

The Bridge Jumper Will Be Sent to Ward's Island.

Daniel McLaughlin, who jumped from the Brooklyn Bridge Thursday afternoon, will probably be sent to Ward's Island Monday.

Dr. Douglas, when seen this morning at the insane pavilion at Bellevue Hospital, said that McLaughlin had what is probably an incurable mania.

He is still possessed of the delusion that men are after him to murder him. He was much calmer this morning than yesterday, however.

McLaughlin's wife, who has been visiting him daily, was with him this morning. His mother, who was expected to-day, did not come to the Hospital.

JUDGE J. T. SHIPMAN DEAD.

Aged New Jersey Jurist Passes Away at Belvidere.

BELVIDERE, N. J., Dec. 10.—Judge J. T. Shipman, one of the oldest and best-known lawyers in this State, died at his home here this morning at 2 o'clock.

Judge Shipman was seventy-four years of age, and was admitted to the Bar in 1841. His father was a lawyer and the son succeeded to his practice and became one of the ablest criminal lawyers in the State. He leaves a widow and three children. Death was caused by Bright's disease. The funeral will be held Tuesday afternoon.

Kansas Populists to Submit.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

TOPEKA, Kan., Dec. 10.—The Populist conference, which has been in session here, has closed, and, contrary to all expectations, no radical measures were decided upon. Congressman Hudson, Congressman-elect from the third district, says: "We do not really expect to organize the house, although we think that we have the moral right to do it. The Peoples party is a democratic party and we will not do anything to hurt it. The Republican party cannot stand up very long under the crookedness of the Board of Canvassers, and our people propose to do what is right, even if we are temporary losers."

Once a New York Hotel Man.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

SARATOGA, Dec. 10.—Louis H. Janvrin, formerly one of the proprietors of the United States Hotel in this village, died at his home in North Broadway last evening of paralysis, with which he been an invalid for seven years. He was a steward at the Fifth Avenue Hotel, New York, and a member of the firm of Janvrin & Walsh, conducting the Albemarle Hotel in the same city. He was fifty-two years of age and a brother of Dr. J. A. Janvrin, of New York.

Why Cough? Relief Is Guaranteed.

BIKER'S EXPECTORANT, which costs but 50 cents a bottle, cures any cough, any cold; price refunded if it does not. All druggists, or at Biker's, 22d st. and 6th ave.

WEDDED AT A POORHOUSE.

Turkey Dinner to Celebrate the Farm Foreman's Nuptials.

HACKETTSTOWN, N. J., Dec. 10.—At the Warren County Poorhouse yesterday Miss Christian Beers, a comely maid of eighteen, and John Murphy, foreman of the farm and late of New York, were married.

The County Board of Freeholders and the Attorney of the Board and Clerk Fisher were present.

The Judges of the Circuit Court sent their regrets with a handsome silver present.

Clerk Fisher acted as best man and Attorney Harris and Director Cuttler, of this place, were ushers.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Campbell, of Danville.

Several Turkeys were slaughtered and the paupers enjoyed a high old time. Some of the colored inmates danced the Virginia reel in plantation style and sang plantation songs. The bride and groom left for New York, where they will spend the honeymoon.

M'ALLISTER IS FOUND ASLEEP.

He Hails from Chicago and Compliments New York's Police.

Policeman Henry Cohen, of the Fourteenth Precinct, found Frank McAllister, a well-dressed, middle-aged man asleep in a doorway in the Bowery. He had a big roll of bills in his pockets and a gold watch and chain.

In Essex Market Court to-day he said:

"I'm McAllister, of Chicago, and I came to this town yesterday with a carload of horses.

"You have mighty good policemen here, I'll say that," he added. "This man Cohen took care of me or I might have been robbed in that place called the nowery."

Justice Hogan lectured McAllister and let him go.

A VERDICT FOR $10,000.

John Norris Wins His Suit Against the B. C. RR. Co.

John Norris was this morning given a verdict for $10,000 against the Brooklyn City Railroad Company. The suit was tried before Judge Clement in the City Court, Brooklyn. Norris was riding on a Myrtle avenue car last January, when the platform broke down and he was injured about the back.

Spinal disease developed, and the man will be helpless for life. He was brought into court on a stretcher while the trial was in progress. He sued for $50,000 damages.

ELIAS RUBEN MISSING.

Went Out to Look for Work and Did Not Return.

Elias Ruben, an Austrian house-painter, twenty-eight years of age, is missing.

He lived with his wife and a five-year-old daughter at 231 Broome street. Tuesday morning he went to look for work and has not returned.

Ruben had brown hair, gray eyes, and was about 5 feet tall. He was dressed in a gray suit, with a brown overcoat and brown derby hat.

President Kingsbury Dead.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

BOSTON, Dec. 10.—President L. H. Kingsbury, of the Dedham, Mass., National Bank, who was struck by a runaway team in Post-Office Square Wednesday, died last evening. He was seventy-nine years old and had been Town Treasurer of Dedham since 1862.

The Reputation Maintained for 53 Years.
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HEAVEN OR HELL?

Is Dr. Talmage right in his view of Russia?

If so, what is to be said of the absolutely true story of the horrors of the Siberian Lead Mines to be told in the

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LA BRETAGNE'S SMASH

The French Liner Badly Damaged by Crashing Into a Pier.

She Will Be Unable to Go to Sea for Ten Days.

Her Mails and Some Passengers Transferred to Aurania.

The big French liner La Bretagne crashed into the new dock, No. 35, at the foot of Franklin street, at 8.15 o'clock this morning completely demolishing the pier and causing damage to the steamship that will keep her in dock for repairs at least ten days.

La Bretagne left her dock, pier 42, North River, at 8 o'clock and backed out into the stream. One of the pilots of boat No. 22 was in charge.

There was a strong ebb tide, and when the pilot got far enough into the stream to cross the river he ordered the ship to be sent ahead at full speed.

Capt. Collier told the pilot that he could not make the turn.

The ship kept drifting rapidly towards shore in making the turn. The pilot then saw that he had made a mistake and rang the bell to back the vessel.

It was too late, however, and the enormous prow of the ship struck the dock about in the middle, cutting through the great five-inch yellow pine and spruce timbers as cleanly as a saw and breaking the piles off like reeds.

In backing out the dock was also badly splintered, and the whole wharf was knocked twelve feet out of plumb.

Three wagons, one a furniture van of Morgan & Bro. and two trucks belonging to George V. Hecker, with their horses, were on the end of the pier. The shock nearly threw them into the water.

They were cut off from communication with the shore, and remained on the end of the pier for several hours before a temporary bridge was constructed to take them off.

At the other side of the pier the steamboat sea bird was moored. Some of the planks were hurled through her side, cutting a hole ten feet in diameter.

There was a panic among her passengers until it was seen that she was not hurt on her water line. She was able to proceed up the river at 11 o'clock.

La Bretagne continued down the stream for some distance after she backed out from the wreck, but with two big holes in her bow, from which some of the wharf planks were protruding. Capt. Collier decided it was best to put back to the pier and have the vessel overhauled.

It was found that ten of La Bretagne's plates were broken and some of her ribs, deckbeams and stanchions smashed. Other damage may be discovered after a more careful examination.

Eighteen of La Bretagne's passengers and all the mails were at once transferred to the Cunarder Aurania, which sailed at 10 o'clock, one passenger left on the North-German Lloyd steamer Werra.

There were 500 steerage passengers on board La Bretagne and fifty-five cabin passengers. Some of these will leave on the Bretagne.

Supt. West, of the French line, said the damage could not yet be estimated in dollars. It would be fully ten days, he thought, before La Bretagne could put to sea, and probably longer.

The damaged pier was a new one. It had only been finished a few months. The covered portion, of which the damaged part is an extension, is leased by the Ramsdell line of freight steamboats to Newburg. The new extension cost $17,000.

The entire pier having been forced over twelve feet out of line, it will have to be entirely pulled up and rebuilt, which according to one of the Dock Commissioners will cost all of $25,000.

The damage to the Sea Bird will amount to several hundred dollars, and a lot of freight on the pier, of unknown value, was thrown overboard and destroyed. The loss to the Ramsdell line will also be quite heavy.

RECEIVER RESTRAINED.

More Litigation Over the Houston and Texas Central.

Information was received here to-day from Washington, D. C., that Justice Lamar, of the Supreme Court of the United States, on application of Eppa Hunton, David Gerber and Russell Landale, representing the minority stockholders of the Houston and Texas Central Railway, had granted an order restraining the receiver from delivering the railway to the reorganized Company pending appeal.

Thought He Was a Corpse.

Jeremiah Tyrrell, thirty-five years old, was, in Harlem Police Court this morning, committed for examination as to his sanity. When brought in court this morning he confessed to Officer Rose that he had been dead three days and was, in short, a corpse.

One More Cigarette Victim.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

ELMIRA, Dec. 10.—Bart Russell, a young man twenty years of age, residing in Corning, died yesterday. It is said, from excessive cigarette smoking. He is said to have used from two to three packages a day.

Fought to Read a Newspaper.

During a fight in the lodging-house 88 Bowery this morning over the possession of a newspaper John Kelly struck Daniel Greer in the face, cutting his nose and ear. Kelly was held for trial.

Sued the Preacher for Flowers.

Ex-Alderman and Florist John Morris has, by legal proceedings, recovered from Rev. Dr. R. Winchester Donald, who succeeded Phillips Brooks in the pulpit of Trinity Church, Boston, the sum of $11.98, which Dr. Donald has owed Mr. Morris for flowers for nearly two years.

Wire News in Brief.

Rev. Lemuel H. Wells will be consecrated Episcopal Bishop of Washington, Wash., at Trinity Church, New Haven, N. Y., Friday.

Thomas Weinesing, a member of the firm of Bruce, Weinesing & Hirschel, has fled from Chicago about $20,000 short in his accounts.

The cyclone that passed over Jackson County, Tex., Choctaw Nation, blew down a house, killed by a woman and could not find Wallace, and both were cremated.

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No medicine chest complete without it in Winter.