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Unending Midwinter Distress in Poor Families.

Heart-Touching Stories of Suffering Women and Children.

Contributions Received and Disbursed by "The Evening World" Relief Corps.

Contributions to "The Evening World" Temporary Relief Fund are acknowledged as follows:

Previously acknowledged	$1,597.82
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A. H. F.	1.00
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Grand total	$1,636.82

Contributions of money should be addressed to the "Temporary Relief Fund, Cashier of The World."

Contributions of clothing, provisions and the like should be addressed to "Room 63, Pulitzer Building."

No personal applications will be received at this office. All cases brought to notice by communications to the editor will be carefully investigated. Where more than temporary relief is needed the cases will be referred to the proper authorities.

A pretty letter comes from the "six little Adamses, of Melrose," along with their combined gift of $2, and clothing, patched and mended and buttoned and buttonholed by their own dimpled fingers, and Herbert Ray, a business boy, of Brooklyn, writes to tell how he celebrated his thirteenth birthday, not with a party, but with a magic lantern show at five cents admission, and realized $2 for the relief of the poor; but space will not permit of the letters being printed.

F. B. Cuthbert, of the clover club, found a golden and bejewelled bracelet a week ago last night, and he proposes that his find shall be given an opportunity to do some good in the world. Mr. Cuthbert has left the bracelet, a dainty affair, set with diamonds and pearls, in the care of the city editor of "The Evening World" with the understanding that any reward given for its return to the owner shall be applied to "The Evening World" Temporary Relief Fund.

The owner may appear, and, by describing the bracelet, prove property and receive the lost ornament at "The Evening World" editorial rooms.

Come now, gallant, generous "best fellow" of the lovely girl whose shapely wrist that hekle clasp let go on Monday last. Come forward, tell the fair lady's name, describe the jewel and receive it for its owner. You need pay no reward unless you feel inclined thus to help along some poor, worn and weary daughter of Eve who wears no bracelet save the hard creases worn in her flesh by toil, who owns no jewel save that of love for her children.

This bracelet was found in Broadway, near Twenty-third street, Feb. 20.

"One of Many" neglected to send her address to the editor of "The Evening World."

AID WHERE AID IS NEEDED.

Disbursements of "The Evening World" Temporary Relief Fund.

Following are reports in condensed form from members of "The Evening World" Relief Corps:

Thomas T——, West Forty-first street; out of work over a year, because of a broken leg; has three children and wife. Given $4.

Mrs. Eva S——, West Thirty-ninth street; has four children and unemployed husband. Given $3.

Mrs. A. H——, West Twenty-seventh street; widow, with three children; is an invalid and very needy. Given $3.

Mrs. M. S——, West Thirtieth street; widow, suffering from chronic rheumatism and very needy. Given $3.

Mrs. McG——, West Thirty-second street; widow, supports herself by sewing, but out of work. Given $3.

Mrs. R——, Spring street; has invalid husband, out of work three months, and two children. Given $3.

Mrs. M. I——, West Seventeenth street; husband out of work three months, and has four children. Given $3.

Mrs. B——, West Twentieth street; widow, sick in bed and very destitute. Given $4.

Mrs. M. R——, West Thirty-ninth street; widow, with one child; owes four months' rent. Given $3.

Mrs. B——, Monroe street; widow, with three children. Given clothing.

Mrs. Winifred M——, Batavia street; widow, old and feeble. Given clothing.

Mrs. Kate A——, Pearl street; has unemployed husband and three children. Given clothing.

Mrs. Mary D——, Hester street; widow with three children. Given clothing.

Mrs. Margaret L——, Pearl street; has husband out of work and in needy condition. Given clothing.

Mrs. Mary McL——, New Chambers street; widow, with one daughter and two grandchildren. Given clothing.

Mrs. Ellen D——, Batavia street; has unemployed husband and three children. Given clothing.

Mrs. Ellen M——, New Chambers street; widow, with small child. Given clothing.

Mrs. Mary S——, New Chambers street; husband out of work and has three children. Given clothing.

Mrs. Carrie A——, Batavia street; husband out of work. Given clothing.

Mrs. Kate T——, Gouverneur street; husband in hospital, and has four children. Given $2 and clothing.

Mrs. Bridget B——, Graham street, Brooklyn; husband out of work, and has four children. Given clothing.

Mrs. R. M——, Front street; washerwoman, with crippled husband. Given clothing.

Mrs. Margaret N——, East Forty-fifth street; widow, with unemployed son; behind in rent and destitute. Given $3.

POINTERS ON THE RACES.

Large Fields and an Absence of "Airtight Cinches" To-Day.

The Mile Handicap the Crack Event—Morning Betting.

A very fair programme will be run off at Guttenburg this afternoon. The fields are large and well made up, and there are no "airtight cinches" visible in any one of the six races.

Every event should furnish an interesting contest, and betting should be brisk and heavy.

The mile handicap is the best race on the card. Lester carries top weight of 109 pounds and concedes from ten to fifteen pounds to Panway, Fagot, Kerry Gow and Virgie.

The three-year-olds are a good lot, and should make a pretty contest.

In the fifth race, at four and a half furlongs, no less than eleven are entered, including Van S., Capulin, Carnalite, Larkin, Unrest colt, Kindness filly and Pearl filly.

Eleven also start in the last event, and ten are named to go in the opening dash.

The track will be in fair shape.

The entries and selections, together with the betting as quoted in the poolrooms this morning, are:

First Race—Purse $400, of which $50 to second and $25 to third; the winner to be sold at auction; six furlongs.

	Weight	Betting
Gray Rock	107	4 to 1 and 7 to 5
Home Run	101	8 to 1 and 2 to 1
Ben March	101	6 to 1 and 2 to 1
Nativity	98	2 to 1 and 4 to 1
Tammany Hall	98	10 to 1 and 4 to 1
Bob V.	96	8 to 5 and 4 to 5
Villa Maria	96	3 to 1 and even
Shy Ellen	96	6 to 1 and 2 to 1
Jack Batchelor	95	10 to 1 and 4 to 1
Narbonne colt	95	10 to 1 and 4 to 1

The opening event may be won by Nativity, with Bob V. second and Shy Ellen not worse than third.

Second Race—Purse $400, of which $50 to second and $25 to third; the winner to be sold at auction; five and a half furlongs.

	Weight	Betting
Rappaht	107	6 to 1 and 2 to 1
Salisbury	105	6 to 1 and 2 to 1
I. O. U.	104	8 to 5 and 3 to 5
Polydora	102	even and out
Manhattan	102	6 to 1 and 2 to 1
Iden	100	10 to 1 and 4 to 1
Midget	95	6 to 1 and 2 to 1

Polydora ought to win this race easily enough and Salisbury should be second. I. O. U. may beat the others.

Third Race—Purse $400, of which $50 to second and $25 to third; for two-year-olds; the winner to be sold at auction; six furlongs.

	Weight	Betting
Rightaway	112	2 to 1 and 4 to 5
Lester	110	8 to 1 and 3 to 1
Eleanor	103	3 to 1 and even
Gallery	102	6 to 1 and 2 to 1
Fagot	98	7 to 1 and 3 to 1
Lady Mary	91	7 to 5 and 1 to 2

Lady Mary should have no trouble in capturing this race, and Rightaway may be the runner-up. Mary S. may be third.

Fourth Race—Handicap; purse $500, of which $50 to second and $25 to third; one mile.

	Weight	Betting
Inferno	109	even and out
Kerry Gow	99	6 to 1 and 2 to 1
Panway	99	6 to 1 and 2 to 1
Fagot	97	2 to 1 and 4 to 5
Virgie	94	4 to 1 and 7 to 5

Lester and Panway look to have this race between them, and they ought to finish as named. Fagot may beat the others.

Fifth Race.—Purse $400, of which $50 to second and $25 to third; winner to be sold at auction; four and a half furlongs.

	Weight.	Betting.
Tivoli Grand	109	10 to 1 and 4 to 1
La Favorita boy	108	10 to 1 and 4 to 1
Detaulter	105	10 to 1 and 4 to 1
Sam	103	6 to 1 and 2 to 1
Capulin	101	6 to 1 and 2 to 1
Carnalite	98	6 to 1 and 2 to 1
Longard	97	10 to 1 and 4 to 1
Unrest colt	94	6 to 1 and 2 to 1
Larkin	90	3 to 1 and even
Kindness filly	89	6 to 1 and 2 to 1
Pearl filly	85	6 to 1 and 2 to 1

The Unrest colt ran a good race when last out, and he may be able to win this event to-day. Kindness filly and Larkin may fight it out for the place, with the chances in favor of the former.

Sixth Race—Purse $400, of which $50 to second and $25 to third; the winner to be sold at auction; seven furlongs.

	Weight	Betting
Climax	110	8 to 5 and 3 to 5
Relief	108	3 to 2 and even
Van Wart	107	10 to 1 and 4 to 1
Bolivar	107	6 to 1 and 4 to 1
Sweetbread	98	6 to 1 and 2 to 1
Early Dawn	94	15 to 1 and 5 to 1
Fortunatus	98	10 to 1 and 4 to 1
Dr. Reimath	98	4 to 1 and 7 to 5
Lucy Clark	98	4 to 1 and 7 to 5
Cruise	88	8 to 1 and 3 to 1
Miss Bess	86	2 to 1 and 4 to 5

The closing event may go to Climax, with Miss Bess second and Relief not worse than third.

Morning Papers' Selections.

"A" GUTTENBURG.

First Race—Gray Rock, Ben March.
Second Race—I. O. U., Salisbury.
Third Race—Mary S., Rightaway.
Fourth Race—Lester, Panway.
Fifth Race—Unrest colt, Van S.
Sixth Race—Miss Bess, Climax.

First Race—Narbonne colt, Shy Ellen.
Second Race—Polydora, I. O. U.
Third Race—Rightaway, Mary S.
Fourth Race—Lester, Panway.
Fifth Race—Van S., Kindness filly.
Sixth Race—Climax, Miss Bess.

First Race—Ben March, Bob V.
Second Race—Polydora, I. O. U.
Third Race—Rightaway, Lady Mary.
Fourth Race—Lester, Panway.
Fifth Race—Van S., Carnalite.
Sixth Race—Climax, Lucy Clark.

First Race—Ben March, Nativity.
Second Race—Polydora, I. O. U.
Third Race—Lady Mary, Mary S.
Fourth Race—Lester, Panway.
Fifth Race—Kindness filly, Carnalite.
Sixth Race—Miss Bess, Relief.

First Race—Nativity, Narbonne colt.
Second Race—I. O. U., Salisbury.
Third Race—Lady Mary, Mary S.
Fourth Race—Panway, Fagot.
Fifth Race—Van S., Kindness filly.
Sixth Race—Climax, Miss Bess.

Gloucester Selections.

First Race—Captain Wagner, Trixey Gardiner, Exotic.
Second Race—Pathway, Bingham, Roman.
Third Race—Graylock, Shamrock, Sir Lister.
Fourth Race—Lallah, Fernwood, Can't Tell.
Fifth Race—Pestilence, National, Fox Grape.
Sixth Race—Airtight, Judge Nelson, Botheration.

No Racing at Ivy City.

IVY CITY RACE TRACK, Feb. 28.—The races here to-day are postponed on account of rain.

Col. James W. Crawford Dead.

AUGUSTA, Ga., Feb. 28.—Col. James W. Crawford, popularly known as Col. Jim Crawford, one of the celebrities of the racing world, died yesterday, after an illness of several weeks. He was well known in all racing centres.

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Universally used by connoisseurs. All druggists.

MRS. BLAINE STAYS.

She Cannot Be Ejected from the New York Hotel.

Health Board Forbids the Removal of Her Sick Boy.

The Child Has Scarlet Fever and Is Isolated in the Annex.

Manager Glover, of the New York Hotel, is in a most aggravating quandary, and Mrs. James G. Blaine, jr., and her five-year-old son are alleged to be the cause of it all.

When the guests of the hotel were notified to seek other quarters, over a week ago, because of the conclusion of the new owners to close the house, Mrs. Blaine's son was sick, and therefore Manager Glover concluded to make an exception and allow her to remain a day or two beyond the time fixed to vacate, in order not to inconvenience her or expose the child to graver dangers.

The other guests departed with their belongings at the appointed time, the water and gas turned off, the carpets taken up and the furniture and fixings cleaned, oiled and put in as good coldition as possible for the auction sale, which was announced for March 16.

It had been said that the child's malady was scarlet fever; but, while the guests remained, the hotel people stoutly denied it, declaring that the boy was suffering merely from a severe cold.

Dr. Gerardus Wyncoop, physician to Col. Nevins, the father of Mrs. Blaine, and also to the child, announced a few days ago that the disease with which the little fellow was afflicted was certainly scarlet fever, but in a mild form.

In the last few days Manager Glover has developed a dread of the disease, and has requested Mrs. Blaine, who occupies apartments in the hotel annex facing on Washington Place, to move.

Mrs. Blaine, it is said, has refused to go, declaring that it would expose her child to unnecessary hardships and serious danger and she was supported in her declaration by Dr. Wyncoop.

Then it occurred to Manager Glover that possibly the hotel furniture might become infected with scarlet fever germs and that the fact of it being known that a scarlet fever patient was being kept in the house might injure the sale of the same.

Mrs. Blaine was obdurate, however, and would not move, so the Board of Health was notified and asked to remove the child.

The case was investigated by Health Board officials, and this morning Drs. Roberts and Edwards, of the Bureau of Contagious Diseases, announced that the child may remain; that it would be dangerous to remove him, and that he is already isolated, and no further precautions are necessary to prevent a spread of the contagion.

The furniture will, according to the Health Officers' orders, be thoroughly fumigated, in order to preclude all possibility of the spread of the disease by the sale of the furniture when it is finally disposed of. The physicians also say that if there were other guests in the hotel, they would order the child's removal; but under the circumstances it is not necessary.

Hence it is that Manager Glover is so deeply perplexed. Mrs. Blaine may remain, though consciously an unwelcome guest, at least until her child is recovered.

The board of Health will not interfere with the sale of the furniture.

Mrs. Blaine's meals are brought from neighboring hotels by her servants, and fresh water is brought in pails from the same source.

She has not the comfort of gas, and she keeps vigil by the bed of her little son by the light of tapers and candles.

She seems content, however, to submit to the lack of all these conveniences, and expresses a determination to remain in spite of Manager Glover until the child's condition will permit her to move, and in view of the decision of the Board of Health Mr. Glone has no alternative but to submit.

Col. and Mrs. Nevins have taken apartments uptown.

ONE OF THE SKELETONS A THIEF.

He Squandered Part of His Booty on "Black Crook" Girls.

Luther Smith, a seventeen-year-old boy, was held in the Harlem Police Court this morning, for examination on a charge of robbing the firm of Hilton, Hughes & Co.

Smith has recently been playing the part of one of the skeletons in the "Black Crook," but was formerly employed by the dry-goods firm, and used to ride around in the delivery wagon as an assistant.

He was discharged after the holidays, but during his leisure time he has been riding around with his old friends in the firm's wagons. Last Saturday he went out with Henry Falk and John Ahearn, both of whom got out at the West One Hundred and Twenty-second street to deliver a package, leaving Smith alone in the wagon.

When they came back Smith was gone, and also a package of lace curtains addressed to Mrs. Cameron, 407 St. Nicholas avenue, C. O. D. $28.12. The boy went to that place, delivered the curtains and received the money, with which he bought a $14 suit of clothes and then went uowntown and spent the rest of the money with the girls of the "Black Crook" company.

When arrested last night he confessed his guilt.

SISKIND HELD FOR BURGLARY.

He Gave a Stolen Jacket to His Colored Sweetheart.

Jacob Siskind, nineteen years old, of 2317 First avenue, was held in the Harlem Police Court this morning for burglary. He broke into the cellar of Max Heinrich, a dyer, of 528 East One Hundred and Seventeenth street, last Saturday night and, making his way upstairs, stole an overcoat and a lady's jacket.

The former he pawned and the latter he gave to Nellie Jones, a mulatto, living at 248 East Ninety-seventh street. He was arrested at the house of the woman last night by Detective McClave, of the East One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street squad.

400 PERSONS HOMELESS.

Fire Destroys Twenty Wooden Buildings at Pocahontas, Va.

POCAHONTAS, Va., Feb. 28.—A fire broke out in this city about midnight, which left about 400 people homeless and caused a loss of nearly $60,000.

The origin of the fire is unknown. It started in the centre of the town and twenty wooden buildings were entirely destroyed. The insurance is about $20,000.

The loss will materially injure the progress of the place, although many of the people will rebuild at once. Among the buildings burned are several stores.

A Man Who Smokes
is the best judge. No cigarettes have ever reached the popularity of the "OLD DOMINION CIGARETTE." Photo in each package.

$80,000 IN FLAMES.

Stubborn Fire in Norman L. Munro's Publishing House.

Three Top Floors of the Big Building Gutted.

About 250 People Thrown Out of Employment Temporarily.

The three upper floors of Norman L. Munro's publishing house, at 24-26 Vandewater street, were gutted this morning by fire. The loss will aggregate about $75,000 or $80,000, and 250 people are temporarily thrown out of employment.

The building is a seven-story brick structure, with a mansard roof, and adjoins Grammar School No. 1. It runs back 100 feet to Schultz alley, a narrow thoroughfare running off Hague street.

The fire broke out about 6.15 o'clock, and, although there were two watchmen in the building, it is said they knew nothing of the fire until after the alarm was sent out.

Publishers Munro occupied the first, second, third, fifth and seventh floors. The offices are on the ground floor, and the presses are on the second and third. The fourth story is occupied by the Raisbeck Electrotype Company, and Henry Fortelyou & Co., book-binders, have the sixth story. The eighth floor was used as a composing room by William C. Dunn, a printer, employing two sets of compositors. The night force of fifty men had just left the building when the fire broke out. Had the outbreak occurred a little earlier, many lives might have been lost.

The fire started on the seventh story, which was used as a store room, and was first seen by the driver of a produce wagon, who was coming across the bridge. He noticed the flames, and whipped up his horse.

When he reached this side, he told Policeman Whitehurst, of the Oak street station, who was in Park Row, that Miller's building was on fire. He knew it was Munro's, because he could see the big sign of "Family Story Paper" on the roof.

Whitehurst ran down to make sure, and saw flames bursting from the seventh floor windows. He quickly sent an alarm from the box on the corner of Frankfort and Pearl streets. When the firemen got there, huge clouds of smoke were pouring from the upper windows, and it was evident that a fierce fire was raging.

The second alarm was despatched, and this was followed soon after by a third. The flames spread rapidly from the seventh story down to the floor below, and up to the top.

The fire was a most obstinate one, and gave the firemen a great deal of hard work. It was impossible to send men up through the building to cut an opening in the roof, and the water congealed immediately it struck the iron of the fire-escapes, making it extremely hazardous for the firemen who clambered up the rungs with lines of hose.

At 7 o'clock a fourth alarm was sent out. From the fire-escapes of George Munro's building, which is right across the way, the firemen directed a powerful stream into the top floor. Battalion Chief McGill took his men into the rear of the building, in Schultz alley, and dragged lines of hose up the stairs as far as the sixth story, where they were able to get within reach of the flames and play into the fire. Lines of hose were put up on the roof of the schoolhouse and also on the roof of Schultz, Innis & Co.'s building, south of the Munro building, and from these points streams of water were turned into the flames.

Finally, about 7.30 o'clock, the fire was got under control. The building was flooded with water, but, owing to the excellent work of the insurance patrolmen, the contents of the lower floors were saved from serious damage.

By 8 o'clock, when the fire was completely extinguished, a large number of the people employed in the building had assembled, including fifty young girls. Some of them tittered and regarded the fire as a welcome opportunity for a vacation, but the majority turned away, saddened by the thoughts of prospective wages lost.

The manuscripts for Norman L. Munro's numerous publications were in a safe on the top floor. Mr. Munro's chief concern was for the safe, as, should that be destroyed, the manuscript of every continued story now running in his periodicals would have to be rewritten by the authors.

The building was erected by Mr. Munro in 1883. It was insured for $40,000, and on the stock a like amount was carried.

The loss is estimated at about $20,000 on the building and $60,000 on the contents.

Although the fire caused the closing of Grammar School No. 1 for the day, Evening School No. 1, of which Mr. J. F. Darling is principal, will open this evening as usual.

HIS CHECK PROTESTED.

George F. Otis, twenty-three, who says he is a resident of Lowell, Mass., was a prisoner in Jefferson Market Police Court this morning, charged with uttering forged checks. His alleged victim is Julius Hausmann, a young medical student residing at the Coleman House.

The two met some days ago at the Hoffman House and played pool together. Otis said that he was embarrassed because he could get no one to cash his checks, which were sent to him by his father.

Hausmann agreed to assist him, and that night Otis shared Hausmann's room at the Coleman. The next morning Mr. Hausmann induced Landlord Pearson to cash a check for Otis for $107, drawn on the Merchants' National Bank, of Lawrence, Mass., payable to George D. Otis & Co. and signed Amos Hall & Co.

Two or three days later the landlord cashed another for $100 drawn in the same way.

On Saturday the first check came back protested, but nothing has been heard of the second. Hausmann was obliged to make good to Mr. Pearson, and yesterday he complained to the police.

In Otis's possession, when arrested, were found a lot of losing tickets on the race-, two checks for $100 and one for $75, made precisely like the two cashed by Mr. Pearson. He also had a book full of blank checks.

Justice Voorhis held Otis for trial in $1,000 bail.

HIGHWAY ROBBERY CHARGED.

Henry Devine, of 96 Bayard street, and George W. Connors, of 332 Broome street, both about thirty years of age, were this morning arraigned in the Tombs Police Court before Justice White charged by detectives Dunn and Murphy with highway robbery.

No testimony was taken and the prisoners were remanded back to Police Headquarters.

Inspector McLaughlin says he is not yet ready to tell the story of the crime.

DEATH IN THE DANUBE.

Many Residents of Gergely in Hungary Perish in the Floods.

Overtaken by the Swelling Waters as They Fled from Their Homes.

River Way Above the Normal Level and Another Town in Danger.

VIENNA, Feb. 28.—A terrible calamity has overtaken the village of Gergely, near the town of Paks, in Hungary, situated on the River Danube, about sixty miles south of Buda.

Owing to a sudden rise of the Danube the 1,600 inhabitants of Gergely found the mud huts in which they lived surrounded by waste waters. The frail dwellings gradually yielded before the furious current, which was continually rising, and the people took refuge in the church and school which were constructed of stronger materials, hoping that these buildings would be able to hold out against the flood.

The people, led by their pastor, offered up earnest prayers for safety, and mothers and children clung to the altar, beseeching the intercession of the saints. They saw their homes disappearing in the raging stream, and the swelling waters began to beat against the church and school building with such fury that at last they decided that to remain would mean the destruction of all of them, while if they fled some at least might escape.

Opening the doors they started out into the flood, which surged nearly to the waist of the grown-up people. Fathers and mothers carried their children, and the sick and feeble were helped along by those who were stronger. They fled as fast as they could in the direction of Paks, the swift and boiling waters pursuing them, as it were, in their flight.

One mother, with five children, sank in the waters and perished. Many others, the number of whom is as yet unknown, were drowned in the flood, and the survivors reach Paks in a most deplorable condition.

The people of Paks gave the fugitives all the succor possible, although deeply concerned for their own safety, as the Danube is twenty feet above its normal height.

Nothing can be done towards recovering the bodies of those who have perished until the river retires within its usual channel, and it is believed that many have been swept many miles away. There is no doubt, however, that the number of the dead is very large.

IN THE LATEST FRENCH DUEL.

It Was Lissagaray, Not Dumontell, Who Was Wounded.

PARIS, Feb. 28.—In the duel yesterday with Deputy Dumontell, M. Lissagaray received a sword wound in the side.

The report that Deputy Dumontell was wounded was incorrect.

Leon Dumontell is the Boulangist Deputy from the Department of Aisne. M. Prosper Olivier Lissagary is the well-known journalist, who has had experience before in duelling and an imprisonment on account of his utterances.

Cheers for the Suggestion that France Finish the Panama Canal.

PARIS, Feb. 28.—M. Thielaut lectured to an immense audience last evening in the Cirque d'Ete on the Panama Canal, its past and present and its future prospects.

The speaker urged that the French Government should make an annual grant of from five to ten millions of francs for operations on the canal until the work should be completed.

The audience, which included many members of the Panama Committee, applauded with great enthusiasm M. Thielaut's suggestion.

Sexton Elected President of the Irish National Federation.

BELFAST, Feb. 28.—At a meeting of the National Federation yesterday evening, Thomas Sexton, M. P. for North Kerry and formerly M. P. for West Belfast, was elected President. The meeting adopted resolutions thanking Mr. Gladstone for his Home-Rule bill, and condemning, as the resolutions stated it, the attempt of Lord Salisbury to incite the Orangemen to outrage and riot in opposition to Irish Home Rule.

Clemenceau Denies that He Gave De Lesseps Certain Advice.

PARIS, Feb. 28.—M. Clemenceau denies the truth of the statement in yesterday's Figaro, to the effect that Charles de Lesseps had stated to M. Franqueville, the Examining Magistrate, that he, Clemenceau, had advised De Lesseps to yield to the demands of Cornelius Herz and the late Baron Reinach.

TO BE JUDGE ABBETT NOW.

Nominated by Gov. Werts, and His Confirmation Is Expected.

TRENTON, N. J., Feb. 28.—The nomination by Gov. Werts, of ex-Gov. Leon Abbett to be an Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of New Jersey is considered by politicians to be tantamount to an absolute withdrawal from politics by Gov. Abbett. It is understood that all opposition to his confirmation to the bench has been overcome.

Ex-Gov. Abbett has been very active in New Jersey politics for thirty years. He was Governor two terms, but has been defeated in all attempts to gain the United States Senatorship. The term of a Supreme court Justice is seven years, and the salary $10,000 a year.

Wants $25,000 for a Lynched Husband.

CHATTANOOGA, Feb. 28.—The widow of Alfred Blount, the negro who was lynched here some days ago, has instituted civil proceedings against the Sheriff of the county to recover $25,000 damages. She alleges that her husband was not properly protected from a mob and that he was not guilty of the crime with which he was charged.

The safest means of getting rid of a bad cough is Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup.

LAUNCHING OF THE INDIANA.

The Battleship Slides Into the Delaware's Embrace To-Day.

Jessie Miller, the Daughter of the Attorney-General, the Christener.

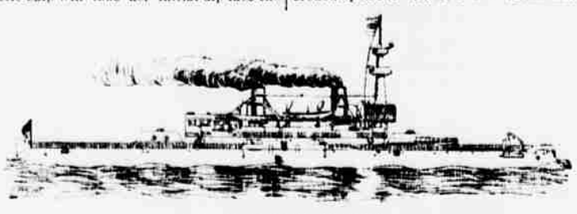
PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 28.—All is ready for the launching of the Indiana, and the great battle-ship will take her initial dip into the waters of the Delaware to-day at about twenty-eight minutes before high tide, in order that all the conditions may be favorable and that the flow of the tide may swing the big hull gracefully around into the position where she is wanted while being fitted up.

The Indiana is a vessel of 10,288 tons, and is the largest ever sent out from Cramps's yard. The next largest is the cruiser New York, of 8,000 tons.

Many distinguished men in National affairs are coming up on a special train from Washington this morning, chief of whom will be President Harrison.

The President will be accompanied by Secretary of the Navy Tracy, Postmaster-General Wanamaker, Attorney-General Miller, members of the Senate and House committees on Naval Affairs, and many prominent officers of the army and navy.

The bottle of christening wine will be broken upon the cruiser's bow as she starts down the ways by Miss Jessie Miller, the daughter of Attorney-General Miller, and she will be accompanied upon the stand by a number of ladies, wives and daughters of the noted men present.



THE BATTLESHIP INDIANA.
(As it will be completed.)

RIOT OF FEMALE PRISONERS.

Blood Flows Freely in a Fight in the Chicago Jail.

Infuriated Women Subdued with Difficulty by the Guards.

CHICAGO, Feb. 28.—The colored women confined in the county jail broke over the rules of that institution yesterday afternoon, and for half an hour had the livelier sort of a riot on their hands.

The woman's department was planned to accommodate twenty inmates, but thirty-five are now confined there, of whom twenty-five were colored. About 4 o'clock the matron noticed that there was an exceedingly warm discussion going on among the colored women, the personal disputants being the notorious Flossie Moore, of South Clark street fame, and Minnie Davis, another resident of the same locality.

Suddenly the Moore woman seized a three-legged stool and struck the Davis woman over the head. The latter dropped like a log, and every woman in the section grabbed a stool. They fell upon each other like a lot of demons.

Blood flew in all directions and combatants fell in every direction.

Jailer Morris appeared with a strong force of guards and attendants, and the howling mob was pulled apart and the riot quelled. It was not without a struggle that they succeeded in pinning the war to and end, as the women fought desperately, and it required several men to overpower some of them. They were finally locked in the cells and the leaders were placed in solitary confinement.

SENDING DOLLARS TO M'KINLEY.

Trustee Kohlsaat Decides to Stop Refusing to Receive Them.

CHICAGO, Feb. 28.—Trustee H. H. Kohlsaat has practically decided to stop opposing the wishes of Major McKinley's friends and to receive whatever funds they may decide to send towards paying the $95,000 liabilities of the unfortunate Governor of Ohio.

The 1st contribution scheme met with almost uproarious approval in the Major's own State. The trustee is receiving dollars by mail, and, at first being opposed to the plan, he sent one man's contribution back.

Thereupon the contributor returned the money, with the pertinent question as to Mr. Kohlsaat's authority to reject the token of esteem. So many have now indorsed the thing further objection will probably be waived.

CHIEF RILEY REMOVED.

Thomas Carmody Now the Chief Civil-Service Examiner.

As "The Evening World" last Friday announced exclusively would be done, Chief Examiner John B. Riley, of Plattsburg, was yesterday removed by the Civil-Service Commission at Albany. His place was given to Thomas Carmody, of Penn Yan, who was particularly active against the machine in Yates county.

Yates, under the leadership of Carmody, was a strong Cleveland county. The fact that he has accepted a $4,000 a year place from the Machine is taken as proof that he will be its ally hereafter.

HOBOKEN FIREMEN INJURED.

A Factory on Jefferson Street Totally Destroyed—Loss, $40,000.

Fire broke out at 3.30 A. M. to-day in the kindling-wood factory of Isaac Ingleson, on Jefferson street, between First and Second streets, Hoboken, to which the entire Fire Department was called.

The whole establishment was burned out, and Mr. Ingleson estimates his loss at $40,000. One side of the four-story frame tenement-house adjoining the yard was burned away.

William McGrath, foreman, and Simon Nodyne, driver of No. 3 engine, were injured by a falling wall. The latter was hurt seriously.

The fire is supposed to have originated in the boiler-room.

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the recognized cigarette of New York, sold in all first-class places not controlled by a trust.

A RARE BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY.—To Lease, from 10 to 30 years, building at northeast corner of Ann st. and Park Row; forty feet on Park Row, sixty feet on Ann st. Possession May 1. Address S. S. C., room 81, Pulitzer Building.

POULTRY SHOW AT THE GARDEN

Roosters and Hens of Fine Feather Put on Exhibition To-Day.

Chance for All to Admire and Learn About the Barnyard Fowl.

The scene at the Madison Square Garden has changed, and the cackle and crow of hens and roosters have taken the place of the yelping and howling of dogs.

For a week feathered excellence in the shape of 4,300 barnyard and fancy fowls will be on view.

The fourth annual exhibition of the New York Poultry and Pigeon Association opened this morning with a flourish.

"There are several people in this big town whose ideas of poultry are limited to the cold and flabby bodies they see flabed up from a barrel of chopped ice and strung along in front of the market stalls.

Possibly some of them may have seen live hens poking their heads from between the slats of the crates in which they have made a long journey by rail to be sold as something exceedingly choice in the live poultry line.

Those people would do well to pay a visit to the show just opened and learn something.

The average New Yorker will laugh to scorn the statement that one rooster could be worth as much as a high-stepping hackney horse, but there are several birds for which $1,00 is the price asked by their owners.

The show this year by far surpasses any previous one. The entries are larger, and the management has spared no expense to make it attractive. The utmost care is given to the sanitary condition of the coops and cages, and if one's nerves are equal to the strain put upon them by the unlimited efforts of over 4,000 hens, chickens, ducks and roosters to be heard, a very enjoyable day can be spent at the show.

M. BECK & SON ARE MISSING.

Their Creditors Are Anxious About Getting Money Due.

M. Beck & Son, frame manufacturers at 182 Second street and 181 Chrystie street, are missing. Numerous creditors are wondering whether they will ever be paid. The firm in departing, it is alleged, took along whatever was of any value.

Among the creditors are A. Muhsam, 7 West Broadway, representative of several Chicago firms $2,576; Dresher & Schlesinger, 4 Barclay street, over $2,000; Rochester Moulding Company, $1,200; French Glass Company, 4 Rutland, $60; G. Steiner, bookkeeper for the firm, $7.

One Offerhuter, a jewelry peddler, who lives on Norfolk street, sold M. Beck a diamond ring worth $205 a few hours before Beck went away last Saturday.

G. Steiner, the bookkeeper, when asked whether he didn't think the Beks might have gone to Europe, replied:

"I guess not! They had a pawnshop in Vienna some six years ago and left that place with the same suddenness that they vanished from New York."

The firm's indebtedness is all to aggregate $200,000.

Mr. Abraham Levy, of 60 Park Row, who was M. Beck & Son's lawyer, was as much surprised as any one at the flight of the firm. He says he was their counsel about six months ago, when the firm called and through his efforts settlements were made with the creditors at about 40 cents on the dollar.

Notes were given for the amount of indebtedness, which were for the most part indorsed by A. Muhsam, who is mentioned as one of the creditors.

LOOTED THE LAUNDRY.

Thieves Leave Sam Ling's Customers in a Predicament.

There is weeping and wailing to-day in that section of Williamsburg known as "Dutchtown" because the laundry of Sam Ling, 190 Graham avenue, was robbed last night.

Sam and his brother Wang, with their Irish wives and Americanized babies, went to Pell street yesterday to attend the christening of another Chinese-American youngster.

One Chinese superstition is that money should be left in a store at all times, or no more will come in, consequently there was $20 in the cash-drawer, and this all went together with a choice array of shirts and collars.

A number of excited citizens were at the laundry to-day endeavoring to exchange part-colored checks for articles of wearing apparel, but met with little success.

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2 O'CLOCK.

8 CRUSHED TO DEATH.

Heavy Wall Falls on Two Frame Houses in Chicago.

Three Families Killed Without a Moment's Warning.

Fear that Another Wall May Fall Hinders the Work of Rescue.

CHICAGO, Feb. 28.—By the falling of the walls of John York's burned dry-goods store at Halsted and Nineteenth streets at 1.30 o'clock this morning seven men and perhaps eight people were instantly killed and four others seriously injured.

The dead are:

KUNZ, F., 28, jeweler; crushed beyond recognition.
KUNZ, Mrs., horribly mutilated, body almost cut in two.
KUNZ, FRANK, son; skull crushed, both legs broken.
SMITH, JOHN, a saloon-keeper; skull crushed.
SMITH, FAITH, baby; crushed.
SMITH, HATTIE, baby; crushed.
LOUGHRAN, PAULINA, 19 years old.
Man (not name) George, the leader in Smith's saloon.

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