BROOKLYN NEWS.

SHE WAS SAVED BY A RELIC.

A Dog's Jaws Kept from Closing by Its Presence.

Mrs. Bradley Thinks She Was Inspired to Wear It.

Mrs. Blanche Bradley, a widow, of 917 DeKalb avenue, Brooklyn, who was attacked by a Siberian bloodhound on Saturday, is fully convinced that she owes her life to the presence of a relic of St. Lawrence, which she carried with her at the time.

Mrs. Bradley is a devout Catholic, and for years had kept the relic suspended by a cord near her right breast. She says that on Saturday, in response to her prayers, she received an inspiration to change the resting place of the relic from the right to the left breast.

Some time later she went down to the cellar for coal, when the bloodhound, which belonged to Baker Strohmeyer, who lives on the first floor, sprang upon her. The animal sank its teeth into her left breast, but was unable to close its jaws because of the case containing the relics. She finally got away from the dog and her injuries, which were serious, were dressed by Dr. Kennedy, of Willoughby avenue. The bloodhound, which had previously bitten two other persons, was shot by Policeman Hughes.

O'MARA GETS TEN DAYS.

One of the Men Who Handcuffed and Robbed Peddler Bunn.

James O'Mara, aged twenty-one, of 478 Fifth avenue, who in company with William Davison, of 481 Fifth avenue, handcuffed and assaulted Casper Bunn, a peddler, of 19 Chrystie street, New York, in a saloon at 478 Fifth avenue, was fined $15 by Justice Walsh, in the Butler Street Police Court, Brooklyn, this morning.

O'Mara pleaded guilty to the charge, and admitted that he had been arrested before on a similar charge.

O'Mara did not have the fine and was sent to Raymond Street Jail to join Davison, who is also serving ten days for assaulting Bunn.

Last Friday evening Bunn entered the saloon with his pack to sell some goods.

O'Mara was behind the bar. He called Davison who jumped behind the peddler and held his arms while O'Mara placed a pair of handcuffs on the man's wrists.

The two men then emptied the peddler's pack and strewed his goods about the floor of the store.

Bunn broke away from his assailants and ran to the Eighth Precinct station-house, where he waited for O'Mara and Davison to be captured. Then the handcuffs were taken off.

YACHT KEEPSAKE MISSING.

Boy Tells the Police that He Saw Her on the North River.

The crew of the Brooklyn police boat Judge Moore are searching for a sloop yacht, which is reported as having been stolen from her dock at the foot of Twenty-second street South Brooklyn, on Saturday.

The yacht is owned by Joseph Webb, of 173 Twenty-third street. The only clue which the police have was furnished by a fifteen-year-old boy, who says that while crossing the Thirty-ninth street ferry yesterday he saw the yacht going up the North River in charge of three men and a woman.

The yacht is twenty-four feet long, with a black hull, green deck, cabin, roof and sides painted white. It was called Keepsake, the name being painted on the interior of the cabin. The boat is valued at $500.

GEN. CLAASSEN WITH HIS FAMILY

His Daughter Doesn't Expect the Pardoned Man to Recover.

Gen. Peter J. Claassen, who was pardoned from the Erie County Penitentiary by President Cleveland, and who is stopping at 262 Clinton avenue, Brooklyn, remained indoors to-day, and all callers were informed that the ex-President of the Sixth National Bank was too ill to see them.

Gen. Claassen was pardoned last Wednesday, but was not released until Saturday. He arrived in New York yesterday morning, and went immediately to his old home. His daughter says that he is very ill with Bright's disease, and she does not expect that he will recover.

Claassen was convicted in March, 1891, of aiding and abetting James A. Simmons and George H. Pell in wrecking the Sixth National Bank. He was sentenced to imprisonment for six years. Simmons and Pell were also convicted, but they have been pardoned already.

Mrs. Lillian Mann Gains a Divorce.

Justice Bartlett, in the Supreme Court, Brooklyn, this morning granted a decree of absolute divorce to Lillian Mann in her suit against her husband, Frederick Mann. They were married Oct. 21, 1884. The plaintiff accused her husband of improper relations with persons unknown to her in Chicago and in Oakland, Cal.

Mattituck, L. I., Post-Office Robbed.

RIVERHEAD, L.I., Aug. 14.—The post-office at Mattituck, L. I., was broken into on Saturday night by burglars who blew the safe open and secured about $18.

ACTOR ACCUSED OF THEFT.

Robert McCoy Charged with Stealing Trunks Full of Costumes.

Robert McCoy, an actor, was arraigned in Jefferson Market Police Court this morning charged with stealing three trunks containing the stage costumes and wearing apparel of William St. Clair and Fred West, proprietors of the theatrical combination known as St. Clair and West. He was leading man in the troupe, and the charge sets forth that he stole the trunks in Columbia, Pa., last Thursday and shipped them to New York and followed himself.

The police of Columbia telegraphed here, and yesterday Central Office Detectives Bennoil and Cottrell arrested McCoy at the Putnam House and recovered the trunks, the contents of which are valued at $300.

Justice Cram held McCoy at Jefferson Market this morning to await the arrival of requisition papers from Columbia. McCoy had nothing to say.

CAPTAIN CALLED A SERGEANT.

Justice Meade Makes a Queer Mistake at the Tombs Court.

Capt. Timothy Creedon, of the Tenth Precinct, appeared before Justice Meade with a prisoner in the Tombs Court this morning, and was slightly nonplussed when the Justice said:

"Where did you get this man, Sergeant?"

The prisoner was Antonio Patenia, aged eighteen, of 168 Elizabeth street, whom the Captain saw with a lot of other boys, shooting "craps" in front of the Lutheran Church, in Elizabeth street, yesterday afternoon. Patenia was the biggest fellow among them and the worst sprinter.

Justice Meade fined Patenia $1, which was promptly paid. It was not until Capt. Creedon had left the court that the Justice was informed of his mistake.

ALL
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STRANGLED HIMSELF TO DEATH.

Sickness Made Henry Baumgarten End His Life.

Despondency because of ill health was the cause of the suicide of Henry Baumgarten, a young German, who lived at 154 Bridge street, Brooklyn, this morning. Baumgarten was twenty-two years old, and had been in America about seven years.

Six months ago he came to Brooklyn from the West and hired a room on the third floor of the house where he ended his life. The lower floor is occupied by Charles J. Dill, a saloon-keeper and brother-in-law of Christian W. Luca, who was murdered by Charles McIlvaine.

Baumgarten was taken ill several months ago with heart trouble and he became afraid he would be unable to earn his living. He remained in his room all day yesterday and was apparently asleep when his roommate went to work at 5 o'clock this morning.

At 7 o'clock he was called, but no response was heard and upon breaking open the door, it was found that Baumgarten had ended his life.

He had twisted an apron into a cord which he bound around his neck. The noose was then slipped over a tedpost and he dropped on his knees. In this manner he slowly strangled to death. The body was cut down and placed in charge of an undertaker.

WAS IT PARIS GREEN?

Coroner Investigating Alexander Goerlitz's Death.

Coroner Kene, of Brooklyn, will make a thorough investigation into the death of Alexander Goerlitz at 597 Fourth avenue, Brooklyn. Goerlitz went to bed at 1 o'clock yesterday morning. He had complained of feeling ill. When his wife arose yesterday morning at 5 o'clock, she found him sitting upright in a chair. He did not reply, and she sent for a physician. When the doctor arrived it was discovered that he had been dead several hours.

The physician diagnosed the case as heart failure. Deputy Coroner Kelly visited the house yesterday and began an investigation. He discovered traces of a green powder on the floor, where Goerlitz was sitting. The powder had the appearance of Paris green.

FATHER DENT IN COURT AGAIN.

Says He Was Unable to Collect $250 Allowed Him.

Father Francis Dent, who claims that he was illegally expelled from the Order of St. Francis, and sued to recover $50,000 damages, appeared in the Supreme Court, Brooklyn, to-day and said he had been unable to collect $250 which the Court had allowed him, when the trial was dismissed on the ground of surprise.

Col. Bliss, in order to secure a delay, got from Judge Cullen an order requiring Father Dent to produce a rescript, which he would have to get from Rome. In court to-day Father Dent asked Judge Bartlett to vacate this order because he had been unable to collect the $250 costs. Judge Bartlett adjourned the motion until Monday, when it will be heard by Justice Cullen.

"SPARROW COP" IN THE WATER

Waded In to Prune the Water Lillies.

The water lilies in the pond at the Broadway and Chambers street side of the City Hall Park were in a dilapidated condition this morning, in consequence of the high winds of last night. Leaves and broken stems dotted the surface of the water, while the plants themselves seemed ready to drop out of sight at any moment. When one of the park guardians arrived, he gazed ruefully at the picture. The plants needed pruning badly, but there was no way to get at them save by letting out all the water or going in, clothes and all.

He decided on the latter course, and to the intense amusement of a score or more gamins, he plunged in. With the utmost deliberation, he took a sharp knife from his pocket, and wading through the water, which was up almost to his waist, went from flower to flower. Dead and broken leaves were cut away, the plants trimmed carefully, and then tied up with supports. The man did not seem to mind the wetting in the least, and he was apparently unconscious of the eyes of about 500 people, which were trained steadily upon him during his half hour's work.

GREEN PLEADS NOT GUILTY.

Sent Back to the Tombs to Await Trial for Halstead's Death.

Matthew Green, the foreman in the Street-Cleaning Department, who was indicted for murder in the first degree, charged with killing James Halstead on July 25 in an altercation growing out of a discussion of the merits of a canary bird in the bird store of Joseph Kief, 700 First avenue, pleaded not guilty before Recorder Smyth to-day, and was sent back to the Tombs.

Coroner's Physician O'Hara made an autopsy shortly after the killing, and on his report that Halstead died of heart disease Coroner McKenna released Green on $1,500 bail. Later District-Attorney Nicoll placed the matter before the Grand Jury, which promptly brought in an indictment, and Green was again arrested.

SEAMEN DRAW JACKKNIVES.

Overpowered by the Captain After a Hard Fight.

John Allsop and Stephen Nivens, two sailors, of the Arrow line steamship Brooklyn City, which sails from the foot of West Twenty-sixth street, to Bristol, England, were held in default of $500 bail in the Jefferson Market Police Court this morning, charged with disorderly conduct on board ship last night.

The men had been ashore during the day, and had imbibed too freely of West street fire-water, and as soon as they returned to the ship they armed themselves with big jackknives, and with these they drove their comrades out of the forecastle and upon the deck. Then Capt. Sidney Watkins and his first and second mates met the drunken seamen, and disarmed them, but only after a severe struggle. Policeman Sherwood, of the West Twentieth street station, arrested them.

WANTS THE CONVENTION.

Syracuse Will Enter the Contest With Saratoga.

Syracuse wants the Democratic State Convention. Ex-Mayor W. B. Kirk, of Syracuse, who is the State Committeeman from the Onondago district, will make a strong effort to induce the State Committee to select the Salt City. Saratoga appears to have the call at present, but the Convention will be held late in the season when the attractiveness of Saratoga will be gone. It has been the favorite place for Summer Conventions, but for a late Convention the claims of any other city should be just as strong, the Syracusans say, and they have strong hopes of getting it.

The city has a new hotel, the Yates, with ample accommodations for the Convention.

Severely Crushed on a Ferry-Boat.

Lewis Osyor, thirty-seven years old, of 241 East Fifty-third street, is in a critical condition at Bellevue Hospital to-day. While on a ferry-boat at the foot of East Twenty-third street last night Osyor was crushed between a meat wagon and the side of the vessel. The wagon was driven by George Lack, who was arrested.

Fourteen Years for Mayhem.

Robert Hickman, a burly, ferocious-looking negro, was this morning sentenced by Recorder Smyth to fourteen years in State prison for biting the nose off Robert Jackson at 198 South Fifth avenue on the night of July 31 last.

Judge Dinkel Eulogized in Court.

Civil Justice Alfred Steckler to-day, in the Fourth District Court, eulogized his predecessor upon the bench, ex-Judge John A. Dinkel, whose demise at a German watering place was announced on Saturday. Justice Steckler directed that a minute of the session taken be made upon the records of the court.

Maffias Granted a New Trial.

Recorder Smyth, in Part 1, of General Sessions, to-day granted a new trial in the case of Antonio Maffias, an Italian laborer, who was convicted in the May term of an outrageous assault on two little girls on the grounds of St. John's College, at Fordham. The evidence of the girls at the trial was but slightly corroborated.

FATAL FIRE AT BATH BEACH.

Stableman McCloskey's Charred Body Taken from the Ruins.

Hotel Stable and Contents Completely Destroyed.

BATH BEACH, L. I., Aug. 14.—Henry McCloskey, a stableman, and a horse were burned to death here early this morning in a fire that completely destroyed the big barn attached to Bob Furey's hotel property, which extends from Bath and Cropsey avenues to Nineteenth street. The fire was discovered about 4.30 o'clock, and before any assistance could be given by the local fire company the building was one mass of flames.

A couple of hundred residents turned out to do what they could towards preventing the spreading of the flames and rescuing McCloskey, who was known to have been in the building at the time. It was not until after the fire was extinguished that the charred body of McCloskey was found in the ruins. The loss on the barn is about $2,000.

It is believed that McCloskey, who slept in the barn, was smoking in bed late last night, and ashes from the pipe ignited some of the very combustible material in the building.

Robert Furey, the owner of the property, is a son of Commissioner of Jurors Furey, of Brooklyn.

There is a suspicion that the fire was the work of an incendiary, but no evidence in support of this decision has been discovered.

FIRE AT CONEY ISLAND.

Wagon Shed Burned and Church and Hotel Threatened.

CONEY ISLAND, Aug. 14.—A fire that threatened to do much damage to property at West Brighton broke out shortly before noon to-day in the wagon shed of the Brooklyn Hotel on the Boulevard. The volunteer firemen with their two new engines were quick to respond and succeeded in confining the flames to the shed.

The south side and rear of the hotel was slightly burned, and for a time it looked as though the Church of the Guardian Angel, which is 200 feet away, would be distroyed.

Rev. Father Cullen removed the blessed sacrament and chalises from the tabernacle, and other sacred articles were carried to a neighboring cottage. After an hour's hard work the big shed fell in and the flames were extinguished.

The Brooklyn Hotel is owned by Mrs. Annie O'Brien, widow of the late "Billy" O'Brien, the sporting man. The loss was $5,000; no insurance. No one about was able to tell what caused the fire. It is believed that one of the shed men after lighting his pipe threw the burning match into a pile of straw.

FIREMEN AT CONEY ISLAND.

Gov. Flower Expected at the Convention Which Opens To-Morrow.

CONEY ISLAND, Aug. 14.—Every train brings delegations of volunteer firemen to the Firemen's Convention, which will be held to-morrow in the Casino. Prominent men from all parts of the State and elsewhere are registered at the hotels.

The Casino has been decorated under the supervision of the Coney Island Fire Department, which is making the arrangements for the convention, parade and tournament.

O. S. Ingram, President of the State Firemen Association arrived from Troy and to-day an had a conference with the Committee of Arrangements when all the details were gone over.

The Second Regiment Fire Zouaves will present Gov. Flower with a canvas painting of the Zouaves taken in front of the State monument at the unveiling ceremonies at Gettysburg on July 3. The Governor is expected to be accompanied by his entire staff.

WEISMAN'S BAIL FIXED AT $5,000

Habeas Corpus Case Comes Up in the Supreme Court To-Day.

District-Attorney Flemming, of Long Island City, this morning made a return in the Supreme Court to the writ of habeas corpus compelling him to show cause why Ferdinand Weisman, charged with burglary in the first degree, should not be released on bail pending his trial. Justice Bartlett fixed the bail at $5,000.

The specific charge against the gang, of which Weisman is said to be a member, is that of breaking into the home of Mr. Grosjean, at Woodhaven, on July 6, and carrying off $1,500 of silver and jewelry.

Over $4,000 worth of stolen goods was found in Weisman's store at the time of the capture of the gang on July 24.

Held for Assaulting His Wife.

Luke Dalson, thirty-eight years old, of 496 Carroll street, Brooklyn, was held by Justice Walsh, in the Butler street court to-day to await the result of his wifes injuries. The couple quarreled in their apartments last night, and it is alleged that Dalton knocked his wife down and kicked her. The woman was removed to the Seney Hospital. Their four children were turned over to the Children's society.

Brooklyn Brevities.

Herbert Nibletts, twenty years old, of 1121 Putnam avenue, was held in the Lee Avenue Court, Williamsburg, to-day on a charge of grand larceny. He was employed by Alvah G. Brown, the Bedford avenue shoe dealer, and is accused of stealing shoes an d appropriating the money to his own use.

David Rockeman, of 34 Siegel street, was held in the Ewen street Court to-day on a charge of assaulting Louis Maskowitz. On Saturday night Maskowitz took a nap on the stoop of his residence, and Rockeman, who came along, pulled a section of Maskowitz's whiskers out by the roots.

Alex. Hyde, Thomas Dwyer, James McArdle and William Bowen were held in the Lee Avenue Court, Williamsburg, to-day on a charge of interfering with Officer Gormley while in the discharge of his duty. On Saturday evening Mary Keegan, of 647 Greenpoint street, New York, arrested her uncle. The quartet assisted her into the Kings County Hotel, and when Officer Gormley wanted to remove her to a hospital they objected.

CAPT. DOHERTY RETURNS.

He Brings His Family from Europe on the Furnessias.

Police Captain Michael Doherty, of the Fourteenth Precinct, arrived from Europe last night on the Anchor line steamship Furnessia. A party of his friends chartered a tug and met him down the bay.

The Captain spent his vacation of fifty days on the Continent with his wife and children, whom he left there last year, when he made a similar tour. He brought his family back with him.

Capt. Doherty enjoys the distinction of being the tallest man on the police force of this city. He reported for duty this morning.

Stole Twelve Pairs of Trousers.

William Wagner, aged twenty-three, of 64 Greenwich street, was held in $1,000 for the Grand Jury on the charge of burglary in the Tombs Court this morning. Late last night Policeman Burke, of the Sixth Precinct, found the prisoner in City Hall place with six of the twelve pairs of pants which had been stolen from the clothing store of Abraham Labotsky, at 108 Park Row, by Wagner and a man who has not been caught.

Summer-Night's Festival.

The fifteenth grand annual Summer-night's festival of the John Purcell Association of the Eighth Ward will be held at Lion Park, One Hundred and Eighth street and Ninth avenue, this evening. There will be music by Bayne's Sixty-ninth Regiment Band.

HOTEL DEATH TRAP.

Five Lives Lost by Fire at the Senate House, Chicago.

Thirty Guests Caught Like Rats in the Flimsy Structure.

Thin Wooden Partitions Make Quick Food for the Flames.

CHICAGO, Aug. 14.—A hotel fire resulting in the death of a number of the guests occurred this morning. The fire was in the Senate Hotel, a three-story structure on Madison street, near Fifth avenue.

In all, five people lost their lives, and four received probable fatal injuries.

THE DEAD.

HARRY GODFREY, seven years of age, son of J. Godfrey, a hardware merchant of Little Rock, Ark., burned.

EDWARD SHORT, of Chicago, gambler, burned and jumped from rear window.

Unknown woman, five feet six inches in height, burned, removed from bed by firemen.

Unknown man, five feet eight inches in height, burned in bed.

Unknown man, removed to County Hospital unconscious; died fifteen minutes after arrival.

THE INJURED.

JAY GODFREY, hardware merchant, Little Rock, Ark., burned about head and shoulders; will recover.

Mrs. GODFREY, wife of above, slight burns of shoulders.

GRACE GODFREY, aged thirteen years, extensive burns, will probably die.

Unknown man, supposed to be William Kronberg, a stage hand at the Schiller Theatre, badly burned about head and face, delirious and will probably die.

Unknown man, taken to ward 11 of the County Hospital, is about twenty-eight years of age, and very badly burned. He can scarcely recover.

Unknown man, about twenty-four years of age, terribly burned about head and face; is unconscious in ward 5 of the County Hospital, and will die.

WILL MILLERY, aged seventeen years, nephew of Jay Godfrey, burned about head and arms cut by glass in breaking window for air; will recover.

F. A. COONS, Lake City, Minn., cut by glass about head; taken to Mercy Hospital; will recover.

Mrs. F. A. COONS, burns and cuts about shoulders and breast; taken to Mercy Hospital, will recover.

FLORA COONS, aged fifteen years, found almost suffocated; removed to Mercy Hospital, recovery doubtful.

ALICE MORTON, Syracuse, N. Y., cut about shoulders; removed to Mercy Hospital, will recover.

MATTIE AHRENS, Chicago, aged eighteen years, arms burned, will recover.

F. MYER, of Chicago, a spectator, head cut by falling glass.

L. M. ROGERS, of Chicago, burns, body and arms; serious.

One man jumped from a window in the top story, and was killed. About half a dozen others were suffocated or burned to death.

The first body to be recovered was that of Harry Godfrey, the seven-year-old son of J. Godfrey, of Buchanan, Mich.

Loss on the buildings and contents is practically total, but as the structure was old and the furnishings cheap, the amount will not exceed a few thousand dollars.

A restaurant occupied the ground floor, and the Senate Hotel the two upper ones. It contained thirty-six rooms, and held thirty guests when the fire broke out shortly after 6 A. M.

The rooms were separated by flimsy wooden partitions and proved first-class food for fire. The blaze started in the office on the second floor and spread rapidly through that and the upper rooms.

Before the guests could be warned the flames had cut off the escape of a number of them from the stairs, and they were caught like rats in a trap.

J. Gooche is landlord of the Senate and J. Ohren manager.

As fast as the dead were taken from the ruins they were taken to the Morgue. Four bodies were soon recovered. They were those of the Godfrey boy and two men and a woman.

Mrs. Ahrens and her daughter, Annie, who slept in the front part of the third floor, discovered the fire first. A moment later they and the other occupants were flying about seeking an avenue of escape.

Annie and her mother groped their way through the stifling smoke to the window and stood out on the sill. The crowd below yelled to them not to jump. With desperation the women clung to the framework, keeping as far out as possible, while the smoke and flames burst through the windows around them.

Although badly burned, they retained their position until the arrival of a hook and ladder company. A ladder was raised and they were rescued.

A man, whose identity is unknown, next reached the window. The flames were already scorching his almost nude body and he jumped to the stone pavement. He was picked up in an unconscious condition.

It was at this juncture the firemen arrived. Ladders were raised and the work of rescuing the imperilled inmates systematically began.

The fire is said to have started from an overturned stair lamp.

THE MINNEAPOLIS FIRE.

Two Lives Lost and $1,150,000 Worth of Property Burned.

MINNEAPOLIS, Aug. 14.—The big fire was stopped last night at Twentieth avenue north, after burning over nearly a square mile of territory.

It burnde about 150 houses, running in value from $500 to $3,000 each; forty million feet of lumber worth $480,000; ten million feet of lath and ten million feet of shingles worth $40,000; thirteen mills, mostly saw mills and sash and door factories, and a number of icehouses and smaller concerns, bringing the total loss up to about $1,150,000, with an estimated insurance of $750,000.

An unknown child was burned to death, and Thomas Faloon lost his life from heart failure due to excitement.

The injured were Taylor, fireman; Capt. Fred Krake, fireman; Bertie Garrett.

Several hundred people are homless.

Fires in Other Places.

Fire yesterday afternoon in Jamestown, N. Dak., destroyed an old skating rink, the Capitol Hotel, three fine residences, the Metropolitan Block, The Capitol new paper office, six barns and other buildings. Loss, $75,000; insurance, $35,000. The fire is supposed to have been set by tramps.

Fire last evening in the five-story and basement store occupied by the Block Wholesale Drug Company, at Chattanooga, Tenn., did $85,000 damage. Insurance, $20,000.

Lee's Opera-House, the City Hall, Dumphey's Hotel, Palmer's tannery and Exley's warehouse, at Fredericton, N. B., were destroyed by fire yesterday. Loss, $50,000.

The Keiser, Holmes & White Co.'s elevator, at Gibson City, Ill., was burned yesterday morning, together with twenty-one freight cars. Loss $20,000.

Fire yesterday at St. Louis destroyed the stair works of Blumer & Kuhn. Loss $20,000. Steele & Hibbard's lumber yard was damaged $1,000, and the Atlas Box Factory lost $4,000, all covered by insurance. Cause of the fire unknown.

Fire started at midnight in a hotel at New Richmond, O., and spread to adjoining buildings with such rapidity that by 3 o'clock one and a half square had been burned over, destroying Curry's livery stable, the Hubler residence, the Springer house and the First National Bank.

Fire this morning destroyed the large storehouse of M. H. Rogers at Bridgeport, Conn. The building contained a large quantity of baled rags, and the loss is estimated at $28,000; insurance $7,000. The fire was of incendiary origin.

WANTS CASH FOR HER HUSBAND

Mrs. Neuman Sues Mrs. Schroeder for $16,000.

Alleges Mr. Neuman's Affections Were Alienated.

Bertha Schroeder, a midwife, of 318 East Fifty-sixth street, has been made the defendant in a suit for $16,000 for alienation of a husband's affections, just begun in the Superior Court.

The plaintiff is Mrs. Lisette Neuman, who until recently lived in Jersey City, but now resides in a flat uptown.

Adolph Neuman, the man at issue in the case, is one of the best known members in German society in this city as well as in Jersey City. He has established several popular German concert gardens, and is a member of most of the leading German organizations in this vicinity. He is reported to be very wealthy.

Things moved smoothly in the Neuman household until recently. The Neumans have been married some twenty years, and have several children.

In her complaint Mrs. Neuman alleges that for some time previous to March 12 last she noticed that her husband was away from home a good deal. On that date, she says, he ceased to come home at all. Investigation showed that he was spending a great deal of time in the company of Mrs. Schroeder.

Mrs. Neuman further says her husband and the Schroeder woman have been living together as man and wife at 318 East Fifty-sixth street since early in April.

In her answer Mrs. Schroeder makes a general denial of all the charges made against her by Mrs. Neuman.

Newman is about forty-six years old. His wife is a year or two younger. Mrs. Schroeder is a trifle over thirty-five. Mrs. Neuman is described as much better looking than Mrs. Schroeder. The women met recently, and are said to have had a very breezy time.

Fowler & Leonard represent Mrs. Neuman and Friend & House Mrs. Schroeder in the legal contest.

EMMA BROWN MUCH BETTER.

Coroner's Jury to View the Body of Her Dead Child.

The condition of Emma Brown, the colored cook, arrested by the Hoboken police yesterday on a charge of infanticide, was reported to be greatly improved at St. Mary's Hospital this morning. Coroner Parslow will empanel a jury to-day to view the child's body, and as soon as Emma Brown is well enough to leave the hospital an inquest will be held.

Emma's child was born Saturday afternoon, and, after keeping it all night, she buried it in the back yard of Lawyer John C. Besson's house, 809 Hudson street, where she was employed, early Sunday morning.

Walter Aytes, the colored butler, discovered blood stains on the stairs left by the woman on her journey to the yard, and notified Frank Besson, one of the sons, who ordered him to call the police.

Policeman McKenna disinterred the child's body, after which Police Capt. Hayes was informed about the matter and arrested Emma Brown. She was taken to St. Mary's Hospital. Walter Aytes and Mary Hardy, the other colored servants at Besson's, were held in $1,000 bail as witnesses.

$6,000 FIRE IN HOBOKEN.

Policeman Garrack Rescues a Man with His Four Children.

A fire, thought to be of incendiary origin, destroyed two frame houses at 612 and 614 Monroe street, Hoboken, early this morning.

James Madden owned 614, which was unoccupied, and 612 was owned and occupied by G. B. Carlucelo. Policeman Garrack got Carlucelo and his four children out of the house in safety, pushing his way through the flames and smoke to rescue them. The damage to the two houses is estimated to be about $6,000. Carlucelo lost considerable jewelry and clothing.

JOLLIFICATION TO-NIGHT.

Ocean Grove Camp Meeting Association Will Rejoice.

ASBURY PARK, N. J., Aug. 14. The members of the Ocean Grove Camp Meeting Association are to hold a jollification meeting to-night to celebrate the result of yesterday's meeting, at which nearly $45,000 was raised for a new auditorium, which is to be ready for occupancy next year, when the Association will celebrate its twenty-fifth anniversary. The Association received many additional donations to-day from people who could be heard at last night's meeting.

Twenty-five thousand of the forty-five thousand dollars was raised in sums of less than $100.

TOO DRUNK TO SWIM.

Arrested After Being Rescued from Drowning.

William M. Googin, twenty-five years old, living at Thirtieth street and Fourth avenue, went to the free baths at the foot of East Thirty-second street yesterday for a swim. Googan was too drunk to swim and he sank to the bottom. Had it not been for the bathkeeper and two or three of those present he would have drowned.

Policeman Wilson, of the East Thirty-fifth street station, arrested Googin after his rescue, and in the Yorkville Court this morning Justice Burke fined the prisoner $10 for intoxication.

Local News in Brief.

Yardman Watson, of the Manhattan Beach Hotel, who was removed to North Brother Island last Thursday ill with typhus fever, was reported this morning to be in a critical condition.

Assistant Sanitary Supt. Dr. F. H. Dillingham, Deputy Clerk James McClave, Miller, nephew of Police Commissioner McClave, and Henry T. Reiter, of the Health Department, are away on their annual vacations this week. Dr. Dillingham is in Camden, N. J., and Miller, with his mother, is at Pine Hill in the Catskills.

Edmund Randall, a laborer, forty-four years old, of 433 East Eighteenth street, fell from the third story fire escape in his house to the cellar this morning. He was taken to Bellevue Hospital suffering from a fracture of the right femur, and severe contusions.

Sam Lee, a Chinese laundryman, thirty-five years of age, was taken to the Third District Prison from his laundry, at 72 Pearl street, yesterday, violently insane. He is now in the insane pavilion at Bellevue.

The restaurant of Bruno Meckauer, 116 Eldridge street, was broken into last night. It is alleged, by Charles Rand, twenty-five years old, of 94 Division street, who carried off $5 worth of tobacco and cigars. Rand was held for trial.

The police of the Eldridge street station last night arrested twenty odd women for street walking. At the Essex Market Court this morning Justice Koch sent the prisoners to the island for two months each.

Three push cart peddlers were held for trial in $100 each for obstructing the streets, by Justice Welde, in the Harlem Police Court to-day.

Charles Nixon, a bricklayer, twenty-one years old, of 151 East Ninety-seventh street, was held for trial today in $500 bail on a charge of assaulting Mrs. Anna Salontitz, forty-years old, of 306 East One Hundred and Second street.

Adam Rupert, a street cleaner, fifty-nine years old, of 46 Lawrence street, was held in $500 bail for trial in the Harlem Court today, in a suit by Charles Rand, twenty-five years old, of 57 West One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, a street car conductor, on Aug. 9. Since then Schatz has been in the hospital.

The steamer Yucatan arrived here today from Matanzas, having made the trip in three days, three hours and five minutes.

The threatened strike of the slaters and roofers working on Tammany Hall, under contractor Neuman, has been amicably settled. It was discovered that non-unionists men were at work there, and that the walking delegate had made a mistake.

The John Purcell Association of the Eighth Ward will hold a Summer night's festival at Lion Park, One Hundred and Eighth street and Ninth avenue to-night.

The Coroner was notified this morning of the sudden death of August Hoffman, sixty years old, of 215 Fifth street, and Isaac Sacks, fifty-five years old, of 300 West Sixty-seventh street.

NEW JERSEY.

TIALIAN FEUD IN COURT.

Claim One Faction Is Trying to Wipe Out Another.

Conspiracy to Blow Up a Cottage Alleged.

Two Italian brothers named Rinaldo and Victor Gia, were arraigned before Police Justice Weed, by Constable O'Grady in his real estate office, on Gregory street, Jersey City, this morning. Constables O'Grady and Egan have had the men under arrest sometime and took them to Police Headquarters until to-day. They were charged with cutting one of the Bartelli brothers.

At first it looked as if there might be some sort of conspiracy to cut and kill unpopular workmen at Conery's stone-crushing works, near the Snake Hill Penitentiary, where the men are engaged, but the police now think that it is nothing but an Italian brawl, which is frequently indulged in at the works.

The Bartellis have charge of Conroy's stoge, where the workmen make all their purchases. The Gia brothers are foremen of the Italians engaged at Conroy's works, and they have long felt that they should run the store. They have been of the opinion that the Bartellis have some unknown influence with powers that be which keeps them in charge of the store.

A deep-seated feeling has long existed, and, it is alleged, that the Gia brothers tried to induce one Bartini to blow up Andrew Bartelli's cottage at Shake Hill by using dynamite, and in case they were not killed outright to use his dagger.

Bartini told Bartelli of the overtures that had been made him and when the Gias met Andrew Bartelli the latter told them what he knew. This was on July 29 last, and directly Rinaldo Gui saw them, he and his brother chased him, and Rinaldo gave him a slight cut on the neck.

Bartini, the principal witness, was not present at the hearing, and Justice Weed said he was, therefore, obliged to adjourn the case until Monday, at 11 o'clock.

MISS GREEN'S STRANGE DEATH

It Is Said She Was Soon to Become a Mother.

ELIZABETH, N. J., Aug. 14.—There is a mystery attached to the sudden death of Miss Elizabeth Green, the young organist of the Union Baptist Church at Elizabeth, who expired on Spring street Sunday while on her way home from Church.

An examination of the body at the Morgue last night revealed the fact that the young woman was soon to become a mother, and it is strongly suspected taht her death was not due to natural causes.

Her relatives have demanded an inquest, and from information placed in the hands of Coroner Horning, and which he is not at liberty just yet to make public, he thinks there are good grounds for an investigation. He has, therefore, ordered an inquest which will take place to-morrow, and the jury will be empannelled and will review the body this afternoon, when an autopsy will also be made at the Morgue.

Miss Greene's home is in Newark, where she has two brothers living, and another lives in New Brunswick.

She was boarding at the house of Rev. Joseph H. Bailey, pastor of the Union Baptist Church, and was twenty-three years old.

DENTIST COMMITS SUICIDE.

Dr. Edward Goertz Found Dead in Bed this Morning.

SOMERVILLE, N. J., Aug. 14.—Dr. Edward Goertz, a practicing dentist of this place, committed suicide by taking prussic acid at an early hour this morning.

His office and sleeping apartment was in the Swinton Building on Main street. The janitor's wife heard Dr. Goertz moving about in his room on the floor below early this morning. When janitor Benson went into the doctor's room he found him stretched on the bed partly dressed, with a bottle of prussic acid clutched tightly in his hand.

His body was still warm when County Physician Reed arrived at 8 o'clock this morning. Dr. Goertz was alone in the world. He was a Prussian by birth and highly thought of here. Ever since he had the grip he had been sick and despondent.

BRECKENRIDGE IN AN ACCIDENT.

Carriage Overthrown by a Pole Breaking.

MAYWOOD, N. J., Aug. 14.—While taking a drive yesterday afternoon State Committeeman C. E. Breckenridge met with an accident, which resulted quite seriously. While driving his spirited team near Englewood, N. J., the tongue of the wagon broke, frightening the horses and overturning the carriage, which threw the occupants, consisting of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Breckenridge and Mr. and Mrs. F. K. Safford, to the ground.

Mr. Safford's injuries consisted of a sprained ankle, due to his endeavors to capture the horses after the carriage was upset. Mr. Breckenridge and Mrs. Safford both received severe scalp and face wounds. Mrs. Breckenridge also received severe bruises about the head and body, and fears are entertained that her shoulder is dislocated.

The team was caught at Mr. Munn's residence at Hogsta.

SHOT AND KILLED HIMSELF.

A Despondent Advertising Agent Commits Suicide.

ELIZABETH, N. J., Aug. 14.—Albert Zellow, aged thirty-four, an advertising agent, residing at 348 Fay avenue, this city, committed suicide this morning by shooting himself. He arose at 7 o'clock and after partly dressing himself placed a revolver at his head and fired.

The bullet crashed through his brain and killed him instantly. He had been despondent for some time on account of financial troubles. He leaves a widow and one child.

Two Held for Brutal Assault.

NEWARK, N. J., Aug. 14.—Nicodemus Waterskian his son Joseph were held for the Grand Jury to-day by Justice Kaiser, of this city, on a charge of brutally assaulting Jack Schutt during a fight. Schutt, who is in the hospital, may die from a fractured skull.

Lost Her Way in Newark.

NEWARK, N. J., Aug. 14.—Mrs. Lena Schaefer, a widow, aged seventy, was kept at Police Headquarters in this city all night for safe keeping. Mrs. Schaefer, who resides at 180 Walnut avenue, Roseville, yesterday came here to visit the grave of her husband, but lost her way. She was sent to her home to-day.

Father Killeen Kept Silent.

BAYONNE, N. J., Aug. 14.—Rev. Father Thomas L. Killeen, of the St. Mary's Star of the Sea Church, did not refer to a Contractor Brady's latest letter offering to refer the church trouble to Mgr. Satolli or Archbishop Corrigan for settlement during the mass he priest celebrated yesterday.

Newark Man Dies in New York.

James Moran, sixty years old, of Newark, N. J., died at the Chambers street Hospital this morning of alcoholism. Moran was arrested in the Second Precinct last night.

HIS ACCUSER WAS INSANE.

James B. Walmsley Dismissed in Court To-Day.

Strange Actions of Wealthy Mr. Morrell, of Brooklyn.

James B. Walmsley, of 174 Hicks street, Brooklyn, foreman of William H. Morrell's plumbing establishment, at 108 Front street, this city, was discharged from custody in the Tombs Police Court this morning after having been locked up since Saturday night charged with forgery and blackmail.

The circumstances of Walmsley's arrest are peculiar. Detective Madden, of the First Precinct, was standing at Fulton and Front streets about 6 o'clock Saturday evening when he was approached by Mr. Morrell, who said quietly:

"See that man across the street? He's my foreman, Walmsley. He has forged my name to checks, robbed and blackmailed me until I can stand it no longer. He has been in my employ for six years and I have always forgiven him, but he's reached the limit now. Lock him up and I will make a charge against him."

Madden walked up to Walmsley and told him he was under arrest. Walmsley only grinned and said "All right."

The prisoner was taken to the Old Slip station, where