CROKER'S NEW PLAN.

Is It to Pacify the Business Men of This City?

Doubling of District Leaders a Surprise to Politicians.

More Trouble Expected from Ex-Senator Plunkitt.

Tammany men would not talk this morning about Richard Croker's latest scheme to increase the Executive Committee or number of district leaders of Tammany Hall from thirty to sixty, for the simple reason that they knew nothing about it. Croker did not take them into his confidence, and with the exception of Mayor Gilroy and one or two others, the first they knew of the plan was through the newspapers

The order from the chief was a stunning surprise to the district leaders. They can't understand what it means.

Croker's order is that the thirty new leaders must be business men. The leaders cannot reconcile this departure from Croker's recent announcement that Tammany Hall had no use for business men. He wanted only men who could devote all their time to public affairs.

They interpret this new move as indicating that Croker made a mistake when he affronted the business men, and is now anxious to make amends.

As the leaders were not consulted they had no chance to make selections of coadjutors. Possibly Mr. Croker intends to relieve them of all embarrassment in the matter and select their coadjutors himself.

If Senator Plunkitt has his way, ex-Police Justice Murray will not share the leadership of the Eighteenth with him. Contractor Thomas Smith is his assistant now, and will be continued as such unless orders from the Wigwam decree otherwise.

By some it is believed that the new order is an expedient to cover cases similar to that in the Eighteenth District, where Leader Plunkitt has peremptorily declined to be turned down for Murray, and if he as peremptorily rejects Murray as a co-leader Croker will be obliged to seek another way out of the difficulty.

But the general impression of those with whom "The Evening World" reporter talked to-day is that the scheme of giving each district leader a business associate is nothing more or less than an attempt to discount in advance the threatened revolt of the business interests of the city against Tammany Hall.

In this view of the case Mr. Croker's plan is an evidence of the fact that he apprehends serious trouble in the future. And, furthermore, it is thought to reveal a structural weakness in the organization. He wants a loyal man in some district as a check upon self-seeking leaders, many of whom are conniving against him.

Mayor Gilroy thinks Croker's scheme is an excellent one, and says:

"It will broaden the organization. It will disabuse the minds of the people of the idea that the organization is arbitrarily controlled by a few men. It will put the organization in closer touch with the business people and gain for it increased confidence in the business community."

"It is a shrewd move," said Corporation Counsel Clark. "Only the best men in business will be selected."

Sheriff Gorman regards the scheme as an excellent one.

He suggests Robert J. Dean, the warehouseman, as Leader Boyle's partner in the Ninth.

John Spellman, the hatter, is talked of in the Second.

In the Third the leadership is already divided between Senator-elect Sullivan and Barney Rerke. Rorke is in the saloon business.

In fact, in most of the districts there are two leaders, only one of whom, however, is a member of the Executive Committee. All the assistant leaders are business men They really do the business of the organization.

Among the business men mentioned as probable assistants are J. Edward Simmons, Walter Stanton and Charles B. Peet.

REPUBLICAN WINDUP.

Final County Committee Meeting for 1893 To-Morrow Night.

The last regular meeting of the Republican County Committee for 1893 will be held at Grand Opera-House Hall to-morrow evening. The reports on reorganization and of the Investigating Committee will then be submitted.

The committees declare the present organization inefficient, and in favor of reorganization on the election district plan, which means the abolition of district leaders, making the County Committee the paramount authority. The reconstructed County Committee is to consist of 100 members instead of 662, to be chosen in convention.

The General Committee of the New York Democracy will meet in Cooper Union to-morrow night to perfect organization in the city and State.

CHICAGO ELECTION DISPUTE.

Republicans Say Swift Should Win on Official Count.

(By Associated Press.)

CHICAGO, Dec. 20.—Late last night the Republican City Central Committee decided to contest the election of John P Hopkins as Mayor. It is claimed that the police returns, which give Hopkins a majority of 1,337, show 600 more for the Democratic candidate than were actually cast. It is claimed by the Committee that an honest official count will give the election to George B. Swift, the Republican candidate.

Even if Swift is not seated the Republicans claim to be satisfied with the result, as compared with that of the last Mayoralty election, when Carter H. Harrison's majority over Allerton was 19,000.

Chief of Police Brennan just before midnight last night issued an order instructing the police to have all judges of election report at the City Hall in person, bringing their ballot-boxes with them.

Chief Clerk Taylor, of the Board of Election Commissioners, was taken entirely by surprise by the order and declared that he knew no reason why it was issued. The police gave no explanation whatever.

VOGEL BROTHERS' AFFAIRS.

A Satisfactory Adjustment Made with the Creditors.

The creditors of Vogel Brothers, Broadway and Thirty-first street, met yesterday to listen to the report of the Chairman, Mr. Andrew Saks.

Mr. Saks stated that in all his business career he could not recall an instance where debtors were so willing to act in the interest of their creditors. After the Committee had investigated the firm's affairs, he said, it was found that if the proper arrangements could be made with the owner of the building, the firm could easily continue and sustain its good name in the community. Several interviews were had with the owner, and one hour before the meeting a new lease was made. Mr. Saks then expressed his pleasure in presenting a settlement in full.

At the same time, Mr. Saks called attention to the services of Mr. Leo Schlessinger, the Receiver, in whom the fullest confidence had been placed by all interested.

Upon a motion to accept the report, complimentary remarks were made, thanking the Committee for its good work, and expressing the fullest confidence in the honesty of the Vogel brothers. ***

ANDREWS, JUDGMENT DEBTOR

The Street-Cleaning Commissioner in Supplementary Proceedings.

He Owes Charles A. Seymour $1,639.28 for Rent.

Street-Cleaning Commissioner William S. Andrews appeared before Judge Bischoff, in the Court of Common Pleas, this morning, as a judgment debtor in supplementary proceedings on a judgment for $1,639.28, for rent, recovered on June 22, 1891, by Charles A. Seymour.

The Commissioner requested an adjournment for ten days, on the ground that he had matters to attend to before the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and, therefore, could not spare the time to answer questions.

Lawyer William H. Swery, who appeared for the judgment creditor, opposed the application. He said it had not been made in good faith and there was nothing to sustain it but the mere statement of the Commissioner. He had made other statements in the past which had not been true.

"He told me no later than yesterday," went on the lawyer, "when he called at my office, that he was fearfully hard at work; that his desk was piled high with unopened letters, and that all his time was taken up in answering questions of reporters. He owes this judgment now for over two years, and although he has repeatedly promised to pay, he has not given us a dollar on account."

In spite of Mr. Sweny's protests, however, the matter was adjourned until Dec. 30. Mr. Sweny found this letter waiting for him when he got to his office this morning.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET-CLEANING.
City of New York, Stewart Building,
New York, Dec. 19, 1893.

William S. Sweny, Esq., 140 Nassau street, New York City.

Dear Sir: Will you be kind enough to meet me to-morrow morning at 20th inst.—at a quarter past 10, in the court-room, where Judge Bischoff is sitting, for the purpose of going before him in his private chambers in our matter, before he goes upon the bench? I make this request in accordance with the suggestion of Judge Bischoff, who said that he would administer the oath and hear the motion for adjournment before going upon the bench.

This will be a great accommodation to me, as I am so very much pressed for time at present, as I explained. Very truly yours,

W. S. ANDREWS.

Before the adjournment was decided on this morning Commissioner Andrews asked that the case should not be called in open court and earnestly requested that the whole matter be disposed of without publicity. This Judge Bischoff refused, saying that such proceedings would be irregular.

After the parties had left court, Lawyer Sweny stated that while he was not yet ready to say what property Commissioner Andrews possessed, he hoped to be able to show that with other officials he was interested in certain contracts, and he was not wholly dependent upon his salary as Street-Cleaning Commissioner.

MANTELL'S MONEY ENJOINED.

New Yorkers Prevent His Getting His Cleveland Receipts.

(By Associated Press.)

CLEVELAND, O., Dec. 20.—Judge Hutchins has granted a temporary injunction restraining the Lyceum Theatre from paying any part of the receipts of the house to Robert Mantell, who is playing a week's engagement in this city. The order is granted at the instance of Proctor and Turner, of New York, who claim to have a five-year contract as managers of Mantell.

The latter says Proctor and Turner have repeatedly violated their contract with him, and that on Nov. 25, he notified them that he no longer considered himself bound to them and appointed John H. Martin as his manager.

Sued for $100,000.

(By Associated Press.)

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 20.—In the United States Circuit Court yesterday the suit of the William Wharton, Jr., Company, incorporated against the Third Avenue Railway Company, of New York was argued. The action was brought to recover about $100,000 for supplies.

SEEBACHER ALSO A BURGLAR.

He Confesses to Robbing His Landlady in Chatham Square.

Arthur C. Seebacher, who says he is a son of the late Senator Seebacher and is under arrest for raising money on forged checks, will in all probability be compelled to answer an additional charge of burglary.

On May 30 last young Seebacher, while a roomer at Mrs. J. Randolph's boarding-house, 25 Chatham square, stole a quantity of jewelry, valued at $400 from his landlady's room. He pawned the articles at One Hundred and Forty-third street and Third avenue under the name of "Brown."

The young culprit, who now seems to be completely disheartened, has confessed to the robbery.

WALKED THROUGH A WINDOW.

Then Smith Coolly Went to Sleep Behind a Store Counter.

At 4 o'clock this morning Policeman Hogan, of the Eldridge street station, found a man in his shirt-sleeves sleeping behind the counter in Henry Harnecke's grocery at 72 Chrystie street.

The man had entered the place by walking through a plate-glass window. The smashing of the glass attracted the attention of Policeman Hogan, who, after an hour's search, found the sleeper. He was intoxicated.

He said he was Joseph Smith, eighteen years old, of 87 Irving place, Brooklyn.

In Essex Market Court to-day Justice Voorhis refused to accept a charge of burglary, and fined Smith $10 for intoxication

YOUNG THIEVES ARRESTED.

Accused of Stealing $1.20 Worth of Tinware from Tinsmith Klein.

Three lads were committed to the care of the Gerry Society by Justice Voorhis in the Essex Market Police Court today pending an investigation of their characters.

They were Jacob Rosencranz, ten years old, of 116 Lewis street; Louis Glantz, eleven years old, of 111 Lewis street, and David Schreiber, twelve years old, of 127 Lewis street. Morris Klein, a tinsmith, of 209 Stanton street, charged them with stealing $1.20 worth of tinware from in front of his store.

ROBBED AT HIS OWN DOOR.

Ex-Congressman Beeman Badly Beaten by Masked Men.

(By Associated Press.)

PONTIAC, Mich., Dec. 20.—J. H. Beeman, ex-Congressman from this district, was called to the door of his residence, near Ely, last night by two masked men, and after being brutally beaten was robbed of $350.

He is seriously injured.

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FALSE TESTIMONY GIVEN.

Actions Against Reuben Cohen May Be Dismissed.

A Mixed-Up Case in Which Goldfogle Springs a Legal Trap.

Civil Justice Henry M. Goldfogle and Lawyer Maurice H. Blumenthal, of 150 Nassau street, are preparing orders of discontinuance of the actions brought against Reuben Cohen by Sacharize Isaer for $1,292.37, Simon Silver and Martz Tarshetz for $505.09, and by Harris Kaplan for $2,242.50.

The orders are based upon the decision of Judge Freedman, in the Superior Court last week, dismissing the complaint of Israel Rosen against the same defendant Cohen.

June 9 Cohen was indicted on charges of fraud preferred against him by the above five creditors. His bail was fixed at $5,000 by Judge Cowing, in General Sessions Court.

The only one willing or able to give bail for Cohen was a brother, Nathan, who lived in Richmond, Va., and who, for that reason, was not eligible as surety. Justice Goldfogle, the accused man's attorney, finally prevailed upon the Bank of New York, National Banking Association, of 44 Wall street, to give bonds for Cohen. This was done upon the brother depositing $5,000 with the State Bank of Virginia, in Richmond, to the credit of the New York banking-house, whose Cashier, Mr. Meade, accordingly became surety, and Reuben Cohen was released.

The case was afterwards frequently on the court calendar for trial, but the prosecution, for one reason or another, was never ready, and Judge Cowing finally ordered the surety discharged and released Cohen on his own recognizance.

In the mean time civil suits, supplementary proceedings, third party orders and multitudinous other legal manoeuvres were instituted by the creditors against Reuben until Dec. 4, when Israel Rosen's case came up against him in a so-called judgment creditor's action before Judge Freedman in the Superior Court.

The gist of this action was that Reuben Cohen had fraudulently transferred all his cash, amounting to about $5,000, to one Charles Levy and Harris Cohen (a brother of Reuben), who in turn delivered the money to Nathan Cohen, the Virginia brother, who in turn deposited the money in the Richmond bank as the security necessary for obtaining the bail in the criminal action.

This claim brought in the Richmond bank and the New York Banking Association as co-defendants. They were respectively represented by Lawyers Maurice H. Blumenthal, of this city, and Blumberg, of Richmond. Thirty-eight witnesses were called by David Leventritt, Rosen's lawyer.

One of these, Lewis Levene, a truckman, swore that he had carted away many truckloads of stuff from Cohen's place of business at night and that Cohen had admitted to him that he was about to defraud his creditors, but begged Levene not to mention the fact to anybody. Levene said that the parcels were taken by him to docks and railway depots, and were consigned to Louisville, Ky., Norfolk, Va., and other points South.

"How do you know?" asked Justice Goldfogle, "that those were the points of destination?"

"Because," answered Levene, "I read the addresses on the parcels."

An affidavit made by Levene at the Tombs Court in June was handed to him for identification. In it he swore that he had taken away only one bundle from Cohen's store and had delivered it somewhere in Church street.

Asked to read off this affidavit, Levene astonished all by saying he could not read.

This was too much for Judge Freedman, in view of the witness having sworn that he had read the addresses on the parcels alleged to have been delivered to him for shipment South. The complaint was forthwith dismissed.

Still more astonishing recklessness in swearing had been displayed by other witnesses. It was, therefore, no surprise when Lawyer Leventritt yesterday notified the Court that he and his associates in the case, Lawyers Goodhart and Phillips, would consent to a discontinuance of all cases pending against Cohen.

POOR WAY TO COLLECT A DEBT.

Lauer Persons Held for Assaulting His Former Employer.

Lauer Persons, thirty years old, who refused to give his address, was committed in the Harlem Police Court this morning to await the result of injuries he inflicted on John Smith, a contractor, of 540 East Eighty-sixth street.

Persons had been working for Smith, but was discharged about a month ago with two weeks' wages to his credit. He says he called on Smith four different times for his money, and each time he was put off.

Last evening at 5.30 Persons called at Smith's house again and demanded the money due him. Smith told him to wait until his wife returned home, when he would receive his pay.

Persons, thinking that his former employer did not want to pay him, became violent. He seized a rock weighing about four pounds and struck Smith on top of the head, almost cracking his skull.

Smith was unable to go to court this morning.

ATTACKED BY FOOTPADS.

But for a Detective Cook Cuneo Would Have Been Laid Out.

James Cuneo, a cook, living at 204 Columbus avenue, was complainant in Jefferson Market Court to-day against Henry Williams, alias Charles Williams, of 122 West Twenty-sixth street, whose picture is No. 295 in the Rogues' Gallery, and William Walsh, of 144 West Houston street, whom he accused of trying to rob him last night.

Cuneo was walking past the corner of Houston and Thompson streets at 11.30 o'clock, when Walsh tried to snatch his watch chain and Williams tripped him up. Williams had a soda-water bottle in his hand, and was about to hit Cuneo when Detective Browne, of the Charles street station, who had heard Cuneo's cries for help, ran up. He arrested the two men.

As the city of New York police has no patrol wagon service, the officer was obliged to lead his prisoners through the streets to the station.

The two were held for trial.

INNOCENT MAN CONVICTED.

Prisoner Exonerated by a Firebug's Death-Bed Confession.

(By Associated Press.)

OGDEN, Utah, Dec. 20.—John Doyle confessed on his death bed at Los Angeles to having, in company with George Hogan, set fire to the Novelty Theatre, this city, in September, 1891. According this William Golden, now serving a six six years' sentence for the crime, is innocent. M. M. French, who was convicted at the same time for aiding in the crime, escaped last Spring and is still at large.

Doyle says that he and Hogan fired the theatre while drunk for revenge upon the proprietors, with whom they had quarrelled. The confession will probably result in the liberation of Golden.

Railroad Ready for Robbers.

(By Associated Press.)

DENISON, Tex., Dec. 20.—The officials of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas road are said to have learned of an intended raid on a passenger train in the Indian Territory. Preparations have been made to give the robbers a reception that will discourage further attempts.

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SPRINGS GETS TEN DAYS.

Helen Gould's Letter-Writer Again Appears at the Waldorf.

Henry Loomis Springs, a young man with soubrette hair and other accentuated oddities, was given ten days straight, without resource, by Justice Hogan, in Jefferson Market Police Court this morning, for creating a disturbance in the Hotel Waldorf last night.

The prisoner claimed to be "a journalist," and said that he had been until recently employed on a New York afternoon paper.

He is the same Henry Loomis Springs who was arrested in Boston some time ago for annoying prominent citizens with demands for money. On that occasion a letter replete with tender, endearing terms, addressed to Miss Helen Gould, was found in his pocket.

It was his persistent habit of trying to extort money from wealthy people that got him into his latest scrape. Last night he called at the Waldorf, and sent a message to Moses P. Handy, a guest, demanding $5. He compromised for 50 cents, and created a scene, with the result that Schuyler L. West, the hotel detective, arrested him and locked him up in the West Thirtieth street stationhouse.

Last Fall Springs visited Marshall Field, the Chicago millionaire merchant, at the Waldorf, and demanded $500. He got kicked and cuffed for his pains. He had annoyed guests of the hotel on other occasions, and was well known.

ARKANSAS CONVICTS ESCAPE.

Forty Prisoners Have Regained Liberty by Flight in a Month.

(By Associated Press.)

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Dec. 20.—Ten convicts leased to a planter in Palomer County, Ark., escaped last night by overpowering two guards. Seven prisoners who were sentenced to the penitentiary for various terms escaped from Desha County, and four prisoners made their escape from the Arkansas City Jail through a hole in the roof.

This makes forty prisoners who have escaped during the past month.

Juvenile Asylum Investigated.

The committee of the State Board of Charities, appointed to investigate the Juvenile Guardian Asylum on Bleecker street, has declared the investigation closed. The investigation was to have gone on to-day at 10 o'clock in the office of Lispenard Stewart, but counsel on both sides expressed a willingness to submit the case as it was. A decision may be rendered at the January meeting of the State Board of Charities.

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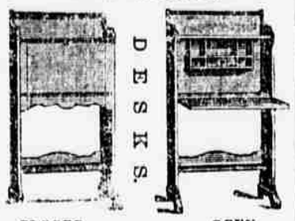

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BROKER CUTAJAR'S TROUBLES.

He Is Held in $3,000 for the United States Grand Jury.

William Cutajar, the Custom-House broker, who is accused of undervaluing goods and making false entries, is held in $3,000 bonds for the United States Grand Jury.

The specific charges against him are made through the importation of twenty cases of cheese and ten cases of prepared vegetables from Genoa, Italy. He swore that he had not the original invoice, and in his affidavit stated that the articles came from Naples. He alleged there were but 825 pounds of cheese, when in reality there was 4,944 pouns. He also placed a value on the goods of less than one-tenth of the original value. There was an equal discrepancy in the value of the prepared vegetables.

There are other charges against Cutajar in connection with an importation of goods on the ship Birmania. In this instance, it is alleged, he adopted a similar method, and placed a value of less than one-tenth upon the goods.

NOT A NEPHEW OF LEVY.

Secretary Roosevelt Swindled by a Man Who Made That Claim.

Register Levy received this morning from James A. Roosevelt, Secretary of the American Legation at London, a letter to the effect that a man, who claimed to be a nephew of Mr. Levy, with his family, was in actual want, and asking him to send money to pay their expenses back to this country; as the Legation had no funds for such a purpose.

The alleged nephew gave the name of James Stone, or Stein, and created such a favorable impression on Secretary Roosevelt that the latter gave him money out of his own pocket.

"The fellow is a fraud," said Register Levy, after reading the letter. "I have no nephew named Stone or Stein, nor did I ever hear of the man before."

Clothier Schlessinger Attached.

Judge Dugro, of the Superior Court, has issued an attachment for $7,000 against Edward Schlessinger, the Broadway clothier known as "Edward," in favor of Hammerslough Bros., the wholesale clothiers.

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