BROOKLYN NEWS.

THEY WERE SISTERS.

Arnold Did Not Have a Brother, so He Married Them Both.

One by Common-Law Process, the Other by Legal Ceremony.

All Three Lived Together, but He Is Jailed at Last.

Justice Steers, in the Lee Avenue Court, [illegible] Williamsburg, to-day, held George Ar[illegible] of 258 Ellery street, on a charge of [illegible] to support his wife. The evidence [illegible] case showed that all concerned [illegible] most remarkably depraved.

[illegible]old is a bayman, and three years [illegible] met Annie Stencon in Williams[illegible] and took her back to Hammel's [illegible]n, Rockaway Beach, where they [illegible]together as man and wife.

Summer Maggie Stencon, who is [illegible] years old, three years younger [illegible] her sister Annie, was invited to [illegible] the Summer at Rockaway. She [illegible]ed the bracing air and the sea [illegible] and in addition fell in love with [illegible]an she regarded as her brother-in-[illegible]

[illegible]nold became infatuated with the girl, [illegible] after he had explained that he was married she agreed to elope with "Papa" White, the marrying par[illegible] of Williamsburg, now deceased, [illegible] them man and wife, and they re[illegible]ed to the Rockaway Beach hut, [illegible]e they greatly surprised the sister. [illegible]nnie had nowhere to go she was [illegible]itted to remain in the house, but compelled to drop into second place. [illegible]e wedding occurred on Dec. 9 last, thirteen days later fickle George [illegible]old had decided that he loved his choice the best. There was a wran[illegible] over the matter, but Arnold settled [illegible] providing a home for his wife Mag[illegible] with his mother in Jersey City while [illegible] continued to live with the other [illegible]oman.

"I had a horrible time with his [illegible]other," explained Maggie Arnold this morning. "She half-starved me and called me names, and my life was most unpleasant. I was just getting ready to commit suicide when George came back, said I was his lawful wife, and he was ready to support me again. This was last May.

"I took me to rooms at 258 Ellery street, and despite my objections, Annie still lived with us. George got to quarrelling with us in turn. One night he would turn Annie out of the house, and may be the next night I would be put out. We would always return, though, for we had no other place to go.

"Last Wednesday he beat Annie so badly that she has been laid up ever since, and the same night he turned me out of doors again. That was why I got a warrant for his arrest."

The woman told her story calmly, and did not seem to realize the peculiar features of the Arnold household. George, husband, is a rough-looking, un[illegible]h individual, and it is a mystery [illegible] the two women ever fell in love [illegible]ith him. When Officer Short, of the [illegible]harities Department, arrested him, he [illegible]marked with profane embellishments [illegible]at he was sorry he had ever met the [illegible]encon girls, as they had nearly driven [illegible]m crazy.

"I guess I will be more comfortable in [illegible]il than I ever was with them," he [illegible]id.

[illegible] TURN DOWN BUTTLING.

[illegible]klyn's Sheriff Skating on Thin Ice Just Now.

[illegible]riff William J. Buttling, of Kings [illegible]ty, is daily growing less in favor [illegible] his Republican followers in the [illegible] Ward of Brooklyn, and it was a [illegible]r of common report to-day that at [illegible]ext primaries an effort will be [illegible] to turn him down.

[illegible]ling's dictatorial management, it [illegible], has caused the members of the [illegible]lican party in the ward to split [illegible]everal factions. These are now [illegible] to combine in an attempt to oust [illegible]ader.

[illegible] fight between the two factions of [illegible]emocratic party in Brooklyn has [illegible]entred around the Board of Elec[illegible] The Edward M. Shepard faction [illegible]ting patient wait for the Board to de[illegible]whether it is to be recognized in [illegible]ppointment of registers and poll [illegible] for the next election.

[illegible]cision upon the question must be [illegible]d before Sept. 15.

[illegible]OOKLYN'S LABOR DAY.

[illegible]rn-Out of All the Unions Confidently Expected.

[illegible]rrangements for the Labor Day [illegible] in Brooklyn next Monday were [illegible]ally completed to-day, and every[illegible]s now in readiness for the great [illegible]itration. Notwithstanding the [illegible]mes, it is expected that nearly [illegible] unions will turn out in large [illegible].

[illegible]line of march will be from the [illegible] Bedford avenue, through [illegible]te avenue to Broadway, to Kos[illegible]ice, to Bushwick avenue, to Lin[illegible]et, and along Myrtle avenue to [illegible] line.

[illegible]NY NEW BUILDINGS.

[illegible]as Many Put Up This Year in August than Last Year.

[illegible]osperous condition of the build[illegible]es in Brooklyn was shown to[illegible] Building Commissioner Bush's [illegible]or the past month, which will [illegible]mitted to Mayor Schieren to[illegible] The number of buildings [illegible] in the city for the past month [illegible] than double the number erected [illegible] the month of August last year. [illegible]ere were 84 brick buildings and 199 [illegible]ame buildings put up at an aggregate [illegible]ost of $1,061,941.

Last August there were 121 brick and frame buildings erected.

SHE USED AN ICE-PICK.

Mrs. Paladeno Arrested for Stabbing a Homeless Man.

Mrs. Angelino Paladeno, forty, of 155 Twenty-fifth street, Brooklyn, was arrested early this morning, charged with stabbing Cairo Melino, a homeless man, with an ice pick. A crowd of Italians got into a row at Third avenue and Twenty-fifth street shortly after midnight, during which the woman jabbed her victim in the neck.

He was attended by an ambulance surgeon and held as a witness. Mrs. Paladeno was locked up.

Dr. Morton Gives Bonds.

Dr. Frederick H. Morton, who returned to Williamsburg from Europe for the purpose of answering a charge preferred against him by his wife, was not in the Lee Avenue Court to-day as was expected. He was admitted to bail by Justice Patterson, and case set down for examination on Sept. 20, which is one of the regular dates for trying abandonment proceedings. Until then, Dr. Morton says, he will not make any statement.

DON'T FORGET THAT TO-MORROW IS THE WORLD'S "SITUATION DAY." EVERY SITUATION AD. IS REPEATED FREE IN THE EVENING WORLD: 20 WORDS FOR 10 CENTS.

DID M'QUADE TRY BURGLARY?

He Said He Was Hurt in a Runaway Accident.

His Story Aroused the Suspicions of the Police.

James McQuade, twenty-three years old, of Hall street and Willoughby avenue, Brooklyn, was held by Justice Tighe in $1,000 bail in the Butler Street Court this morning for examination on Sept. 4 on the charge of attempted burglary.

McQuade is employed in the Wallabout Market. Yesterday afternoon he entered the Sixth avenue police station, greatly excited and covered with blood. His face, head and hands were cut and bleeding.

McQuade told Capt. Early that he had been out driving in Prospect Park, and that when near the plaza his horse became frightened ran away and threw him out.

McQuade's story excited Capt. Early's suspicions and he determined to investigate the alleged runaway.

"It's too bad, McQuade, that you're in such hard luck," said the Captain. "Just sit here and make yourself comfortable and we will see what we can do for you."

Capt. Early went to the desk and first scanned the record of the description of a man who had attempted to get into the house of Dennis Daly, at 602 Dean street, early yesterday morning. He then scanned McQuade.

Capt. Early touched a button and sent for Daly. As soon as Daly saw McQuade he identified him as the man whom he caught attempting burglary. Daly says he was awakened by some one trying to unfasten one of the shutters.

Daly went down to where the man was, clinched with the intruder and forced him out upon the sidewalk. He then pounded his face against the cold stones of the walk until the would-be robber cried for mercy. He then let him go.

Daly said he would have taken the man to the station-house, but was not suitably dressed to do so.

McQuade denies the Daly incident. He says he never saw Daly before. The police are inclined to discredit the story of the runaway accident.

WITH A BLACKTHORN CANE.

Constable McGahey Says Saloon-Keeper Nolan Attacked Him.

Used the Stick to Prevent Having Property Levied On.

Saloon-Keeper Thomas Nolan, of Myrtle avenue and Duffield street, Brooklyn, was held this morning by Justice Tighe in the Adams Street Police Court for examination Sept. 5 on a charge of assaulting Patrick McGahey, a constable attached to Justice Murphy's Civil Court in Williamsburg.

Some time ago a friend of Nolan bought a suit of clothes from Morris H. Kronson, whose store adjoins the saloon. Nolan agreed to go security for the payment of the bill. Kronson called upon his customer several times and demanded his money. Failing to get it, he visited Nolan. The latter also refused to pay, and the friend brought suit and got judgment for $40 in Justice Murphy's Civil Court.

McGahey visited Nolan's saloon yesterday afternoon to serve the execution. Upon entering the store, he says, he explained his mission to Nolan, and then seized the cash register. Nolan and several loungers, he declares, wrested the machine from him and started to "do him up." The saloon-keeper struck him with a blackthorn stick, and one of the crowd tore off his shield. McGahey finally dropped the cash register and ran out. At the Adams street station he was reinforced by Policeman Mullaly.

The officers, on entering the saloon again, found Nolan on deck, with his blackthorn cane. McGahey attempted to pass him, and the fight was renewed, but Mullaly drew his club, and in a few moments the saloon-keeper surrendered. He was taken to the station-house, and McGahey walked away, with the cash-box, containing $11, under his arm.

In court to-day Nolan denied assaulting McGahey or the policeman. Mullaly was not there to testify, and the case was adjourned.

TROLLEY CAR MEN NOT HELD.

An Eight-Year-Old Boy Killed in Brooklyn.

Motorman W. H. Barnes and Conductor Patrick McGowan, of car 344, of the Fifth avenue line, were discharged from custody by Justice Tighe, in the Butler Street Court, Brooklyn, this morning. As usual, it was a case of "no complaint," although eight-year-old Johnny Walker was crushed to death last night by the wheels of trolley car 344.

The little victim was the son of John T. Walker, a printer, who recently secured work in Boston and had sent for his family to join him there. Yesterday afternoon Mrs. Walker gave Johnny a letter to mail to his father, stating that the family would start for Boston to-day, and the little boy was killed while on the way to mail the letter.

He was struck by the trolley car, which was going at a high rate of speed, on Fifth avenue, and the fender, instead of lifting him out of the way of the cruel wheels, jammed his poor little body the more tightly beneath them. The boy was dead before aid could reach him.

Johnny's father will arrive from Boston to-day.

ALL OF THE "SITUATIONS WANTED" ADS., MALE OR FEMALE, APPEARING IN "THE WORLD" TO-MORROW WILL BE REPEATED, FREE OF CHARGE, IN "THE EVENING WORLD"—20 WORDS FOR 10 CENTS.

POLICE CAN RAID AGAIN.

Watkins Fails to Obtain a Permanent Injunction.

Justice Gaynor, in the Supreme Court, Brooklyn, this morning refused to make permanent an injunction restraining Capt. Elbert O. Smith, of the West Sixty-eighth Street Police Station, New York, from interfering with Thomas Watkins, who runs a set of swings in West End avenue, between Sixty-sixth and Sixty-seventh streets, New York.

Watkins claims that he leased the ground on which his swings are situated; that he is not required to take out a license, and alleges that on Aug. 11 the police visited his place and drove every one away. Watkins secured a temporary injunction against Capt. Smith.

Assistant Corporation Counsel Connolly, of New York, who appeared for Capt. Smith, said that a large crowd of disorderly persons congregate about the swings, and that Capt. Smith had been deluged with complaints.

THERE WILL BE A PAGE OF SEASHORE BEAUTIES IN THE "SUNDAY WORLD." YOUR PICTURE MAY BE AMONG THEM.

SAXTON AMENDMENT UPHELD

Justice Gaynor Decides Adversely in Peter De Lacy's Test Case.

Betting at Tracks Legal, but Carrying Commissions Is Criminal.

The Saxton amendment of 1893 to the Ives Pool law was this morning declared constitutional by Justice Gaynor in the Supreme Court, Brooklyn. This is another defeat for Peter F. De Lacy.

On Brooklyn Handicap Day—May 29, last—William F. Smith met Thomas F. Wynn outside the track of the Brooklyn Jockey Club. Smith gave Wynn $5 to take into the track and put on Madrid. Wynn did so. When he returned he was arrested, taken before Justice E. W. Voorhies, and held on the charge of violating the Pool laws.

Application was made to Justice Gaynor for a writ of certiorari to review Justice Voorhies's action, so that the constitutionality of the Ives Pool law might be tested. The writ was granted, and a motion was afterwards made to dismiss it.

Justice Gaynor granted this motion.

He takes the ground that betting on tracks during certain periods is made legitimate by a distinct enactment. The passing of an act suspending the operation of the first enactment may make the receiving of money to take to race-tracks even felony, according to Judge Gaynor, although betting were only a misdemeanor.

Under the latter act, he holds, the offense is properly a crime.

INTO THE RIVER TO ESCAPE.

Big Chances Taken by One of a Gang That Assailed a Policeman.

Policeman Matthew Rellihan, of the Amity street station, Brooklyn, has aroused the enmity of a gang of loungers, who infest the river front between South and Wall street ferries, because he has interfered on several occasions when they were insulting passers-by and committing other disorderly acts. Some of the gang swore to get even with him, and last night they attempted to carry their threat into execution.

Rellihan was walking along Furman street, near Joralemon, when a crowd of toughs showered him with stones. Some of the missiles struck the officer and he started in pursuit of the gang. The rowdies ran for cover. Two of the men ran into a saloon and the policeman went after them. They rushed through the crowd and out of the building by a rear door. Then they ran towards the Floating Bethel.

Policeman Cannon, who was on the boat, jumped ashore and caught one of the men, while Rellihan followed the other fellow. The fugitive ran out upon the dock, and when he saw that he was cornered, he jumped into the water, swam under the pier and got away.

The man who was captured said he was Patrick Griffen, eighteen, of 314 Furman street. He denied that he was among those who pelted Rellihan with stones, but he was locked up. Rellihan was not injured.

SCHOOL VACATIONS OVER.

Brooklyn Scholars to Begin Another Year's Work Next Tuesday.

The public schools in Brooklyn will be open next Tuesday. On Monday new pupils desiring to enter the schools will be registered. None will be accepted who cannot produce a certificate of vaccination.

During the past few months of vacation the schools have been thoroughly renovated, and many of them fitted up with new sanitary arrangements.

During the next term the Board of Education will, it is expected, act upon the suggestion of a special committee, which recently submitted a report on the condition of the schoolhouses, and appoint a permanent corps of physicians to regularly inspect all the buildings and pupils with a view of preventing any contagious disease from spreading among the children.

Ex-President James B. Bouck has appointed his Committee on Evening Schools.

ATLANTIC A.C. LICENSED.

Mayor Schieren Grants the Seaside's Rival a Permit.

Mayor Schieren, of Brooklyn, to-day granted a license to the Atlantic Athletic Club, of Coney Island, which will compete with the Seaside Athletic Club for the patronage of sports desiring to witness scientific boxing bouts.

While Police Justice Tighe is the prime mover in the Seaside Club, Civil Justice Edward C. Murphy is at the head of the new enterprise. The other directors are George Vanderveer, Dr. Albert Chambers and William Lakeland, of Coney Island, and Luke O'Reilly, of Brooklyn.

The Club has been incorporated to conduct boxing matches and other athletic exhibitions according to the rules of the Amateur Athletic Union.

The club-house is to be located in the Sea Beach Palace at Coney Island.

YOU GET OVER 450,000 INSERTIONS OF YOUR "SITUATION WANTED" ADS. TO-MORROW FOR OUR USUAL PRICE FOR ONE INSERTION: 20 WORDS FOR 10 CENTS. SATURDAY IS "SITUATION DAY."

SHOPLIFTER FINED $20.

Justice Tighe Refuses to Let Mrs. Hoffman Go.

Mrs. Helen Hoffman, the widow of a well-known Williamsburg builder, who was arrested several days ago charged with shoplifting, was fined $20 to-day by Justice Tighe in the Adams Street Court. When arrested several furs, an umbrella, a lace cape and some other property were found in her possession. When the case was called this morning a representative of Liebmann Bros. pleaded for the woman's release. Detective Blake, of Abraham & Straus's store, told his story of the woman's detection, and Justice Tighe fined her $20.

IT SEEMS TOO SMALL to do any good, when you look at one of Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. But just *try* it when you're bilious or constipated, or have a sour stomach, or a fit of indigestion—and you'll own up that they're the best things in the world.

That's because they cure *permanently*, and do it, *pleasantly*. They're tiny, sugar-coated, and easy to take. There's no disturbance to the system, diet, or occupation. Satisfaction *guaranteed*, or money refunded.

Dr. R. V. PIERCE: *Dear Sir*—I could tell of a number of cases where Dr. Pierce's Family Medicines have cured. A friend of mine, Mr. Williams, was about used up with liver troubles; now he says that "Pleasant Pellets" have helped him more than any or all the medicines that he has ever taken.

James Colby

IT MAY BE THE NINA.

A Small Wreck Sighted by the Scandia off Sable Island.

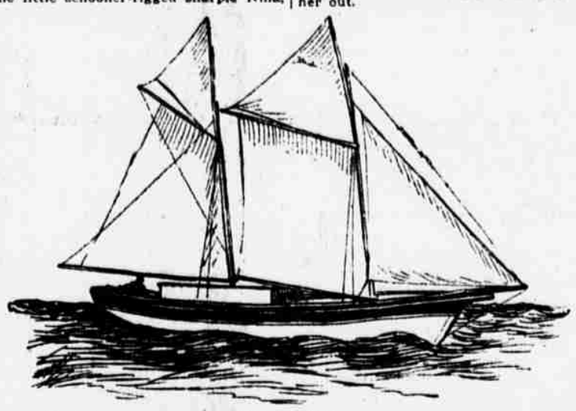
Capt. Freitsch's Novel Forty-Foot Craft Has Never Been Spoken.

The Schooner Sharpie Left This Port Leaking Badly Aug. 5.

The Hamburg-American steamer Scandia arrived in port this morning. She left Havre Aug. 21. On Aug. 26 an iceberg fifty feet high and one hundred feet long was sighted. On Tuesday last the Scandia sighted a wreck estimated at about thirty feet long, but it was too dark to make her out distinctly.

This derelict was encountered in latitude 43.06, longitude 58.19, which point would be about fifty miles southeast of Sable Island.

From the small size of the wrecked vessel and her position when sighted it is not impossible that it may have been the little schooner-rigged sharpie Nina, in which Capt. A. Freitsch, the Norwegian adventurer, left this port to sail single-handed across the Atlantic.



THE NINA.

The Nina is about forty feet long over all and would be in about the position mentioned on the date when the Scandia passed the wreck. The little vessel left this port Sunday, Aug. 5, in anything but seaworthy condition, and an untimely end to the craft and her reckless skipper is in line with predictions made at the time of her start by seafaring men who know well the needed of sound timbers and well-caulked planking.

Capt. Adolph Freitsch built the little vessel in Milwaukee, where he lived, without any assistance. She is a flat-bottomed bateau, rather than a real sharpie. Her dimensions are: Forty feet long on deck, 9 1-2 feet beam and 4 feet depth of hold. She drew nothing forward, and about two feet at the rudder-post. She was fitted with a centre-board, and was rigged like a lake schooner, carrying about 1,000 yards of canvas.

CAPT. FREITSCH.

Her owner sailed her to this city via the lakes and canals leading into the Hudson, tying up at cities en route to exhibit the novel craft, the fees from which exhibitions he devoted to fitting her out.

The last of these stops was at the Battery in this city, where he remained several weeks, receiving many visits from the curious. He finally realized sufficient money to provision the boat for a six months' trip and purchase a sextant and other instruments, the use of which he was not altogether familiar with.

On Sunday morning, Aug. 5, accompanied by large parties of Norwegians of this city and Brooklyn, in tugs, Capt. Freitsch headed his frail shallop seaward, being towed to Sandy Hook. He has not been spoken since, and, as the Nina had nearly two feet of water in her hold, and was still leaking when she left, it is not surprising if it were that little craft which was sighted a wreck from the Scandia's deck.

Freitsch expected to make Stockholm in forty days.

CRASHED INTO A CABLE CAR.

Shaft of a Wagon Pierced Several Seats in a Collision.

Passengers Narrowly Escape Death or Injury on Park Row.

Passengers on a Third avenue cable car going uptown this morning were considerably excited over a collision which occurred at 9.10 o'clock on Park Row, at James street. Many of them narrowly escaped serious injury, as the shaft from a runaway wagon tore up several of the seats. The car was numbered 215, and was in charge of gripman 180.

The collision was caused by the clanging of the gongs of the other cable cars at Chatham Square. At that point a horse and baker's wagon was being driven slowly by Charles Pfeifer, of 67 Catharine street. The animal was startled by the noise, and became unmanageable. In spite of all that Pfeifer could do, the horse broke away and started down Park Row at a breakneck pace.

Car No. 215, which was crowded with passengers, was going up Park Row at full speed at the time in order to round the big curve at Chatham Square, and seeing the runaway the gripman put on the brakes so as to avert a collision, but it was too late.

On came the runaway, and on nearing the cable car the house turned aside a little, with the result that one shaft of the wagon crashed into the cable and was driven through several of the seats. How several of the passengers were not killed instantly seemed almost a miracle. Many of them, however, had seen their danger and jumped off.

The driver of the baker's wagon was thrown to the pavements, but luckily escaped serious injury. After the collision the horse was easily captured. The cable car was badly wrecked.

It was thought at first that the grip of the cable had been injured by the collision, and word was sent to the power-house for the repair wagon. Before its arrival, however, the car was righted again and proceeded on its way uptown. No arrests were made.

BRIBERY IS CHARGED.

One of Newtown's Three Excise Commissioners Arrested.

NEWTOWN, L. I., Aug. 31.—The Citizens' Committee of Newtown have accused the Board of Excise Commissioners of bribery, and will now endeavor to prove it. The fight began last night with the arrest of Excise Commissioner Frank Krug on the charge of bribery. B. Hass Simonson, on information and belief, charged Krug with receiving a bribe of $20 to grant John F. McGowan a license. Justice Monteverde held Krug for the Grand Jury in $2,500 bail, he having waived examination.

The two other commissioners are also accused, but have not been arrested yet. The members of the Citizens' committee are said to be about the village seeking information that will lead to arrest of the other Commissioners. George Grainer, the brewer, and ex-Supervisor Heed are Mr. Krug's bondsmen.

McGowan, who is said to have bribed Krug, has not been located.

Brooklyn Brevities.

Shortly after midnight, Policeman Worth, of the Ralph avenue station, found that thieves had forced an entrance to H. Bohach's grocery, 159 Broadway, and stolen $29 from the money drawer.

Jeremiah M. Terry, of 1061 Bushwick avenue, told the police to-day that he had been robbed of a gold watch worth $60, while standing on the Union "L" station at the Brooklyn Bridge.

$8 Excursion to Niagara Falls via West Shore RR. 5 P. M. Saturday. See excursions.

NO WOMEN WERE ALLOWED IN THE M'AULIFFE-GRIFFO SPARRING MATCH LAST MONDAY. YET MEG MERRILIES WILL TELL ALL ABOUT THE FIGHT IN THE "SUNDAY WORLD." SHE WAS ON THE GROUND.

HOT FIGHT ON AN "L" STATION

Four Returning Pionickers in a Melee with Train Hands.

Gateman Quinlan Says They Used Bad Language in the Car.

There was a lively row in a Third avenue "L" train at the Houston street station at 5 o'clock this morning between four passengers and the train and station hands.

Jacob Fletner, his son, Herman, and his daughter, Freda, attended a picnic at Sulzer's Harlem River Park last night, and started for home about 1 o'clock this morning with a man named Cook.

Mr. Fletner is said to be a little hard of hearing, and conversation between the men was very hard. At Ninth street Gateman William Quinlan told them to stop their noise. He says their language was indecent, and that other occupants in the car had complained. Fletner, Quinlan says, replied in an insulting manner, and he did not stop.

At Houston street the Fletners left the train for their home, 128 Columbia street. Quinlan and other employees of the road say Fletner attempted to assault him, while Fletner and his friends say it was the other way.

A fight ensued, at all events, in which young Fletner received a black eye and a badly cut lip.

As the train was moving out of the station Fletner put his fist through two windows.

A policeman was called and Fletner was locked up on complaint of Quinlan. Justice Ryan held Fetlner in $300 bail for his good behavior for one month.

TWO TOWNS FLOODED.

Five Lives Lost Owing to a Cloudburst in Texas.

(By Associated Press.)

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 31.—News reached here last evening that a cloudburst flooded the town of Uvalde, the county seat of Uvalde County, Tex., eight miles west of the Southern Pacific, and the town of Dhanis, Medina County, fifty miles west, on Wednesday night.

After midnight the water in Uvalde was three feet deep, and the population took refuge on high ground. Three people were drowned. In Dhanis, two children were drowned. Water was four feet deep there. The bridges and approaches of the Southern Pacific were washed away, which will stop trains for a week.

EXPLOSION KILLS THREE.

Boiler Blows Up on a Farm in Minnesota.

(By Associated Press.)

FERGUS FALLS, Minn., Aug. 31.—The engine of Knudson & Thorsen, who were threshing in Stoaybrook, Grant County, exploded yesterday. Hank Knudson, one of the proprieors, and his father were killed. Tollof Andersen, aged thirty-six years, was injured so badly that he died in four hours. Hans Thorsen, aged twenty-eight, one of the owners, was badly scalded, but may survive.

The cause of the explosion is not known, as all who were near enough to have seen the trouble were killed.

LIGHT WEIGHT ON COAL.

Inspector's Report Shows That Brooklynites Are Being Duped.

Coal Inspector Weeks, of Brooklyn, today submitted a monthly report to Mayor Schieren showing that some dealers sell coal as much as forty pounds short in a ton.

There were 18 tons 10 pounds short; 11 tons 20 pounds short; 10 tons 30 pounds short, and 4 tons 40 pounds short. The report shows that in 45 tons inspected consumers were deprived of nearly a half ton of coal.

IF YOU DON'T READ THE "SUNDAY WORLD" YOU SHOULD.

NEW JERSEY NEWS.

GANG OF THIEVES CORRALLED.

Police Think They Have All the Montclair Robbers.

One Was Wearing an Officer's Uniform He Had Stolen.

MONTCLAIR, N. J., Aug. 31.—The gang of burglars that has been raiding the houses of wealthy residents here has been captured. The police believe they have secured all of them. Last night Special Officer Peter Christie, who is the detailed man on Broad street, in Newark, noticed two men attempting to dispose of some silverware and jewelry on Canal street. Both were colored.

These two colored men acted in a suspicious manner, and Officer Christie concluded to arrest them. When locked up they gave their names as Ledenburgh and Shelton Warner. Word was sent to the Montclair police, and they notified the owners of the stolen property.

One after another those whose houses had been robbed went to Newark and identified the articles in the possession of the two colored men as their property, which had been stolen from their houses. All the property stolen was recovered. It consisted of silverware, wearing apparel, trinkets and other articles of value.

The Montclair police were certain that more men were implicated in the robberies, and they set out to catch the rest of the gang.

Policemen Rudden and Gallagher were detailed to catch the thieves, and at 1.30 o'clock this morning Frank Cisco, a colored man, twenty-two years of age, was detected in the act of impersonating an officer. He was arrested and locked up. At 3.20 this morning Henry Miller, alias "Fritz Miller," a German, fifty-nine years of age, was arrested while lying under the window of a residence. He also was locked up.

The police are convinced that they have the right men. This morning both men were arraigned before Judge Milligan. The Judge postponed the hearing until this evening.

Twelve houses were entered on Wednesday night last by thieves. Among them were the homes of George W. Bostwick, in Mountain avenue; Rev. Richard Hayward, Mountain avenue; C. E. Clark, Inwood avenue; Walter Brown, Inwood avenue; Cyrus Walzer, Lorraine avenue; Samuel Hubbard, Mountain avenue; Judge Hugh Gallagher and J. Foster.

At Mr. Clark's house, Mr. Clark heard the burglars and shot at them seven times, but missed them. The burglars overhauled the houses pretty thoroughly. They discarded plated ware after testing it. They destroyed some property they did not steal. They drank up a case of beer in Walter Brown's house and cleaned out the refrigerator. Among other things they stole a policeman's full uniform. Cisco had this uniform on when arrested. His idea evidently was to impersonate an officer in case he was caught in a house by the occupants. They failed to get in John R. Livermore's house, but they stole a set of harness worth $150 from his barn.

THEY FOOLED HER.

May Burke Missed Witnessing Wilkinson's Interment.

(Special to The Evening World.)

ELIZABETH, N. J., Aug. 31.—The brothers of Gerald Wilkinson, the rich spendthrift, who died after a drunken carousal in the Grand Union Hotel here, neatly gave the slip yesterday to May Burke, the young woman who claimed to be his wife. She, in company with three or four of her gentleman admirers, took a train to New York yesterday, intending to take the 2 o'clock train to Putnam, Conn., where the interment was to take place.

Meanwhile the body was left at Ford's Morgue here, in charge of Dr. Lawrence. Wilkinson, the dead man's brother. He and his brothers, who is a lawyer, living in New York, had made up their minds to get away from the alleged widow, and the lawyer went to Putnam Wednesday night to make arrangements for the funeral, and had a grave opened, and an undertaker with a hearse in waiting at the depot for the arrival of the remains. Dr. Wilkinson had the body placed in an elegant hardwood, cloth-covered casket, with an outside box of antique oak, and it was shipped on the 11 o'clock train from New York to the Jersey City depot, Railroad, and taken without change of cars to its destination, the only person accompanying it being the dead man's brother. All the arrangements worked smoothly, and the body was interred in the family plot two hours before the alleged widow and her companions reached Putnam.

May Burke announces to-day that she intends making a fight for the dead man's money. Her trunks and those of Wilkinson have been attached by Henry Keenan, an Elizabeth liveryman, who has a claim of $110 for carriage hire against the couple.

CAN'T SELL THIS HORSE.

Old Ben Returns to His First Master Every Time.

BLOOMFIELD, N. J., Aug. 31.—A curious instance of the affection of a horse for its old master has come to light here. J. W. Baldwin & Bros., grocers, owned a bay horse, called Ben, for twelve years and then sold him to Joseph Hinds, a Brookdale farmer.

Three times the horse returned to the Baldwins' stable of its own accord. Hinds finally sold Ben to a Mr. Scannell, of Belleville, who, in turn, disposed of him to Daniel Shanahan, of the same place.

Last Tuesday morning old Ben, accompanied by a brown setter dog, his constant companion, was standing at Baldwins' stable door. He was sent back to Mr. Shanahan.

FUGITIVE EUGER CAUGHT.

Alleged Embezzler Arrested in Newark and Held for Trial.

(Special to The Evening World.)

ELIZABETH, N. J., Aug. 31.—Charles Euger, aged thirty-one, a resident of Hoboken and travelling salesman for Leonard C. Passman, a hardware merchant, of this city, was arrested last night in Newark by Detective Decker, of this city, on a charge of embezzlement.

Euger is accused of stealing several hundred dollars from his employers. He has been working on the road for Mr. Passman over a year.

He dodged the detective at Hoboken and fled to Newark, where he was picked up on Mulberry street. The prisoner was brought to this city, and this morning was committed to jail in default of $500 bail. He is unmarried.

Found an Oil Well at Woodbridge.

WOODBRIDGE, N. J., Aug. 31. [illegible] Dumphy, the Pennsylvania Railroad gate [illegible] and at the Green street crossing, thinks he [illegible] covered an oil well. Part of Dumphy's duties consist of sprinkling the crossing with water drawn from a well belonging to the Company, situated a few steps from the flag shanty. Dumphy claims that the water in this well contains a large portion of oil, as it has a very peculiar taste, and upon standing a short time, a thick oily scum rises to the top of it.

ALL OF THE "SITUATIONS WANTED" ADS., MALE OR FEMALE, APPEARING IN "THE WORLD" TO-MORROW WILL BE REPEATED, FREE OF CHARGE, IN "THE EVENING WORLD"—20 WORDS FOR 10 CENTS.

MAKES THEM SMILE.

Green-Goods Men Find a Safe Harbor in Jersey City.

No Attempt to Capture Them for Their Latest Outrage.

Inspector Lange Gives Out a Statement Telling Why.

The peculiar state of affairs in Jersey City police circles is evidenced by a remarkable statement given out to-day by Police Inspector Lange, of that city. A daring attempt at robbery had been made within the city limits, yet, although he says he knows the perpetrators of the outrage, as well as the intended victim, he proposes to sit still and do nothing.

Not a move of any kind will be made to bring the offenders to justice.

The story of the outrage was fully told in "The Evening World" yesterday. In a crowded trolley car a man was set upon by two highwaymen, who tried to steal a grip full of money which the man had in his possession. When he escaped they followed him over fields, but did not succeed in robbing him.

This is the interesting statement of Inspector Lange.

The Inspector said he knew the name of the man whom the two men attempted to rob. He said he also knew the names of the two men. The Inspector said that the two men who attempted to rob the other were green-goods operators, and the other man with the bag was formerly a green-goods operator, but is now engaged in legitimate business in New York.

The Inspector said that the bag contained $4,000 which the man was taking from the race track.

The Inspector said he thinks the man with the bag has some business with a man who owns race horses, or owns some himself, and that he was taking the money from the track to his home in Bayonne. The two men who followed him saw the money and attempted to rob him, but they were too slow and the man escaped to his home. The other two men went to New York.

The Inspector refused to give the names of either of the parties interested and said there would probably be no arrests in the case, as the man whom the two attempted to rob, would not make a complaint against them.

The two men were formerly connected with the other man in the green goods business, and the Inspector said the case would probably stand as it does now.

Now the green-goods men, who have transferred much of their operations from New York to Jersey City, must smile at this. They can carry on their business now, evidently with safety.

DESERTER MORRIS ARRESTED

Charged with Horse Stealing, Too, and Committed to Jail.

Theodore Morris, better known as "Dude" Morris, of 301 Varick street, Jersey City, was arraigned before Justice Douglass, of that city, to-day, on the charge of grand larceny.

About two weeks ago Morris hired a horse and carriage at King's livery stable, and failed to return it. He was seen last night for the first time since he secured the rig, and was locked up.

Morris gained considerable notoriety several months ago by eloping with Mrs. Jessie Green, daughter of a Mrs. Logan. To escape punishment for this he enlisted in the United States Army, and was assigned to Fort Wadsworth, S. I.

Morris soon became tired of a soldier's life, and determined to escape. One night he knocked down the sentry on duty and went to New York. He is now wanted by the Government for desertion.

When Morris was arrested last night for stealing the rig he was walking through Montgomery street with Mrs. Green on his arm. When taken to Police Headquarters, although he is well known there, he insisted that his name was John Adams.

Previous to Mrs. Green's elopement with Morris she horsewhipped a business man named Duke for making remarks about her. Hall.

This morning Justice Douglass committed Morris to jail without bail. He will probably be turned over to the authorities at Fort Wadsworth.

THE LAW TO BE TESTED.

Ex-Senator Edwards Objects to Jersey City's Redistricting.

Ex-Senator William D. Edwards, of Jersey City, on behalf of the Democratic Central Committee of Hudson County, is going to test the constitutionality of the law ordering the redistricting of that city.

Under a recent act of the Legislature the city was redistricted into twelve wards, nine of which are Republicans and three Democratic.

Ex-Senator Edwards is going to base his fight on a clause which reads: "A Freeholder shall be elected for each ward." The ex-Senator says that the clause regarding the Freeholder being elected had nothing to do with the redistricting of the city, and that the clause should be a separate law. On this he bases his claim that the law is unconstitutional.

Before the city was redistricted the Republican and Democratic wards were about evenly divided.

MURDERED GIRL'S FUNERAL.

Clara Arnim Buried To-Day in Washington Cemetery.

The funeral of Clara Arnim, of Hoboken, N. J., who was murdered on Tuesday afternoon by her reputed husband, Paul Genz, took place to-day. The interment was in the Washington Hebrew Cemetery in Brooklyn. The funeral expenses will be paid by the two relatives of the murdered woman who are here. Genz is still in the county jail, and shows no signs of regret for his act. He says he intended to kill himself also, but did not have time to do so.

The inquest in the case will be held on Monday next.

THERE WILL BE A PAGE OF SEASHORE BEAUTIES IN THE "SUNDAY WORLD." YOUR PICTURE MAY BE AMONG THEM.

Aroused from Sleep by Fire.

Fire was discovered at 2.30 this morning in the rear of the crockery store of Michael Griffin at 67 Newark avenue, Jersey City. The tenants in the house, which is a four-story tenement, were aroused from their sleep and ran screaming into the street. No one was injured. The damage was about $1,000.

Policy Dealer Held.

Daniel Keenan, of 219 Lafayette street, was a prisoner in the Jersey City Police Court to-day on the charge of conducting a lottery. He was arrested yesterday in the Lafayette section of the city. He was held for trial.

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THE AUTHOR AND COMPOSER OF "SWEET MARIE," RAYMON MOORE, WILL HAVE A SONG IN THE "SUNDAY WORLD" CALLED "DEAR LOUISE." YOU SHOULD HAVE A COPY.

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