CROWELL GIVES UP HIS JOB OF STREET CLEANING

William H. Edwards, His Deputy, Said to Be Slated for Commissionership.

WEIGHS 300 POUNDS

But Is a Former Football Player and a Hustler in Business.

Street-Cleaning Commissioner Foster Crowell resigned to-day, explaining to the Mayor that he desired to resume the private practice of his profession as an engineer. Mayor McClellan accepted Mr. Crowell's resignation to take effect on Jan. 1.

Deputy Street-Cleaning Commissioner William H. Edwards, who will succeed Crowell as head of the Department, is practically in command to-day. The Mayor is said to be impressed with Mr. Edwards's activities and executive ability and expects that he will make good as a Street-Cleaning Commissioner.

The Mayor is said to have received numerous complaints of mismanagement in the Street Cleaning Department and to have expressed his determination to make a change.

William Howard Edwards is a former football player popularly known as "Big Bill." He is a six-footer, broad shouldered and athletic and weighs 300 pounds, but his weight is no handicap to his physical activities. He is a stern disciplinarian and because of his rigid rule over the men of the department is not popular with them. He exacts a full day's work from employees and will not tolerate idlers.

Who will succeed Edwards as deputy has not been decided.

Since the time of Woodbury two men have grappled unsuccessfully with the big job of cleaning the city's streets. McDonough Craven, who succeeded Woodbury, had a short tenure of office which was not fraught with glowing success. He in turn was succeeded by Foster Crowell, under whose administration little progress has been made or improvement shown.

Edwards is expected to tackle his new job in centre rush fashion and to make many a touch down at the game of street cleaning.

RECEIVER FOR DIESEL ENGINE COMPANY

Brewer Busch's $200,000 Claim Largest of Concern's Creditors.

The American Diesel Engine Company, of No. 11 Broadway, was declared bankrupt to-day in the Federal Court. Judge Holt appointed John D. Wilke receiver, with authority to continue the business for ten days under a $50,000 bond.

Adolphus Busch, the St. Louis brewer, is the principal creditor, with a claim of $200,000 on twenty-seven notes. Other creditors named are the Schaeffer & Budenberg Manufacturing Company, $21, and Robert W. Hunt & Co., $93.20.

Admission of insolvency and default in the payment of three notes amounting to $15,000, due between Nov. 30 and Dec. 31, are alleged. The assets of the corporation are put at $100,000, consisting of combination oil engines, machinery and accounts in New York, Indiana, Wisconsin, Rhode Island and Missouri.

MRS. RUSSELL SAGE'S GIFT.

Sends to Each of 399 Park Employees a $5 Gold Piece.

When Park Commissioner Henry Smith arrived at the Arsenal in Central Park this morning he found a messenger waiting for him with a small bag, which held $1,995 in gold, the Christmas present of Mrs. Russell Sage to 399 employees in the Park.

Last year Mrs. Sage made a similar present. The money is given to all employees in the Park Department who receive $3 or less a day. Each man is given a $5 gold piece. The money will be distributed to the men to-morrow.

"What Is Home Without a Piano?" —WISE.

DANCE TO THE TONE OF A "WISE" BARGAIN ON CHRISTMAS

STEINWAY UPRIGHT $225
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Song hit of Eddie Foy from "Mr. Hamlet of Broadway," words and music, free with next Sunday's World.

STRICKEN DEAD ON PLATFORM OF SUBWAY STATION

Special Policeman Gilligan, of Chemical Bank, Collapsed in Rush for Train.

John F. Gilligan, of No. 694 Dawson street, Bronx, special officer in the Chemical National Bank, at Chambers street and Broadway, and formerly a lieutenant in the Police Department, dropped dead this morning on the downtown subway station at Prospect and Westchester avenues. He had suffered from heart disease and had just run up the stairs to the station, which is elevated at that point.

Gilligan left his home at 8 o'clock on his way to work in the bank. A train was entering the station as he rushed through the gate and dropped his ticket into the box. The gateman, George W. Kirklent, who knew him, saw him stagger to one side and lean against a wall.

He stood there with his hands clasped against his left breast for a moment, stepped forward as though to board the train and then collapsed on the platform. Men who had been waiting for the train carried him into the ticket office while Kirklent called Policeman Daly.

Daly summoned Ambulance Surgeon Kleinberger from Lebanon Hospital, who said that Gilligan had lived only a few minutes after his collapse.

Gilligan's identity was established through a memorandum book found in his pocket in which he had inscribed his name and address with this communication: "If anything happens to me notify my undertaker, William Connerton, No. 129 Washington place."

MARATHON WALTZ CONTEST.

Winning Couple at Dance Will Receive $100 in Gold.

A Marathon waltz of fifty laps over the Terrace Garden course, with timekeepers, judges and referee, was decided on yesterday as the feature attraction of the Hesper Club ball, which is scheduled this season for Jan. 22. "Big Tim" Sullivan will act as referee and the officials will be the same as those who acted at the recent Longboat-Dorando race in Madison Square Garden. A prize of $100 in gold to the winning couple has been suggested by Herman Rosenthal, chairman of the ball committee.

As each couple enters the event a number will be attached to the gentleman masquerader. As he and his companion whirl by the judges' stand on each lap registrations will be made. It is intended that the couple who complete the full fifty laps first, after complying with the rules, which will be announced shortly, will be declared the winners.

More than $350 in gold will be distributed by "Big Tim" Sullivan to winners of various events.

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HELD AS BIGAMIST.

Hyman F. Radin, a tailor, of No. 159 East Twenty-second street, was held in the Centre Street Court to-day on a charge of bigamy. He was arrested by a Jersey City detective, having been indicted there.

Mrs. Lena Sussman Radin, of No. 356 Palisade avenue, Jersey City, who says she is Radin's third wife, charged that Radin married her a year ago to-day, and deserted her four months later. She then learned he had been married twice before.

Magistrate Finn committed Radin to the Tombs, awaiting extradition.

DALZELL TURNED DOWN.

PITTSBURG, Dec. 23.—Congressman Dalzell has been turned down by the legislative delegation from his district as candidate for the United States Senate seat of Philander C. Knox. The caucus indorsed George T. Oliver unanimously.

Xmas Tip

Send him several doz. bottles of good old

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Men's and Young Men's Overcoats

At $10—Strictly all wool black, oxford and fancy gray Overcoats; correct box models, 46, 48 and 50 inches long. Every garment will hold shape, fit, style and color until worn out. Good $13.50, $15 and $18 values. Xmas Special **$10**

At $13.50—New brown, olive and gray shade Overcoats and black and oxford Overcoats, of kersey, melton, vicuna worsted and worsted cheviot. Cut on a dozen models, 46 to 52 inches long, for men and young men. Full $20 values. Xmas Special **$13.50**

At $17—Auto-military and box model Overcoats. Fabrics include kersey, melton, velour and worsted. There are black and oxford and blue Overcoats and new brown, tan, olive, smoke gray and other gray shade Overcoats. Tailored by best makers. Values are $22.50, $25 and $28. Xmas Special **$17**

Men's and Young Men's Suits

At $10—All wool velour, cassimere and cheviot Suits, in new shades: All wool black thibet Suits. Neat dark mixture worsted Suits. These garments are $13.50, $15 and $18 values and will hold shape, fit, style and color until worn out. Xmas Special..... **$10**

At $13.50—The best $20 value Suits in America. All wool pure worsteds and velours. All journeyman tailored. All the new smoke, olive and tan shades, as well as dark mixtures and black thibets. There are 75 patterns and 25 models, many extreme, for men and young men to choose from. Full $20 values. Xmas Special **$13.50**

At $17—Pure worsted, finest velour and vicuna finished black thibet Suits. Included are stripe effects in all the new shades. There are 20 different models. Many of these Suits are silk lined. The values are $22.50, $25 and $28. Xmas Special..... **$17**

Young Men's Suits and Overcoats

At $6—Sizes 14 to 20 years. OVERCOATS of black, oxford, fancy brown, smoke and gray shades, and SUITS, cut on new cuff sleeve models, of new brown and mixture effects; good style and good service assured; full $8 values. Xmas Special..... **$6**

At $8—Sizes 14 to 20 years. Fancy brown and gray stripe OVERCOATS and black and oxford OVERCOATS.

SUITS of velour, cassimere and cheviot, in new browns, grays and mixtures. All $10 values and warranted to hold shape, fit, style and color. Xmas Special..... **$8**

Children's Suits and Overcoats

At $1.95—Brown and oxford fancy melton Russian Overcoats. $2.95 values. Xmas Special..... **$1.95**

At $2—Knicker Suits, sizes 8 to 16 years. $4 and $5 standard in fabrics and tailoring. Xmas Special..... **$2**

At $2.95—Reduced from $4.95, $5.95 and $6.95, Children's all wool Overcoats, in sizes (mostly) 11 to 15 years. Broken sizes account for these desirable Overcoats being Xmas Specials at **$2.95**

Suits at $2.95—All wool blue suits, fancy Knicker Suits and blue serge Russian Suits. $4 and $5 values. Xmas Special, **$2.95**

At $3.95—Dudley waterproof combination Suits, with 2 pairs of Knickers and pure worsted blue serge Knicker Suit; sizes 7 to 16 years. OVERCOATS—all wool Russian Overcoats. Reefers and School box Coats, in plain shades and fancy brown, olive, tan and gray shades. These garments are good $5 and $6 values. Xmas Special..... **$3.95**

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Grocery Specials Fifth Floor.

Our "Red Star" Coffee, fresh daily from our own coffee roasting plant. Bean, granulated or pulverized. One-pound cartons; regularly 29c.; sale, 23c.; five-pound carton, beans only, $1.14; 25-pound bag..... **$5.48**

Our own importation of Guava Jelly, from Ponce, Porto Rico, in 16-oz. glass jars, imported to sell at 35c. per jar; this special lot, 18c. each; dozen, **$2.04**

A Special Sale of Home-Made Fresh Red Raspberries and Strawberries, in quart jars; our regular price 64c. a jar; this sale, 54c.; dozen..... **$6.38**

McVitie & Price's Edinburgh Biscuits, in half-pound cartons, fresh and crisp; Petit Beurre; this sale, each..... **7c**

Indian River Florida Oranges, large, juicy fruit; box of one dozen, this sale..... **29c**

Indian River Grape Fruit, extra fancy; sold elsewhere at 15c. each; this sale, box of 6..... **52c**

Baskets of Fancy Fresh Fruit..... **$2.96** and upward.

Lily White Brand California Royal Anne White Cherries, No. 3 can, regularly 41c.; this sale, 34c.; dozen..... **$3.97**

La Forge Brand Pure Red Currant Jelly, large glass jar, 24c. each; dozen..... **$2.77**

Figs, extra large size, luscious and healthful, per lb..... 12c. and **17c**

Jessamine Brand White Asparagus, large, square cans; our regular price, 44c. a can; this sale, 39c.; dozen, **$4.54**

Jessamine Brand Green Asparagus, regularly 44c. a can; this sale, 34c.; dozen..... **$3.97**

French Prunes large size, thin-skinned, imported to sell at 20c. the lb.; this sale, 10-lb. box..... **$1.34**

La Forge Brand Mince Meat. Compare it with the highest priced mince meat on the market; our price for quart jar..... **44c**

Lily White Brand, half gallon jar..... **64c**

Macy's Old English Style Plum Pudding, Lily White Brand, properly ripened and thoroughly matured; 1-lb. can, 21c.; 2-lb. can, 38c.; 3-lb. can, 58c.; 4-lb. can..... **73c**

Lily White Brand Plum Pudding Sauce, can..... **13c**

Special Sale of Olives—Specially selected, large, Spanish fruit, not culls or second grade, each olive sound and perfect. Our regular prices are twenty-five per cent. less than similar qualities are retailed elsewhere:

Luncheon Olives, regularly 16c.; for this sale, 13c. a bottle; dozen, **$1.49**

Queen Olives, 10-oz. bottles, regularly 22c.; sale, 18c.; dozen..**$2.04**

Queen Olives, 18-oz. bottles; regularly 39c.; sale, 28c.; dozen. **$3.29**

Stuffed Manzanilla Olives, filled with peppers; regularly 19c.; sale, 15c.; dozen **$1.74**

Queen Olives, 28-oz. bottles; regularly 52c.; sale, 42c.; dozen, **$4.93**

Olives Stuffed with Peppers, 10-oz. bottle, regularly 26c.; sale, 21c.; dozen..... **$2.44**

Queen Olives Stuffed with Peppers, 10-oz. bottles, regularly 34c.; sale, 27c.; dozen..... **$3.15**

Olives Stuffed with Celery, 10-oz. bottle, regularly 24c.; sale, 19c.; dozen..... **$2.19**

Macy's
B'way at 6th Av. 34th to 35th St.
R. H. Macy & Co.'s Attractions Are Their Low Prices

Summing Up the Christmas Situation:

Decisive REDUCTIONS have been made all through the store, HALF THE ORIGINAL LOW PRICES ruling in many instances. This HALF-PRICING applies chiefly to the lines of high-priced Gift Novelties and to the scores of broken assortments of low and medium priced Gift Goods.

These SACRIFICES—necessary in the stock-turning that is a mainstay of MACY'S Cash Business—mean DOUBLED PURCHASING POWER FOR THE MONEY OF LATE HOLIDAY SHOPPERS.

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As a time and trouble saver, we suggest that you use BLUE TRANSFER CARDS in purchasing goods you expect to carry. They may be used in any or all departments. When you have finished your shopping your purchases will be found packed and ready to take as soon as the card is presented at the Transfer desk.

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Wilton Rugs
One piece, 9x12, value $30..... **21.50**

BRUSSELS RUGS
9x12; formerly $18, **10.49** 6x9; formerly $10; **6.98**

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The Day Before

Christmas Eve! The day long looked for is about to dawn. Candles will soon be lighted and stockings will soon be hung. The sweet legends of Santa Claus will be retold again and again. Around the pillows on which curly heads nestle will hover the fairy forms of all the saints in the calendar of love. There are no Old Scrooges at this happy Holiday time. The heart-beat of humanity is quickened by the glad festival spirit. The store tension relaxes for an instant. The strain of the past month slackens and rest follows—a day of rest and then the tide will begin to surge again.

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Engagement Ring, steel white, fine gem, perfectly cut, 9-10 karat; skeleton setting, worth $100; special..... $65

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Any color centre, surrounded by genuine Diamonds; only 25 rings left; so be early; special... $9

Solid gold, genuine Diamond, 3-8 kt.; per pair.... $18

Diamond Ear Screws, very brilliant; 3-8 kt.; pure white $37

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Solid Gold Sleeve Links, a pair	$1.75 up
Solid Gold Hat Pins	$1.75 up
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Solid Gold Barrettes	$3.00 up
Solid Gold Neck Chains	$2.50 up
Solid Gold Crosses	$2.50 up
Solid Gold Tie Clasps	$1.75 up
Solid All Gold Fobs	$12.75 up
Solid Gold Fobs, mounted on fine black silk Ribbon	$6.25 up
Solid Gold Buttons and Studs	$1.25 up

Diamond Ear Drops, blue white 1¼ karats, perfectly cut; worth $375; special at..... $195

Diamond Ear Screws from $10.00 to $1,000.

Solid gold, pure white diamond, relief design..... $12

Bangle Bracelet, 1-10 gold; price elsewhere $10; our price..... $5.00

Gentlemen's 14-karat gold Waltham or Elgin, extra heavy..... $25.00

Solid Gold American Watch and Pin (smallest made), extra fine special, jewelled movement; price including monogram..... $8.50

Solid gold, 14-karat throughout, five fine white diamonds, fitted with jewelled Waltham movement; others ask $40; our price..... $27.50

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