have heretofore been occupied by the Corporation Counsel, the street opening business will, for the present, be conducted in Trinity building, room No. 31, and will be in charge of Henry G. Bronson. The other business of the Corporation Counsel will continue to be transacted in the rooms Nos. 5, 6, and 7, over the Broadway Bank. Thos. Fields, esq., late Public Administrator under Mr. Busteed, has been reappointed by Mr. Bronson, the new Corporation Counsel, and filed his bonds on Tuesday. Most of the clerks who held offices under Mr. Busteed will be retained under the new régime.

The Mercantile Library Association, having finished its course of Literary Lectures has arranged for a supplementary course on Natural Science, having secured the services of Mr. E. L. YOUMANS for four Lectures on "The Influence of Celestial Radiations," being an expansion of his elucidations of "The Chemistry of the Sunbeam."

THE INEBRIATES' HOME.—For some months past the temperance people of this city have had under consideration the establishment of a home for inebriates, an institution to which the broken-down drunkard might be taken and reclaimed. An "Inebriates' Friend Society" has been formed, and its committee are now negotiating for the opening of an establishment on a small scale, at No. 154 Chatham street. It is very much desired that the advocates and friends of temperance everywhere may lend a helping hand to this enterprise. With a view to carrying out the objects of the Institution, and of establishing it upon a good practical basis, the committee solicit donations in the form of bedsteads, bedding, and other articles of furniture which may be necessary. Friends desirous to patronize the effort may do so by placing themselves in communication with the Hon. C. C. Leigh, No. 563 Broadway, or Dr. J. E. Snodgrass, No. 133 East Broadway, New-York.

INTERESTING FROM AFRICA.—At the meeting of the American Geographical and Statistical Society this evening in Clinton Hall, Mr. Du Chaillu will read a paper upon his late explorations in the equatorial regions of Africa. Mr. Du Chaillu passed many months in a totally unexplored portion of Africa, and penetrated far into the mysterious interior of that continent. He employed himself especially in collecting the objects of natural history and ethnology which are now preserved in his cabinet in Broadway; but his notes on the geography and topography of the territory which he traversed were also made with great care and exactness. A letter from Dr. David Livingstone, written from a point far up the Zambesi River in South Africa, will also be laid before the Society. The celebrated African explorer communicates to the Society a detailed account of his tour up the Shire, an important branch of the Zambesi, flowing through a cotton-growing country of great extent and fertility.

THE CROTON AQUEDUCT DEPARTMENT.—The annual report of the Croton Aqueduct Board, as presented to the Board of Aldermen, gives the total receipts of the Department for the year as $800,219 44, of which amount $748,930 62 were for water rents, $21,723 for permits to connect with sewers, $17,616 74 for permits for street vaults, $10,319 83 for penalties on water rents, and $1,629 25 for old materials sold. The leading expenditure has been upon the new reservoir at the Central Park, $501,392 49 having been spent during the year upon the work. For supervision and repairs of the Aqueduct from the Croton dam to the receiving reservoir there has been spent $18,046 22. The latter item includes the loss sustained by the lower distributing reservoir at the time of the burning of the Crystal Palace. During the year maps and calculations of the topographical survey of the Croton Valley have been completed, through which the Board has been able to obtain accurate knowledge of the capacity of the Croton River to furnish water to the city in future. There have been laid during the year 17,029 feet of new water pipe, the whole costing $92,452 01. For street expenses and paving there have been expended $77,299 11; for repairing and rebuilding old sewers and culverts $31,081, and on account of salaries, there have been paid $26,962 19. Toward the Croton-Water Works extension, in all the branches, there have been expended $979,000. The report contains lengthy analytical statements of leading chemists regarding the water, made during the excitement some time since, as to its alleged unhealthfulness.

SANITARY ASSOCIATION.—At the meeting of the Sanitary Association in the Cooper Institute, this evening, Dr. Wynne will read a paper on "Pauperism, and the Duty of our Legislators to the Laboring Classes." He will give the facts which ought to be taken as a basis for action by the Legislature.

CITY-HALL GOSSIP.—Politics and rumors of changes are the order of the day at the City Hall. Mayor Wood yesterday substituted Wilson M. Dutcher, his former private officer, in the place of Mr. Baldwin, who served Mr. Tiemann in that capacity, Baldwin going back to his Ward. The crowd of office-seekers was as great as ever yesterday. Among the rumors afloat it is stated that Mayor Wood intends to remove the City Hall Police Court into the quarters now occupied by the Twenty-sixth Precinct police, who in turn are to be removed to some other place not designated, and that the present rooms of the Police Court are to be appropriated to the use of the Chief Marshal. Steps, in that case, will be constructed communicating directly with the Mayor's office.

It is also stated, rather indefinitely, that Justice Osborn will take the place of Justice Welsh. The attempt to remove Capt. Leonard will be resisted by Superintendent Pilsbury, it is said, in case Mr. Wood carries his point in the Board of Police Commissioners. Capt. Walling of the Detectives, has the misfortune to be disliked by Mr. Wood, and this antipathy had induced the Mayor to make an effort to oust him from his position.

A POLITICAL ROUGH AND TUMBLE.—A fight occurred in Twelfth street, on Monday night, between two Democratic politicians named Edward C. Malloy and John Irwin, in which the latter was decidedly worsted. It appears, that previous to the late Charter election Malloy was a candidate for Alderman of the Twelfth District, and was promised the support of Irwin. The latter, however, changed his mind, and gave his influence to some one else, which resulted in the defeat of Malloy. This engendered ill-feeling between these persons, and it is alleged that when they accidentally met on Monday night, Malloy commenced an attack on Irwin, knocking him down, kicking him, and finally biting off the greater portion of his under lip. On making a complaint against Malloy, Justice Steers granted Irwin a warrant for the arrest of the alleged cannibal, and that individual was brought to Court yesterday. After hearing the case, and seeing the bruised and disfigured condition of Irwin, the magistrate required Malloy to find bail in the sum of $2,000 to answer the charge. Councilman Costello became his surety, and the twain departed.

AN ALLEGED TICKET SWINDLER.—Robert Thompson and John H. Rist, from Fayette County, Pa., arrived here a day or two since, destined for California. They were induced to purchase their tickets at an office in West street, where the somewhat notorious Stephen Gorden sold them steerage tickets for $75 each, when the regular price is but $50. Learning this fact, the Pennsylvanians caused the arrest of Gordon, and Justice Connolly required him to give $1,000 bail to appear and answer the charge. Frederick A. Heath of No. 102 Cedar street became surety for Gordon's appearance, and he was set at liberty.

CAUGHT AT LAST.—Charles Nelligan and Thomas Brickley were arrested yesterday by Deputy Sheriff Pratt, from Oswego, N. Y., assisted by Officer Houghton of the Second Precinct. It seems that about a year since a burglary was committed on the store and dwelling of Mr. Pratt at Oswego, and about $300 in cash and clothing of considerable value carried off by the burglars. A short time afterward Mr. Pratt received such information as led him to believe that Nelligan and Brickley were the individuals who had perpetrated the robbery. Learning also that they were in this city, he hastened hither, and after a protracted search made by himself and Officer Houghton, they succeeded in finding and arresting both of the accused. While in the hands of the officer Brickley suddenly broke away and ran off, but a shot or two from a revolver induced him to seek refuge between the legs of a cart-horse, when he was again taken into custody. Both the prisoners were transferred to the care of Mr. Pratt, who will convey them back to Oswego for trial.

JUVENILE FORGERS.—John S. Brennan, 18 years of age, living at No. 218 West Twenty-fifth street, and James S. Silvey, 17 years of age, of No. 291 Tenth street, were arrested yesterday by Officer Houghton of the Second Precinct, charged with having forged the name of John J. Kelly, a merchant doing business in Pine street. Some months since Brennan forged Mr. Kelly's signature to a check on the Market Bank for $124, which was presented and the cash obtained by young Silvey. On this amount the young men lived "fast" while it lasted, and when that was gone again tried their hand at another check, for $95, on the same bank, signing Mr. Kelly's name to it as before. This was presented by Silvey, but its worthlessness was detected by the cashier of the bank, who at once caused the arrest of the youth. Brennan was also taken into custody, and, after some equivocation, confessed the forgeries. The prisoners were taken before Justice Connolly, who committed them both for examination.

TERRIBLE DEATH—A MAN IMPALED.—Officer Elder of the Sixth Precinct, while patrolling his beat on Tuesday night, on passing the lager-beer saloon and boarding-house No. 74 Duane street, found an Italian, named Florian Cortella, impaled upon the pickets of an iron railing in front of the house. The officer immediately obtained assistance, and removed the man from his position, but the operation was too severe, and he died in their hands. The body was conveyed to the Sixth Precinct Station-House, where an inquest was held by Coroner Schirmer. The evidence showed that the deceased was an intemperate man, and that, while laboring under a fit of delirium tremens, he had jumped from a second-story window, and struck upon the pickets. A verdict was rendered in accordance with the facts. The deceased was a single man, about 55 years of age.

CRUELTY TO ANIMALS—SIXTH-AVENUE RAILROAD.—I desire to commend to the Superintendent of Police (whose duty I believe it is to see that the law in reference to cruelty to animals is enforced) the practice of the Sixth-Avenue Railroad Company in overloading the poor brutes they compel to draw their cars. A pair of mules weighing, perhaps, six, possibly seven, hundred pounds each, is hitched to a car weighing, with its load, from four to six tuns, and in order to get them through "on time" they are often whipped or pounded through nearly the whole route. Last evening I entered a car about 10 o'clock on West Broadway, and with all the whipping the driver could lay on, so completely jaded was the team, it seemed a very difficult thing much of the way to raise a trot, and finally the conductor took the whip, and although alongside of the mules on the ground, he could succeed no better than the driver. Remaining in the car until I could endure it no longer, I left it, and walked more than half a mile, unwilling to allow myself further to participate in the punishment inflicted on these abused beasts. This morning the car in which I rode was drawn by a very small pair of mules, who managed to get along tolerably well until they turned on to Vesey street, when their struggle to drag their burden after them was exceedingly painful to witness. Although the lash was applied incessantly, they came to a dead halt repeatedly in going half a block, when I left them apparently unable to move further. I am obliged to ride with great frequency on this, the Third, Fourth, and Eighth avenue Roads; but I think, from what I have witnessed, that there is more whipping fourfold on the Sixth avenue than all the others combined. It is not simply that *these mules are made to suffer, but passengers must hear the blows as they fall*, not always from a *whip*, but sometimes a cudgel. I have seen sticks used by the drivers that seemed to me like those taken from bales of hay.

Now, I submit that if this Company have a right to pound the life out of their mules, they have no right to punish their passengers by compelling them to witness the infliction. The truth is, mules are not at all adapted to this business; they were made for slower work, and the Sixth-avenue Company ought long since to have discarded them (as I believe all the other roads have done) and filled their places with good horses, weighing not less than a thousand pounds.

I have repeatedly spoken to different employees of the road in regard to the use of mules, and nearly two years ago was told that as fast as they could work off their mules they meant to do so, and get horses in their stead; but if the change is to proceed so slowly, it will yet be long before its consummation. I trust that the authorities, in the mean time, will see that while the Company continue to use these small mules, the animals may not be compelled to drag burdens that a decent humanity would not impose. If the scenes I have described were of rare occurrence, I should not speak; but I have seen and heard so much of this mauling, for more than two years, that I can do no less than ask Police inspection. H——.

New-York, Dec. 31, 1859.

GOT HIS MONEY'S WORTH.—Appolonia Heldt, the feminine proprietor of a corner grocery in Avenue B, accused Judas Katz, a hatter—who, notwithstanding his Israelitish prenomen, contends that he is of French extraction—of stealing a pocket-book containing $34. Appolonia, in addition to her stock of groceries, dispenses pennies' worth of milk and Croton to her needy customers; and she alleges that while Judas was purchasing the necessary flavoring for his morning coffee, he secreted the wallet about his person, with which he made off. Appolonia subsequently missed the money, and suspecting Judas of the theft caused his arrest. The bonds were not recovered, but appearances being against Judas, he was committed to answer by Justice Steers.

ACCIDENT.—An engineer in the printing establishment of Wm. H. Trafton & Co., No. 85 Broad street, was seriously hurt yesterday by having his fingers caught in the machinery of the engine; his hand was badly crushed, and, in a fainting condition, he was taken to the New-York Hospital. The same man some time since fell five stories through the hatchway of Messrs. Sackett, Belcher & Co.'s stores, in Whitehall street, seriously injuring his head. He has been out of the Hospital only a few days.

PASSING COUNTERFEIT BILLS.—Russel Myers, a policeman of the Twenty-first Precinct, yesterday arrested Wm. Gedney, on complaint of Wm.' Wines, for passing a counterfeit $5 bill, purporting to be a genuine issue of the North River Bank of this city. On being searched two other counterfeit $5 bills of the same bank were found in his possession. The accused was taken before Justice Kelly, at Jefferson Market, and was committed for examination.

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"HE DIED OF QUACKS" might mark many a grave, but how many victims of the consumption might have been saved by an early reliance upon Mrs. M. N. Gardner's Indian Balsam of Liverwort, sold by all the druggists in the world.

[Advertisement.]
GIRLS AND WOMEN SHOULD UNDERSTAND PHRENOLOGY TO ENABLE THEM TO avoid selfish and immoral men, and also to direct properly the training and education of children. Examinations at FOWLER & WELLS', 308 Broadway.

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NEW IMPROVEMENT IN PORTRAIT-TAKING.—12 Likenesses taken at one sitting; 2 dozen given for $1. Large-size PHOTOGRAPHS, colored to life, for only $1 50, at HOLMES'S Old Gallery, No. 315 Broadway, Depot of the Patent Camera.

[Advertisement.]
Millions of Bottles of MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP are now used every year in the United States for Children Teething, with never-failing success. Relief is immediate and certain. Only 25 cents a bottle.

BROOKLYN ITEMS.

Mr. and Mrs. Henri Drayton perform "Love is Blind," and "Ne'er too late to Mend"—two of their charming parlor operas—at the Polytechnic Institute to-night. Señor Oliveira will also appear.

THE KINGS COUNTY REPUBLICAN GENERAL COMMITTEE.—The Republican General Committee of Kings County met last evening, at No. 9 Court street, Brooklyn, to organize for the coming year. There was an unusually large attendance of members, every Ward in the city being represented. The interest in the Presidential struggle has brought many of the best men of the Republican party into the Committee this year, and an earnest and efficient campaign is expected. The following officers were elected: Seth B. Cole, esq., President; Thos. W. Field, A. H. Gale, and S. M. Parsons, Vice-Presidents; John N. Stearns, Secretary; W. L. Hubbell, Assistant Secretary; Ezra Baldwin, Treasurer.

THE FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE.—The Floating Hospital has been removed from her moorings, and taken to Winter quarters at Brooklyn. *The Richmond County Gazette* looks upon this as a happy circumstance, as now that no Hospital exists, the restrictions of quarantine cannot be enforced in Winter, as has been the case for the past thirteen years. It also regards it as affording an opportunity of testing the experiment of dispensing with quarantine during the Winter months.

A NEW CONVENT IN BROOKLYN.—The contracts for building a new Convent in Debevoise street, W. D., were given out last week, and the work will be commenced as soon as the weather will permit. The building will be of the Romanesque style of architecture, having a front of one hundred and thirty-four feet on Debevoise street, and will be five stories high, containing school accommodations for two thousand children. It will be under the charge of the Sisters of Mercy. The total cost of the building, when completed, will be upward of $30,000.

NEW-JERSEY ITEMS.

DETENTION OF THE ASIA—THE BENECIA BOY A PASSENGER.—The steamship Asia was to have sailed from her dock in Jersey City at 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon, but was detained in consequence of the snow-storm that prevailed, and last evening it was understood that she would not leave until 9 o'clock this morning.

John C. Heenan, the Benecia Boy (erroneously reported to have sailed several days since), has taken passage, for the purpose of keeping his engagement to fight Tom Sayers for the championship. Heenan remained at the Atlantic Hotel in Hoboken on Tuesday night, where he was ineffectually sought for by the Rochester and Buffalo officers who were endeavoring to effect his arrest. At 11 o'clock yesterday forenoon Heenan, accompanied by three friends, came to Jersey City, and, while the officers were quietly watching for him to come on board over the gang-plank, where passengers get on board, he was quietly ushered on board on the other side of the vessel and entered the cabin, where he bid farewell to a number of acquaintances, and was then stowed away. The fact becoming known that Heenan was to sail in the Asia, a large number of his friends came over from New-York, and it was generally understood that the officers would not be allowed to take their man under any circumstances. Cusick, Heenan's trainer, was also on board the Asia.

SKATING ON COMMUNIPAW BAY.—The cold weather of the past two weeks has frozen up Communipaw Bay from Jersey City to Bergen Point, a distance of nearly five miles, and extending to within one hundred yards of Bedlow's Island. The ice is from seven to eight inches thick, and quite glassy, affording a large field to all lovers of skating, and hundreds of ladies and gentlemen, boys and girls, have availed themselves of the opportunity to enjoy out-of-door exercise. On Tuesday night a sail-boat, on iron runners, made its appearance, containing about a dozen couples, which attracted a good deal of attention.

PATERSON ITEMS.—A new church edifice, belonging to the Baptist denomination, is nearly completed, and will be open for service some time the present month. A bell, weighing 2,100 pounds, has just been placed inside. The edifice has cost about $20,000.

The New-York and Erie Railroad Company have reduced the prices of commutation tickets on the Union Division very considerably. From Jersey City to Paterson, 16 miles, with 10 trains each way daily, the charge is only $60; to Godwinville, $65; to Hohokus, $68.

LAW INTELLIGENCE.

COURT OF APPEALS.

JUDGE CLERKE TO GO TO THE COURT OF APPEALS.

On Tuesday the Court of Appeals decided that Judge Clerke should take his seat as a member of the Court, instead of the successor of Judge Davies, who has not yet been appointed. This will have the effect of making Judge Sutherland presiding justice in this District, he having the shortest time to serve.

SUPREME COURT—CHAMBERS—Jan. 4.—Before Justice LEONARD.—DECISIONS.

James Brown et al. agt. The New-York and Erie Railroad Company.—Motion granted.

Josephine E. Baugh agt. Thomas Baugh.—Motion for alimony denied.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.—Jan. 4.—Before City Judge RUSSELL.

To-day a large number of cases were presented by the Clerk, but adjourned in consequence of the absence of either witnesses or counsel.

Jenny Howard, a very good-looking young woman, was tried for passing counterfeit money. Great efforts were made by Jenny's counsel to procure an adjournment of her trial, but the Court denied it no less persistently, as the reasons given—that there might be evidence produced to establish her previous good character—did not seem sufficiently important. On the 19th of November she is charged with having passed four different bogus $5 bills of the Merchants' Bank of Albany upon as many shops along the Bowery, near Broome street. She was detected by Officer Fitzmaurice, who followed her into each store and told the shopkeepers to mark the bills she had given them. She is said to be the wife or mistress of a saloon keeper in Broadway. In her deposition at the police court, she says she was "born in Ireland," is "21 years of age," and "keeps a cigar and liquor store at No. — Broadway." As the Jury were being sworn to try her, seeing that the Court would not adjourn the case, she pleaded guilty to forgery in the fourth degree; and was then sentenced to the State Prison for a term of two years. It was stated that Jenny had been arrested on a similar charge about two years before.

Two or three hours were then spent in calling off cases and setting down the time for them to be tried. Adjourned.

COURT CALENDAR—THIS DAY.

SUPREME COURT—CIRCUIT.—Part I.—Nos. 95, 97, 101, 103, 105, 107, 109, 111, 113, 115, 119, 121, 123, 125, 127, 129, 131, 133, 137, 139. Part II.—Adjourned to Thursday, Jan. 5.

SUPREME COURT.—SPECIAL TERM.—Same as Tuesday.

SUPERIOR COURT.—TRIAL TERM.—Part I.—Nos. 1, 15, 123, 125, 127, 147, 153, 159, 161, 163, 165, 166, 167, 171, 173, 177, 179, 183, 185, 187, 189. Part II.—Nos. 60, 100, 102, 104, 110, 114, 118, 124, 128 to 144, 146, 152, 154, 158, 160, 164.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.—Part I.—Nos. 65, 84, 86, 89, 90, 91, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101. Part II.—Nos. 67 to 76, 78, 80, 81, 82, 83.

MARINE AFFAIRS.

STEAMER PENGUIN.

This vessel, built by the Commercial Steamboat Company, will soon take her place on the route between New-York and Providence.

Her dimensions are as follows: Length on deck, 165 feet; breadth of beam, 30 feet 8 inches; depth of hold, 10 feet; depth of hold to spar deck, 17 feet 6 inches; draft of water at load line, 12 feet; length of engine space, 10 feet; tunnage, 460 tuns. Her frame is of white oak and chestnut, molded 14 by 9 inches, and 11 inches, and 26 inches apart; depth of keel, 14 inches. She is fitted with a vibrating lever (Ericsson) engine; diameter of cylinder, 48 inches; length of stroke, 2 feet 6 inches; diameter of propeller, 11 feet 6 inches; length, 4 feet 6 inches; pitch, 20 feet, and has 4 blades. She has one return tubular boiler—length 20 feet, breadth 14 feet 3 inches, hight, exclusive of steam-chests, 13 feet 6 inches; three furnaces—breadth 4 feet, length of fire-bars 7 feet 6 inches; 93 tubes—internal diameter 3¼ inches, length 15 feet, and possessing a heating surface of 2,000 feet. Diameter of chimney 4 feet 4 inches, hight 20 feet; load on safety-valve, in pounds, per square inch, 30. Draft forward, 10 feet 6 inches; draft aft, 12 feet. Area of immersed section at load draft of 12 feet, 323 square feet. Boiler located on deck; does not use blowers. She is fitted with one independent steam, fire, and bilge pump, and has bottom valves or cocks to all openings in bottom.

Her hull was built by C. H. Mallory, Mystic, Conn.; her engines by C. H. Delamater of this city.

NAVAL.

The crew of the United States sloop-of-war Vandalia will be paid off on the 5th of this month, at the Brooklyn Navy Yard, when she will go out of commission. The United States steamer Iroquois will sail on Friday for the Mediterranean. The United States steamer Mohican will go out of dry-dock on Thursday, and will sail on the 10th for the coast of Africa.

MARRIED.

ALLEN—LIBBY—In this city, on Tuesday, Jan. 3, E. M. Allen to Miss Nelly M. Libby, all of this city.
BROWN—THOMAS—At Warwick, R. I., on Tuesday, Jan. 3, by the Rev. Silas M. Crane, D. D., I. Edwin Brown of New-York, to Mary Anna, daughter of A. B. Thomas, esq. of the former place.
BISSELL—CLARK—On Wednesday, Jan. 4, by the Rev. S. C. Keeler, Mr. Lebbeus Bissell of Rockville, Conn., to Miss Lucy A. Clark of this city.
CHITTENDEN—TIFFT—At Utica, on Thursday, Dec. 29, by the Rev. T. O. Lincoln, at the residence of the bride's father, William F. Chittenden of New-York, to Caroline S., daughter of Jonathan G. Tift, esq.
DUBOISE—SMITH—On Monday, Jan. 2, at the residence of the bride's father, by the Rev. Samuel C. Keeler, Mr. John Duboise to Miss Jane, only daughter of Geo. Smith, esq., all of this city.
FOSTER—MEGAREY—On Monday, Jan. 2, at the residence of the bride's father, by the Rev. Edward Lathrop, Louis S. Foster, late of Philadelphia, to Nina, youngest daughter of Charles Megarey.
HOWELL—RAPELYE—At Astoria, on Sunday evening, Jan. 1, by the Rev. Mr. Olibert, George W. Howell to Miss Josephine Rapelye, daughter of John L. Rapelye, esq., all of Astoria.
HERRON—IRWIN—On Monday, Jan. 2, by the Rev. J. S. Inskip, Mr. William Herron and Mrs. Lotitia Irwin, all of this city.
PEARSALL—MYERS—On Wednesday, Jan. 4, by the Rev. S. C. Keeler, Mr. James W. Pearsall to Miss Hannah W. Myers, both of this city.
ROBERTSON—BURDICK—On Monday evening, Jan. 2, in Jersey City, N. J., by the Rev. Dr. Crane, Mr. Joseph G. Robertson of the city of New-York, to Miss Mary M. Burdick of Port Edward, Washington County, N. Y.
SHAW—TIFFT—At Utica, on Thursday, Dec. 29, by the Rev. T. O. Lincoln, at the residence of the bride's father, Charles B. Shaw of New-York, to Mindwell A., daughter of Jonathan G. Tifft, esq.
TIBBALS—BURR—In Monroe, Conn., on Wednesday, Dec. 28, by the Rev. E. B. Emerson, Henry E. Tibbals of Sacramento City, Cal., to Miss Mary B. Burr of Monroe.
Sacramento papers please copy.
WITTICHEN—ST. FELIX—At St. Ann's Church, Brooklyn, by the Rev. B. C. Cutler, D. D., on Saturday, Dec. 31, Fr. Adolph Wittichen of Montjoie, Prussia, to Miss Josephine J. R. St. Felix, daughter of the late J. R. St. Felix.

DIED.

BENDER—On Wednesday, Jan. 4, John B. Willis, infant son of Andrew and Charlotte Bender, aged 1 year, 1 month and 24 days.
The relatives and friends of the family, also of his grandfather, John B. Willis, are respectfully invited to attend the funeral from the residence of his uncle, Wm. H. Merrill, jr., No. 313 Henry street, on Friday, at 1 o'clock p. m.
BARTLETT—On Wednesday, Jan. 4, Wm. Homer Bartlett, aged 15 years and 3 months, eldest son of the late Asahel H. Bartlett, esq.
The friends and relatives of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral on Friday, the 6th inst., at 10 o'clock a. m., from the residence of his late father.
BELDING—In Brooklyn, E. D., on Tuesday, Jan. 3, Charles S. Belding, in the 50th year of his age.
BRENNAN—In this city, on Tuesday, Jan. 3, James, only son of John and Mary Brennan, aged 1 year, 2 months and 4 days.
BROWN—On Sunday, Jan. 1, George Washington Franklin Brown, grandson of J. C. Nixon of Williamsburgh, Long Island, aged 5 years and 5 months.
BUNCE—In this city, on Monday, Jan. 2, William, youngest son of Washington and Emeline Bunce, aged 3 years and 3 months.
CANN—On Tuesday, Jan. 3, Alice Hannah, youngest daughter of John and the late Mary Angeline Cann, aged 6 years and 3 months.
The relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend her funeral on Thursday, Jan. 5, at 1 o'clock, from No. 110 Greene street.
CURTISS—In this city, on Wednesday, Jan. 4, Mary Eveline, daughter of Thos. H. and Martha M. Curtiss, aged 8 years and 6 months.
CHURCHILL—In this city, on Monday morning, Jan 2, Olive Emma Churchill, youngest daughter of the late Dr. Charles W. Churchill, aged 10 years, 2 months and 4 days.
DOREMUS—At Pelham, Westchester County, N. Y., on Wednesday, Jan. 4, John Doremus, aged 37 years.
The relatives and friends are requested to attend the funeral on Friday, 6th inst., at 2 o'clock p. m. New-York and New-Haven cars leave Twenty-seventh street and Fourth avenue for New Rochelle, at 12½ p. m.
DONEGAN—In this city, on Monday morning, Jan. 2, after a short illness, Hanora, widow of Edmund Donegan, aged 55 years.
EMBREE—Carrie, only daughter of Robert C. and Phebe S. Embree, aged 6 years.
The funeral will take place from their residence, No. 142 Duffield street, Brooklyn, on Fifth day (Thursday), 5th inst., at 12 o'clock m. The relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend without further notice.
FILLEY—In Brooklyn, on Wednesday, Jan. 4, Edwin Lucius, youngest child of Henry A. and Sarah Filley, aged 3 years and 3 months.
Funeral on Thursday, at 12 o'clock, from Washington avenue, west side, fifth house south of Lafayette avenue.
HAMMOND—In Brooklyn, on Wednesday, Jan. 4, Julia A., wife of Dr. C. B. Hammond, and daughter of Senter M. Giddings, aged 30 years.
Notice of funeral hereafter.
HANAN—In this city, on Sunday morning, Jan. 1, John W. Hanan, aged 27 years.
KISSAM—In this city, on Wednesday morning, Jan. 4, Mr. Samuel Kissam, aged 71 years and 9 months.
The funeral will take place on Friday, at 11 o'clock a. m., from the residence of his son-in-law, Dr. G. Prince, No. 351 Pearl street, Franklin Square. The relatives and friends are invited to attend without further notice.
LONG—On Tuesday, Jan. 3, Wm. Long, in the 82d year of his age.
The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend his funeral on Thursday, 5th inst., at 1 o'clock, from his late residence No. 228 West Fifteenth street, without further invitation. His remains will be taken to Cypress Hills Cemetery for interment.
LEFFINGWELL—In this city, on Wednesday, Jan. 4, Hannah D., relict of Wm. Leffingwell of New-Haven, in the 81st year of her age.
The relatives and friends of the deceased, and of her brothers, W. W. and T. L. Chester, are respectfully invited to attend her funeral from her late residence, No. 65 West Thirty-first street, on Friday, the 6th inst., at 2½ p. m.
MARAN—In this city, on Monday, Jan. 2, Mary A., daughter of Mr. Robert Maran, aged 9 years and 7 months.
MOONEY—In this city, on Tuesday, Jan. 3, Richard Mooney, aged 76 years, former of Kings County, Ireland.
MAILLER—In Williamsburgh, on Monday, Jan. 2, Mary C. Mailler, in the 32d year of her age.
MCAULIFFE—In this city, on Tuesday morning, Jan. 3, Timothy McAuliffe, aged 62 years, 5 months and 23 days.
PARSONS—In Brooklyn, on Tuesday evening, Jan. 3, Addie Elizabeth, daughter of Chas. H. and Esther R. Parsons, aged 10 months and 24 days.
The relatives and friends are invited to attend her funeral from the residence of her parents, No. 56 West Baltic street, on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock.
PURDY—In this city, on Monday, Jan. 2, 1860, Hachaliah Purdy, in the 71st year of his age.
The relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral from his late residence, No. 147 East Thirtieth street, on Thursday, the 5th inst., at 10 a. m. The remains will be taken to East Chester for interment.
RIDDLE—On Sunday, Jan. 1, William Riddle, aged 23 years.
SIBELL—In Brooklyn, on Wednesday, Jan. 4, George, only son of John W. and Huldah T. Sibell.
The relatives and friends of the family, and those of his grandfather, George Sibell, are invited to attend his funeral from his late residence, Franklin avenue, between Willoughby and De Kalb avenues, on Friday, 6th inst., at 2 p. m.
SEGUINE—At Port Richmond, Staten Island, on Monday, Jan. 2, Mary Annie, only daughter of Henry and Catharine Seguine, aged 4 months, and 15 days.
TAYLOR—At Green's Farm, Conn., on Monday, Jan. 2, Harriet, wife of Edward J. Taylor, aged 32 years and 3 months.
WHIPPLE—In Brooklyn, on Wednesday morning, Jan. 4, of whooping cough, Manuela, infant daughter of Daniel and Abigail S. Whipple, aged 2 months.
The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral on Friday, the 6th inst., at 1 o'clock p. m., from No. 362 Carlton avenue.
WHISTON—In South Brooklyn, on Saturday morning, Dec. 31, 1859, Miss Azubah Whiston, aged 54 years.

COMMERCIAL MATTERS.

Sales at the Stock Exchange—JAN. 4.

500 United States 6s, '67	106	30 Del. & Hud. Canal Co.	90¼
7,400 Missouri 6s, ex div. b3	60¼	10 Penn. Canal Co.	81
10,000 do	80	50 Brunswick City L'nd Co.	1½
10,000 do b30	80½	25 Erie Railroad	8½
10,000 do	79½	300 do	8½
1,000 City 6s, '67	102	100 do	8½
1,000 Brook. City W. Lo., c.	90½	200 Harlem RR. Preferred	33
1,000 Erie 2d Mt. Bs., ext.	92	50 do	33
1,000 Hud. Riv. 2d Mtg.	99	60 Milwaukee & Miss. RR.	2
2,000 Hud. Riv. Conv. Bs.	75	1500 Reading Railroad, opg	41½
1,000 Mich. So. 1st Mt. Bs.	68	500 do opg	41½
2,500 Lake E. & W. 2d Mt.	30	50 do s60	41½
5,000 Cleve. & Tol. S. F. Bs.	51	100 Mich. So. & N. Ia. G. S. b15	18½
1,000 Han. & St. Joseph Bs	59	100 Panama Railroad	126½
11 Bank of Commerce	96½	50 do s60	126
205 Pacific Mail SS. Co.	76	170 do	126½
75 do b10	76	100 do s30	126½
150 do s10	75½	50 do b30	126
65 do	75½	600 Illinois Central Railroad	57½
100 do b10	75½	100 do b30	57½
40 N. Y. Central RR.	74½	100 do s30 aft 3	57½
100 do b60	74½	100 do sswk	57½
200 do b3	74½	375 Galena & Chic. R.R.	64
50 do b60	74½	150 do b10	64
100 do b10	74½	50 do b20	64
100 do	74½	250 do b30	64
1210 do	74	1100 do	63½
50 do b7	74	150 Cleveland & Toledo RR.	19½
300 do	73½	1700 Chic. & R. Isl. R.R.	61½
100 do b15	73½	200 do b10	61½
300 do sswk	73½	1400 do	61½
2250 do	73½	200 do s60	61½
300 do b10	73½	300 do	61½

SECOND BOARD.

1,000 U. S. 6's 1867	106	100 Reading Railroad, opg	41½
5,000 U. S. 5's 1865	100	300 do opg	41½
1,000 Mo. State 6's ex div.	78½	33 Illinois Central Railroad	57½
1,000 N. Y. State 6's 1873	103	50 Panama Railroad	126
1,000 Brook. Cit. Wat. Loan	93½	50 do	126½
10,000 N. Y. Central 6's	91	150 do	126½
100 Canton Company	16½	100 do s30	126
100 do b60	17	10 do	127
100 N. Y. Central R. R. b10	73½	100 Galena and Chic. R. R. b10	63½
100 do b10	73½	300 do	63½
350 do b60	73½	100 do sswk	63½
600 do	73	100 do b7	63½
100 do b60	73½	100 do	63½
200 do	73½	100 Chic. and Rock Isl. R. R.	61½
600 do s60	73½	200 do	61½
100 do b10	73½	250 do	61½
100 Erie Railroad	8½		

WEDNESDAY, Jan. 4—P. M.

The feature of the Stock market to-day was the continued decline in Central, which, under superabundant supplies of cash stock, fell off to 73, a decline of 2¼ ₱ cent from the highest price yesterday. The tolling recommendation in the Governor's Message had undoubtedly some influence in bringing about this result; but we think the stringency in money had still more. It will be noticed that of the 5,000 shares sold at the first session, about 4,000 shares were for cash, or regular, while only 300 shares were put out on sellers' options. This is a very unusual proportion of cash stock, and a fall of 2 ₱ cent, without the hammering aid of the bears, indicates that parties who have been carrying stock have been forced by the disturbance of loans to throw it upon the market. At the present price and carrying 3 ₱ cent dividend, we should look for some rally from the purchases of shorts and of the friends of the road, if the money market shows any ease within a few days. It stands now divided off at about the price it touched after the August dividend. The general market was influenced by the same cause, and sympathized with Central, although the decline was not so marked. Rock Island was the most active of the Western shares, and touched 61¼ in closing transactions. The supply of cash stock was too large for the market to absorb without yielding. Galena was rather firmer than Western shares generally, but declined to 63¾. The advices by the Canada being more