HOME NEWS.

THE WEATHER.

New-York.	Hour.	Ther.	Bar.	Wind.	Hour.	Ther.	Bar.	Wind.
Nov. 23—	7	42°	30.08	S.S.W.	Nov. 23—	6	46°	30.10	S.W.
	12	44°	30.07	S.W.		9	43°	30.10	N.E.
	3	44°	30.07	S.W.		11	43°	30.10	E. N.E.

REMARKS.—Morning—Very cloudy from midnight to 1; overcast 2:30 to noon; gusty 1 to 4; either rain or a mist at times, 2:27 to 11. Afternoon—Overcast to sunset; misty rain 2:36 to 2:50. Evening—Overcast to 11; raining 10:25 to 11. Note.—22d—11 p. m. to midnight, hazy. Phases of the Moon—The third quarter of the moon will be on the 26th, at 3:18 p. m.

THE CITY.

The Water Board, during the last month, made special repairs of the streets to the amount of $2,035 67.

Charles Davidson, age 56, truck driver, lately living in Monroe-st., died in Maiden-lane, yesterday.

The Board of County Canvassers met yesterday, and immediately took a recess until this morning, when, it is expected, the Board will conclude its labors.

Pauline Canissa, who sang here in opera a few years ago, returned from Europe last week. She has been singing at Milan.

In the action of Florence agt. Butler, Gen. Butler has given bail in the suits brought to recover the Twiggs swords, his sureties being Richard Schell and C. K. Garrison.

Last evening Detective Cusick of the Buffalo Police, took back to that city Daniel Hogan, the sailor, whose arrest for grand larceny has already been announced.

The Young People's Christian Association of Macdougal-st. Baptist Church, announce that Mr. DeCordova will lecture for them in the church on to-morrow evening. Subject—"Our New Clergyman."

Bids were to have been opened and contracts awarded by the Croton Department, yesterday, for paving several streets with stone-block pavement, but owing to the illness of Controller Connolly, the further consideration of the subject was postponed indefinitely.

Last evening, Clansman Robert Anderson, gave the first of a series of lectures during the season in the rooms of the Caledonian Club, before a large and attentive audience. The speaker took for his subject, "Knowledge as derived from the observation of nature—or from the study of books," and argued that the one study is incomplete without the other.

At 10 p. m. yesterday, Sergeant Gunner and Roundsman Fuller of the Nineteenth Precinct made a descent upon the gambling saloon No. 986 Second-ave., kept by Stephen Talbert, and captured a quantity of faro checks, playing-cards, and $9. The proprietor, Leone Talbert, Eugene Baldwin, Richard Banks, John Drummond, Winfield Brown, and Owen Carson were arrested.

On Monday evening Roundsman Combs and Officer Cormick of the Twentieth Precinct saw three men get on an Eighth-ave. car at Thirty-seventh-st., having in their possession three bags. The officers gave chase, and the men leaped from the car and ran away, leaving the bags behind them. These were found to contain two pieces of woolen cloths, which had been stolen from in front of the store of Wm. Hardy, at No. 585 Eighth-ave.

Herman Gallert, an inmate of the tenement No. 151 Ludlow-st., was found dead in his room at 8:30 last evening, having committed suicide by suspending a rope from above the doorway, standing on a chair to adjust the noose, and then kicking the chair from under him. Nothing was found to indicate the cause. The deceased was a single man, age 40, and a pocket-book maker.

A special meeting of the Commissioners of Central Park was held yesterday, at No. 31 Nassau-st. They concurred with the Commissioners of Westchester as to the laying out of certain roads in that county. There will be greater skating facilities than at any previous season at the Park this Winter. An entirely new set of buildings is going up, and in other respects the accommodations are being extended.

Officer McKeever of the Fourteenth Precinct Police early last evening saw a man, whom he recognized as George Jackson, entering the well-known Levi "fence," on Bleecker-st. He followed, and ascertained that he wished to dispose of 60 pieces of blue velvet trimming and 10 pieces of black and purple ribbons, together worth about $300. When arrested, the man could give no satisfactory account as to how he became possessed of the property, which is supposed to be stolen. Jackson was locked up in the Fourteenth Precinct Station-House.

About 30 of the young artists of this city met a few evenings ago at No. 658 Broadway, and organized a Society, called the New-York Artists' Union, for mutual improvement and the suppression of the trash annually sold in this city as works of art. An exhibition and sale of paintings will take place next March to provide a fund for needy members. The following are the officers: Honorary President, M. F. H. De Haas, N. A.; Acting President, C. C. Pyne; Vice-President, J. Nimmo; Secretary, Charles J. Taylor; Treasurer, Thomas J. Brittain.

The third in the "star" course of lectures was given last evening at Steinway Hall, by the Rev. John Hall, D. D., pastor of the Fifth-ave. Presbyterian Church, upon "Switzerland." The lecturer gave an outline sketch of the history of Switzerland, from the time when Julius Cæsar described the remarkable exodus of the Helvetii down to more modern days, made some brief allusions to the natural scenery of the country, and the manners and customs of its inhabitants, and interspersed the whole with moral reflections adapted to the proper training of the youthful mind. The lecture was preceded by prayer, and closed with the singing of the Doxology by the audience. But a small audience was present.

The fat men busied themselves last evening about their ball, which is to come off on the 20th of December, at Irving Hall. This affair promises to be a grand and massive success. Several unsuccessful attempts have been made by speculators to gain possession of the bulk of the tickets, and those purposing to attend are assured that in no event will any tickets be placed in the hands of that fraternity. Mr. J. W. Funk, the lessee of Irving Hall, is a member of the association, and guarantees a good and sufficient supper on the 20th. Twenty-seven members were present, President Fisk occupying the chair. Twelve new members were elected, including Mr. George Cassidy of 326 pounds avoirdupois.

The fourth of a course of lectures was delivered last evening by the Rev. Howard Crosby, in the Fortieth-st. Presbyterian Church, who discussed "Egypt and its Ruins." The lecturer, at the outset, said that the stories told by Egyptologists were not to be believed, that the traditions were a mass of plausible falsities. He contrasted the fragment of history which we have from Eusebius with that handed down by Cincellus, and from the discrepancies of cotemporary stories, showed the unreliability of both. He said that all the history we have of ancient Egypt was like a pyramid resting on its apex, a very little foundation for a large bulk. He showed that Wilkinson and Leipsius did not interpret the hieroglyphs alike, and that the inscriptions on obelisks and temples were not credible testimony of the doings of antiquity. By thus throwing discredit on the history we have of Egypt he aimed to show that nothing had been found in the line of discovery that could militate against history as recorded in the scriptures. A description of the present condition of the people and the land, was given, and the cruel and barbarous spirit of the Turkish nation made evident by reference to incidents which the lecturer observed while traveling in that land.

BROOKLYN.—The deaths in Brooklyn last week numbered 149.

Margaret Kniesse, a German woman, 87 years old, was run over by a carriage in Graham-ave., E. D., and died yesterday from her injuries.

River thieves stole a quantity of rope from a barge at the foot of Washington-st. on Monday night. They made their escape in a boat to New-York.

The annual sale of property for unpaid water rates of 1865, took place yesterday at the City Hall. About 403 parcels were sold in the different Wards. The sale will be continued next Tuesday.

The Brooklyn Board of Education yesterday held a special meeting, and adopted the report of the Special Committee, and their resolution awarding the contract for stationery to R. M. Whiting, jr., and for supplies to John Bunce, for one year.

Mrs. Wallace, who with her husband and son jumped from the window of her room at the time of the fire in Furman-st. on Saturday last, and was badly injured, still lives. Several of her ribs, one of her hip bones, and other bones, are broken, and it is said her skull is fractured. On Monday night she suffered from premature birth. She is not yet aware of the death of her husband and son.

An affray occurred in the lager-beer saloon of George Brand, corner of Graham-ave. and Marshall-st., on Saturday night last, between Brand and a colored man named Primus Hamilton, during which Hamilton, it is alleged, kicked Brand in the abdomen, causing a rupture, from the effects of which he died on Monday night. Hamilton was arrested and held to await the result of the Coroner's inquest, which is now being held.

Fanny Lewis, age 10, residing at No. 34 Fourth-place, died on the 20th inst. from the effects of a kick, as alleged, by a boy, age 7, with whom she had been playing. Dr. H. A. Archer performed an autopsy, when it was discovered that the girl had died from peritonitis, superinduced by violence. Coroner Jones held an inquest, and a verdict was rendered in accordance with the facts.

The Brooklyn, Hunter's Point and Williamsburgh Railroad Company yesterday made application to Judge Gilbert, in the Supreme Court, for the appointment of Commissioners to assess damages of the owners of the fee of the center of Vanderbilt-ave. The owners of property along the line of the street oppose the application on the ground that the Company have not complied with the requirements of the statute, not having obtained the consent of the majority of the property owners, and not filing their certificate of organization with the Secretary of State.

FLUSHING, L. I.—To-day a convocation of the Episcopal clergy of Long Island will be held in St. George's Church. Bishop Littlejohn will preach the sermon. The following topics will be introduced for discussion: "Christian Education," "The Mission Work of the Diocese," "The Ministry." The session will continue for two days, and promises to be an interesting one.

JAMAICA.—On Sunday night last burglars effected an entrance into the residence of Mr. Carlos A. Butler, and robbed it of clothing and silverware to the value of $300.

BABYLON, L. I.—The residence of Mr. George Valentine, near Bay Shore, about two miles east of this place, was burned yesterday morning. The fire originated in the upper part of the building from a defective flue. Loss $5,000.

RIVERHEAD, L. I.—James Johnson, a prisoner confined in the Suffolk County Jail, on the charge of committing several burglaries at Northport, made his escape on Sunday night by breaking the grating in the window of his cell, and lowering himself to the ground with his blanket. The prisoner, no doubt, had confederates outside, as the telegraph wire was found cut in several places east of the village.

WINFIELD, L. I.—The depot building here of the Long Island Railroad Company was removed from its foundation on Saturday night, and placed on the ground of the Flushing and North Side Railroad Company. Both Companies claim the building. An indignation meeting was held by the traveling public, and they decided to prefer the Long Island Road hereafter.

MOUNT VERNON, N. Y.—The residence of Mr. Theodore A. Stephenson, grocer, on Third-ave., was entered about 10 p. m., on Monday, by some thief, who carried off a watch, sundry articles of jewelry, and a pocketbook containing a small sum of money, valued in all at about $250.

WESTCHESTER.—A meeting was held some days ago by the Directors of the Portchester and Second-ave. Railroad, for the purpose of taking decisive measures in regard to the completion of the road, the entire interest in it having been transferred by Le Grand Lockwood & Co. to the stockholders of the New-York and New-Haven Railroad, as stated in THE TRIBUNE. After some discussion the Directors agreed to build the road immediately from Harlem Bridge to this place, and thence to Pelham Bridge, on the old survey. From Pelham the road will take an entire new route, as the old survey on the shore does not suit the New-Haven Company, who are desirous of connecting at New-Rochelle. The Company promise to have the cars running over the entire road in 12 months, much to the delight of the villagers. Messrs. W. D. Bishop (President of the New-Haven Company), Wilson G. Hunt, E. H. Trowbridge, Joseph Park, W. E. Bassett, T. G. Clark, N. A. Baldwin, and J. T. Shelton were elected Directors in place of those of the old Board who resigned.

PELHAM BRIDGE.—Complaints have been made against the dilapidated condition of Pelham Bridge, and it is understood that the Board of Supervisors have taken the matter in hand, with a view of either repairing the present bridge or building a new one.

PELHAMVILLE, N. Y.—At a public meeting, a few evenings ago, it was voted to raise $12,000, to defray the expense of laying out, opening, and macadamizing a new road from the railroad depot to the principal entrance to Huguenot Park, so that the residents of the village may have the advantages of the beautiful drives and walks in the Park, and improved facilities for reaching the depot, instead of driving in the opposite direction to New-Rochelle. It was also decided to change the name of Pelhamville to Huguenot.

NEW-ROCHELLE.—The Baptist Society will shortly commence the erection of a new house of worship on a plot of ground at the corner of Main-st. and Locust ave., having a frontage of 100 feet on the former street and 150 feet on the latter. It will be a substantial and handsome edifice. It will be built of a light gray granite, quarried on the grounds of John Stephenson, esq., the coach and car builder, who gives the material. ....The Methodist Episcopal congregation have made arrangements to purchase a plot of ground at the corner of Main-st. and Central-ave. as a site for a new house of worship....It is proposed to remove an obstruction from the mouth of Echo Bay, known as Long Rock. Echo Bay affords fine anchorage for vessels in storms, but the Long Rock frequently prevents vessels from running into the harbor. Mr. Thaddeus Davids gives $400 toward the object, which will cost about $2,000.

YONKERS.—S. D. Rockwell, esq., has been appointed Collector of Taxes for School District No. 2.... At a meeting of the Board of Trustees on Monday evening Thomas Smith, a member, was expelled for having at a previous meeting made use of unparliamentary and offensive remarks.

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y.—On Sunday last there was not a woman in the County Jail, and only about 20 men....The Grand Jury, to whom was submitted the complaint of Mrs. Mary L. Hart against Russell Cole for an alleged indecent assault, have dismissed the case.

SING SING.—Yesterday, about 7½ a. m., the persons awaiting the train for New-York were startled by the rapid firing of the prison sentinels. It is supposed that some convict was attempting to escape and had been fired at.

ROCKLAND LAKE, N. Y.—A new road is to be built between this village and Nyack. The proposed route will be less than three miles in length, beside affording better facilities for grading than the one now in use.

POUGHKEEPSIE.—The Hudson River Editorial Association will convene here on the 1st of December.

JERSEY CITY.—The house of Mr. Henry Hass, No. 82 Montgomery-st., was entered by thieves on Monday evening, and was robbed of a quantity of clothing valued at $80....A public meeting will be called in a few days by a committee of citizens to take measures to prevent the driving of cattle through the streets to the abattoir at Communipaw.

HUDSON CITY.—James McCormack, one of the prisoners engaged in the plot of Monday morning to blow up the Hudson County Jail, while on his way to Trenton in the custody of Sheriff Mount, on Monday, undertook to escape from that official. When he found, this unsuccessful, he drew a knife and would have injured the Sheriff but for the timely interference of a deputy. McCormack's manacles had but a few minutes previously at his own solicitation been taken from his hands.

BERGEN, N. J.—Mayor Harrison has nominated the following named gentlemen to be members of the Joint Committee of the recently consolidated cities of Hudson County to draft amendments to the charter: J. M. Cornelison, J. Gifford, J. B. Cleveland, T. W. James.

NEWARK.—Henry Charnsberry, age 5, and Bernard Rooney, age 3, were poisoned Monday afternoon by eating the seeds of a stramonium plant. Rooney is not expected to recover....Daniel Keefe, residing in River-st., was married two weeks ago to Miss Margaret Carroll, by the Rev. Father Killan of St. John's Church. It was ascertained yesterday that Keefe had a wife living in Ireland, and he was arrested for bigamy. Upon examination he confessed the crime, and was committed. ....William Kennedy, a prisoner in the jail, was identified by Matthew Calhoun, yesterday, as the person who had stolen a quantity of oysters from his place on Ogden-st., on Thursday night last. A warrant was issued.

PATERSON.—Constable James A. King has begun a suit against the city, alleging that he was a special tax collector a year ago, with warrants on which were $2,000 of fees; that the authorities countermanded the order after three-fourths of the amounts were collected, and that he is entitled to fees for the whole amount....$28,000 of Paterson Improvement bonds are to be issued to pay for the new City Hall and its improvement, leaving only $3,000 for other improvements....A woman, connected with a band of gypsies encamped near the race-course, yesterday picked the pocket of John Pounds of $21 while she was telling his fortune. She was arrested, and gave up the money....A very successful concert by the Harmonic Society for the benefit of St. John's Orphan Asylum was given last evening at the Opera-House....A prominent city officer has been held to bail for cruelly beating his wife and child....Dennis Burns was arrested for assaulting ladies in the streets. ....The Commissioners appointed to estimate the value of the land at Pope's quarry along the dip of Garret Mountain, taken by the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railway for a route, went over the land yesterday, heard arguments of counsel, and adjourned without making an award.

MORRISTOWN, N. J.—Four incendiary fires have occurred here within the past two weeks, and the people are making an organized effort to detect and punish the offenders. On Sunday night a large barn on the estate of the late Alfred Vail was burned. The loss was $800. Suspicion points to a man named Myers, who is not to be found.

A PARADE OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT.

A Division of the uniformed forces of the Metropolitan Fire Department will parade with apparatuses, under the command of the Chief Engineer, on the 25th inst., in celebration of the Anniversary of the Evacuation of this City by the British in 1783. The column for parade will be organized as follows, viz.: Engine Companies Nos. 7, 16, and 12, and Hook and Ladder Company No. 1 will constitute the 1st Battalion, under the command of Maj. Rhodes. Engine Companies Nos. 13, 27, and 30, and Hook and Ladder Company No. 8 will constitute the 2d Battalion, under the command of Maj. Reynolds. Engine Companies No. 9, 17, and 25, and Hook and Ladder Company No. 6 will constitute the 3d Battalion, under the command of Maj. Bates. Engine Companies Nos. 14, 18, and 19, and Hook and Ladder Company No. 5 will constitute the 4th Battalion, under the command of Maj. Brandon. Engine Companies Nos. 5, 28, and 39, and Hook and Ladder Company No. 11 will constitute the 5th Battalion, under the command of Maj. Shay. Engine Companies Nos. 21, 23, and 26, and Hook and Ladder Company No. 9 will constitute the 6th Battalion, under the command of Maj. Orr. The 1st, 2d, and 3d Battalions will constitute the 1st Brigade, under the command of Maj. Rhodes. The 4th, 5th, and 6th Battalions will constitute the 2d Brigade, under the command of Maj. Brandon. The Battalions will form in columns at 2:30 p. m., the heads of columns resting on Fifth-ave., as follows: 1st Battalion on West Fourteenth-st., 2d Battalion on West Thirteenth-st., 3d Battalion on West Twelfth-st., 4th Battalion on West Eleventh-st., 5th Battalion on West Tenth-st., 6th Battalion on West Ninth-st. As soon as the Battalions composing a Brigade are formed, the Brigade Commanders will report to the Colonel Commanding at the corner of Fifth-ave. and Fourteenth-st., and when both Brigade Commanders have reported, the column will at once commence to move over the following line of march: Down Fifth-ave. to Waverley-place, to Broadway, to Canal-st., to Bowery, to Third-ave., to Twenty-third-st., to Fifth-ave., and down Fifth-ave. As the column passes the corner of Fifth-ave. and Fourteenth-st., it will pass in review before His Honor the Mayor of the City, and be immediately thereafter dismissed.

BAPTIST SUNDAY-SCHOOL UNION.

The first session of the Second Teachers' Institute of the Baptist Sunday-School Union was held in the Calvary Church, on Twenty-third-st., near Fifth-ave., last evening. The attendance was so large that the galleries, in addition to the floor, were nearly filled with persons of both sexes. The organ-playing before the commencement of the exercises was a pleasing part of the musical performances. A piano was placed in front of the altar, and several ladies, under the leadership of Mr. Wm. F. Sherwin, conducted the singing. After an anthem, Messrs. Knapp and Wood occupied 10 minutes in prayer, after which the Rev. Dr. Thomas D. Anderson delivered the introductory address. He said: The weak faith of many who once doubted in the success of the Institute has been strengthened by the memories of the meeting held last year. The power exerted by that gathering is still working good results. We come here not to listen to theories, but to relate the experiences of the year. The education of our youth is one of the most important undertakings of the age. To learn how to promote and to carry on this work successfully is the aim of the Institute. The Rev. C. D. W. Bridgeman of Albany followed with a sermon. He began with the 126th Psalm, 5th and 6th verses: "They that sow in tears shall reap in joy. He that goeth forth and weepeth bearing precious seed shall doubtless come again with rejoicing, bringing his sheaves with him." Blot out the fact of God's existence and there is no tense but the present. Hope is made possible to us only by the existence of God. The grand promise which the Father has made is always before us. We sow in tears, waiting in hope for the coming harvest. The toil of the husbandman is the first act of obedience. He puts his daily labor between him and his sustenance. All must obey or die. Every laborer is brought into captivity to the law. All husbandry is necessarily of faith, and without faith there can be no harvest. The seed sown in the human heart is the sustenance of human life. If any one would be a successful teacher he must welcome a larger suffering. All seed is sown in sorrow. God, in planting for us, gave not the stars, but his Son, who gave his blood and tears for the world. In all spiritual labor there are depths in the human heart that cannot be reached without this same experience in sowing. The wheat grains which were reaped beside the Nile 3,000 years ago spring up in a modern harvest. Nothing can be lost. The seed-time will come by and by, and joy shall be the fruit of many tears. Here a telegram from the Rev. Wyland Hoyt of Brooklyn, who was announced to speak on "Mistakes in Sunday-School Work," was read, saying that it was impossible for him to be present. His place was occupied by the Rev. Mr. Hanna of Williamsburgh, who spoke on the "Man and Womanhood of the Bible." He said that when a man reads Shakespeare he says, "How like the truth," but when he reads the Bible, he exclaims instinctively, "This is the truth." In training the young for Christ in the Sunday-school, where can one find better models of man and womanhood than in the Scriptures? This afternoon the Rev. J. D. Fulton of Boston will speak on Temperance.

THE BEETHOVEN CENTENNIAL—MEETING OF ORGANISTS.

A meeting of organists and choir-masters assembled at the Cooper Institute last night in response to a circular signed last week by the Philharmonic Society, requesting the musicians to coöperate with the Society in the organization of the monster choral force to take part in the Beethoven Festival appointed for next May. The meeting of prominent citizens held on Saturday night at the Fifth Avenue Hotel at which a general committee of organization was appointed has placed the project of the Centennial celebration on an entirely different footing. In consideration of the action taken at that meeting it was deemed best to countermand the call for the meeting of organists and await the action of the regular Organizing Committee. In accordance with this decision Mr. Hill, Vice-President of the Philharmonic Society, by whom the call had been issued, published a contradiction of it. The contradiction did not meet the eye of many who had received circulars, hence the meeting of last night. Among those present were Messrs. Wm. Dressler, Charles Fischer, J. E. Larue, L. M. Delamater, and other well-known organists. Although the meeting was a mistake all through, it was a very favorable omen for the success of the project. Over 30 gentlemen were present, 230 singers for the chorus were guaranteed upon the spot, and a very warm interest was displayed. Mr. Jerome Hopkins was called to the chair and gave an explanation of the state of the case. The gentlemen present were naturally dissatisfied that they should be placed in such a position, especially as Mr. Hill, who had called the meeting, was not present to explain the matter. All agreed that nothing could be done under the circumstances toward an organization. The following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, An association has been formed for the purpose of celebrating the centennial of the birth of the illustrious Louis von Beethoven by means of musical performances, instrumental and choral, which shall be worthy of the City of New-York; therefore,

Resolved, That we, organists and choir-masters of New-York churches, hereby express our hearty and unqualified approval of this design.

Resolved, That we use every means in our power to influence singers under our direction and among our acquaintances to join the choral force to take part in the festival, and that we will encourage by our presence and by our outside personal efforts, when possible, every measure tending toward the successful issue of the enterprise.

Resolved, That we highly appreciate the whole-souled enthusiasm of our acknowledged masters and teachers, the members of the New-York Philharmonic Society in their action as leaders in this great design, and particularly do we thank Dr. R. Ogden Doremus, the President of said Society, by whom the idea of a Beethoven Centennial was first conceived.

A resolution was also passed exculpating Mr. Jerome Hopkins from all blame, as he had acted by the distinct request of the officers of the Philharmonic Society. The meeting adjourned *sine die*, and the further action of the organists on the Centennial will depend upon the action of the authorized committee.

THE PEABODY MONUMENT.

The meeting called to organize a society for the building of a memorial monument to George Peabody met yesterday afternoon in the office of John Bloodgood & Co., bankers, at No. 22 William-st. The Society was organized under the name, "The National Peabody Monument Association." A resolution was then passed that all persons subscribing $1 should thereby become members of the Association. The Association then proceeded to the election of officers, with the following result: President, W. H. Neilson. Vice-Presidents—C. R. Marvin, H. Greeley, G. B. Trevor, G. H. Fahenstock, David Dows, Levi P. Morton, E. W. Coleman, Daniel Drew, George Hecker, E. D. Stanton, A. T. Stewart, M. Marble, W. B. Astor, M. H. Grinnell, T. A. Hoyt, H. B. Claflin, W. C. Bryant, W. K. Travers, Royal Phelps, Russell Sage, W. G. Hunt, W. S. Woodward, A. A. Low, J. G. Bennett, Pierpont Morgan, O. D. Ashley, Jesse Hoyt, Henry Clews, J. M. Fiske, C. A. Lamont, Lloyd Aspinwall, H. G. Stebbins, James Brown, Cyrus W. Field, Cornelius K. Sutton, Jonathan Sturges, J. E. Brooks, William Alexander Smith, S. S. Sloane, William Orton, J. A. Underhill, H. J. Haas, Lean, Geo. Bliss, J. L. Brownell, Henry Chapman, M. A. Wheelock, Carlos Cobb, G. Phipps, Herman Stutzer, W. B. Clerke, S. D. Harrison, Geo. H. Broadhead, R. Kepler, S. V. White, W. B. Duncan, G. B. Grinnell, T. P. Akers, J. S. Ward, J. B. D. Slayback, P. M. Myers, James W. McCullough, A. V. B. Van Dyck, H. C. Hardy, H. S. Wilson, G. H. Watson, A. G. Wood, N. Green, A. Wriston, Wm. H. Webb, E. Judson Hanley, C. S. Sloane, C. C. Parks, J. B. Alexander, R. Winthrop, C. M. Stead; Treasurer, John Bloodgood; Secretary, T. S. Vanderhoof. Six hundred subscribers have already signed the Association list. In order to give all persons an opportunity to give in their names, subscription lists of the Association will be open at various places in the city. The chief office of the Association will be at John Bloodgood & Co.'s, No. 22 Wall-st.

CO-OPERATIVE KITCHEN IN BROOKLYN.

A large number of persons in Brooklyn, desirous of a more economical and healthful manner of living, lately drew up a petition to Prof. Blot, asking him to establish a coöperative kitchen in that city. An informal meeting was held last evening in Sawyer's Rooms, when Prof. Blot presented a plan which he said had been successfully tried in Europe. His plan is substantially to have an extensive central kitchen, where food of every description will be prepared and sent to families in any part of the city. Families will be supplied with bills of fare from which to order what they please for every meal. The food will be carried in tin pails, inclosed in wooden boxes lined with felt, so arranged that the food will remain hot for hours. Food at the central kitchen will be prepared more economically and more scientifically than by ordinary family cooks. Prof. Blot said that the great question was whether the central kitchen could supply food for the same price that raw materials cost a family trading at retail prices. He claimed that the kitchen conducted on wholesale principles, as it would be, could do this. By actual experiment it had been found that 30 families with an average of 5 to each family, could save in one month's time, $2,240. The subscribers to the coöperative kitchen need have no fear as they would not be responsible for anything except their own subscriptions. The profits of the kitchen would go, one-half to the subscriber, one-half to the manager. And to prevent any cheating a committee of three would be elected by the subscribers to inspect the accounts of the manager at short intervals. The plan the Professor proposed seemed to meet with the entire approval of the persons present, and it is probable that action will be taken immediately.

LONG ISLAND HISTORICAL SOCIETY.

At the suggestion of a number of the members of the Long Island Historical Society a conversational meeting was held, last evening, at their Rooms corner of Joralemon and Court-sts., Brooklyn. During the past six months the various departments have received extensive and important accessions, among which are rare and interesting volumes, engravings, photographs, curiosities, and specimens of natural history. The object of the conversational meetings, which are now proposed, is to give members an opportunity to more fully acquaint themselves with the work and objects of the Society, so that they may be induced to aid in extending the scope of its influence. At the meeting last evening a number of interesting articles were presented. Gen. Q. A. Gilmore, at the request of the Society, sent a bust of Gen. Grant made of the Colgnet artificial stone or agglomerate. Mr. John H. Baker presented a clock which has been running over 200 years. It was brought to this country from London in 1639 by the Rev. Obadiah Holmes, from whom it passed into the hands of his brother John Holmes, and his descendants to the present time, the donor being the great grandson of John Holmes. Mr. C. H. Williamson, the photographer, presented to the Society a daguerreotype of Dr. Bethune, which was one of the first ever taken in this country, and is consequently quite valuable. The President of the Society, Mr. Brevdort, presented four large photographs of the Colisseum at Rome. He exhibited copies of several maps of the coast of the United States and of the adjacent islands, which were made by the early Spanish navigators, giving a brief description of each. Several other gentlemen made short remarks, and at their conclusion the company examined the numerous accessions already alluded to.

THE MORRIS AND ESSEX RAILROAD ACCIDENT.

Another of the victims of the accident which occurred on Monday evening, at the Hoboken depot of the Morris and Essex Railroad, died at St. Mary's Hospital yesterday morning. He was a resident of Jersey City, where he left a wife and three children. Coroner Crane last evening commenced his inquest over the remains of Thomas Robinson, the first of the injured men who died. Thomas H. Bowers, the foreman of the men engaged in the freight depot, testified as to the manner of the accident. A number of freight cars stood upon the switch above, which were required at the freight depot; one of these had been pushed into position; a gang of fifteen men, among whom was deceased, then undertook to move two more down together; they found this not easy work, and uncoupled the cars. They then moved the forward car onward. While they were thus engaged a number of men shoved a couple of cars from a point distant 100 feet from the place at which the second of the uncoupled cars stood. These rolled rapidly onward until they struck the stationary car, which moved forward until it had in turn collided with the car which the deceased with others was pushing. The deceased and his companions were at the time of the collision shoving their car forward with their breasts against the bumpers. The result was the fearful crushing which the men received. Bowers testified that the last two cars should have been moved only by his orders, and that he had given no directions for their removal. The testimony of John H. Knowles and of Patrick Welsh corroborated the facts as given by Bowers. The inquest was then adjourned until this morning.

A SINGULAR CASE OF POISONING.

Coroner Flynn was requested yesterday to hold an inquest at Bellevue Hospital over the body of Dennis Ahearn, a native of Ireland, age 54 years. About two months ago Ahearn was admitted to the Hospital on a permit from George Kellock, Superintendent of Out-Door Poor, supposed to be suffering from paralysis, and was treated for that complaint until Monday night, when he died. A post mortem examination revealed traces of poison in the stomach, and as it is extremely improbable that the poison could have been obtained by him in the hospital, it is conjectured that he had taken it before admission.

[ANNOUNCEMENTS.]

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Steamship Silesia, Trautmann, Hamburg Nov. 10, and Havre Nov. 13, mdse. and pass.

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FORTRESS MONROE, Nov. 23.—Passed up for Norfolk, Br. steamship Castilla, from New-Orleans for Liverpool. Passed out, bark Caroline Le Mont, for Savannah.

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