THE COURTS.

THE STATUTE OF LIMITATIONS.

The General Term of the Superior Court listened to an appeal in the case of Russell D. Miner agt. Annie M. Beekman and Hugh Crombie. In November, 1838, Isaac M. Wooley mortgaged his premises in that portion of the Twelfth Ward known as Harlem Commons to Leonard W. Lawrence, to secure a debt of $1,000, payable on the 3d of November, 1839. In May, 1842, Wooley conveyed these premises, subject to the mortgage, to Russell D. Miner, the plaintiff. In November following, proceedings were commenced by Lawrence in the late Court of Chancery to foreclose his mortgage. To these proceedings Miner was not made a party, nor was notice given him, and a decree was rendered for the sale of the property, which was accordingly, on the 19th of January, 1843, purchased by Lawrence. In March following, Wm. Mitchell, Master in Chancery, executed a deed of the mortgaged premises to Lawrence. In March, 1867, Lawrence conveyed the premises to Isaac C. Kendall, who, in April, 1869, conveyed them to defendants. It is claimed that when Wooley conveyed the premises they were vacant, uninclosed, unimproved, and not actually occupied, and so continued until April, 1869, and were not susceptible of actual adverse possession; that Wooley paid to Lawrence all the interest due on the $1,000 secured thereby from November, 1838, to May, 1841. Plaintiff also alleges that Jonathan Brown, by his direction, tendered to the defendants, on several occasions, the amount due on said mortgage for principal, interest, and costs, and demanded possession of the mortgaged premises; that Brown could never find the first-named defendant in, although he believed she was in, and avoided seeing him. The other defendant, Crombie, absolutely refused his demand and declined his tender. The plaintiff, therefore, claims the premises. The defendants admit the delivery of the deed conveying the land to the plaintiff, and claim that no consideration passed from the plaintiff to Wooley at the time of the delivery of the deed; that Wooley and the plaintiff asserted that the deed of conveyance was to be regarded only as a mortgage to secure a debt of the plaintiff; that this debt was duly paid by Wooley, which made the deed utterly void; that plaintiff at no time paid any interest on the mortgage or any taxes; that Lawrence has never been paid his debt of $1,000, and that defendants improved the place upward of $80,000 after they got possession. The allegation that John D. Brown demanded back the premises is denied. For a second defense, it is urged that the defendants and their predecessors were in continued occupation for more than 20 years before the commencement of this action. Last February, Judge Spencer dismissed the complaint, on trial of the cause, on the ground that more than 20 years had elapsed since the cause of action accrued, and the Statute of Limitations consequently debarred the plaintiff from recovering. These points were argued yesterday on the appeal, and the Court reserved its decision.

J. W. Hawes for appellant; F. Byrne and R. W. Townsend for respondents.

THE BOURNE WILL FORGERY.

The trial of Charles A. B. Bergeman for the forgery of a will bearing the name of John Philip Bourne of East New-York, deceased, was continued before Judge McCue in the City Court of Brooklyn yesterday. Dr. Christian Hoeff of No. 13 Chrystie-st., New-York, deposed that about two weeks previous to the making of the bogus will Bergeman asked him if he knew any one who would make a will, and witness referred him to Otto Shichel, who, however, refused to have anything to do with the case when he found that the will was to be forged. Mrs. Doretta Wedekind deposed that she resided in East New-York and had known the accused for three years. He told her that he had induced men to sign the forged will, but had signed nothing himself. The accused got possession of all her money, and then refused to keep his promise of marriage. C. A. Van Nostrand, counselor-at-law, testified that he acted for the prisoner in getting the will admitted to probate, but didn't know how it got there. John Hyman testified that in August, 1869, he conversed with Bergeman about the will, visited him at his house, and signed the document; he drew up the will at Bergeman's request; Bourne's name had not then been attached to it, but on going before the Surrogate to give testimony he found the name attached; witness received instructions from Bergeman to swear that he knew Bourne, and to state that Bourne told him he intended to cut off his daughter and give all to Bergeman's wife. Judge Thompson testified that he was engaged by the daughter of Bourne to contest the filing of the will, and that after the first examination he was visited by Otto Arnens, who told him that the will was forged. Mr. Hirsch summed up for the defense, and Assistant District-Attorney Pearsall for the prosecution. After the the charge from Judge McCue the jury retired, and up to a late hour had given no verdict.

GENERAL SESSIONS.

Michael Coughlin, charged with assaulting Alfred Williams on the Battery, and robbing him of a gold watch and chain, was found guilty and sentenced to 15 years in the State Prison....Samuel H. Lake was tried for burglariously entering the baggage-house of the New-York depot of the South Side Railroad at the foot of Roosevelt-st. on the night of Aug. 24, and stealing several thousand dollars' worth of property from trunks stored there. George W. Merchant, a watchman on a yacht at the next pier, testified that about 1 o'clock on the morning in question he saw three or four men get out of the window of the depot on the pier, then got into a boat and hitch to the rudder of a ferry-boat. One of the men had a black mustache. Merchant admitted having identified Lake as the man in his examination before the magistrate. Other witnesses also identified the prisoner.

In defense, the prisoner denied the crime, and said he had been a policeman, and had always borne a good character. He also denied having confessed that he was a river thief, or that he was running when arrested.

James McDauldwell testified that the prisoner was at his house all night on the date of the occurrence, and was playing cards with him until 2 o'clock. In rebuttal, officer Murphy testified that he saw Lake on the morning of the burglary, between 12 and 1 o'clock, going toward the Roosevelt-st. Ferry, and followed him two blocks, when he lost sight of him. Capt. Allaire and Officer Mahony swore that the prisoner was a very suspicious character, and was watched by the police.

The case was given to the jury at a late hour.

FRAUDULENT TRANSACTION IN WHEAT.

The case of The First National Bank of Toledo, Ohio, agt. Leander B. Shaw, James McCheeney, and the New-York Guaranty and Indemnity Company, came on in the Kings County Circuit Court before Judge Gilbert yesterday. The plaintiff alleged that the defendants, Shaw and McCheeney, are warehousemen, and that they wrongfully detained 7,700 bushels of wheat worth $8,900. The defense stated that on the 10th day of October, 1868, the wheat was delivered to them by T. W. Griffin & Co. for storage, whereupon they give Griffin & Co. a negotiable warehouse receipt, by which they agreed to deliver the wheat to Griffin & Co. or their order on surrender of the receipt and on payment of their charges for storage, and further that this receipt is still outstanding and uncanceled. The National Bank of Toledo advanced the money to the sellers of the wheat with which to pay for it, upon an agreement that the bill of lading should be in the name of the bank. The bank forwarded the bill of lading to their correspondents, Kidd, Pearce & Co., but when the wheat arrived at New-York Griffin & Co. got possession of it without paying for it, and obtained loans upon it from the defendants. The question in the case was whether plaintiff or defendants should suffer from the action of Griffin & Co. The Court directed a verdict for defendants.

A RAILWAY COMPANY IN THE RIGHT.

In 1863, Mr. Beames, owner of a place on the Hudson River Railroad, received from the Company permission to build a road across their track, and at his request a flagman was stationed to warn the workmen until they should become familiar with the time of passing of the trains. On the 18th of September a workman named Conz, crossing the track with a yoke of oxen and a load of brick, was killed by an express train, the flagman not being at his post, and a pile of sand and gravel obstructing the view so that the deceased did not see the train until his oxen were between the rails. He vainly attempted to back them off, and then made a motion to jump, and was hit. A suit for damages was brought, and the jury awarded $2,500. From this judgment and the order denying a motion for a new trial, the Company appealed, on the ground among others that the Court erred in charging that the defendants were bound at every public crossing either to fence in the road or to station a flagman to give the different signals of safety or danger, or to take the necessary precautions to prevent travelers from being run over or killed. After argument yesterday the Supreme Court General Term reversed the judgment.

MISREPRESENTATION IN STOCKS.

At the General Term of the Superior Court, yesterday, the case of John Thomas agt. Cornelius B. Payne came up on an appeal from the decision of the Referee. The action—to recover $4,500—is based on alleged misrepresentation of the value of certain oil stocks which plaintiff purchased of the defendant. Defendant published a circular in November, 1866, over his own name as President of the Dennis Run and New-York Oil Co., describing the property and condition of the Company. The circular contained the statement that a depot had been established on a lot leased for a term of five years. Influenced by this representation, Mr. Thomas exchanged 1,000 shares of Union Consolidated Mining Co. stock, then worth in the market at least $4 50 per share, for an equal amount of the Dennis Run and New-York Oil Co. stock. The statement set forth in the circular subsequently proved to be false, no lease being in existence. This fact plaintiff claimed depreciated the value of the stock to the amount which he claims, viz., $4,500. The Referee dismissed the complaint, holding that the defendant had not intended to induce the trade. From this ruling the plaintiff now appeals. Decision reserved.

VIOLATION OF CONTRACT.

In Part II. of the Superior Court, before Judge McCunn, the case of John McCartney agt. D. Colden Murray was tried. The action is brought to recover damages for the loss of a cargo of ice. The plaintiff contracted with the defendant to furnish a vessel suitable to convey to southern ports a cargo of ice contracted for by the United States Government. The vessel was unable to go as the agent of Charleston on account of her great draft, and was finally compelled to return to New-York, and the cargo was lost. The Court dismissed the complaint.

SUIT FOR FIRE INSURANCE.

In Part I. of the Court of Common Pleas, Hoover, Stanc & Co. brought an action against the Beekman Fire Insurance Co. to recover $5,000 on a policy of insurance. The plaintiffs were lessees of No. 420 Broadway, which, on the 15th of February, 1866, was seriously damaged by fire. The lease of the plaintiffs was produced in evidence, and shows a clause setting forth that in case of the total destruction of the building by fire it was optional with lessee to rebuild it, the lease should come to an end; but if it should remain in full force at the option of the lessor of the first part. The policy of insurance provided that the Company were responsible only in case of such damage by fire as should cancel the lease. It was claimed that the fire destroyed the building so that the firm were unable to occupy it, and it was rebuilt. The Company claims it was not necessary to rebuild it, and that therefore they are not liable. Case on.

A. J. Vanderpoel for plaintiff; Wm. Fullerton for defendant.

HOW AWARDS ARE MADE AND CHARGED.

Patrick Callahan owned two lots on Ninth-ave., between One-hundred-and-Twelfth and One-hundred-and-fourteenth-sts., which were taken for the "Morning Side Park," $8,000 being awarded for one and $2,700 for the other. After the report of the Commissioners had been deposited in the Street Commissioner's Office, these awards were changed without notice to Mr. Callahan, who this time received $1 for each lot, while Wesley Smith, a brother-in-law of the Hon. Thomas C. Fields, who engineered the award, received for the lots $7,999 and $2,699 respectively. His titles to ownership were tax leases bought in 1866, on one lot for $3 71, and on the other for $1 23. These leases, Mr. Callahan claims, are null and void, and a motion was made before Judge Brady, at the Supreme Court Chambers, yesterday, to open the default and pay the money into Court, to abide a trial as to their validity. The Court heard the argument, and decision was reserved.

VALIDITY OF A U. S. ATTORNEY'S AGREEMENT.

Some time ago Henry Stubbins of No. 6 Centre-st., became surety with Morris Brockman, on a whisky bond which was forfeited. Proceedings were taken against it, and a part of Mr. Stubbins's property was taken to satisfy the claims. He was soon afterward used as a Government witness, with the understanding that on account of his testimony his property should be restored to him. This was not done, and Stubbins moved to open the judgment against the bond, and have the execution against his property set aside. Judge Blatchford denied the motion on the ground that Stubbins procured Brockman to become surety on the bond, knowing his irresponsibility, and that the Commissioner of Internal Revenue, the Secretary of the Treasury, and the Attorney-General did not sanction the agreement, which was not valid without their consent.

REDEMPTION OF SPURIOUS U. S. BONDS.

In the case of The United States agt. Jay Cooke and others, commenced yesterday before Judge Blatchford in the U. S. District Court, action is brought by the Government against the defendants for the recovery of $18,000 paid for eighteen $1,000 7-30 notes of the issue of June 15, 1865, paid in by the defendants at the Sub-Treasury in this city, in 1867, subsequently forwarded to Washington for redemption. On examination they were found to be spurious, and were immediately returned to the Sub-Treasury. The defendants were then asked to redeem the notes, which they refused to do. Case still on.

ARREST OF FUR MERCHANTS.

Julius & Philip Sarner, furriers, of No. 93 Grand-st., were brought before Commissioner Shields, charged with having, while insolvent and within three months of proceedings to have them adjudicated bankrupts, obtained large quantities of goods on credit from Wilmerding, Hoguet & Co., with intent to defraud the latter. Charles Saumer, on whose affidavit the arrest was made, testified that the defendants were pretending to carry on business while they were preparing for bankruptcy. The accused were held in $5,000 each for examination.

COURT NOTES.

In the case of Laura B. Mallory against the Travellers' Insurance Company of Hartford, Conn., to recover the amount of a policy upon the life of her husband, who was found dead under a railroad bridge, the jury awarded the plaintiff $3,000 and interest.

In the case of John Flynn agt. The Hudson River Railroad Company, reported yesterday, Judge Van Brunt held that the dummy-engine might have been seen by the deceased in time for him to get off the track, and as he did not see it, he was guilty of contributory negligence. Complaint dismissed.

The case of Paul Halsey and Patrick McGinniss, Inspectors of Election, charged with permitting a citizen to vote twice, was adjourned on account of the absence of a material witness. Michael St. George, Inspector of Election in the IXth District of the First Ward, charged with allowing persons to register illegally, gave bail in $5,000 to answer.

James Dunn, charged with obstructing, on election day, a United States officer in the discharge of his duty, was examined before U. S. Commissioner Winslow. John A. Sherman, the Deputy Marshal in question, deposed that he was chasing a runaway repeater in the Sixth District of the Tenth Ward, and the accused assaulted him with his fists and clinched with him, thus enabling the repeater to get away. Adjourned.

DECISIONS.

Supreme Court—Chambers.—By Judge Brady—Goldberg agt. Hufnagel.—Motion granted in part, and denied as to the rest. Boyd agt. Singleton.—Motion granted. Rice agt. Wilmerding.—Motion granted. Van Doren agt. Tallman.—Motion granted and reference ordered. Carmen agt. Meckler.—Order granted.

By Judge Barnard—Halskie agt. Merritt.—Order settled. Halskie agt. Merritt.—Motion granted.

Common Pleas—Special Term.—By Judge Larremore—In re William S. Richardson.—Motion for injunction denied, and motion for directing receiver to account granted. In re the petition of James Wood.—Order of reference. Henry agt. Fowler.—Motion to pay salary for satisfaction of judgment denied.

By Judge J. F. Daly—Agate agt. Lowenheim.—Findings settled. Hyatt agt. Apolent.—Motion to vacate order of arrest denied. Broderick agt. Morston.—Motion to open default denied and stay vacated. Marke agt. Hoffman.—Prisoner will appear to be examined.

COURT CALENDARS—THIS DAY.

COURT OF APPEALS.—ALBANY, Nov. 16.—The following is the Court of Appeals day calendar for Nov. 17: Nos. 59, 60, 40, 64, 32, 33, 49½, 49, 34, 44½.

SUPREME COURT—CHAMBERS.—BRADY, J.—Opens at 10 a. m. Calendar called at 12.

14..Bryant agt. McKenney.
69..Schloemer agt. Behrens.
75..Pronty agt. Haggerty.
111..Fine agt. Starr.
115..Morotung agt. Hisbel.
125..Oneida Nat. B'k agt. Stokes.
149..Andrews agt. Greenville Woolen Co.
159..Scott agt. Reimert.
160..Carter agt. Jay.
169..Smith & Sand Powder Co. agt. Same.
170..In re Harmony Fire and Marine Ins. Co.
171..Wilkinson agt. Yeaton.
172..Burke agt. Lynch.
176..Kelly agt. Jaffe.
180..West Side Bank agt. Pugsley.
181..Schotte agt. Sulzer.
184(Call)..Ind. and Chicago R. R. Co. agt. Tyng.

SUPREME COURT—CIRCUIT—PART I.—VAN BRUNT, J.—Opens at 10½ a. m.

2205..Smith agt. McBride.
2263..Smith agt. Cuesta.
2755..East N. Y. and Jamaica R. R. Co. agt. Elmore.
1945..Grover agt. Swan.
2761..Leggett agt. Mutual Life Ins. Co.
2783..Freeman agt. Ludlow.
2795..Doherty agt. Roch.
2797..Cummings agt. Bennett.
2793..Morris et al. agt. Beale.
2791..Herring agt. Brown.
2793..Palne agt. Jarrett.
2799..N. Y. Steam Engine Works agt. Bushnell.
2797..Wood Mowing M. Co. of Compton.
2780..Bleecker agt. Fordham.
2801..Haldenhorst agt. Teedman.
2803..Berrenger agt. Morgan.
2805..Winter agt. Coxe.
2807..Hoomes et al. agt. Rotterdam.
2809..Bowen agt. Montgomery.
2811..Rothschild agt. Crowell.

SUPREME COURT—GENERAL TERM.—INGRAHAM, P. J., BARNARD, and CARDOZO, J. J.—Opens at 10½ a. m.

130..Field agt. Stell.
122..Browning agt. Richardson.
126..Bronson agt. Leary.
127..Hesing agt. Cutchings.
128..White agt. McLean.
129..Brown agt. Leland.
130..Henslee agt. Leland.
131..Merchants Nat. B'k of Lowell agt. Leland.
132..Du...l agt. Wood.
133..New-Haven Steamboat Co. agt. West.
134..Grund agt. Pendergast.
135..Van Rensselaer agt. Shute.
136..Same agt. Same.
137..Same agt. Same.
138..Goodwin agt. The Baltimore and Ohio R. R. Co.
139..Same agt. Same.
140..Osgood agt. Teplitz.
141..Gerding agt. Kobbe.
142..McGarvin agt. Gillick.
143..Stephens agt. Clark.
144..Jackson agt. Second-ave. Railroad Co.
145..Spence agt. Hendrix.
146..Same agt. Same.
147..Springer agt. Dwyer.
148..Hirschberg agt. Harrison.

SUPREME COURT—TRIAL TERM—PART I.—MCCUNN, J.—Opens at 11 a. m.

441..Johnston agt. Thomas.
336..Thompson agt. Brown.
397..Brown agt. Combes et al.
261..Western Ins. Co. of Buffalo agt. Gamble et al.
73..Goodenough Horse Shoe Co. agt. Greene Fire Ins. Co.
315..Hayes agt. O'Brien, Sheriff.
319..McCarthy agt. Oakley.
325..Matthews et al. agt. Loeb, impld.
207..O'Sullivan agt. Mitchell.
307..Myron agt. Third-ave. R.R. Co.
161..Dougherty agt. Vanlotten, Adm'r.
145..Allen agt. Coughlin.
261..Bach, Adm'r, agt. Third-ave. R. R. Co.
85..Greentree agt. Rosenstock.
345..Burbacher, infant, agt. Metropolitan Fire Dept.

SUPREME COURT—TRIAL TERM—PART II.—Before JONES, J.—Opens at 11 a. m.

306..Norris adm'r, agt. Kohler.
292..Stubben agt. Roob.
312..Watson agt. Demarest et al.
415..Decker agt. Weibert.
446..Central National Bank agt. Seventh Ward Nat'l Bank.
468..Benner agt. O'Connor et al.
356..Barnes et al. agt. Herbert and another.
338..Thompson et al. agt. Benner et al.
98..Hathaway et al. agt. McCormack et al.
368..Tinham et al. agt. Thomas.
366..Birdsell agt. Dorman.
362..Smith agt. Cunnington et al.
364..Strang agt. Woodford Steam Pump M'f'g Co.
305..Harrison et al. agt. Kirke et al.
363..Manley agt. Pacific Mail Steamship Co.

COMMON PLEAS—TRIAL TERM—PART I.—ROBINSON, J. Opens at 11 a. m.

347..Hoover agt. Croton Fire I. Co.
202..Gardner agt. Howe et al.
329..Williams agt. Williams.
270..Stern agt. Wingerd-ft.
121..Pratt agt. Cambria Iron Co.
3 2..Barber agt. Louis.
16..Rain agt. Kelly, Sheriff.
314..Wright agt. Marshall.
320..Grundy agt. Foster.
316..Shessig agt. Van Pelt.
169..Greene agt. Harris.
313..McIntyre agt. Lynch.
68..McCulley, Adm'r, agt. Gans et al.
241..Fribourg agt. Obl.
245..Woodrow agt. McDonough.

COMMON PLEAS—TRIAL TERM—PART II.—LONG, J.—Opens at 11 a. m.

158..Sawyer agt. O'Brien, Sheriff.
156..Frank et al. agt. Rodier.
278..Balight agt. Zimmerman.
212..Levy agt. Schoenberger.
235..Morris et al. agt. Gallagher.
340..Sawtelle agt. Stephens.
301..Goodel et al. agt. Spofford.
193..Same agt. Same.
4.35..Livingston agt. Cowles.
436..The Man. El Paso, and Pacific R. R. Co. agt. Pickrell.
427..Gorgheran agt. Brannagan.
428..Becker agt. Torr.
429..Diamond agt. O'Brien.
430..Sean agt. Peake et al.
431..Quimby agt. Ramons.

COMMON PLEAS—TRIAL TERM—PART I.—SHEA, J.—Opens at 10 a. m.

4.30..Van Cott agt. Aale.
4.00..Cotover agt. Brember.
4.77..Frolich agt. Clark.
4.74..Heaing agt. Morrison.
4.72..Furman agt. Chase.
4.90..Nash agt. Hedges.
4.96..Bucking agt. Tanner.
4.95..Ketchum agt. Green.
4.97..Greenthal agt. Weismann.
4.35..Merritt agt. Erie Railway Co.
4.32..Dawson agt. Holland.
4.33..Man agt. Harrington.
4.34..Friedman agt. Hofman.
4.36..Hunt agt. ——.
4.38..Eisner agt. Leavie.
4.39..Hellman agt. Oberseiller.
4.31..Herz agt. Bahnweiler.

SUPREME COURT—TRIAL TERM—PART II.—JOACHIMSEN, J.—Opens at 11 a. m.

4.31..Hurd agt. Keeler.
4.05..Bishop agt. Jones.
4.37..De Guilfoldt agt. N. Y. and Harlem R. R. Co.
4.39..Dickson agt. Bamberger.
4.32..Marshall agt. Buckman.
3 7..Parkhurst agt. Goodland.
4.03..Vogel agt. Davies.
4.36..Same agt. Same.

NIGHT COURT—BROSNAN.

193..Haight agt. Beard.
255..Devlin agt. Conney.
256..Dolan agt. Maguire.
277..Bourke agt. Kreacker.
255..Barney agt. Church of Redemptor.
229..Schnorr agt. Fleischmann.
230..Rowlogt agt. Frost.
231..Johnson agt. Prue.
232..Ochsner, O. p. a. corner.
233..Roesch agt. Cuse.
234..Parker agt. Berne.
235..Smith agt. Wallace.
236..Tyler agt. O'Connell.
237..Murphy agt. Spaner.
238..Kilmurray agt. Kinnis.
239..Miller agt. Foster.
240..Gallagher agt. Williams.
241..Loomis agt. Foster.
242..Jones agt. Same.

SUPREME COURT—CIRCUIT—KINGS COUNTY.

56..Central Bank agt. Hammett.
61..Doherty agt. Parrell.
74..Van Zandt agt. Prowitt.
75..Williamsburgh Mill Co. agt. White.
77..Johnson agt. Friel.
82..Gadecke agt. Murphy.
12..Cunningham agt. Ross.
36..Hankston agt. Dunscomb.
76..Tonge agt. Maguire.
85..Koelges agt. Guardian Ins. Co.
13..Richard agt. Reddish.
44..Barker agt. Heitner.
46..Williams agt. People's Fire Ins. Co.
65..Platt agt. Decker.
66..Hurd agt. Tunstell.
73..Hoyt et al agt. Stuart et al.
9..Doherty agt. Campbell.
70..Hartt agt. Gray.
88..Card agt. Boyden.
89..Kirke agt. Thompson.

AN INSANE MURDERESS.

VERDICT OF THE CORONER'S JURY AGAINST MARGARET MOORE FOR INFANTICIDE.

Coroner Keenan and a jury held an inquest yesterday, at the West Twentieth-st. Police Station, over the body of Sarah Ann Moore, age two years, who was murdered on Tuesday evening by her insane mother at No. 331 West Twenty-sixth-st. The murderess was questioned on various subjects before the investigation, and in the main conversed rationally, but occasionally betrayed strong symptoms of insanity. She greeted her husband and other relatives quietly as they came into the room, and made no allusion to the act she had committed.

Wm. Moore, the father of the deceased, testified that his wife had on several occasions acted strangely and talked wildly, but he paid no particular attention to it; on Sunday and Sunday night he was busy at his work as longshoreman; late on Monday night he came home, and his wife, before admitting him, demanded what men he had been talking and walking with, and said she believed that he intended to have her carried away; she finally opened the door, and after witness had entered the room she again questioned him; she seemed to be confused and talked wildly; on the following morning she attempted to kindle the fire, but was unable to do so, and declared the clock was talking to her; witness finally got up and kindled the fire and cooked his breakfast; he then went down town, and was still at his work about 10½ p. m., when his brother-in-law came and told him that his wife had killed the baby; she had never threatened to take her own life or that of any person.

Mary Adair, the prisoner's niece, age 14, of No. 252 West Twenty-eighth-st., testified that on Tuesday, at 3½ p. m., she called on her aunt and found her crying and saying that she would be arrested; she said that the woman in the next room accused her of stabbing her child; she then said that she looked out of the window and saw about 3,000 children going down Eighth-ave. on boards, and that afterward some children came in a carriage and brought a doctor, who took the woman's child away to the hospital; she then commenced crying again, and said that she would be arrested; the deceased, Sarah Ann, then commenced to cry; the prisoner got up and went into the bedroom, and taking a sacque, placed it on the child, saying it was the last one she would ever wear; witness, because of fright, went away at 5½ p. m.

Robert Adair of No. 261 West Thirtieth-st., a brother of the prisoner, testified that on Monday evening he called on her and thinking she neither acted nor looked right concluded to call again on Tuesday evening; he reached her apartment about 7½ p. m., and on entering found her seated in a chair and about three feet distant, on the floor, lay the infant, dead and covered with blood; a bloody razor lay near; he asked her "who did that," and she replied that she did; she then became very violent; fearing she would harm herself witness seized her by the arms and thrust her into a bed-room and fastened the door; she escaped from a window into the hallway, but was caught by witness and another man, and an officer took her to the Station-House; the prisoner has on several occasions been out of her mind; her mother was insane for some time before and after the prisoner was born; so far as witness knew no other member of the family had ever been insane.

Dr. Wooster Beach testified that he had made a post-mortem examination of the body of the deceased, and found an incised wound of the throat sufficient to cause death; witness had only had time to make a cursory examination of the woman, but was satisfied that she was suffering from homicidal mania.

The jury rendered a verdict "that the deceased came to her death by hemorrhage from an incised wound of the throat, inflicted by her mother while laboring under a paroxysm of insanity." The husband of the accused stated that she was a native of County Cavan, Ireland, age 34 years. She was detained at the Station-House last night, and this morning will be committed to the Lunatic Asylum.

RECOVERY OF STOLEN GOODS.

The clothing store of J. D. Bogg & Co., at No. 285 Hudson-st., was broken into early yesterday morning, and robbed of goods valued at $4,000. For some months past the Twenty-eighth Precinct Police have been closely watching the store of a receiver of stolen goods, on Sixth-ave. Yesterday morning Capt. McDonald, who was at the post of observation, accompanied by Detective Laycraft, observed standing before the door of the "fence" a large express wagon, filled with a very heterogeneous assortment of clothing. Dashing out of their hiding-place the Captain and his aid endeavored to arrest the thieves, but the latter jumped into their wagon, whipped up the horse, and drove at a rapid rate up Sixth-ave. Turning the corner of Ninth-st., the wagon nearly upset, and the thieves abandoned their plunder, fled in different directions and escaped. In the wagon was found almost all the clothing taken from Boggs & Co. Later in the day Capt. McDonald arrested Robert Wade, alias McGuade, alias "Robby the Welshman," as one of the thieves, and brought him before Justice Shandley at the Jefferson Market Police Court. Wade had in his possession stockings which very much resembled those stolen from Boggs & Co., but a partner in the firm not being able to swear positively as to the property, the magistrate was compelled to discharge the prisoner.

ALLEGED WIFE MURDER IN THE ELEVENTH WARD.

For some time past, John and Mary Collins, middle aged people, have occupied apartments in the tenement, No. 533 East Eleventh-st. Both were intemperate, and when intoxicated, they would usually fight. The wife has on many occasions exhibited on her face and body traces of the brutal treatment she received. On Tuesday evening they were drunk and fought as usual. Yesterday, some of the neighbors, on entering the apartment, found Mrs. Collins lying dead upon the bed. Her body and face bore evidence of her husband's ill-treatment, and it was believed by them that her death had resulted from violence. Capt. Mount of the Seventeenth Precinct investigated the matter, and, finding that the husband had disappeared, detailed officers to look for him. Coroner Keenan will hold an inquest to-day.

POLICE MATTERS.

There were 19 complaints against policeman, before Commissioner Bosworth, yesterday. Patrolman John McDonald of the Eleventh Precinct, a member of the force for but five weeks, was charged with intoxication while on duty. It appeared that he had just been graduated from the class of instruction at Police Headquarters, and became so elated at his good fortune that he indulged in a number of drinks, and on his arrival at the Station-House was totally unfit for duty. It also appeared that McDonald was 25 years old, and therefore five years over age when appointed. Referred to the Board. Charges of intoxication were also made against Patrolmen Wm. H. Peck and John Keating of the Eighteenth Precinct. The former came into the Station-House at midnight, on the 8th inst., apparently under the influence of liquor, and having a prisoner in charge. Capt. Cameron ordered him to bed, and he went without remonstrance. Referred to the Board. Keating considered the evidence so conclusive against him that he resigned.

DEPARTURE OF FOREIGN MAILS.

THURSDAY, Nov. 17.

Mails for Europe, via Queenstown and Liverpool, per steamship Samaria, Cunard Dock, Jersey City, close at the Post-Office at 11 a. m. A Supplementary Mail, for paid letters only, made up on Dock, Jersey City, and closed at 12:30 p. m. [All letters deposited in Supplementary Mails must be prepaid with double postage.]

Mails for Havana and the West Indies, per steamship Morro Castle, from No. 4 N. R., close at 2 p. m. Steamship sails at 3 o'clock p. m.

FRIDAY, Nov. 18.

No steamship Mails.

SATURDAY, Nov. 19.

Mails for Europe, via Queenstown and Liverpool, per steamship City of London, from Pier No. 45 N. R., close at the Post-Office at 12 M. A Supplementary Mail for paid letters only made up at Pier No. 45 N. R., and closes at 1:30 p. m. Steamship sails at 2 p. m. [All letters deposited in Supplementary Mails must be prepaid with double postage.]

Mails for the German States via Bremen, per steamship Donau, foot of Third-st., Hoboken, close at the Post-Office at 12 m. No Supplementary Mail. Steamship sails at 2 p. m.

Mails for Aspinwall, Panama, and the South Pacific and Central American Ports, per steamship Alaska, from Pier No. 42 N. R., close at the Post-Office at 10:30 a. m. Steamship sails at 12 M.

Mails for Havana, per steamship Cleopatra, from Pier No. 17 E. R., close at the Post-Office at 2 p. m.

PASSENGERS ARRIVED.

FROM SAVANNAH—In steamship San Jacinto, Nov. 16—J. W. Jones, A. M. Collins, Thos. Forward, Mr. Banker, Mas M. Witt, T. Gallagher, J. Brown, W. Dunnigan, Frank Dows, E. Gilbert, S. Smith, F. Donnelly.

MINIATURE ALMANAC.

Sun rises..... 6:49 | Sun sets..... 4:41 | Moon rises..... 12:03

HIGH WATER THIS DAY.

Sandy Hook..... 2:31 | Gov's Island..... 3:15 | Hell Gate 5:04

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF NEW-YORK.....Nov. 16.

CLEARED.

Steamships—Minnetonka, Palmer, Savannah; Saratoga, Couch, Norfolk, City Point, &c.; Martha Stevens, Chase, Baltimore; A. C. Stimers, Tenny, Philadelphia; D. Ollen, Davis, Philadelphia; S. F. Phelps, Erskine, Philadelphia; Acasamas, Rector, New-Bedford; Valiant, Wilcox, Philadelphia.

Barks—Scottish Bride, Vaughn, Amsterdam; Harvest Moon, Uderlich, Gibraltar.

Brigs—Anna Lindsley, McAlman, St. John, N. B.; Oliver Cutts, Nelson, Port-au-Prince; Clarabelle, Tracy, Trinidad de Cuba.

Mary Louise, Gaskill, Washington, N. C.; Island City, Allen, Baltimore; L. M. Lovell, McLose, Para; United States, Hamilton, Rio; via Newtown; G. D. King, Partridge, St. Johns P. R.; G. A. Pierce, Poole, Key West and Pensacola; Florence Rogers, Sheppard, Charleston; Rio, Norton, Elizabethport.

Sloop—Ethan Allen, Clinton, New-Haven.

ARRIVED.

Steamship San Jacinto, Atkins, Savannah, mdse and pass.
Ship Flying Eagle, Lewis, Liverpool 31 days, mdse.
Ship J. P. Wheeler, Harris, Liverpool 43 days, mdse.
Ship Erato, Jones, Calcutta June 27, via Sands Head July 1, mdse.
Bark Chili, Barnes, Newport, Wales, 49 days, railroad iron.
Brig Lily, Rose, Sydney, C. B., 21 days, coal.
Brig Wm. Donnelly, Stapleton, Bucks Grove, N. F., 23 days, seal oil.
Brig Dominion, Wade, Windsor, N. S., 12 days, plaster.
Brig Gen. Neal, Portspain, Trinidad, 27 days, ballast.
Schr. W. E. Chapman, Parkham, Dorchester, N. B., 9 days, building stone.
Schr. Sidney C. Tyler, Barrett, Wilmington, N. C., 10 days, lumber.
Schr. Sarah Jane, Ferguson, Cow Bay, C. B., 24 days, coal.
Schr. John Snow, Mitchell, Shulee, N. S., 15 days, spiling.

DOMESTIC PORTS.

BOSTON, Nov. 16.—Arrived, brig Pierces Hinkley, from Philadelphia.

FOREIGN PORTS.

LONDON, Nov. 16.—The steamship Etna, of the Inman Line, from New-York for Liverpool, touched at Queenstown at 1 o'clock this morning.

DISASTERS.

The brig T. W. Chesley, from New-York for St. John, N. B., put into Boston yesterday for repairs, reports that on 15th inst. at midnight, off Cape Cod, was run into by the brig Hattie Eaton, from Boston for Demerara, and lost cut-water, head gear, and foretop gallantmast, and split sails. The damage to the Hattie Eaton is unknown.

The schr. Nellie M. Power, of and for Boston, from Norfolk, put into New-Bedford on the 13th inst., in distress, having had sails damaged in a gale.

MEMORANDA.

The steamship Moravian, from Liverpool, which arrived at Quebec Nov. 13, is the last steamship of the mail line coming to Quebec. The next steamship—the Austrian—will come to Portland.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

Notice is officially given that a revolving (scintillating) white light, of the first order of the system of Fresnel, will be exhibited for the first time on the evening of December 1, 1870, and on every evening thereafter, from sunset to sunrise, from the tower recently erected on Point Reyes, California. The intervals between the flashes are five seconds each.

Ocean Steamers.

ANCHOR LINE.—STEAM TO GLASGOW, LIVERPOOL and LONDONDERRY, from Pier 20, North River, EVERY SATURDAY AND ALTERNATE WEDNESDAY. CALEDONIA, SATURDAY, November 19. First Cabin passage, $65 and $75; Intermediate, $33; Steerage $28. Steerage tickets from above ports, $32. HENDERSON BROTHERS, Agents, 7 Bowling-green.

FOR ST. THOMAS and BRAZIL, UNITED STATES and BRAZIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY. Regular Mail Steamers sailing on the 23d of every month. SOUTH AMERICA, Capt. E. L. Tinklepaugh, November 23. NORTH AMERICA, Capt. G. B. Slocum, December 23. MERRIMACK, Capt. Wier, January 23. These splendid steamers sail on schedule time, and call at St. Thomas, Para, Pernambuco, Bahia, and Rio de Janeiro, going and returning. For engagements of freight or passage, apply to WM. R. GARRISON, Agent, No. 5 Bowling-green, New-York.

HAVANA, SISAL and VERA CRUZ, NEW-YORK, and MEXICAN MAIL STEAMSHIP LINE. Sailing from Pier No. 17, East River, at 3 p. m.: CLEOPATRA, Capt. Phillips.....SATURDAY, Nov. 19. CITY OF MEXICO, Timmerman.....TUESDAY, Nov. 29. CLEOPATRA, Capt. Phillips.....FRIDAY, Dec. 9. CITY OF MERIDA, Beakes.....MONDAY, Dec. 19. For freight or passage, apply to F. ALEXANDER & SONS, 23 Broadway. CLEOPATRA goes to Havana only; takes no passengers.

U. S. MAIL TO HAVANA. ATLANTIC MAIL STEAMSHIP CO., Sailing regularly EVERY THURSDAY, at 3 o'clock p. m. precisely, from Pier No. 4 North River. MORRO CASTLE, Capt. R. Adams.....November 17. COLUMBIA, Capt. R. Van Sice.....November 24. MISSOURI, Capt. J. B. Edwards (via Nassau) December 1. For freight or passage apply to A. W. DIMOCK, President, No. 5 Bowling-green.

FOR LIVERPOOL, (VIA QUEENSTOWN), CARRYING THE U. S. MAILS. THE LIVERPOOL AND GREAT WESTERN STEAM COMPANY will dispatch one of their first-class, full power, iron screw steamships FROM PIER NO. 46 N. R., EVERY WEDNESDAY, as follows: COLORADO, Capt. T. P. Freeman....November 23, at 3:00 p. m. WISCONSIN, Capt. Williams.....November 30, at 12:00 m. NEBRASKA, Capt. Guard.....December 2, at 1:30 p. m. MANHATTAN, Capt. Forsyth.....December 7, at 3