LOCAL MISCELLANY.

THE VIADUCT PROJECTS.

WHAT THE DIRECTORS ARE DOING—THE PLAN OF CONSTRUCTION—THE APPROACHES TO THE EAST RIVER BRIDGE—NEW-YORK EXPECTED TO BUILD THE BRIDGE.

The last meeting of the directors of the Viaduct Railway Company, as previously announced, was a secret one, but it has since been ascertained that the proceedings were as follows; a majority of the members were present: The President, Judge Hilton, stated that several corps of surveyors were actively engaged in making the necessary surveys of the proposed route, though nothing had been sufficiently matured to be presented to the Board for action, and that he had been under the impression that the Committee from the Chamber of Commerce, appointed at their meeting last week, would have been present on the occasion to lay their views before the Board respecting the extension of the road to the Battery or some other point at the lower end of the island, but he had not heard from the Committee in any way.

Mayor Hall said, that, under the circumstances, there being no apparent necessity for the meeting of the Board until the Executive Committee was prepared to report upon the subject of route, &c., he should move that the Board adjourn, subject to the call of the President, which was agreed to. The survey spoken of by Judge Hilton will be very accurate and minute. One hundred and fifty engineers are engaged upon it. On the completion of their labors they will make a report to a committee consisting of Gov. Hoffman, Mayor Hall, and the Commissioner of Public Works. Considerable misunderstanding seems to prevail outside the city as to the precise nature of the Viaduct Road. It will run, on an average, about 25 feet above the surface of the ground, on brick arches, between transverse iron ribs, supported by heavy iron lateral columns, of elegant design, themselves supported on inverted arches of solid masonry built into the ground. The space under the arches will be converted into stores and markets, having entrances on both sides of the line.

The viaduct constituting the "approach" to the East River Bridge, from the depot at Chatham-st. to the anchor wall, will be 1,336 feet long, and on account of its great width (85 feet), its construction will involve even more serious problems than that of the Viaduct Railway. The Bridge viaduct will clear the housetops for part of the distance; but in this portion, as well as in the part beyond, it will be very liable to injury from the burning of buildings below. So grave is this difficulty that it is anticipated that it will be necessary to purchase the ground required for a wide avenue, in the line of the Bridge, from Chatham-st. to the river. Upon this a row of fire-proof warehouses must, it is thought, be built, in such a manner as to make their frame-work, in part, of the viaduct supports. The expense involved in this project will, however, be enormous, and in view of it the remark recently made in the Chamber of Commerce, that "Brooklyn, unaided, cannot build the Bridge," becomes quite intelligible. The Bridge Company appears to have hesitated thus far to grapple with this great question, leaving it for solution in the future. Prominent business men of New-York and Brooklyn express the belief that from $20,000,000 to $25,000,000 will be required for the building of the Bridge and its "approaches," or viaducts, together with the purchase of the avenues which will be required, the cost involved in destroying the buildings now standing, and the construction of new and more massive ones. The Brooklyn managers appear to see no way out of the dilemma but by urging the early consolidation of that city with New-York, and some confidently assert that this consolidation will long precede the completion of the bridge.

POLICE DELINQUENTS.

A BAD CASE OF ALLEGED BLACKMAILING—A LANDLADY AND HER BOARDER.

Commissioner Bosworth listened, yesterday, to 33 complaints against policemen. In the most important case, Mrs. Anne Folland of No. 62 James-st. testified that she purchased a tub of butter, and thinking it short weight, asked a Mr. Ferris to take it away and have it weighed. When he was returning with it, Detective Finn of the Fourth Precinct met him, and threatened to arrest both him and Mrs. Folland. Finally, Finn called Mrs. Folland aside, and said he would "make it all right" if she would give him $10. Not wishing to go to the Station-House, she agreed to his proposition. Afterward Finn also obtained $10 from Ferris. The officer swore that he did not receive any money from either of his accusers, and he was in the Court of General Sessions at the time of the alleged interview. He asserted that on the day in question, but at a later hour, while passing the grocery of Mrs. Folland, he saw a thief taking in a basket of champagne. He arrested the thief, and Justice Hogan committed him. Mrs. Kenney testified that she saw Mrs Folland lay some bills on the counter, and saw Finn take them up. The officer declared that the complainant was a sister of "Reddy the Blacksmith," and was in the habit of receiving stolen goods. He arrested a thief who was going in there with a case of shoes on the 9th of June, beside the one on the 13th who brought the champagne. The case was adjourned for further testimony.

Mrs. Jane Willard of No. 32 Bond-st. complained that Patrolman Robert Young of the Fifteenth Precinct failed to protect her from the assault of John M. Leach, a real estate broker, who had run up a bill of $42, and failed to pay her. She endeavored to prevent him from removing his trunks, and he assaulted her. Mr. Leach, on the other hand, declared that Mrs. Willard assaulted him. Referred to the Board.

Patrolmen Linebeck of the Eighteenth, and Cotton of the Fifteenth Precinct, were fined five days' pay each for neglecting to patrol their posts properly.

THE TWELFTH SÆNGERFEST RECEPTION OF THE VISITING SINGERS, THIS EVENING.

The twelfth general Sængerfest begins this evening, with the reception of the visiting vocalists from Baltimore, Philadelphia, Paterson, New-Haven, and from points along the Hudson. The Baltimore and Philadelphia societies will arrive at Jersey City between 7 and 8 p. m., and will be escorted by the North-Eastern Sængerbund Societies of this city to the City Hall, where the Mayor will officially welcome them. They will then be conducted to the Germania Assembly Rooms, where the Bundes President will deliver an address of welcome. To-morrow forenoon, the first general rehearsal of the united vocalists will take place at the Skating Rink, and in the evening, at the Academy of Music, the reception concert will be given by the Chorus, the New-York Sängerchor, and a grand orchestra. The societies from Buffalo, Rochester, and other points in the western part of the State, will arrive to-morrow morning. The Sængerbund Societies will meet at the Germania Assembly Rooms, and will proceed to Jersey City to welcome their guests.

The General Fest Committee has requested the citizens along the route of the procession to decorate and illuminate their stores and dwellings. The following are the Marshals: Major W. Sauer, Grand Marshal; Lieut.-Col. Krueger, Capt. Johmeyer, John Erz, Capt. Burghardt, Lieut. Schwarcht, Capt. Taucher, J. Bernidt, T. Hartmann, Chas. Bissinger, Jer. Bunghardt, Fr. Huesler, C. Klanke, F. Hensser, C. F. Kapf, W. Gernnine, and Capt. Ranger.

THE VISITING FIREMEN OF SAVANNAH.

The Fire Department of Savannah, Ga., received an invitation during the past Winter from the Fire Department of Charlestown, Mass., to be present at the Bunker Hill celebration. The invitation was accepted by the members of the Marshall Hose Company, and two members from every other organization in the city were also appointed to represent the Department. The Savannah firemen, 40 in number, sailed June 13 in the steamship Magnolia for New-York, remained here but for a few hours, and then departed for Charlestown, where they were received with great honor, the entire Fire Department welcoming them. After taking part in the celebration procession, the Savannah firemen returned to this city on Tuesday, and have since been the recipients of the kindest hospitalities at the hands of former members of the Volunteer Fire Department. The institutions on Blackwell's and Randall's Island were visited by them yesterday. The Merchants' Hotel was crowded with their friends, last night, to bid them good-bye, as they return home by to-day's steamer. Late in the evening the firemen were called together and presented with a silver trumpet and a handsome banner of blue silk, inscribed with the name of the visiting company and with the hopeful motto, "Many happy days."

THE HOMICIDE IN BAXTER-ST.—WARRANT ISSUED FOR ARARTI'S ARREST.

The investigation of the fatal assault on Lorenzo Caravento, an Italian, by Antonio Ararti, during a row in front of No. 22 Mulberry-st., was opened by Coroner Young yesterday. Several witnesses were examined all Italians, but their evidence was contradictory. The row evidently began in No. 22 Mulberry-st., frequented by organ-grinders, bootblacks and itinerant musicians. There had been ill-feeling between several of the persons in the saloon, and the disturbance was renewed on the street. Ararti was especially active in the conflict, and was seen to strike the deceased in the head with a brick, causing a fracture of the skull, and his subsequent death. A verdict against Ararti was rendered, and a warrant for his apprehension issued. He is supposed to have fled from the city.

MORE WITHDRAWALS FROM THE AMERICAN AND FOREIGN CHRISTIAN UNION.

The General Associations of Massachusetts and of Connecticut, which have been in session the present week respectively in Northampton and New-Haven, unanimously passed the following resolutions withdrawing their support from the American and Foreign Christian Union:

Resolved, That the General Association of the Congregational Churches of this State withdraw its former recommendations of the American and Foreign Christian Union as an almoner of the contributions of the churches.

Resolved, That, for the further prosecution of the work of the Gospel in nominally Christian countries, a Provisional Committee of five be appointed by this Association to take measures, in concert with such other Committees as may be appointed to act with them, in order to preserve the work from detriment and prosecute it with increased energy until settled arrangements shall be made for the prosecution of the work, and that until that time the churches be advised and requested to intrust their contributions for this work to the charge of this Committee.

Resolved, That, in the opinion of this Association, it is desirable that, in the arrangement for the prosecution of this work, no addition be made to the number of organizations for collecting and disbursing the contributions of the churches.

Similar action has been taken by the New-York Conference of Congregational Churches, and by the Ohio Association. This is no doubt the end of collections from Congregational churches, which have hitherto supplied half the funds. At least half the Presbyterians are as much dissatisfied with the Society, and it probably will not live much longer than is necessary to use up its invested funds and incoming legacies.

THE NEW BUILDING LAW—IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR IRON CONTRACTORS AND BUILDERS.

The Superintendent of Buildings began, yesterday, the enforcement of the law passed at the last session of the Legislature for testing on a new plan the iron beams and girders used in the construction of houses in this city. The first girder tested was of the Hodgkinson pattern, and 19 feet long. It broke under a hydraulic pressure of less than 50 tuns, though it should have borne a pressure of nearly 10 tuns more. The second girder broke only under a pressure of 49 tuns, whereas it was calculated to sustain a weight of 38 tuns. That it stood the test was attributed to the tenacity gained in a peculiar method of molding and cooling. The third test was of an arched girder 22 feet 2 inches long, with a wrought-iron tension rod of the kind commonly used for wide store fronts. This girder broke under a pressure of 34 tuns.

The Superintendent complains that heretofore, in the absence of any real test of the strength of iron work of this kind, contractors have frequently furnished very defective articles. When their castings are full of blowholes they putty them up with a composition made of iron filings, and elaborately paint them to conceal the weakness. The new law, by authorizing the hydraulic test, will prevent the repetition of this dangerous negligence or trickery. It is proposed to have an inspector for each Ward of the city, whose business it shall be to go from one foundery to another, to test, or see tested, all articles of iron to be used in the construction of buildings. These inspectors will be changed, every month or two, from one district to another, thus guarding against collusion between unprincipled builders and inspectors.

The new law authorizes the Superintendent to compel changes in the plans of buildings, a power he has not hitherto possessed; and in conversation with a TRIBUNE reporter, yesterday, he declared his intention hereafter "to have a say in some of the plans presented to him, and to compel their alteration where defective."

A GROCER'S BOOKKEEPER APPROPRIATES OVER $6,000 AND DISAPPEARS.

The house of Henry Welsh is one of the largest grocery establishments in the wholesale district on the west side. On Wednesday, at noon, the office at Washington and Franklin-sts. was the scene of considerable excitement, caused by the discovery of a large defalcation on the part of the chief bookkeeper, A. A. Robinson. The deficiency was in the cash account, and amounted to over $6,000. At the time of the discovery Mr. Robinson was out, and did not return. As he had during the day borrowed a revolver of a fellow clerk, and it was learned that he had attempted to purchase poison at a drug store, it is supposed that he had begun to fear discovery and contemplated suicide. A detective is now looking for him. Mr. Robinson] was formerly a confidential clerk of E. B. Ketchum, but had always borne a stainless character. He came to Mr. Welsh about three years ago, highly recommended by a prominent east side coffee merchant. He is a man of middle age, and not known to be addicted to extravagance or dissipation.

A CANADIAN ANNEXATION SOIREE.

Canada, it appears, is to be danced into the American Union to the music of Offenbach. Such, at least, is the apparent direction of the efforts of the "Club Unioniste Canadien," which held its monthly *soirée* last evening at Masonic Hall, in Thirteenth-st. The Club numbers, in this city, about 500 persons, almost entirely French, and over half that number were present at this meeting, including many ladies, and the Lafayette Guards, a company of Zouaves. The programme for the evening embraced speeches on the subject of annexation, a concert, for which several artists of note were engaged, and a ball, intermingled with patriotic songs and short recitations in honor of the anniversary of the fête of John the Baptist, the patron saints of the Canadian French. The principal speech was delivered by Col. F. Boucher, in French, in which language all the exercises were conducted. It is stated that branches of this Club are organizing through the United States, and that from Quebec, the present headquarters, a similar movement will be extended throughout the Dominion as soon as the pending election contest, into the issues of which it is deemed undesirable to introduce any new element, shall have terminated.

SUICIDE IN THE FRANKFORT HOUSE.

A man, age about 35, and giving the name of E. K. Willis of New-Jersey, hired a room at the Frankfort House, corner of Frankfort and William-sts., June 14, and has continued to occupy it ever since. His habits were quiet, but he seemed to have no friends or acquaintances, and seldom went out. On Thursday night he retired later than usual. He was not seen yesterday, and when one of the chambermaids tried his door, it was found locked. At 5 p. m., when the door was again found fastened, it was forced open, and the occupant was discovered lying dead on the bed. On the table stood a small bottle half full of laudanum, a package of arsenic, and a bottle of liniment. He had apparently been dead several hours. In his possession were found $130, and a half-finished conveyance of a parcel of land in Vernon, New-Jersey. The body will be removed to the Morgue to await identification.

A CAR CONDUCTOR CHARGED WITH PASSING WORTHLESS CHECKS.

Mortimer O'Connell, a conductor on the Third-ave. R. R., was arrested last evening on a bench warrant issued from the Court of Generale Sessions, and was locked up in the Oak-st. Station, charged with having passed, some time ago, a worthless check for $35, purporting to be drawn by his mother, Agnes W. O'Connell, on the Pacific Bank, in payment for some articles in the store of H. E. Mahrenheltz, No. 503 Broadway. The prisoner formerly kept a paint and glass store at Nos. 67 and 69 Crosby-st., but it was burned nearly two years ago, leaving him almost penniless. Since then he has been engaged in passing worthless checks for small amounts on those whom he knew in his more prosperous days.

THE FORTY-THIRD-ST. HOMICIDE.

The man who was knocked down and fatally injured on Thursday evening, by Michael Kinney, at Forty-third-st. and Tenth-ave., has not been identified. A jury was impanneled yesterday, and a post-mortem examination disclosed that death was caused by concussion of the brain—the result of the fall. The body has been removed to the Morgue to await identification. From his appearance the victim is believed to have been a boatman, and probably a stranger in the city. Kinney, who is still locked up in the West Forty-seventh-st. Police Station, awaiting the result of the investigation, insists that the deceased struck the first blow, and that when he knocked him down he had no intention of inflicting any serious injury. His character is very bad, however. The police say that he is one of the very worst men in the Twenty-second Ward, having been arrested for numerous offenses.

ANOTHER RAID ON FIRST WARD DENS.

Some of the keepers of the low dens along Greenwich and Albany-sts., undeterred by the raid made on them several weeks ago, have ventured to reopen their places. This was reported to Superintendent Kelso, who directed that the proprietors and inmates be arrested and imprisoned. About 10½ o'clock last night Capt. Speight and a section of men, acting under warrants from Justice Hogan, made a simultaneous descent on twelve of these low dens—all that were found open—and took into custody all persons found therein. Ninety-three prisoners were secured and locked up in the Church-st. Police Station. They will be taken before Justice Hogan at the Tombs Police Court this morning. The following are the names of the proprietors:

Charles Acker, No. 67 Greenwich-st.; Allen Wilson, No. 68 Greenwich-st.; Rebecca Borie, No. 70 Greenwich-st.; Julia Smith, No. 84 Greenwich-st.; Philip Hicks, No. 64 Greenwich-st.; Robert Smith, No. 136 Greenwich-st.; John Peters, No. 136 Greenwich-st., basement; Caroline Schultz, No. 136½ Greenwich-st.; Ernest Wagner, No. 152 Greenwich-st.; Mary Tricheler, No. 150 Greenwich-st.; Alvin A. Maseer, No. 1 Albany-st.; Martin Linderman, No. 3 Albany-st.

LECTURES, MEETINGS, ETC.

Diplomas were presented to the graduating class of the Twelfth-st. Grammar School, yesterday, by James W. Gerard.

The closing exercises of Brooklyn Public School No. 12, took place yesterday afternoon, in the presence of a large audience.

The annual distribution of premiums to the students of St. John's School took place yesterday afternoon at St. Joseph's Industrial School.

The Rev. Dr. Kennedy, a member of the Methodist Book Committee from Ohio, will preach tomorrow morning at the Seventh-st. M. E. Church.

The annual distribution of premiums to the pupils of the Academy of Visitation, Brooklyn, took place yesterday afternoon. This academy is under the charge of a cloistered order of Sisters. Bishop Laughlin and a large number of the Roman Catholic clergy were present.

The Brooklyn City Guard Co. G, of the 13th Regiment, N. G. S. N. Y., celebrated its 29th anniversary yesterday, at Bergen Point, N. J. Lieut. J. H. Hunter commanded, and 35 muskets were carried. Gold medals for the best shooting were awarded to ex-First Sergt. W. H. Clough and Private F. H. Holton. A banquet was followed by toasts and responses, and the day closed with a moonlight parade.

ROBBERY OF A RAILROAD TRAIN IN ALABAMA.

MOBILE, June 23.—Notorious thieves entered the southern bound express car on the Mobile and Ohio Railroad on Sunday morning last, overcame the messenger, and threw out the safe, which contained a large amount of money. The safe was subsequently found broken open. The thieves were tracked to this city, and two of them were arrested yesterday, and with them was found a portion of the stolen money. The remainder, it is thought, will be recovered. One of the prisoners is an escaped convict and desperate character.

HOME NEWS.

THE WEATHER.

NEW-YORK.	Hour.	Ther.	Bar.	Wind.		Hour.	Ther.	Bar.	Wind.
June 23.—	7	71°	30.04	S.W.	June 23.—	6	81°	30.06	W.NW.
	12	81°	30.07	W.N.W.		9	77°	30.06	N.W.
	3	86°	30.06	W.		11	75°	30.06	N.W.

REMARKS.—June 22, 1870—Thermometer at 7 a. m., 72°; 3 p. m., 87°; 11 p. m., 75°.

PROMINENT ARRIVALS.

St. Nicholas Hotel—Gov. Geary of Pennsylvania, Gov. Stewart of Vermont, ex-Gov. Parsons of Alabama, Senator Clayton of Arkansas, the Hon. Sidney Perham of Maine, the Hon. John Hughes of Colorado, and Judge Hitchcock of Ohio. ═ Grand Central Hotel—Gen. N. B. Forrest of Tennessee, ex-Gov. John L. Marye of Virginia, Gen. M. V. McMahon of Texas, and ex-Mayor Lincoln of Boston. ═ Gilsey House—Ex-Congressman Roswell Hart of Rochester. ═ Fifth Avenue Hotel—Ex-Gov. Bullock of Massachusetts, ex-Gov. Fletcher of Missouri, Gov. Jewell of Connecticut, Inspector-General Sacket, U. S. A., and Gen. G. W. Smith of Kentucky. ═ Astor House—Ben. Field of Albion, N. Y.; the Hon. P. Gow, M. P., of Canada, and ex-Mayor Innis of Poughkeepsie. ═ Sturtevant House—Jacob Stanwood of Alabama.

DEPARTURES.

Styleman le Strange, Secretary of the British Legation, and family, and Lady Thornton, wife of the British Minister, sail for Europe in the Calabria to-day.

NEW-YORK CITY.

Music in Central Park at 3½ p. m.

The total receipts at the North German Consulate for the German relief fund are $351,712 63.

The vessel of war which ran aground in the lower Bay, yesterday, was the sloop Wamsutta.

A new one cent evening paper, to be called *The New-York Daily Witness*, will be issued on Saturday, July 1.

The steamers Sunnyside and Thomas Powell have begun their regular trips for Catskill, leaving Pier No. 43, North River, at 2 p. m.

Trains will be placed on the Susquehanna road to and from Binghamton and Sharon Springs (all rail), and on the Rensselaer and Saratoga road to and from Saratoga, in connection with the day line at Albany, commencing June 26.

The Pilot Commissioners, desiring to know the effects of depositing the dredgings from the slips in the North River, have applied to the U. S. Coast Survey for a new survey of the localities likely to be affected. Their request has been favorably received.

A number of stages belonging to the Twenty-third-st. line were stopped last night by one of Mr. Bergh's officers, the horses being unfit for use. It is stated that Mr. Bergh has instructed special detectives to watch this line, as the company is alleged to have a habit of working its crippled and diseased horses at night.

Dr. Elisha Harris, late Sanitary Superintendent in this city, has been appointed Corresponding Secretary of the New-York Prison Association, in place of the Rev. Dr. Wines, resigned. The last State Legislature having failed to make the usual appropriation for the Association, an appeal is made to the public to contribute to its support.

Sportsmen and marketmen are reminded that by the new law, passed at the last session of the State Legislature, for the preservation of game, woodcock cannot be killed or had in possession until the 15th of July (instead of the 4th as heretofore), under penalty of $50 for each bird. Sportsmen's clubs throughout the State are making preparations to enforce the law.

Three of the members of the Board appointed by Mayor Hall to examine and license all druggists and persons engaged in preparing physicians' prescriptions were sworn into office by the Mayor yesterday. Louis G. Branda has been appointed Secretary of the Board. They will inform the public by advertisement when and where they will meet when those points are decided.

George Tucker, a down-town business man, met Hugh J. Price alias Hugh McLoughlin some time ago in a disreputable house, and was induced to call for several bottles of wine, for which he afterward refused to pay. On leaving the place, Tucker was followed by Price, who said he was an officer, and threatened to arrest him unless he paid the bill. Tucker did so, and Price left. Tucker then missed his gold watch and $85. Yesterday Price was arrested and locked up at Police Headquarters.

The memory of the untoward fate of Adele Canda, who was thrown from a carriage and instantly killed in Broadway, while returning from a ball, 25 years ago, was revived, yesterday, by the funeral of her mother, Madame Adele Canda, age 67, in St. Ann's R. C. Church. Father Preston touchingly alluded to the bitter trial and sufferings of the brave French lady whose life came to an end at Boulogne-Sur-Mer. Her remains were interred in Greenwood Cemetery under the shadow of the beautiful tablet, erected to her daughter's memory and known, familiarly, as the French Girl's Monument.

BROOKLYN.

The Commissioners of Assessment for the opening of the Coney Island Boulevard from Franklin-ave. to Prospect Park heard the objections of property-holders, yesterday, against the assessments made. The Boulevard will be 201 feet wide and 4½ miles long, to cost $180,000.

Capt. Fountain, foreman of the Continental Iron Works at Freeman-st., Greenpoint, was crushed to death, yesterday morning, by the sudden breaking of the tackle attached to a hoisting-crane, upon which was suspended a heavy piece of machinery.

The work of placing in position the blocks of granite that are to form the abutments of the East River bridge, on the Brooklyn side, advances very slowly, hardly three courses having been completed during the past week.

WESTCHESTER COUNTY.

MORRISANIA.—An examination was begun, yesterday, into the circumstances attending an assault upon John Karst, residing in Benson-st. He had been spending the evening at Carl's Park with three ladies, and was attacked near the gate by three ruffians, one of whom struck him in the face with brass knuckles, dangerously injuring him. No arrests.

LONG ISLAND.

LONG ISLAND CITY.—The East River Ferry Company, in connection with the Flushing and North Side Railroad have arranged to extend their docks at Hunter's Point to high-water mark, and to construct a new slip.

RIVERHEAD.—Oliver Charlick, at a banquet given to him last night, stated that he would soon make the Long Island Railroad the direct route from New-York to the Eastern States.

FLUSHING.—The closing exercises at the Institute were held at the Town Hall on Thursday evening.

STATEN ISLAND.

STAPLETON.—Neptune Lodge of Odd Fellows dedicated their new hall yesterday afternoon. Addresses were made by Minturn Tompkins, Grand Master Roberts, and others.

NEW-JERSEY.

JERSEY CITY.—Five hundred German emigrants passed over the New-Jersey Railroad Thursday night on their way to California....John P. Meehan was arrested last night for assaulting his wife with a bottle. ....William Owens, a sailor on the Calabria, addicted to drinking, jumped from the foretopgallant-yard into the water near the Cunard docks yesterday, and was instantly killed....Twenty-eight property-owners on Warren-st. have petitioned the Board of Public Works for a Belgian instead of a Nicolson pavement....Surveys for the new cut through Bergen Hill have been completed. About 800 men will be employed....Justice Wm. C. Matthews has been arrested upon a charge of assault preferred by Mrs. Eleanor Thompson....Ten thousand dollars will be required to support evening schools this year. ....Kaufmann Baum of No. 44 Newark-ave. was arrested yesterday for receiving stolen goods.

HOBOKEN.—Newark-ave. will be improved from Willow-st. to the west line of the city....The Board of Aldermen will review the militia July 4....Dr. B. Stultka, arrested for swindling and malpractice, was released yesterday on bail....A coal train of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad was thrown off the Venango branch of the Erie Railroad, by the breaking of a rail, Thursday night. Several cars were wrecked, and the engine ran into a liquor saloon near Rock Tavern, destroying the building. No lives lost.

NEWARK.—The East Reformed Church in the Twelfth Ward was dedicated last evening....James Burns and Jacob Latz have been arrested on suspicion of setting fire to the Sixth Ward School-House....Five new cases of small-pox were reported yesterday....The Presbyterian City Mission Board has resolved to raise $2,200 for next year....The will of Ira Peck, involving $135,000, has been admitted to probate.

PATERSON.—The Totowa Horse Railroad will be opened next week. Two new cars arrived yesterday....Arrangements are making to connect the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad with the center of the city by means of a new horse railroad....Market-st., east of Vreeland-ave., will be widened 20 feet.

MORRISTOWN.—Gov. Randolph will preside, July 4; Secretary Robeson will deliver the oration, and Francis Child will read the Declaration of Independence. The soldiers' monument will be dedicated by Director Willis and received by Senator Beach.

SCOTCH PLAINS.—The new Baptist Church will be dedicated next Thursday. The Rev. Thomas Armitage of New-York will preach.

HAPS AND MISHAPS.

Mary Ann Connolly, an infant, whose parents reside at No. 54 Clay-st., Brooklyn, E. D., fell from a chair yesterday, and broke her neck.

Israel Islans, age 30, of No. 12 Bayard-st., was found sick with small-pox, yesterday, at Twenty-eighth-st. and Fourth-ave., and sent to the Small-pox Hospital.

Louis Platte, age 2, was run over last evening by car No. 50 of the Avenue D line, in front of his parents' residence, at No. 73 Lewis-st., and dangerously injured.

In the City Court of Brooklyn, Mrs. Helen A. Davidge was granted, yesterday, an absolute divorce from her husband, Edward F. Davidge, on the ground of adultery.

Edward Gilmore of No. 18 Roosevelt-st., and Michael Donahue of No. 116 Centre-st., quarreled, yesterday, in front of No. 71 Mulberry-st., and Donohue stabbed Gilmore seriously in the head. Committed to the Tombs.

Coroner Keenan began an investigation, yesterday, in the case of Julius Broch, a German, age 22, who was run over by a Third-ave. car, at Thirty-fourth-st., May 26. Several witnesses testified that the occurrence was accidental, the car being crowded at the time.

In the Kings County Court of Oyer and Terminer, the following were sentenced, yesterday, by Judge McCue: Patrick McLaughlin, burglary, State Prison one year; Daniel Carson, assault at burglary, Penitentiary one year; John H. O'Donnell, attempt to kill, State Prison five years; Earnest Oertle, larceny, Penitentiary six months; Theodore Hollenbeck, forgery, State Prison one year, at hard labor; B. Molener, indecent exposure, Penitentiary six months; David Jones and Kate Walsh, grand larceny, State Prison one year each. Francis Vreeland and George Smith pleaded guilty to attempt at burglary, and were released on promise of future good behavior.

Wm. Barwell, age 45, was found dead last evening in his room, at No. 64 Perry-st.

A row occurred last evening at No. 114 Elizabeth-st., between Frank Byers, of No. 515 First-ave., and Patrick Hopkins, of No. 208 Elm-st., during which Hopkins was stabbed twice in the left arm with a fife, receiving serious wounds. Byers was locked up in the Spring-st. Police Station.

William Foster, captain of the bark Norn, who was arrested for throwing overboard his colored cook, James Culbert, last Saturday night, at the foot of Congress-st., Brooklyn, was discharged yesterday by Justice Delmar. It was proved that the cook was drunk and fell overboard while attempting to abuse the cabin-boy.

[Announcements.]

WHITCOMB'S ASTHMA REMEDY—Sure cure.

THE LARGEST WORKSHOP OF THE BODY IS THE LIVER, WHOSE OFFICE IT IS TO WITHDRAW THE BILE FROM THE BLOOD; WHEN THIS IMPORTANT ORGAN DOES NOT ACT THE SKIN ASSUMES A YELLOW APPEARANCE, AND GENERALLY A SICK HEADACHE SETS IN, WITH CHILLY SENSATIONS, AND COLD HANDS AND FEET, ACCOMPANIED WITH LOSS OF APPETITE. THE SYSTEM BECOMES CLOGGED, THE MACHINERY DOES NOT WORK WELL, AND BOTH MIND AND BODY ARE DISORDERED, THE AFFLICTED BECOMING CROSS AND FRETFUL, FINDING FAULT WITH EVERYTHING AROUND THEM. TO ANY PERSON IN THIS CONDITION DR. D. JAYNE'S SANATIVE PILLS ARE RECOMMENDED; BY THEIR STIMULATING ACTION THE LIVER SOON RECOVERS ITS HEALTHY TONE, AND IS ENABLED TO PERFORM ITS PROPER FUNCTIONS. COSTIVENESS IS CURED, AND ALL THE AGGRAVATING SYMPTOMS OF BILIOUSNESS REMOVED. SOLD EVERYWHERE.

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