THE WARD'S ISLAND INQUIRY

DR. RABINOVITCH CROSS-EXAMINED.

SHE INSISTS THAT HER MOTIVE IN REVEALING THE CONDITION OF AFFAIRS WAS TO IMPROVE THE TREATMENT AND SURROUNDINGS OF THE INSANE PATIENTS.

The investigation by the State Lunacy Commission into the abuses alleged to exist in the City Asylum for the Insane at Ward's Island was resumed yesterday morning at the Park Avenue Hotel. Dr. Louise Rabinovitch was recalled to the stand and cross-examined by A. H. Mastin, counsel for the Commissioners of Charities and Correction. The latter asked her what her present occupation was, and she said that she was engaged in private practice, and had two or three patients. When she first went to Blackwell's Island, she said, Dr. Dent assigned her to her duties as Dr. Stedman's assistant, but he did not give her any detailed advice or instructions. When she was afterward promoted to be a senior physician her position was one of greater responsibility, but she still did not receive advice from Dr. Dent. When in April last the patients were removed to Ward's Island she accompanied them, and remained there a couple of weeks before resigning her place. Dr. Dent instructed her to see that the attendants obeyed the rules of the institution. She reported the impossibility of enforcing the rules to Dr. Dent, and he appeared surprised. He said it was the first time he had heard about anything being wrong with the food. Mr. Mastin appeared annoyed at these unexpected references to the bad food, and worked hard to keep all such allusions out of the testimony. She frankly admitted that it was impossible at all times to follow the rules, but maintained that she had been guided by them as far as possible. She said that during the three years she spent on Blackwell's Island she had seen Dr. A. E. Macdonald only three times, and he had only spoken to her once.

Mr. Mastin then began to question her as to how she came to testify before the Commission. She said that she had been called by Duncan Edwards.

Mr. Mastin was particularly anxious to find out in what manner "The New-York Herald" became aware of the material in the witness's possession. She said that it was through her acquaintance with a "Herald" reporter, to whom she had related some of her experiences. Some of the revelations that appeared in "The Herald" had, she said, been written by herself. They were compiled from notes which she had made during her term on the medical staff under Dr. Dent. It had been her original intention to embody these notes in a work to be published in volume form. The witness here used an unfortunate expression. She said that she had intended to write a "work of fiction" on the subject. Mr. Mastin was not slow to seize the point.

"I think you have done it," he said, looking around the room triumphantly.

But the next moment he was met with a disappointment.

"Of course you received some compensation from 'The Herald' after parting with your notes?" he said insinuatingly. "Not one cent," replied the witness very emphatically.

"But you expect to receive something, don't you?" he persisted. "Not one cent," repeated the witness with heightening color. "I neither received nor expect to receive one cent."

Mr. Mastin looked disconcerted and took a new tack.

The witness's notes, she said, had been written in a book, which she had given Dr. Dent many opportunities for perusing. She said that her motive for making the revelations was the desire to improve the deplorable condition of the unfortunate inmates of the asylum.

"A purely philanthropic motive, eh?" said Mr. Mastin.

"You may sneer if you like," returned the witness hotly, "but that was my sole motive."

Mr. Mastin then asked a comprehensive question as to the particulars in which she considered the management of the asylum defective. She made a categorical answer, substantially repeating her former testimony about the buildings being dangerous, the inadequate accommodation, the bad food, improper medical treatment, etc.

Mr. Mastin at once took up that portion of her answer in which she alluded to the quality of the food having been improved since the opening of the present inquiry, and asked who were her informants. The witness refused to divulge the names of her informants. Mr. Mastin then worked back to Dr. Rabinovitch's connection with "The Herald." After a good deal of cross-questioning he managed to elicit the information that it was through her brother Joseph that she had communicated the facts in her possession to "The Herald."

On the opening of the afternoon session it was announced that the witness had seen one of the persons who had given her the information about the recent improvement in the quality of the food, and subsequently she said that Dr Cheney, the fourth senior physician on the staff of the asylum, was one of her informants. The names of the others she absolutely declined to give.

Mr. Mastin wanted to know the extent of the compensation her brother had received for his work done for "The Herald" in connection with the Ward's Island exposures, but the witness was unable to satisfy his curiosity on this point.

"Were you ever reprimanded by Dr. Dent for neglect of duty?" said Mr. Mastin, suddenly.

"Never," replied the witness, promptly; "but I am aware that Dr. Dent has been hunting up the records trying to find something against me."

"Who told you that?"

"It was Dr. Cheney. He told me that Dr. Dent and Dr. Tyler had been hunting up all the old histories of patients, extending back over three years, trying to find out something to my detriment. It is a task that must require a good deal of energy."

"You don't think Dr. Dent would try to manufacture evidence against you?"

"Oh, no; he gave me splendid recommendations when I left, and he would not like to be so inconsistent."

On the whole, the effect of the cross-examination was to strengthen, rather than weaken, Dr. Rabinovitch's original testimony.

At 5 o'clock the inquiry was adjourned until next Wednesday morning.

IS IT ANOTHER POLICE OUTRAGE?

THE VICTIM OF A CLUBBING TELLS HIS STORY—POLICEMEN CONTRADICT HIM AND EACH OTHER.

John Melden, twenty-three years old, of No. 269 Lexington-ave., is locked up in the Tombs Prison on a charge of intoxication. He told a story to Justice Taintor which, if true, may make trouble for Policeman John M. Hayes, of the Oak-st. station.

Melden says that he was on his way to a West-st. hotel about 12 o'clock Thursday night, and as he was passing Pearl and Centre sts. he saw a policeman talking to two girls. The three were laughing so loudly that he looked back at them. Then, he says, the policeman walked over to him, and with an oath asked him what he was looking at, at the same time striking him on the shoulder with his club. He protested and the policeman said: "You're drunk; come with me."

On the way to the station the policeman struck him twice again, one blow on the head inflicting a severe scalp wound, and the other on the left ear. The latter blow has destroyed all hearing in that organ. At the station, Melden says, he told the sergeant that he had been clubbed and the latter sent him to the Chambers Street Hospital after lecturing the policeman. He remained there all night. Yesterday morning when Policeman Hayes took him to court, he says, Hayes told him he was sorry he had struck him, and allowed him to go into two barrooms and get drinks. Hayes also told him to say he was drunk, if the Justice asked him any questions, and that he fell off a stoop and in that way injured his head.

Melden learned his lesson well, and when arraigned answered as he was directed. Justice Taintor committed him for five days. Melden told his story to a reporter in the prison afterward, and the latter informed the Justice of the circumstances and Melden was rearraigned. He then told his story as given. He admits that he has given a false name, because he does not want his friends to know of his predicament.

The Justice adjourned the case until the afternoon. When Policeman Hayes told his story, which differed materially from Melden's, he said that he found the man asleep in Pearl-st. near William-st. When he woke him up, Melden struck him and the two grappled and fell to the sidewalk. Melden struck on his head. Policeman Wesley Hall came to his assistance and they took Melden to the station. On the way, he says, he did strike his prisoner once on the head with his club. Melden, he asserted, made no statement to the sergeant about having been clubbed. The sergeant was sent for and contradicted the policeman by saying that Melden did say he was clubbed, but the policeman at the time denied striking the man.

Hall stood up nobly for his brother-policeman, so much so that he contradicted both Hayes and the sergeant in several important particulars.

Justice Taintor took the side of the policeman and sent Melden back to the prison.

PSI UPSILON CLUB AT DINNER.

The Psi Upsilon Club gave its last dinner of the season last night at the clubhouse, No. 33 West Forty-second-st. Dr. George H. Fox was the guest of honor. Francis S. Bangs presided, and speeches were made by the Rev. Dr. MacArthur, Benjamin H. Bayliss and other members of the fraternity. A new fraternity flag was christened, preparatory to its voyage to the Arctic regions this summer in the custody of H. L. Bridgman.

RIGHTS OF VOTERS UPHELD.

IMPORTANT DECISION BY JUDGE GAYNOR.

AN ELECTION VALID, THOUGH NO NOMINATION WAS MADE, AND THE CANDIDATE'S NAME OR THAT OF HIS OFFICE WAS NOT ON THE OFFICIAL BALLOT.

Judge William J. Gaynor has decided that Edward M. Goring was elected Police Justice of the village of Wappinger's Falls at the annual election for village officers held on the third Tuesday of March last, although he was not nominated by any political party, had no independent nomination, filed no certificate of voters making him a candidate and his name did not appear upon the official ballots, as provided in the ballot law. Mr. Goring nominated himself for the office and got forty-four voters to attach pasters to their ballots bearing the words: "For Police Justice, Edward M. Goring." No votes were cast for any one else for that office.

The village authorities maintained that he was not validly elected and refused to provide him with a courtroom or to fix his salary, as the law providing for a Police Justice required. Mr. Goring retained Bernard J. Tinney, a young lawyer of this city, who applied to Judge Gaynor, in Brooklyn, for a writ of peremptory mandamus to compel the trustees of the village to recognize Goring's election as Police Justice. The trustees were represented in the argument and in subsequent proceedings by ex-Judge Joseph F. Barnard, Judge Gaynor's predecessor on the Supreme Bench.

In his order directing the issuing of the writ prayed for, Judge Gaynor practically sweeps away the supposed necessity for nominations by certificate in the case of independent candidates. Counsel for the trustees contended that there being no nominations for the office, no one could legally be voted for at the election. Judge Gaynor holds that there is no foundation for this construction and that there is no provision of law requiring notice of the election of a Police Justice where no nominations had been made. Section 62 of the Ballot law requires only that all nominations to office be posted. Even if certain officials are charged with the duty of giving notice and fail to do so, that cannot prevent or invalidate the election.

Judge Gaynor in his decision also says:

The statute, as has been seen, provided that this office should exist in the village, and he filled at the village elections, if the trustees should pass a resolution to have the office, and they did so. Hence, the electors had the statute and the resolution as notice. That no one was nominated for the office may seem singular, but that could not take from the electors the right to fill the office by their votes. Nomination to office was not formerly essential to an election, nor does our present Ballot law make it so. Nor is the fact that the name of the office was not printed on the official ballots material. The contention is that it was properly omitted for the reason that it could not be voted for, because there were no nominations for it. There is nothing in the Ballot law to sustain this contention. It is otherwise; for Section 52, after providing that "there shall be provided as many different kinds of official ballots" as there are political parties or groups of independent electors making nominations, requires in the case of every election that "the names of all the offices to be filled thereat shall be printed" on each kind of ballot; and in the same section further provides that if the full number of candidates for the offices specified on the ballots shall not have been nominated by any political party of independent electors for whom a ballot is printed, "blank spaces shall be left on each ballot, of such kind where the names of the candidates would appear, except for such failure to nominate." The electors who voted for the petitioner did so by means of pasters, designating the office and the person voted for to fill it. They had a right to so vote, notwithstanding the omission of the official ballots to designate the office. (Ballot law, Section 104.) Let a peremptory writ issue.

AFFAIRS IN BROOKLYN.

MR. DELMAR RESIGNS FROM "THE CITIZEN."

The resignation of John Delmar, ex-County Clerk, from the presidency of "The Brooklyn Citizen Association," which publishes "The Citizen," daily newspaper, was accepted by the directors yesterday, and Thomas J. Kenna, Register of Deeds, was elected to succeed him. Desmond Dunne was made chairman of the Board of Directors to succeed Mr. Delmar. Mr. Kenna will look after the political course of the paper, which is the organ of the regular Democrats, and Mr. Dunne will care for the advertising patronage. An effort was made to get James D. Bell, chairman of the Democratic General Committee, to take editorial control of the paper, but Mr. Bell does not desire to give up a lucrative law practice to return to journalistic work, from which he retired many years ago. He said yesterday: "I shall not accept an offer of that kind unless I change my mind." It is not expected that any radical changes in the policy or control of the paper will be made, but the differences with the Typographical Union growing out of the recent strike will probably be settled.

MANY MEN SENTENCED TO PRISON.

Judge Moore sentenced fifteen convicted prisoners in the Court of Sessions yesterday, and gave some of them long terms. He sent Frederico Carlo, who was found guilty of manslaughter in the second degree in killing his son-in-law, Guiseppe Blaise, to Sing Sing State Prison for eighteen years at hard labor. Charles Scheff and Joseph Lang, who robbed a score or more houses by pretending to be health inspectors, were sent to Sing Sing for fourteen years and ten months each. George Holmes and Harry Parker were sentenced to four years and a half in Sing Sing State Prison for grand larceny in the second degree, and Frank Garrison got a like term for burglary in the third degree. To the last-named Judge Moore said: "You are the most able-bodied liar I have ever met. If you had been indicted and convicted for every crime you have told me you committed you could be sent to prison for forty years."

BOARD OF ESTIMATE MEETS.

The Board of Estimate heard statements yesterday from President Houck, of the Board of Education, in regard to the provisional estimate of nearly $3,000,000 asked for the support of the public schools next year. No definite action was taken on the estimate.

The Bridge trustees reported that the receipts to be returned over to Brooklyn next year would probably not exceed $300,000. There would probably be a falling off of $50,000 by reason of the reduction of the fare by selling two tickets for 5 cents. There were about 20,000,000 persons who paid the 3-cent fare last year, and about half of them would buy two tickets for 5 cents. Mayor Schieren remarked: "I am responsible for that loss to the city, but as it goes into the pockets of the people no harm will be done."

STRICKEN DEAD IN CHURCH.

While dedicatory services were in progress last evening in a new church, known as the Utica Avenue Tabernacle, in Utica-ave., near Dean-st., S. J. Schermerhorn, sixty-nine years old, of No. 171 Ashland Place, was suddenly stricken with apoplexy and died in a short time. He was carried to an ante-room and the services were completed.

GATHERED ABOUT THE TOWN.

A suit has been begun by William H. Smith, of No. 129 Franklin-st., to recover $10,000 as damages for false imprisonment from Dr. Z. T. Emery, Health Commissioner. He is an expressman, and was quarantined by the orders of Dr. Emery because he refused to be vaccinated. He was released upon habeas corpus proceedings, in which Judge Gaynor held that the imprisonment was unwarranted and arbitrary. Smith's counsel represents the Anti-Vaccination League.

The Citizens' Electric Light Company has settled with the city for the use of water from the city mains by a pipe on which there was no meter for several years by paying $8,270.

Miss Florence Simon, who was reported missing from her home, at No. 337 Fifth-ave., by her mother, who last saw her on April 30, has written to Police Superintendent Campbell that she is in New-York trying to earn an honest living, and does not want to return home. She says she is eighteen years old. Her mother says she is only sixteen.

Mayor Schieren said yesterday that one of the men whom he desired to appoint as a member of the Board of Education had offered to stand aside if he was in any way embarrassed in the matter of appointing women members of the board. The Mayor told him he did not care to appoint any women unless he appointed five.

An opinion has been secured from Attorney-General Hancock to the effect that the new law exempting war veterans from Civil Service examinations for places paying $4 a day applies to all places in which the compensation by the week, month or year does not exceed $4 a day in the aggregate. This is opposed to the opinion of Corporation Counsel McDonald.

The Sands Street Memorial Methodist Episcopal Church will have an "old members' day" to-morrow.

"The Hard Times—Practical Lessons Enforced," will be the subject of the sermon to-morrow evening by the Rev. J. F. Carson in the Central Presbyterian Church, Tompkins and Willoughby aves.

Detective Zundt arrested Joseph Schneller, proprietor of a butcher-shop at No. 333 South Third-st., last evening upon a charge of arson. The shop, upon which he had an insurance policy of $700 in the Germania Insurance Company, was burned on Wednesday night.

NEWS FROM THE SUBURBS.

WESTCHESTER COUNTY.

YONKERS.

The new St. Mary's Hall, connected with the Church of the Immaculate Conception, at Yonkers, was formally opened Thursday night. The hall, which was formerly the church, has been renovated at an expense of $8,000. A stage sixty feet wide and thirty feet deep has been erected where the altars previously stood, and the robing rooms have been turned into dressing rooms. The hall, which will seat 1,000 persons, is lighted by electricity. Among the clergy present at the opening were Monsignor O'Reilly, the Rev. Dean Penny, the Rev. John J. McNamee, of Mount St. Vincent, the Rev. Joseph C. Campbell, of Port Richmond, S. I.; Father Heany, of St. Borromeo's, and Father McGinley. The exercises consisted of singing, speaking and a play called "The Harvest Storm," by the boys of the parochial school. . . . The annual tournament of the Hudson River Lawn Tennis Association will be held on the grounds of the Yonkers Lawn Tennis Club, in Palisade-ave., beginning this afternoon and continuing during next week. The contest will be men's singles and doubles, ladies' singles and mixed doubles. All matches are to be the best two out of three sets, except finals, which are to be the best three out of five sets; all sets to be deuce and vantage. Stages will run from Glenwood and Warburton aves., stopping at Getty Square, every afternoon at 2 and 4 o'clock. The committee in charge consists of Walter E. Hodgman, Harry Holbrook, Jr., Francis G. Kimball and Hampton D. Ewing. Among the entries in the singles are Lieutenants Richmond P. Davis and C. W. Brooks, of West Point; Robert M. Ferris, jr., of Poughkeepsie; H. A. Waldron, of Newburg; E. H. Thayer, of Tarrytown; A. S. Runyon, A. B. Halliday, E. W. Lancaster, S. T. Thayer and W. E. Hodgman, of Yonkers; Miss Caroline M. Ferris, of Poughkeepsie; Miss Julia Gilberk, of Hyde Park; Miss Augusta Bradley, of Nyack; Miss Georgiana Bashford, Miss Amy Blake, Miss Atkins and Miss Hale, of Yonkers. This afternoon and Monday afternoon will be devoted to men's singles and ladies' singles. . . . Samuel Hayward, who has been engaged to examine the accounts of the several city departments, completed yesterday the examination of that of the City Clerk. He went back four years, and finds only an error of 10 cents, and that in favor of the city. . . . The third anniversary of the Young Women's Christian Association was celebrated on Thursday evening at their rooms in Getty Square. The reports read showed the membership to be 152. The average attendance at the rooms, monthly, was 496, and at religious meetings 161. The Sunday-school, which was organized a year ago with eight members, has increased until now there are sixty names on the roll. The Rev. Alexander H. Carver, rector of St. John's Episcopal Church, made the girls an address. . . . At the monthly meeting of the Young Men's Christian Association, held Thursday evening, ten members were elected. This afternoon the association's baseball team will play with the Calumet Club, of Brooklyn, at their grounds on South Broadway. . . . The Palisade Boat Club is making active preparations for the celebration of Independence Day. In the morning there will be boatracing, water-polo and tub races. In the afternoon there will be tennis and in the evening a concert at the clubhouse at 7 o'clock. At 8:30 there will be a fine display of fireworks from the float. The committee for the occasion is Andrew Deys, chairman; John Kendrick Bangs, Theodore H. Silkman, J. Halsted Dunn, Waldo G. Morse and E. W. Lancaster.

IRVINGTON.

The police of Irvington have few clews to the thieves who "held up" the postoffice clerk, Joseph Fallon, on Thursday, and robbed the office of $300 in money and stamps. Early in the morning Postmaster Harvey went to Dobbs Ferry to witness the celebration, leaving Fallon in charge. About 10 o'clock two well-dressed strangers entered the store, which is a stationary store, with the postoffice in front. They purchased some cigarettes and copies of the daily papers. They stood around and talked to Fallon for an hour and then left the place. They returned at 12 o'clock, and a few moments afterward, a man drove up to the Postoffice door and called Fallon out. He asked him some questions about mailing letters, and then started to drive away. He went only a few feet beyond the office. As Fallon started to re-enter the office, his way was blocked by one of the strangers. Upon looking in he saw the second man at the desk. Fallon understood at once that the men were thieves, and forced his way in. As he tried to enter the little office the man drew a revolver and pointed it at his head and warned him to step into the corner. Fallon was then backed behind the counter with the revolver close to his head. Both men then ran out and jumped into the carriage and drove off with the third man. They then drove south through Broadway. When the men reached Kings Bridge, they abandoned the rig. It was found yesterday morning. The men had come up from New-York and while one stayed at Dobbs Ferry, the others went to Irvington. The man at Dobbs Ferry stole the horse and rig, which was the property of Knapp & Vanorden, Tarrytown livery stable-keepers, who had hired it out for the day. The man drove to Irvington, where he, no doubt, had arranged beforehand to meet his partners. The rig was returned to its owners yesterday by Chief Nossiter, of Tarrytown. Last fall the safe in the same Postoffice was blown open with dynamite and $90 stolen. The thieves were never captured. The robbers of yesterday have not as yet been captured.

MOUNT VERNON.

Farnsworth Post, Grand Army of the Republic, of Mount Vernon, with Captain Charles J. Chatfield in command, acted as escort to Winfield Scott Hancock Post, of New-York City, at the presentation of a flag to Primary School No. 18, at Woodlawn, yesterday afternoon. . . . The new Asbury Methodist Episcopal Church will be dedicated to-morrow morning by the Rev. Dr. J. W. Beach. The Rev. Dr. T. L. Paulson will make the prayer, and the Rev. Dr. Charles M. Giffen, pastor of the First Methodist Episcopal Church, will deliver the sermon. The services in the afternoon will be conducted by the Rev. J. H. Bell and E. D. Bassett, and the Rev. Mr. Simpson, formerly of the First Church. The Rev. Dr. Paulson will officiate in the evening. A special musical programme has been arranged. . . . The Odd Fellows will have a memorial service at Trinity Episcopal Church to-morrow evening, at which the Rev. S. T. Graham will preach the sermon. . . . The Board of Education completed the arrangements on Thursday night for opening the new High School in September. A. B. Davis, A. M., will be the principal, and the Misses Brinkerhoff and Forrer will be his assistant tutors. It was resolved to begin with the first year course, which will embrace Latin, English literature, reading and declamation, algebra, geometry, biology, botany, ancient history, drawing and music. The special committee on military drill will meet to-night to lay out the plan for beginning the work at the next school term.

WHITE PLAINS.

The Athletic Club grounds, adjacent to the Baptist Church, White Plains, are now being utilized for entertainments of various kinds. On Wednesday and Thursday next the Union Hook and Ladder Company will occupy the grounds for a fair and festival, and later White Plains Court, of the Order of Foresters, will hold a clambake and picnic upon the green diamond, which is inclosed. . . . John Farrell, of West Chester, accused of shooting George W. Thompson, with whom he quarrelled over a woman, was yesterday found guilty before Judge Mills and sentenced to Sing Sing Prison for six years. . . . The Board of Trustees will meet next Monday evening to receive the final report of the special committee appointed to formulate and report conditions for the granting of a franchise to the electric railroad companies seeking a right of way through this village. . . . Troop A, of New-York City, will camp to-night on the Westchester County Fair Grounds, while on the way to the State Camp at Peekskill. . . . Percy Nichols, one of the men indicted for selling pools at West Chester, will be tried in the Court of Oyer and Terminer, Judge Bartlett having granted an order transferring his case from the Court of Sessions.

MOUNT VERNON.

An effort was made to settle the disputed election cases in Mount Vernon, but it failed last night through the absence of two Aldermen from the meeting of the board which was to sit as a Board of Canvass. An agreement was entered into during the day by Roger M. Sherman, the Republican counsel, and Joseph S. Wood and George T. Appel, the counsel for the Democrats. Under the agreement all the votes cast at the election were to be canvassed with the single exception of those for Mayor. Last evening, when the board assembled, two members were absent, and as nothing could be done without unanimous consent, the board adjourned until to-night.

WILLIAMSBRIDGE.

The Board of Village Trustees will take action on June 21 on charges preferred by Trustee Maloy against Highway Commissioner H. K. Hill. Maloy charges Hill with digging out the cellar of the new schoolhouse for Contractor McGraw, when McGraw was paid to do so. Commissioner Hill says he dug out the cellar so as to use the dirt on the public highways. The Commissioner says it saved money and was of benefit to the people. Judge Mills is counsel of the board, and Hill will be represented at the hearing by Henry C. Henderson.

HASTINGS.

While W. W. Brinkerhoff, a prominent citizen of Hastings, was out riding yesterday, his horse took fright and ran away. Mr. Brinkerhoff was thrown from his carriage and sustained serious injuries. One of his legs was broken. The team ran nearly to Dobbs Ferry, when it was stopped by Chief of Police Francis.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

NEW-JERSEY.

JERSEY CITY.

It was reported to the Jersey City Health Board yesterday that Daniel W. Tierney, an inspector, had failed to investigate a case of smallpox. Mr. Tierney's excuse is considered so novel that the matter is to be fully investigated. Mr. Tierney says the case was reported Saturday morning, so late that it could not be looked after before noon. Under the law, public officials are not required to work after noon on Saturdays, and Sunday is also a holiday; therefore, he was under no obligation to investigate the case until he returned to his duty Monday. Then the patient had been removed to Snake Hill by some one else. The matter may go to the Grand Jury on a charge of criminal neglect.

Edward Bull, who killed his wife at Harrison, and then tried to kill himself, made another attempt at suicide in the Hudson County Jail early yesterday morning by tearing the bandages from his throat. He was bleeding copiously when the fact was discovered, but prompt measures saved his life.

Osman W. Roper, Albert Smith and Jackson R. Baker, of the Mutual Building Syndicate, of Jersey City, have been indicted for fraud, and yesterday were arraigned before the Special Sessions Court and were required to furnish bail in $1,000 each. To persons who join the syndicate is promised a loan, but they find by a clause printed in the agreement in small type that they must go on paying for twenty years.

NEWARK.

The funeral of George Peters, one of Newark's best-known citizens and manufacturers, took place yesterday afternoon at his home, No. 117 Clinton-ave. The funeral was largely attended by men prominent in business and financial circles, and 150 of the employes of the firm of Peters & Calhoun, of which the dead man was at one time the senior member, marched in a body to Mount Pleasant, where the burial took place. Services were held in Trinity Church. The honorary pallbearers were Ambassador Runyon, Cortlandt Parker, Henry C. Howell, Leon Beland, Charles Borcherling, William L. Tompkins, James L. Ogden and Henry J. Wisser.

Mayor Lebbecker last night sent to the Council the name of John M. Gwinnell for City Controller to succeed James F. Connelly, resigned. The nomination was tabled. Gwinnell is president of the Franklin Savings Institution and chairman of the Methodist Church Extension Committee, Newark district. He is a member of the firm of Hayden & Co., saddlery and hardware manufacturers.

HOME NEWS.

PROMINENT ARRIVALS AT THE HOTELS.

FIFTH AVENUE—Joseph H. Manley, of Maine; ex-Senator Francis Hendricks, of Syracuse, and Martin Brimmer, of Boston. GILSEY—Justice William Rumsey, of the New-York Supreme Court, and United States District Judge Edward T. Green, of New-Jersey. HOLLAND—Roswell A. Parmenter, of Troy, and Daniel G. Griffin, of Watertown, N. Y. PARK AVENUE—Commander William C. Wise, United States Navy. WINDSOR—General Rufus H. King, of Albany. VICTORIA—Representatives Thomas M. Paschal, of Texas; James G. Maguire, of California; Alexander McDowell, of Pennsylvania; George H. Brickner, of Wisconsin, and George W. Wilson, of Ohio.

WHAT IS GOING ON TO-DAY.

Yale-Princeton baseball match, Eastern Park, Brooklyn, 12:45 p. m.

New-York Jockey Club races, Morris Park, 2:30 p. m.

New-York-Pittsburg baseball match, Polo Grounds, 3:30 p. m.

Knickerbocker and Tower Yacht clubs regattas.

Opening of Hagenbeck Animal Show, Manhattan Beach.

Nassau Boat Club regatta, Harlem River, 3 p. m.

Departure of Troop "A" for State Camp at Peekskill.

Concert at Essex County Country Club, 4 p. m.

Chautauqua Union moonlight excursion.

Music in Central, Van Cortlandt and St. Mary's parks, 4 p. m.

NEW-YORK CITY.

Services in memory of the Rev. Dr. Alexander Kohut will be held in the Temple Ahawath Chesed, Lexington-ave. and Fifty-fifth-st., at 3 p. m. to-morrow.

There will be a meeting of the Republican Club, No. 45 Fifth-ave., on Monday evening.

The fishermen who came in yesterday and the day before report a big run of bluefish off the southern shore of Long Island. Some of them had big catches. A number of amateurs who enjoy this exhilarating sport started out yesterday. Many more will probably go to-day.

Kane Lodge will have a meeting in the Austin Room, Masonic Temple, Twenty-third-st. and Sixth-ave., on Tuesday evening.

The Rev. Dr. James Millard Philpott will speak at 4 p. m. to-morrow at the Young Men's Institute on "Another Chance."

Judgment for $1,288 was entered yesterday against George S. Coe in favor of the trustees for Sarah Matilda Mygatt under the will of Jacob A. Robertson, growing out of a lawsuit concerning property in Brooklyn which Mr. Coe sold in 1867, but whose title it was decided years afterward was defective.

The Rev. Dr. John R. Paxton, formerly pastor of the West Presbyterian Church, in Forty-second-st., who arrived at the Windsor Hotel on Tuesday evening from Pittsburg, went with his wife and daughter yesterday morning to his summer home at Easthampton, L. I.

The Rev. Dr. Robert F. Sample, of Westminster Church, West Twenty-third-st., will preach to-morrow morning and evening, his last Sunday before vacation; subject of morning sermon, "Trouble, Whence and Why?"

Charles W. Brooke appeared in Part III in the General Sessions yesterday and moved before Recorder Smyth that a compensation be fixed for the defence of Dr. C. F. Meyer, recently convicted of the murder of Ludwig Brandt. The Recorder said he should not fix the compensation now. He certainly would wait until he could confer with four of the Judges of the General Sessions.

The General Term of the Supreme Court has affirmed the conviction of Eugene A. Marvin, who was tried in the Court of General Sessions some months ago on an indictment for printing "green-goods" letter circulars. Marvin was sentenced to imprisonment for one year in State Prison, and fined $1,000.

The Iron Steamboat Company will run its boats to Rockaway Beach this season, landing at the large new pier at Rockaway Park. All Iron Steamboat tickets are good to return by way of the Long Island and Rockaway Beach railroads to New-York or Brooklyn, and tickets of these railroads are good to return by Iron steamboats. The first boat will leave Pier No. 1, North River, at 10:30 a. m. Sunday, and Williamsburg (South Fifth-st.) at 10 a. m.

The cruiser Cincinnati, which was to have celebrated Flag Day by going into commission and having the Stars and Stripes officially hoisted over her for the first time, will be put into commission to-day.

The old steam frigate Lancaster, which returned from her cruise in China waters a few days ago, came back from the Dobbs Ferry celebration yesterday and went to the Navy Yard. She will go out of commission soon and be transformed into a gunnery ship for the training branch of the Navy.

The funeral of Police Captain Alexander B. Warts, who died on Wednesday last, was held at his home, No. 589 Lexington-ave., last evening. The Rev. Dr. J. F. Stern, of the Ascension Memorial Church, in East Forty-third-st., conducted the services. Many police officials were present. The burial will be in Greenwood Cemetery.

The naval tugs Speedwell and Catalpa have been condemned and their names stricken from the Navy Register. They will be sold at public auction at the Navy Yard in a few days. The Catalpa is a wooden vessel of 300 tons and was purchased in 1864, since which time she has been on general service at this station.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

MINIATURE ALMANAC.

Sunrise 4:28 Sun sets 7:33 Moon sets a m 2:53 Moon's age 12

HIGH WATER TO-DAY.

A M—Sandy Hook 6:34 Gov. Island 7:07 Hell Gate 9:00
P M—Sandy Hook 6:38 Gov. Island 7:05 Hell Gate 8:58

INCOMING STEAMERS.

TO-DAY.

Vessel.	From.	Line.
Schiedam	Amsterdam, June 2	Neth-Amer
Philadelphia	La Guayra, June 9	Red D
Santiago	Nassau, June 12	N Y & Cuba
Etruria	Liverpool, June 9	Cunard
La Touraine	Havre, June 9	French
Marsala	Hamburg, May 30	Hamb-Amer
Manitoba	London, June 6	Atl-Trans
Gothia	Christiansand, June 2	Thingvalla

SUNDAY, JUNE 17.

Azalea	Gibraltar, June 1	
Circassia	Glasgow, June 7	Allan-State
The Queen	London, June 3	National

MONDAY, JUNE 18.

Friesland	Antwerp, June 9	Red Star
Tauric	Liverpool, June 8	White Star
Maasdam	Rotterdam, June 2	Neth-Amer

OUTGOING STEAMERS.

TO-DAY.

Vessel.	Line.	For.	Mails close.	Vessel sails.
Aller	N G Lloyd	Bremen	6:00 a m	9:00 a m
Fulda	N G Lloyd	Genoa	7:00 a m	9:00 a m
Campania	Cunard	Liverpool	12:00 m	3:00 p m
Adirondack	Atlas	Gonaives, etc	10:00 a m	1:00 p m
Anchoria	Anchor	Glasgow	1:00 p m	3:00 p m
Mohawk	Atl-Trans	London		2:00 p m
La Bretagne	French	Havre		1:30 a m
Amsterdam	Dutch	Rotterdam	11:00 a m	1:00 p m
Seguranca	N Y & Cuba	Havana	10:30 a m	1:00 p m
Newton	Mallory	Galveston		3:00 p m
New-Orleans	Cromwell	New-Orleans		3:00 p m
Scandia	Hamb-Amer	Hamburg		4:00 p m
Norge	Thingvalla	Christiansand	11:00 a m	1:00 p m

MONDAY, JUNE 18.

Sorrento	Wilson	Antwerp	2:00 p m

TUESDAY, JUNE 19.

Lahn	N G Lloyd	Bremen	10:00 a m 2:00 p m
Spain	National	London	3:00 p m
Helvetia	Lamport & Holt	Montevideo	12:00 m 2:00 p m
Trinidad	Quebec	Bermuda	8:00 a m 10:00 a m
Milton	Lamport & Holt	Glasgow	2:00 p m

SHIPPING NEWS.

PORT OF NEW-YORK—FRIDAY, JUNE 15, 1894.

ARRIVED.

Steamer New-York, Jamieson, Southampton June 9, with mdse and passengers to the International Navigation Co. South of Fire Island at 9:20 p m.

Steamer Germanic (Br), McKinstry, Liverpool June 6, Queenstown 7, with mdse, 62 cabin and 160 steerage passengers to H Maitland Kersey. Arrived at the Bar at 11:42 a m.

Steamer Columbia (Ger), Vogelgesang, Hamburg June 7, Southampton 8, with mdse, 74 first cabin, 73 second cabin and 190 steerage passengers to R J Cortis. Arrived at the Bar at 3:30 a m.

Steamer Marsala (Ger), Lassen, Hamburg May 31, with mdse and 194 steerage passengers to Funch, Edye & Co. Arrived at the Bar at 3 p m.

Steamer Standard (Ger), Schleemilch, Rotterdam May 31, ballast to Gust Heye. Arrived at the Bar at 1:45 p m.

Steamer Scotia (Br), Hamilton, Trieste May 3, Fiume 9, Bari 12, Catania 15, Calamata 17, Naples 22, Gibraltar 27, Halifax June 12, with mdse and 184 steerage passengers to Henderson Bros. Arrived at the Bar at 11:15 a m.

Steamer Sperta (Ger), Reuter, Naples May 30, with mdse and 291 steerage passengers to R J Cortis. Arrived at the Bar at 7 a m.

Steamer Iniziativa (Italb, Torrente, Gircenti May 18, Palermo 23, Naples 25, Gibraltar 30, with mdse, 2 cabin and 188 steerage passenggrs to Phelps Bros & Co. Arrived at the Bar at 7 a m.

Steamer Britannia (Br), Ash, St John's, N F, and Halifax, N S, with mdse and passengers to Bowring & Archibald.

Steamer Malabar (Br), Allen, Laguna June 1, Progreso 8, with mdse to W D Munson. Arrived at the Bar at 11 p m. of 14th.

Steamer Ask (Nor), Kars, Gibara 5 days, with fruit to Mones & Co. Arrived at the Bar at midnight, 14th.

Steamer Lampasas, Burrows, Galveston and Key West, with mdse and passengers to C H Mallory & Co.

Steamer Nacoochee, Smith, Savannah, with mdse and passengers to R L Walker.

Steamer Yorktown, Dole, Newport News and Norfolk, with mdse and passengers to the Old Dominion SS Co.

Steamer Wyanoke, Blakeman, Richmond and Norfolk, with mdse and passengers to the Old Dominion SS Co.

Steamer Bluefields, Masinge, from Baltimore, with mdse to H C Foster.

Ship Mary L Burrill (of Yarmouth), Kinney, Hollo, via Delaware Breakwater, 125 days, with sugar to Smith & Schipper, vessel to Cort R Hincken.

Sandy Hook, June 15, 9:30 p m—Wind southwest; moderate breeze; clear.

CLEARED.

Steamer La Bretagne (Fr), Rupe, Havre—A Forget.

Steamer Algonquin, Platt, Charleston and Jacksonville—W P Clyde & Co.

Steamer Rio Grande, Barstow, Brunswick, Ga, and Fernandina—C H Mallory & Co.

Steamer Campania (Br), Hains, Liverpool—V H Brown & Co.

Steamer Ask (Nor), Kars, Gibara, Cuba—Mones & Co.

Steamer Fulda (Ger), Thalenhorst, Genoa, via Gibraltar—Oelrichs & Co.

Steamer Adirondack (Br), Sansom, Kingston, Jacmel, etc—Pim, Forwood & Co.

Steamer Boston City (Br), Weiss, Cardenas—James Arkell & Co.

Steamer Jason (Br), Fraser, Montego Bay—J E Kerr & Co.

Steamer Aller (Ger), Christoffers, Bremen, via Southampton—Oelrichs & Co.

Steamer Ardanceorrach (Br), Forbes, St Jago, Cienfuegos—Waydell & Co.

Steamer Am