VICTORY FOR DEVERY.

TAMMANY DECIDES TO "STAND FOR" HIM.

WILL WAIT FOR THE LEGISLATURE TO EJECT HIM AND YORK TOGETHER.

The distracted sub-leaders of Tammany Hall whom Croker left behind to face the vice crusade as best they might have been at their wits' end for several days over the truculent attitude of Chief Devery, who refuses to play the part of scapegoat which they had picked out for him. The Chief's refusal to resign his office blocked all their plans. He would not allow his enemy, President York, to triumph over him, even if he split the whole local Democratic organization wide open.

These leaders at a conference yesterday decided, therefore, it is reported, that as the best way to get out of a bad hole they would withdraw the pressure from Devery, and make no more effort to turn him out, but that all would await with what grace they may the bitter dose of medicine which the new Legislature will administer to them when it assembles at Albany and legislates the whole police administration out of office.

York will then go at the same time as Devery, and honors or dishonors will be "easy" between them. This course will sidetrack the imminent danger of Devery "splitting" on the Commissioners, as he has threatened to do, if they dared to turn him out, and there is no doubt that if they drove Devery to the wall he could and would make revelations of police methods under Tammany rule which would turn thousands of votes away from that party at the next municipal election.

Therefore, until Devery is legislated out of office, the gamblers and divekeepers will do business unmolested if they pay their proper assessments for protection, and this money will be collected with peculiar feelings, for it may be the last of its kind which the Tammany gang will be in a position to gather for a long time.

In this interesting programme, it will be noticed, the police make no provision for what may be done by the Committee of Fifteen. The first thing the police know, that committee may place evidence in the hands of District Attorney Philbin which will result in the indictment of Chief Devery, an inspector or two and a bunch of captains. An indictment might deprive Devery of that pension of $3,000 a year which he fondly hopes to retire with when the reorganized Police Department shall confine the emoluments of police officials to their salaries only.

Chairman Baldwin of the Committee of Fifteen would not admit yesterday that his society intended to take such a step, but it plainly lies within the scope for which the committee was formed, and it might happen any day. Mr. Baldwin did say, however, regarding the published report that his society would call on Sheriff Grell to suppress disorderly resorts, that there was "nothing in it."

Meanwhile the Tammany Committee of Five, finding that the police pay no real attention to its demands that the illegal resorts be closed, and not caring to proceed to the length of putting evidence against the captains into the hands of so active and fearless a District Attorney as Mr. Philbin, is turning its attention to the Raines law hotels. Mr. Nixon, the chairman, told a Tribune reporter yesterday that his committee would issue a statement on that subject at an early date, probably this week.

CAUGHT IN A RAID HE INSPIRED.

Samuel Stein, a restaurant keeper, of No. 2,005 Second-ave., and fifteen other men were arrested by Detectives Rosenfelt and Lewis, of the East One-hundred-and-fourth-st. station, in a raid on the restaurant on Saturday night. Stein was arraigned before Magistrate Meade in the Harlem police court yesterday morning, and was held in $500 bail for trial on the charge of keeping a gambling house. The others were discharged.

The police learned of the place through Abraham E. Bushman, of No. 200 East One-hundred-and-second-st., who called at the police station early Saturday night and complained that he had been swindled out of $4 in a game of cards at No. 2,005 Second-ave. The police informed him they would investigate. Later in the evening the raid was made. Among the prisoners taken was Bushman. He said he had gone back to the place in hopes of recovering his money.

A "LIGHTHOUSE" SENTENCED.

Captain Walsh, of the Eldridge-st. station, personally appeared before Magistrate Crane in the Essex Market court yesterday to prosecute Samuel Zisken, a "lighthouse." Zisken was found standing in front of No. 112 Delancey-st. on Saturday night inviting men passing to enter the house at that address. Detective Philips heard him ask Joseph Hurley, of No. 25 Oak-st., to enter the house. Hurley testified against the defendant in court, and the latter set up a defence that he was out of work and the position he had was the only one he could find. Magistrate Crane sentenced him to the Workhouse for three months.

TO GET WATER FROM TEN MILE RIVER.

CONTROLLER FAVORS A PLAN FOR A BIG RESERVOIR IN DUTCHESS COUNTY.

The authorities of this city, it is said, are considering a plan whereby the city water supply can be increased by establishing a new reservoir near the junction of the Ten Mile River and the Housatonic, in Dutchess County. The reservoir would be eighteen miles long and four miles broad.

Assistant Corporation Counsel Sterling could not be seen yesterday, but he is quoted as saying that the plan to get water from the Ten Mile River was the most practicable yet presented. There is a more elaborate scheme yet, which includes the damming of the Housatonic River itself.

A hitch in the proposed plan for increasing the water supply in this way is the fear that the Connecticut Legislature may not concur in it. It is held that the question as to which State has jurisdiction over the waterways would have to be decided before action was taken.

Controller Coler said last evening at his home, No. 244 Hancock-st., Brooklyn, to a Tribune reporter that he was unquestionably in favor of the city getting water from the Ten Mile River. As soon as action has been taken by the Legislature, and the city has the same power which the Ramapo Company has to condemn land for water supply purposes, the matter would be vigorously pushed.

MILES NOT YET READY TO REPLY.

HE IS NOT CERTAIN THAT HE WILL SAY ANYTHING TO ALGER'S CHARGES.

Washington, Dec. 30.—General Miles is not yet prepared to make any formal statement in reply to the published article of former Secretary Alger, regarding the use of canned beef and embalmed beef during and after the Spanish war. He is still undecided as to whether he will have any statement to make, saying in reply to questions on the subject that he has not yet fully determined what his course will be. General Miles says he has not even read the full extracts from General Alger's article published in the newspapers, such as he had seen being so full of misleading statements that he did not care to go through with the entire matter. "One hundred thousand soldiers have gone home from the Spanish war and told the story, and the proper officers have condemned the action of certain persons," said General Miles, "so that I question whether it is necessary to say anything further about the controversy."

MARK TWAIN'S EXPERIENCE REPEATED.

CABMAN ATTEMPTS TO OVERCHARGE PHYSICIAN, BUT POLICE SERGEANT INTERFERES.

Dr. Alexander Campbell, of No. 537 Fifth-ave., engaged a hansom cab last night at Central Park West and Seventy-sixth-st. The cab was No. 1,697, and the driver said his name was James Ryan and that he lived at No. 521 West One-hundred-and-thirtieth-st. He said he worked for Thomas Woods, of No. 518 West One-hundred-and-thirtieth-st.

Dr. Campbell was driven to the Beresford Hotel, Central Park West and Eighty-first-st.; to the Hotel Netherland, Fifth-ave. and Fifty-ninth-st.; then to a nearby drug store, and then he ordered the driver to take him to the Hotel Endicott, Columbus-ave. and Eighty-first-st. On the way up the doctor asked the driver what his bill was.

"Five dollars," replied the latter, through the little trapdoor in the roof.

"Not for me," said the doctor "I will give you $2 50."

Dr. Campbell said Ryan then offered to take the $2 50. Dr. Campbell said he declined to give it, and he insisted on going to the West Sixty-eighth-st. station. At the station the sergeant directed Ryan to take $1 75, the legal charge.

Dr. Campbell says he will have the cabman's license rescinded.

NOW FOR THE CAUCUSES.

DEMOCRATIC ASSEMBLY LEADERSHIP IS THE ONLY PLACE IN DOUBT.

Albany, Dec. 30 (Special).—The Legislature caucuses will be held on Tuesday night. Those of the Republican party will be devoid of interest, for it is already apparent that Senator Timothy E. Ellsworth will be selected as the Republican candidate for President pro tem. of the Senate, and Samuel Frederick Nixon as the Republican candidate for Speaker of the Assembly. The feeble Democratic minority in the Legislature, however, may furnish some entertainment, for it is understood that John McKeown, of Kings County, is Hugh McLaughlin's candidate for Speaker.

Tammany is considering whether or not it will support McKeown. Its leaders control twenty-six votes out of the forty-five that will be cast by the Democratic party in the Assembly, and therefore could name the Democratic candidate for Speaker, but it is said they are inclined to humor McLaughlin because of his wrath over the changes made in the Brooklyn police force by Devery. The Kings County Democrats will cast ten votes in the Assembly. Thus there are only ten Democratic votes in the Assembly outside of those cast by the New-York and Kings County members. These ten men are mostly rural Democrats.

Daniel D. Frisbie, a Schoharie County Democrat, who was re-elected to the Assembly, was in Kings County a few days ago to learn McKeown's intentions about the Speakership, and was quickly informed by the latter that he was a candidate for the place of Speaker. Mr. Frisbie, who is an intimate friend of David Bennett Hill, therefore returned to Schoharie County hopeless of being selected as the Democratic leader in the Assembly.

Mr. Hill doubtless suggested to Mr. Frisbie that he should make this call upon McKeown. Mr. Hill, therefore, understands that McLaughlin and Croker, in alliance through McKeown, will direct the affairs of the Democratic party in the Assembly in the approaching year.

In the Senate Senator Thomas F. Grady, of Tammany Hall, will, as usual, be the Democratic leader. There are only fifteen Democrats in the Senate, and fourteen of them come from Senate districts of New-York City—four from the Borough of Brooklyn and ten from the Borough of Manhattan. Tammany Hall thus has a dominating influence in the Senate so far as the Democratic party is concerned. Governor-elect Odell seems inclined to regard Richard Croker as the leader of the Democratic party in the State, for it is reported that he has selected Bernard Stark, who was supported by the Croker men, as the Democratic member of the Board of Mediation and Arbitration. David B. Hill's candidate was Major John S. McEwan.

TO ENFORCE THE WAGE LAW.

THE CENTRAL FEDERATED UNION ANXIOUS TO ENGAGE COUNSEL TO DEFEND ITS RIGHTS.

The recent decision of the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court against the Prevailing Rate of Wages law has aroused organized labor in this city and throughout the State as it has not been aroused for many a day. The case will be taken to the Court of Appeals and there fought out. The law provides that all men employed on municipal or State work shall be paid at the prevailing rate of wages of the trades with which they are connected.

Contractors who obtained a number of contracts given out by this city have been charged with violating the law, and many of the cases have been taken to the courts, and are still pending. Among these are those in which Controller Coler has held up the money due to contractors.

The importance of the fight in defence of the law is keenly felt by labor leaders, and it was the chief subject of discussion at the meeting of the Central Federated Union yesterday. The result was that Delegate William J. O'Brien, of the Granite Cutters' Union, introduced resolutions, which were unanimously adopted, requesting Controller Bird S. Coler to ask the Counsel to the Corporation to permit associate counsel to act with him in defending the suits of Rogers against Coler and Treet against Coler, the associate counsel to be named, and paid if necessary, by organized labor.

In support of his resolutions Delegate O'Brien declared that the interests of organized labor were being assailed by concerted effort on the part of the contractors on municipal and State work, and that it was necessary for organized labor to be represented by the most eminent legal counsel that could be obtained. All the delegates of the various unions present at the meeting were apparently of the same opinion, and were also in favor of not leaving the fight in support of the law entirely to the Corporation Counsel's office.

PHILADELPHIA WINS THE DEBATE.

THE DUTY OF THE GOVERNMENT IN ITS RELATIONS TO THE PHILIPPINES DISCUSSED.

The second annual debate between the literary societies of the Young Men's Hebrew associations of New-York and Philadelphia was held last night in the rooms of the New-York branch, at Ninety-second-st. and Lexington-ave. The Philadelphia society was represented by Joseph Sundheim, jr., Morris Wolf and George Hart, with Sydney Stern as alternate. Joseph Hirschman, Alexander V. Morgenstern and Arnold Gross, with William N. Berg as alternate, represented the New-York branch. The judges were Justice Leventritt, of the Supreme Court; Professor Richard Gottheil and the Rev. Samuel Schulman. Before the debate there was a musical programme.

The Philadelphians, who upheld the affirmative side of the proposition, "That after assisting in the establishment of a stable government in the Philippines the United States shall withdraw from all control," advanced the usual anti-expansion arguments.

The New-Yorkers advocated expansion on patriotic and moral grounds, and showed that it was not only the duty of this country to continue in possession of the Philippines, but that it was also to their advantage commercially that we should retain the Islands.

The judges awarded the decision to the Philadelphians. After the debate a dinner was given for the visitors from Philadelphia at the Astor Hotel.

NAVY MAY HAVE A BOOZ INQUIRY.

HORACE GREEN ALLEGED TO HAVE DIED FROM GROSS NEGLECT ON TRAINING SHIP SANTEE.

Toledo, Ohio, Dec. 30.—J. M. Green has just returned to his home, in Sandusky, where he is a United States pension examiner. He comes from Washington, where he arranged to prefer charges against the officers of the United States training ship Santee, at Annapolis. Green alleges that his son, Horace Green, died because of gross neglect. The case promises to be as sensational as that of Cadet Booz. Horace Green died on December 14, the cause of death being pneumonia. He was sick only two days. It is alleged that he was hauled out of his hammock and forced to march in the ranks, although he was unable to drill. On the morning of December 14 he was sick and became delirious. An extra guard was stationed to watch him. Notwithstanding the fact that he was not expected to live, it is claimed the deck was washed down, as usual, the stream of water being turned on and the floor scrubbed while the young man lay raving and dying in his hammock. He died before midnight. It is further alleged that he had no medical attention; that the food furnished the seamen was unfit for a dog to eat; that there was no heat on the berth deck, and that the hatchways were open, exposing the men, including the sick man, to cold draughts.

Congressman Rixey, of Virginia, will demand an investigation.

MEMORIAL TO THOMAS G. SHEARMAN.

TRIBUTES PAID TO THE LAWYER AND SINGLE TAX ADVOCATE IN PLYMOUTH CHURCH.

The service at Plymouth Church last night was given up as a memorial to Thomas G. Shearman, the lawyer and single tax advocate, who while living was one of the most active members of the church. Among the speakers were William Lloyd Garrison, Henry George, jr., John S. Crosby and Edward M Shepard. A letter was read from the Rev. Dr. Lyman Abbott, who had hoped to be present. The Rev. Dr. Lindsay Parker, rector of St. Peter's Episcopal Church, who was a warm friend of Mr. Shearman, presided.

William Lloyd Garrison, after paying a high tribute to Mr. Shearman's personality, spoke of his belief in the Single Tax theory. Henry George, jr., spoke of Mr. Shearman's friendship with his father and explained the economic doctrines in which both believed.

Mr. Shepard emphasized the overpowering "love of humanity" which swayed Mr. Shearman's every action.

FLINT PROMISES A REPORT

MORE DISCLOSURES IN BELLEVUE TROUBLE EXPECTED—KELLER SERIOUSLY ILL.

Some of the features of the present management of Bellevue Hospital will receive an airing on Wednesday before the Medical Board of the hospital, when Dr. Austin Flint, one of the examining physicians in the insane pavilion, will make an extended report with reference to the case of Luther Edgerton Newport, who was examined by Drs. Flint and Allen Fitch in August last, for which Dr. Flint rendered a bill to the family for $200.

Commissioner Keller's letter to the Medical Board, of which Dr. Charles L. Dana is president, has stirred up a great deal of feeling, and at the meeting on Wednesday it is expected that a number of things will be brought up which will put Commissioner Keller on the defensive. Different physicians in the Medical Board are indignant that any city official should, without the fullest investigation of all the facts, criticise them and practically accuse them of negligence in the discharge of their duties.

In the case of Luther Edgerton Newport interested persons have represented to Commissioner Keller, it is said, that Drs. Flint and Fitch have violated the rules in charging for an examination of Mr. Newport's mental condition last summer. Mr. Newport was committed to Amityville from Bellevue on August 22 last, and on the following day, it is understood, the family of Mr. Newport received a bill, of which this is a copy:

General Reese M. Newport, The Lenox, No. 2 West Thirty-sixth-st.

To Austin Flint, M. D., and Allen Fitch, M. D., Dr. For professional services in the matter of Luther E. Newport; examination into the mental condition of L. E. Newport, August 22, 1900; preparation of commitment papers; procuring order of Judge of court of record; in full, $200.

Received payment

Commissioner Keller on Saturday declared that he would demand a full explanation from Drs. Flint and Fitch with reference to this charge. His demand may be entirely ignored, unless he approaches the subject with customary moderation, as both physicians, their friends said yesterday, are angry at Commissioner Keller. Dr. Flint is preparing a statement which will be sent to-day to the Medical Board for consideration on Wednesday. When seen yesterday by a Tribune reporter he made the following statement:

I am preparing a statement for the Medical Board at its meeting to be held on Wednesday, and it would be improper for me to say at this time just what the statement contains. I will say with reference to the Newport case, that the courtesy of being permitted to examine private patients in the pavilions for the insane at Bellevue Hospital has always been extended to members of the Medical Board of Bellevue Hospital, and to other physicians not members of the Medical Board, and as far as I know, that courtesy never has been denied to any qualified examiner in lunacy, and examinations made in that way are in no sense under the control of the Department of Public Charities, and are the same as examinations made elsewhere in private houses, hotels or asylums for the insane.

Friends of Dr. Flint said that the charge of $200 is a customary one. It was also said that Dr. Fitch's name on the bill rendered to General Newport had no particular significance further than meaning that it covered any services that Dr. Fitch may have rendered. It was said last night that all this will be fully explained by Dr. Flint in his statement to the Medical Board. Friends of Dr. Flint said last night that he would call the attention of the Medical Board to a number of things which have been quietly discussed by the Board from time to time, for which Commissioner Keller and his associates in the Department of Charities are alleged to be responsible.

Commissioner Keller was so ill yesterday that he was not allowed by his doctor to see any callers. The Bellevue disclosures have completely upset him, and his indisposition, which seemed trifling at first, has now developed into a serious illness. On Saturday he hoped to be about on Monday, but at the New Amsterdam Hotel last night it was said that he might not be out for several days.

OBITUARY.

JOHN CHAUNCEY GOODRIDGE, JR.

Perth Amboy, N. J., Dec. 30 (Special).—John Chauncey Goodridge, jr., died on Thursday at Lakewood, N. J., where he went from his home, at Sauhikon, on the banks of the Raritan River, near this city, several months ago. He was at the time of his death the surveyor-general of the Board of East Jersey Proprietors, and had held the office since 1890. In the Civil War he was an army surgeon. When peace was declared, Dr. Goodridge retired from the army and from the practice of medicine. He had read law and studied civil engineering, and he chose the latter as his profession. Early in his career he became known as an engineer of marked ability. He was the designer and constructor of the cantilever bridge across Niagara and other similar structures. Nearly twenty years ago he retired from active business, and spent most of his time at his home at Sauhikon. He devoted his time to scientific research and investigation, and to his duties as a member of the Board of Proprietors and the several societies to which he belonged.

JACOB MOTZ.

Jacob Motz died on Saturday at his home in College Point. He had been ill but a few days. Mr. Motz was seventy-seven years old. He was born in Germany. He came to America when a youth, and in 1850 was married in New-York City, where he resided for five years. He then moved to College Point, and up to ten years ago was employed in the indiarubber comb factory now operated under the title of the American Rubber Works. He amassed a comfortable fortune and had been living in retirement for about ten years. Besides his widow he leaves five children, sixteen grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

WILLIAM HENRY MILLS.

William Henry Mills, of Smithtown, Long Island, died at his home on Friday evening from Bright's disease. Mr. Mills was sixty-three years old. The funeral will be held at 11:30 to-day at his home. The burial will be in the family plot in the Smithtown Cemetery.

JOHN R. WILLIS.

John R. Willis, a member of a well known Quaker family of this city, died yesterday from paralysis at his home, No. 39 East Twenty-ninth-st. He was born in New-York seventy years ago, and had passed his entire life in this city. He retired from business a number of years ago. He leaves a widow and three daughters. The funeral will be held at his home at 11 o'clock to-morrow morning. The burial will be at Greenwood.

THE HEBREW BAKERS' STRIKE.

BREAD SENT FROM BROOKLYN TO SUPPLY THE WANTS OF CONSUMERS.

The East Side Hebrews did considerable scurrying around yesterday to get their favorite kinds of bread and rolls, and the supply ran short long before the day was over. The deficiency in the bread supply was caused by the strike of the Hebrew bakers, which began on Saturday. The ranks of the strikers were increased yesterday by two hundred or more enthusiastic advocates of the ten hour workday, and a rousing meeting was held in Liberty Hall, in Houston-st.

News of the strike had been sent to Brooklyn, and the Hebrew bakers there sent over two wagons loaded with bread—all union made. These wagons paraded up and down Essex, Ludlow and other streets that are densely populated with Hebrews, and their wares were soon sold to hungry purchasers. The wagons made several trips from Brooklyn in the course of the day, and did a thriving and remunerative business.

The strikers declared last night that they would have fifty wagons running from Brooklyn today, and that by this means they would be able to supply the entire East Side with bread. They thus hope to bring the bosses to terms.

President Lurie of the Hebrew Bakers' Union said that the strikers were satisfied with their wages, but many of them were being thrown into consumption by the long hours they were compelled to work every day. He added that they suffered so much from the loss of sleep that in many instances they had fallen into the bread troughs through sheer exhaustion.

LIGHT SNOW IN THE WEST.

The clouds at sunset last evening were heavy and cold, suggesting snow. People who have been having all the green weather they want, thought that at last a bit of the white variety was to be had. No snow fell, however, and the impatient had to be content with chills.

Light snow fell further west, in the Upper Mississippi Valley and over the Great Lakes. Generally fair weather prevailed along the Atlantic Coast.

The temperature has fallen decidedly over the Northwest, and has risen over the Northeast. The temperature at New-York yesterday morning at 8 o'clock was 25; at Buffalo, 28; at Milwaukee, 28; at St. Paul, 20; at Moorhead, Minn., 2 below; at Williston, 6 below, and at Helena, 4 below.

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USED BULLET AND ACID.

ONCE WELL-TO-DO MAN, AFTER DIFFICULTY WITH WIFE, KILLS HIMSELF.

E. Churchill Coffman, of No. 314 West Fifty-fifth-st., killed himself in a room on the third floor of the New-York Hotel, No. 30 West Forty-second-st., some time yesterday afternoon by taking carbolic acid and then shooting himself in the head. Death must have been instantaneous.

Coffman went to the hotel at eight o'clock Saturday night and registered as "E. Churchill, Philadelphia." He had been at the place several times recently, the last time about a week ago. Saturday night he remained about the place for some time, and then left, returning at about one o'clock yesterday morning.

About 5 o'clock last night one of the bellboys passing the man's room thought he smelled carbolic acid, and an investigation was started. Simonson entered the room and found the man was dead. In his hand was the revolver which he had used to shoot himself, the bullet having passed through his head. One side of the man's face was badly burned by the acid.

On a table in the room was a note which read, "Notify No. 314 West Fifty-fifth-st," and several letters, among them one highly recommending Coffman to any position that he might be selected for. It was addressed to E. C. Coffman, No. 314 West Fifty-fifth-st.

A man, who presented a card bearing the name H. Doane Pflum, and showing that he was employed by Stephen T. Williams, in the New-York Life Insurance Building, called at the hotel to claim the body. Pflum said that he boarded with Coffman and his wife, and that he knew of no reason why the man had killed himself.

At the house a woman said that Coffman was at one time very wealthy, but had met with business reverses, and recently he and his wife had started a boarding house. She said that Coffman had left the house on Saturday, after he and his wife had had some little difficulty. That evening Mrs. Coffman, the woman said, could not sleep, and yesterday morning said that she feared her husband had committed suicide, as he had threatened to do so. When informed of her husband's suicide Mrs. Coffman fainted.

The proprietor of the hotel said last night that he believed Coffman was a promoter. The family have not lived a long time in this city, and it is said have wealthy relatives in Philadelphia.

HOME NEWS.

PROMINENT ARRIVALS AT THE HOTELS.

ASTOR—Congressman Galusha A. Grow, of Pennsylvania. GILSEY—E. L. Breckenridge, U. S. A. HOLLAND—M. Jules Cambon, Ambassador from France to the United States. IMPERIAL—Professor W. C. Mount, of the University of Virginia; Dr. Thomas L. Stewart, of the University of Virginia; Count D. P. Scotof, of the Imperial Russian Navy, Port Arthur, China. SAVOY—W. A. Sutherland, of Rochester; ex-Congressman L. D. Apsley, of Massachusetts. VICTORIA—Ex-Mayor W. H. Alexander of Omaha. WALDORF—Robert Garrett, of Baltimore.

WHAT IS GOING ON TO-DAY.

Army Court of Inquiry into Booz hazing case, Governor's Island, morning.

Police Board meeting, 10 a. m.

Baptist pastors' meeting, No. 184 Fifth-ave., 11 a. m.

Methodist preachers, No. 150 Fifth-ave., 11 a. m.

Congregational ministers, Bible House, 11 a. m.

Meeting of pastors and laymen, Young Men's Christian Association Hall, Twenty-third-st., to discuss new century religious revival, 2:30 p. m.

Tammany Committee on Vice, meeting, 3 p. m.

Century labor dinner, No. 19 to 23 St. Mark's Place, 6:30 p. m.

Meeting of pastors and elders of Presbyterian churches, chapel of Brick Presbyterian Church, afternoon and evening.

People's Institute, lecture by Professor Edwin A. Grosvenor, of Amherst, on "Russia," Cooper Union, 8 p. m.

Welcome to the new century, City Hall, beginning at 10 p. m.

Midnight mass in St. Patrick's Cathedral.

Union service at St. Thomas's Church, Fifth-ave. and Fifty-third-st., 11:30 p. m.

First Presbyterian Church, Fifth-ave. and Twelfth-st., union service, 10:30 p. m.

Watch meetings, Twenty-fourth Street and John Street Methodist Episcopal churches.

Union service, Madison Avenue Methodist Church, evening.

Calvary Baptist Church, watch meeting.

Special service and sermon, St. James's Lutheran Church, Madison-ave. and Seventy-third-st.

CHARLES N. VILAS ILL.

When Hiram Hitchcock, senior proprietor of the Fifth Avenue Hotel, lay dying yesterday morning and word was brought to Charles N. Vilas, one of his partners, it was found that the latter was too ill to leave his bed. Mr. Vilas is suffering with a heavy cold, in all respects similar to that which Mr. Hitchcock contracted last week, and which, developing into pneumonia, caused his death. Mr. Vilas said, however, that he expected to be better in a few days, so as to be around again. No fear was felt by his physician last night as to his patient's condition, unless the grief of his partner's death should bring about a relapse.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

MINIATURE ALMANAC.

Sunrise 7:24 | Sunset 4:43 | Moon sets a m 2:42 | Moon's age 9

HIGH WATER.

A.M.—Sandy Hook 3:12 | Gov. Island 3:44 | Hell Gate 5:33
P.M.—Sandy Hook 3:32 | Gov. Island 4:04 | Hell Gate 5:53

INCOMING STEAMERS.

TO-DAY.

Vessel.	From.	Line.
Arkansas	Copenhagen, December 2	Scand-Am
John Sanderson	Sunderland, December 5	Barber
Moonstone	Huelva, December 7	
Inchmaree	Algiers, December 7	Am & Ind
Ardlethen	Rotterdam, December 6	
Knickerbocker	New-Orleans, December 18	Cromwell
Lowther Castle	Glasgow, December 14	
Balilla	Gibraltar, December 13	
Pretoria	Hamburg, December 17	Hamb-Am
Norge	Christiansand, December 15	Scand-Am
St Dunstan	Gibraltar, December 14	Am & Austrl
Oranje Nassau	Port-au-Prince, December 23	Dutch
Flaxman	St Lucia, December 22	Lamp & Holt
Statendam	Rotterdam, December 20	Hol-Am
Bristol City	Swansea, December 15	Bristol City
Californian	Glasgow, December 20	Allan-State
Nomadic	Liverpool, December 21	White Star
Astoria	Glasgow, December 20	Anchor
Proteus	New-Orleans, December 26	Cromwell
Rio Grande	Brunswick, December 28	Mallory
Caribbee	St Thomas, December 26	Quebec

TUESDAY, JANUARY 1.

Werra	Gibraltar, December 23	N G Lloyd
Afghanistan	Hamburg, December 18	Barber
Hildur	Curacao, December 24	Red "D"
Alene	Port Limon, December 25	Atlas
Finance	Colon, December 25	Panama R R
El Dorado	New-Orleans, December 27	Morgan
Philadelphia	Liverpool, December 19	Weyland

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 2.

Hesperia	Gibraltar, December 19	Booth
Concho	Galveston, December 26	Mallory
Iroquois	Jacksonville, December 30	Clyde

OUTGOING STEAMERS.

TO-DAY.

Vessel	For.	Line.	Mails close.	Vessel sails.
Princess Anne	Norfolk, Old Dominion	—		3:00 p m
Mesaba	London	At-Trans		9:00 a m
Eller, St Kitts, Demerara			11:00 a m	1:00 p m

TUESDAY, JANUARY 1.

Comanche	Charleston	Clyde	—	3:00 p m
El Monte	New-Orleans	Morgan	—	3:00 p m
Guyandotte	Norfolk, Old Dominion		—	3:00 p m
Jaffa	North Brazil	Red Cross	3:00 a m	5:00 a m

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 2.

New-York	Southampton	American	6:30 a m	10:00 a m
Teutonic	Liverpool	White Star	8:30 a m	12:00 m
Peninsular	Azores, Insular		1:00 p m	3:00 p m
Seguranca	Havana, N Y & Cuba		12:30 p m	3:00 p m
Allança	Colon, Panama R R		9:30 a m	1:00 p m
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