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"Well, no," replied Seelig; "what I say is that they were fighting, but not drunk."

"Your Honor," said Lawyer Oliver, "I appear for Timothy Connelly. Neither of the men is a drinking man, and——"

"Hold on," interrupted Justice Otterbourg. "If the prisoner Connelly can afford to employ counsel he is not unable to pay a fine."

"There is no money coming to me in this case," said Lawyer Oliver, earnestly; "I am here to speak for a man who thirty years ago was one of the most influential men in the Sixth Ward. When I was a boy this old man was a candidate for the nomination for Assemblyman. The opposition were afraid of Connelly's influence, and they bribed some men to put him out of the way. The men drugged Connelly, but they did not know the strength of the drug they used, and he nearly died. For months he lay between life and death, and for years his brain has been affected."

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Justice Otterbourg discharged the two prisoners, and Connelly and the negro shook hands.

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2 GOOD shirt ironers and one woman to wash, at 416 6th av., American Laundry.

100 IN AND OUT DOOR operators on shirts and drawers; machines furnished; learners taken. 407 East 18th st.

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AN entry clerk for Broadway house, $12; dry goods salesman, $10; shoe salesman, $12; clothing salesmen, furniture salesmen, $14; hotel carpenter, hotel butcher, $35; cooks, $12 and $10; coachmen, handy men, oystermen; four hall boys, $15; office youths, dishwashers, kitchenmen, white and colored waiters, $27. 733 B'way.

A —WANTED—Dry goods salesmen, $15 week; 4 men for wholesale grocery houses, young men for offices, stores, hotels, and mercantile houses, cooks. 1,329 Broadway.

A CATHOLIC man of energy and perseverance for position where ability gains promotion; to commence, $14; reference or security. WM. HOOPER, 17 Murray st.

A YOUNG MAN as assistant bookkeeper and to make himself generally useful; one not afraid to work. 101 West 54th st.

A FEW tidy boys wanted in a large wholesale white goods house to learn the business. Address G. T. S., box 186, Sun office.

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AN ENGINEER wanted to run an 8-horse engine. L. HORNTHAL & CO., 290 Bowery.

A FEW boys between 14 and 18 years on light work. L. PRAHAR & BRO., Five Points.

A YOUNG man to work at house painting; must have some experience. Apply at 985 8th av.

A CARMAN who can handle first-class furniture; none other need apply. 101 West 54th st.

A FIRST-CLASS CAKE BAKER; also, a boy to assist. 29 Av. D.

A GOOD OYSTER OPENER at 169 Franklin street.

BONNAZ operator. Apply to JACKS & BRO., 21 Wooster st., 2d loft.

BOOKBINDER.—Trimmer wanted on Semple cutter. TOMLINSON, 23 Vandewater st.

BOYS who can do soldering in a tin factory. E. GUTTENTAG, 54 Rutgers st.

BUTCHER for city hotel; $35 monthly, board, lodging, and washing. Apply at 733 Broadway.

BAKER to take charge of cake and work on bread. 1434 st. and 3d av.

BOY OF 17 to work in restaurant. 341 West st., near Houston.

CARPENTERS wanted to attend the first annual picnic of the branch No. 6, U. O. A. C. and J. Will be held at Bellevue Park Wednesday, Aug. 31. Come one, come all. BY ORDER OF THE COMMITTEE.

CABINETMAKERS and machine hands wanted. Apply to the H. W. COLLENDER CO., 708 Broadway, N. Y.

CARLETON HOUSE, William, cor. Frankfort st., near City Hall.—Rooms, 30c.; 50c. daily; $1.75, $2 weekly.

COOK wanted; a man with experience in oyster and chop house. Apply at 387 Broome st., 9 A. M.

EXPERIENCED BOYS on cording machines; good wages and steady employment. E. S. LEVI & BRO., 14 and 16 White st.

EXPERIENCED hands to open and peel cocoanuts. Apply at 109 Washington st.

FIRST-CLASS chandelier hanger. Apply to SCHNEIDER, CAMPBELL & CO., 7 and 9 Union square.

FIRST-CLASS brickslayers wanted. M. ROGERS, 49 West 15th st., city.

GENTEEL American man in real estate office; one who will board with proprietor. Address in own handwriting, stating wages expected. MONTAGUE, 218 8th av.

HOWARD HOUSE, 149 Chatham st., renovated; 200 new, clean beds; largest, pleasantest sitting room in the city; 20c. and 25c. per night.

JEWELLERS and tapper on gold rings; none but experienced hands. STRINGER & CO., 75 Fulton st., top floor.

KNIFE CUTTER—Glossamer cloaks and coats; steady job. DAVIES, 18 Walker st., or, Washington Rubber Works, 144th st. and 4th av., Mott Haven.

PAPER BOXES.—Boys wanted to tie boxes and nail reels. SALI SIMON, 12 Lispenard st.

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POWER STAMPING PRESS hands wanted, male and female. 45 Gold st., 3d floor.

PRESSMAN on pants wanted at 521 East 14th st.; also, finishers.

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STAIR BUILDERS wanted; two good rail hands; also one banding hand. GILROY, 327 E. 60th st.

SHOEMAKERS.—Meeting of the Lasters' Unions this evening at 475 Pearl st., at 5:30 sharp.

THREE OR FOUR good canmakers. Address or apply at SACHEM HEAD CANNING CO., Guilford, Conn.

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Opening of the regular season,
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with the grand sensational and realistic drama, the

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Instantaneous success of
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In their remarkably amusing and picturesque play, by Robert Griffin Morris, Esq., entitled

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With entirely new and original songs, marches, farandoles, waltzes, and jigs.
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The author appears with a strong cast, new scenery, music, costumes, and properties.
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in her marvellous creation of
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As played by her nearly five years in London.
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New scenery by Bradsam.
Matinees Tuesdays and Fridays.

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FIRST TIME IN THIS THEATRE,
LOUIS ALDRICH and CHAS. T. PARSLOE,
In Bartley Campbell's celebrated play,
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ALL THE SCENES AND EFFECTS ENTIRELY NEW.
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New Course, Sheepshead Bay. Autumn Meeting, 1881. Aug. 27, 30; Sept. 1, 3, 6, 7, 8, 10, 13, 14, 15, 17. Races commence at 2 P. M. LEONARD JEROME, Pres't.
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