A DETECTIVE'S MISTAKE.

Mr. Bean Had Been to Prayer Meeting and Had Not Been With Mrs. Feickel.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto J. Feickel have brought proceedings for divorce against each other. Articles of separation were granted last spring, but this did not satisfy the husband, and he employed a detective to collect evidence upon which to secure an absolute divorce.

This detective's name is Louis Wien. He shadowed Mrs. Feickel for some time, and on the evening of June 23, at 6 o'clock, saw her meet a man at Canal street and Broadway. The pair took dinner at a restaurant and then went to 90 West Twenty-fifth street. The man left the house at 10:30 o'clock, and the detective followed him to 63 West Fifty-second street.

At the basement door a servant told Wien that the gentleman who had just entered was Mr. Henry L. Bean. Mr. Bean's name was given to Feickel's lawyer, and accordingly he appeared as co-respondent in the summons served on Mrs. Feickel. Later the detective called on Mr. Bean, and found him to be a man nearly eighty years old, and an elder in Dr. MacArthur's church. He had been to prayer meeting on the evening of June 23, and he was not the man whom the detective had followed to the house. Mr. Hubert Francis, who also lives at 63 West Fifty-second street, voluntarily gave the information that it was he who had been with Mrs. Feickel on the evening in question. The efforts of the husband roused the wife, who brought a counter suit, naming one Ida Morgan as co-respondent. The final hearing will be given before referee Edward Jacobs of 335 Broadway on Thursday. The Superior Court will then act upon his decision.

Mr. Bean says that if he experiences any further annoyance he will prosecute the detective.

MR. STIMMEL'S ADVENTURE.

He Strikes a Man in Second Avenue Who Had Seized One Rein of His Horse.

John Stimmel, the proprietor of the Germania Assembly Rooms in the Bowery, and his manager, John Thum, had a lively time early Saturday morning while driving to the fire in Whitestone which destroyed the summer hotel of the former. Two men stood in the horse's path as they neared Twenty-third street on their way up Second avenue.

"Get out of the way!" shouted Thum, as he hauled in the horse just in time to prevent it running down one of them. The man in return grabbed the horse by the bridle and brought it to a standstill. Thum lashed at him with the whip, and the man, running around to Mr. Stimmel's side of the surrey, grabbed one of the horses's reins. Mr. Stimmel struck the man in the face, but without making him let go his hold. Stimmel followed this up with a blow with the stock of his whip, at the same time shouting "Police!"

Before the man could recover, Thum tore the rein from his grasp and whipped up the horse. The animal bounded forward, and soon bore the surrey and its occupants to the ferry house. Only one man attacked the surrey, so that belonging to the other man does not appear. Mr. Stimmel sprained his hand in the ineffectual blow he delivered. When they got to the ferry, Stimmel and Thum had a prospect of another adventure.

"You've got a dead beat in that carriage," said a voice as they drove up.

This was startling, but the owner of the voice was so evidently a crank that the policeman at the ferry house did not think it necessary to make an investigation.

A MORMON FAMILY FOR COLOGNE.

Actions to Send Over One of the Extinct Wonders of the West.

When the delegation of singers and tourists from the Arion Society of this city went to Cologne last year the entire population of that ancient and perfumed town turned out and did homage. Emperor William and all his suite could not have received more royal welcome, and during their stay every citizen kept open house for the Arions.

Now the latter have prepared to reciprocate. They are going to supply two grand floats for the grand annual parade of the Carnival Society of Cologne, which occurs on the Tuesday preceding Ash Wednesday. That is as great an event in Cologne as the carnival in New Orleans, and all the residents keep open house.

One of the floats which the Arions will provide is likely to make all the good wives and many maidens of Cologne hide their faces in their aprons. That is the representation of the Mormon family. It will contain a Mormon papa, very tall, thin almost as a shadow, but alert as the barnyard rooster; eleven wives, and such a host of children that one will have to be spry to count them all while the float is passing.

"We want to give them a portrait containing all the wonderful features of America," said the President of the Arion yesterday, "and so we included Indians, Mormons, cowboys, and so on. That Mormon father looks as one might expect the husband of eleven and the father of a multitude to look."

They Say It's a Trumped-up Charge.

Inspector McLaughlin received a telegram on Saturday night from Chief of Police Murray of Glens Falls, asking that Minnie Murray, 19 years old, and Maggie Denton, 20 years old, of that place, who were expected to arrive at 8 o'clock yesterday morning on the Troy boat, be arrested. The telegram stated that the girls were wanted for larceny, but did not specify what they had stolen.

Detective Sergeants Dunn and Jacobs arrested the girls yesterday morning as they were getting off the boat. They were very much surprised and did not understand the charge of larceny.

"We came down here to meet Mr. Wilkins," said the Murray girl. "He was a real good man and he said he'd find work for us. He sent us $5 to pay our way down here. We were unhappy at home and decided to leave, but we never stole anything. Chief of Police Murray is my uncle. I think he made it up about our stealing, so as to get the New York police to stop us."

The girls were arraigned in Jefferson Market Court and remanded.

They Were Only Singing Hymns.

Loud noises issuing from the fourth floor of the flat at 290 West Thirty-eighth street early yesterday morning attracted the attention of Capt. Price of the West Thirty-seventh street police station, who raided the place. Seven girls and five men who were dancing up and down and singing were arrested. When arraigned at Jefferson Market Court yesterday they were a sorrowful-looking crowd. At length in answer to Justice Hogan's question as to what they had to say, a blond girl timidly offered an explanation:

"Please, your Honor, we didn't mean to disturb any one. We were just having a little meeting and singing some hymns and—"

"Tee-he-he," snickered the girl next to the speaker. "Haw-haw," snorted one of the men prisoners who couldn't smother his emotions, and then every one of the dozen sorrowful prisoners broke down and laughed until they wept. Justice Hogan's face relaxed. He chuckled grimly and said, "Discharged." Mamie Riley, who is said to be the proprietress o. the flat, was out when the raid took place.

Mr. Gaffney's Little Forgery Detected.

William Gaffney, who lives in Jorslomon street, Brooklyn, gave a check to a boy last week and told him that if he would cash it he might have half the proceeds. Gaffney was formerly under steward at the New York Press Club. The check was for $12, and purported to be drawn by William H. Lewis on the Seaboard National Bank to the order of George F. Lyon, Financial Secretary. It was endorsed by Gaffney. The boy was told to meet Gaffney on the Brooklyn Bridge on Saturday evening. He presented the check at the bank but was told that the endorser would have to be identified. Then he went to see Mr. Lewis to obtain a re-endorsement. Mr. Lewis immediately detected the forgery, and Gaffney was arrested. In the Tombs Police Court yesterday Justice Martin remanded him until to-day.

Killed While Assaulting the Police.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Nov. 19.—During a fight between the police and some negroes here at an early hour this morning Edward Curtoise, a young man who, with others, had gone to the assistance of the police, received a bullet through his brain and died instantly. Two policemen were slightly hurt.

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A New York Cigar Firm Receives the Highest Award at Chicago.

The well-known house of M. Stachelberg & Co. was granted the highest award and medal on an exhibit of Cuban-made Havana cigars by the jury of experts appointed to pass upon the merits of the stock shown by the several hundred cigar manufacturers who entered their goods in competition at the great World's Fair. The value of this award of merit can hardly be estimated. It is the pronouncement of a committee of tobacco connoisseurs that the New York firm exhibited the choicest line of pure Havana cigars at the mammoth Exposition, and that the brands entered by Stachelberg & Co. approached nearer to perfection than the products of the leading manufacturers of the world. The exhibit was most attractively displayed in a costly cabinet of sterling silver made by the Gorham Manufacturing Company. The cabinet stands five and one-half feet high, and is mounted on a pedestal two and one-half feet high. The pedestal is of a rich wine color, contrasting forcibly with the pure white of the solid silver framework of the cabinet and the brilliant heavy plate glass. The cabinet will be exhibited in this city during the holidays. Among the popular brands of cigars shown by the firm at the Fair were the "La Fama Universal," "Raphael," "Practicon," and "Flor de M. Stachelberg & Co." The cigars manufactured by this house are all Cuban made, of pure Havana wrappers and fillers. The cheapest is a three-for-a-quarter brand, and some extra quality smokers retail at a dollar each. The house started in business in 1867, and has built up an immense trade.

The firm invites dealers to call at the factory, 101 South Fifth avenue, and examine the prize winners.—*Adv.*

THE FREIGHT TRAIN WRECK AT NEWARK.

Said to Have Been Due to the Failure of an Automatic Signal Device.

It is said that the freight train wreck which occurred near the Emmett street station of the Pennsylvania Railroad in Newark at midnight on Saturday, was caused by the failure of an automatic signal auxiliary to the regular block signal system of the road. There are four tracks there and the outer track on each side is used for freight trains. A freight train was crossing over from the west to the east track when another train of the same class coming from Camden struck it in the rear, crushing a caboose and several box cars and strewing the tracks with general merchandise. Engine 305, in charge of Engineer David Green of Philadelphia, and Fireman William Hutchinson of the same place, was thrown over upon its right side falling on a heavy picket fence.

Engineer Green was pinned in his cab by a post and several broken pickets and was scalded to death. Fireman Hutchinson crawled out of the cab uninjured except for a few bruises. The tank of the engine was thrown across two of the passenger tracks and a big box car was smashed to kindlings against it. The next car was throw upon its side, and it crushed the rear car of the local freight train, train which left Market street, Newark, a few minutes before the accident was stopped just in time to avert an additional horror. The only person injured besides those on the engine was Brakeman Hilter Hacke. It is said that the signal at Tower R. D. had been out of order all day Saturday and had been reported to headquarters.

Coachman Fitzgerald Says He Was Robbed.

Thomas Fitzgerald, who says he is a coachman in the employ of Montgomery Schuyler of 1,025 Park avenue, was walking down Third avenue near Twenty-third street, at 1 o'clock yesterday morning, when he was stopped, he says, by John Barbier of 153 East Twenty-third street. Barbier said: "I am a policeman, and you are my prisoner."

When asked what the charge was, Fitzgerald says he was told to mind that now, that he would find out soon enough. Barbier then led Fitzgerald into Twenty-fifth street, where, the latter says, Barbier wrenched his $35 watch and chain from his vest pocket.

Fitzgerald's cries for help brought Policeman Luman of the East Twenty-second street station house, who arrested Barbier. In Yorkville Police Court yesterday morning the prisoner was held in $1,500 bail to answer in the Court of General Sessions.

Pensions Granted.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 19.—The following pensions have been granted, issue of Nov. 7, 1893:

Connecticut.—Original—Anthony B. Blacaburn, Watbury, New Haven; Frederick T. Covel, Hartford, Hartford. Additional—William I. Hyde, Moosup, Windham. Increase—John Masterson, Noroton, Fairfield. Reissue—Luther C. Childs, Nepang, Litchfield. Original widows &c.—Mary Wallace, Bridgeport, Fairfield; Caroline Ella ex, Bridgeport, Fairfield.

New York.—Original—Patrick Megan, Brooklyn, Kings; James Fitzgerald, East Syracuse, Onondaga; Caesar Hefer, New York city, New York; John W. Adams, Brooklyn, Kings. Additional—David Russell, Elmira, Chemung; George W. Robbins, Brushton, Franklin; Michael Ganter, Olean, Cattaraugus; Hiram Hendrickson, Valley Stream, Queens. Increase—Leon and Prince, Buffalo, Erie; James Merritt, Glen Wild, Sullivan; Benjamin Morrison, Binghamton, Broome; John D. Sheerer, Elmira, Chemung; Peter Larock, Schuyler Falls, Clinton; Andrew J. Osborn, Lowville, Lewis; George Smith, South Copler, Cortland. Original widows, &c.—Olive Lafortune, Chazy, Clinton; Silas Bateman (father), Lorraine, Jefferson; Joseph ne Bieass, New York city, New York; Lilli Stein, Hollis, Queens; Eunice A. Bayne, Medina, Orleans.

Mrs. Mulanne Blames the Chambermaid.

Thomas J. Mullane, who lives at the Hotel Lincoln, Fifty-second street and Broadway, was held for further examination at the Yorkville Police Court yesterday morning accused of abandonment and non-support by his wife, who lives at 251 West Fifty-first street. The Mullanes have been living apart since July, 1891, and Mrs. Mullane says that one Maria Bratton, formerly a chambermaid in York's Hotel in Long Branch, caused the estrangement. Mullane is in the feed business at 1,526 Broadway, also at beautight and Long Branch.

IN THE REAL ESTATE FIELD.

The *Record and Guide*, speaking of the situation, says that a widespread disappointment pervades the market over the failure of a more marked recovery from the depression of panic times. Some improvement there has been, and a firmer feeling characterizes all business circles, but the buoyant promises of speedy recovery and sharp advances, after the passage of the Wilson-Voorhees repeal bill, that were so freely made while that measure hung in the balance, have not been realized. Undoubtedly the prophecy business was overdone, but there are good and substantial reasons why the recovery should be as it has been, a process of slow growth rather than of booming. In the first place, real estate did not suffer any such serious decline in prices as did other forms of investment, and there was consequently less to recover. Then, too, it is as true to-day of real estate as it ever was that it is a subject of active trading only when other lines of business are prosperous.

The general market conditions at the moment are best reflected by the fact that outside buyers are making their appearance in the auction market, and that not all the property being sold under foreclosure is falling into the hands of the plaintiffs. The loan market continues to improve and money can now be had in any quantity at 5 per cent. up to 60 or 65 per cent. of the appraised value. But it will have to be still easier before it will be any material aid to active trading or to active building.

Brokers' sales include:

Daniel S. Freedman has sold the five-story brownstone dwelling, lot 22x100, No. 603 Fifth avenue, east side, south of Forty-ninth street, on private terms.

Duncan, Sherman & Co. have sold the three-story and attic brownstone dwelling, 24x100x88.8, No. 9 West Forty-ninth street, for the Fisher estate, to Nicholas Ferry, at $40,000.

Charles Martin has sold the five-story and basement brownstone flat, size 25x100x125, No. 405 West Forty-eighth street, for Mary Brunig to August Rovenbach and sister, for $34,000.

Thomas S. Duffy has sold No. 120 East Thirty-second street, near Fourth avenue, a four-story brick stable property, to Mr. Frederic Gerhard for $2,400 per annum, for a term, for $21,000.

Meacher & Co. have sold for Adolph Schimpf the three-story store and flat No. 401 Fourth avenue.

Mr. Gibson has sold for A. Constello to H. Hirsch the double store and flat property, 20x80, No. 385 Tenth avenue.

The property Nos. 504 and 506 West Forty-second street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues, 50x100, with the entire brick tenement, expected sold by M. J. Adams to Charles Schorr for $32,000 for improvement.

It is reported that S. Friedman & Son have sold the residence property, 50x100, No. 305 West Twenty-fifth street, for $75,000 to H. Winch.

George Rutledge Gibson has purchased the Columbia College leasehold dwelling, No. 31 West Forty-ninth street, occupied by him, at $7,500.

Schoenmann has sold the four-story brick store and tenement property, No. 304 Hudson street, for A. Nelson, to Rosenhoff & Sons on private terms.

Fisher & Frankenheim have sold the four-story, high stoop, brown-stone dwelling, 20x100, extension 40x70, No. 27 West Forty-eighth street, for the estate of E. M. Stoddard.

Sauer Kahn and Marcus Rosner have purchased from Frederick Alexander the two freehold lots, 50x100, located 125 East 50th street, with stores and lofts and have sold to Mr. Alexander in exchange seven three-story stone front dwellings, Nos. 212 and 218 East Fifty-second street, 222, 224, 226, and 230 Third street, and Nos. 404, 406, 408, 410, 410½, 412, 412½, 414, 414½, 416, and 418 Clinton street, Brooklyn. The three last mentioned houses are each 16x50x100, and the others 18x50x100. About $100,000 is involved in the deal.

Peter Lasscraft has sold the four-story brick dwelling, 25x100.2, No. 9 West Eighty-sixth street, to a Mr. Immerman for $60,000.

E. Foster Dickson has sold the four-story stone front dwelling with mr. Brunner, No. 50 West Eighty-ninth street, to Max Greenwald for about $40,000.

Hoey & Wells & Nay have sold the lease of the four-story, brownstone dwelling, 22x100.11, No. 43 East Forty-fifth street, for the Equitable Life Assurance Society at $52,500.

Dowling & Nehrbas have traded for Peter J. Brady the two-story and basement stores, data, 18.11x61x0, Nos. 1,582 and 1,584 Madison avenue, for 147 acres with John Robert for his farm of 300 acres and buildings at Monticello, N. Y., at $20,000.

F. Ellot has sold for the Arkenburgh estate to Isaac Mayers, for four lots on the north side of Seventy-fifth street, 100 feet east of Amsterdam avenue. These lots have been resold to Frederick Aldhous for improvement.

Charles Rock has sold the four-story stone-front dwelling, 22x58, and extension x100, No. 54 West Twenty-seventh street, to Edgar Hendricks on private terms.

F. P. E. J. Murray have sold the three-story and basement stone dwelling, No. 33 East 110th street, for William A. Nair to Mrs. E. A. Shewell of Harlemite.

Rice and Hallmann have sold the plot, 99.11x100, on the west side of Convent avenue and 140th street, for the Hutton estate to Frederick Koch for $12,650.

The three-story limestone dwelling, 19x80x100, No. 257 West Ninety-ninth street, is reported sold by W. E. Lauchmann at $21,000.

Oliver Bros. & Son have sold the three-story dwelling, No. 236 West seventieth street, to Antonio Rinaldi.

A. Silvers & Co. have sold the three-story and basement brownstone dwelling, No. 138 West 127th street, for Susan W. Bryan.

Herman Wrona & Son have sold the two five-story flats, with lots, 25x100.6 each, Nos. 202 and 204 West 119th street, to Thomas Stewart at $60,000.

The sale is reported of the three-story and stone dwelling, No. 8 West 104th street by Watkins Bros. to Mrs. Josephine Miller.

Thomas P. Payne, in connection with Boswell & Kingler, has sold No. 225 West Sixty-third street, a three-story brick and stone four-family apartment house, 25x80x102, for J. C. Mehlenbacher for $22,500.

Mrs. M. B. Hewitt has sold to William L. Hill the three-story and basement, brown-stone dwelling, 17.6x50 and extension x100, No. 130 West Ninety-seventh street, for about $20,000.

L. J. Phillips & Co. have sold the private stable, 25x100x100.5, No. 40 West Sixty-sixth street, to W. Edgar Fisher.

The property, No. 601 Amsterdam avenue, northeast corner Eighty-ninth street, a five-story flat with stores, is reported sold for the estate of Joseph Potter at $64,000.

James L. Libbey & Son have sold one of the Hansen & Saunders houses in Eighty-first street, south side, west of Columbus avenue, a four-story high stoop, brownstone dwelling, nineteen feet front, with extension, lot 102.2, to Dr. R. M. Peck, for about $36,000.

BROOKLYN.

Taylor & Fox have purchased for William Dick for a consideration of $60,000 the following properties: Six four-story frame double flats on the east side of Bamford street, south of Park avenue, Nos. 91, 93, 95, 97, 99, and 101; two four-story brick double flats on the north side of Broome street, east of Albany avenue, Nos. 1,403 and 1,405; two four-story frame double flats on the north side of Hancock street, east of Broadway, Nos. 203 and 205; the four-story brick double flat on the south side of Myrtle avenue, 75 feet east of Throop avenue, No. 490; and the four-story double flat with stores on the east side of Sixth avenue, 20.3 feet south of Twentieth street, No. 636. The above properties are all 25x100 feet.

Heyward & Wright have sold a plot, 79.6x100, on the north side of Pulaski street, 100 feet east of Throop avenue, for Henry W. Knight to Peters & Schaffner for $4,000, also exchanged for William Hamilton the three-story and basement frame dwelling, lot 28x100, valued at $7,000, on the south side of New York avenue, a plot at Bush, 80x100, and stock in the German-American Real Estate Company, valued at $7,000, and exchanged for Gottfried Schaffner the two-story and basement stone dwelling, lot 18.9x100, No. 743 Macon street, valued at $6,000, with the German-American Real Estate Company for two plots at Hollis, each 125x100.

Ernestus Gulick & Co. have sold the three-story and basement brown-stone dwelling, 20x40x100, No. 51 Herkimer place, for Isaac M. Vanderveer to Mrs. E. L. Furman; also the three-story and basement brick dwelling, 20x45x100, No. 73 Jefferson avenue, for Catharine Coleman of New York to Rebecca Keen; and the three-story and basement frame dwelling, 20x40x100, No. 301 Dean street, for Martha L. Swimm to M. L. French.

Joel G. Bunnington reports the following exchanges: Thomas Jones, of Jones & Hoagland, has sold his four-story and basement brick dwelling, 20x100, No. 2 Willoughby street, valued at $15,000, and has given in exchange for it the following: Lot 20x100 on the north side of Bergen street, 100 feet west of Franklin avenue, valued at $5,000; lot 20x100 on the south