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Collided With Ice Wagon.

LONG ISLAND CITY, N. Y., April 6.—In a collision of an ice wagon with the Fort Jefferson express at the Clifton avenue crossing of the Long Island railroad, the chief warder allowed him to go to Wassen, where he bought five gallons of wine, tobacco, cheese, etc.

THE WYOMING CONFERENCE.

Twenty-One Voted San Francisco Day for Church Collections.

BINGHAMTON, N. Y., April 6.—At today's session of the Wyoming conference the first business transacted was the appointing of Rev. Levi L. Sprague of Kings-ton, Rev. A. D. Decker of Susquehanna and Rev. H. M. Cryden as trustees of the Wyoming Synod.

MISMANAGEMENT ALLEGED.

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Views of Dr. George A. Soper of New York in Reference to Typhoid Fever.

"Beware of your cooks. No class of persons has proven to be more prominent as germ carriers, especially the typhoid fever germ, than the men and women who prepare food for table use. Housekeepers should use considerable care in employing cooks, and, if possible, should investigate their past history."

Mention of an Epidemic.

The epidemic in question broke out last July. An eighteen-year-old daughter of the household was the first to be taken ill. Two days later the gardener fell a victim, and in the next three weeks a chambermaid, the wife of the banker, another daughter and a young girl were taken sick.

Discussion of Subject.

Dr. Soper was rewarded with applause and complimentary remarks by the members of the society present. Following Dr. Soper's remarks others familiar with typhoid fever and who have figured in the fight against the disease here advanced theories and ideas. Dr. William C. Woodward, head of the State health department, was extremely anxious to learn approximately what such a thorough and long investigation of the typhoid fever germ would cost in order that the most determined such an investigation could be given a trial by his department.

GOVERNOR, SENATOR

CAMPAIGN GOSSIP AMONG WEST VIRGINIA REPUBLICANS.

WHEELING, W. Va., April 6.—It is beginning to look like the two principal contestants for the gubernatorial nomination in the republican convention will be the secretary of state, Charles W. Swisher, and the state auditor, Arnold C. Scherr. Swisher has been in the field with his boom for months, while Scherr, tall outward appearance, doesn't care a tinkler's opinion about the governor's chair if a scramble is necessary to get it.

IN THE OLD DOMINION

COMMENT OVER VIRGINIA'S PRESIDENTIAL PREFERENCE.

Special Correspondence of The Star. WASHINGTON, Va., April 6, 1907. The coming presidential campaign is beginning to attract attention in this city, and the position of the administration, favoring a certain aspirant, is responsible for reports that an officer in the federal building will resign in a few days.

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