THE DAILY STAR

SATURDAY.....DECEMBER 2

☞ In order to accommodate Eastern Advertisers in the STAR, Mr. E. Duncan Sniffen, No. 71 Astor House, New York City, has been appointed our general and special Agent for the Eastern States. This will be a branch office of the STAR, Mr. Sniffen being authorized to make advertising contracts on our behalf, and receipt all collections therefor in our name.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

BOYS, "coasting" is prohibited.

THE hack men are to have a public stand.

LAMBERT, the "kicker," will have a hearing against Jake Aug next Monday, perhaps.

A COLORED man was hung the other day in Kentucky for attempting to rape a white woman, Mrs. John Cogar.

THE prize drill of the Cincinnati Cadets took place last night. Sergeant Evans was the winner, after a long contest.

THE Cuvier Club offers a reward of $25 for convictions of parties found guilty of violating the game laws of this State.

THE voting place of the Fourth Precinct of the First Ward has been changed from O'Brionville to the One-mile House.

THERE were four thousand two hundred and seven tramps lodged at the Hammond-street Station-house during last month.

MRS. S. WOLF, of No. 106 Liberty street, has been swindled out o $85 by the tricks of a brass spectacle man and his confederate.

MIKE KENNEDY, Anthony McGurren, and John McGurren, were bound over to the Grand Jury by Judge Lindemann this morning on the charge of burglarizing the warehouse of John V. Lewis & Co., a few nights since.

JOHN DOCKNEY was convicted on two separate charges of stealing tobacco from the freight-house of the Ohio and Mississippi Depot, and this morning was sentenced by Judge Lindemann to thirty days and $200 in each case.

A LITTLE German girl, five years old, whose parents live on Ninth street, near Mound, was playing around the stove about 8 o'clock this morning and pulled a kettle of hot water over herself. She was severely scalded about the chest, legs and arms. It is expected that she will recover from her injuries.

Announcements.

Prof. Edward S. Morse will begin his course of popular Illustrated Natural History Lectures this evening at Melodeon Hall.

A Gospel and song service will be conducted at the Y. M. C. A. Hall, corner of Sixth and Elm streets, Sunday evening, commencing at 8 and closing at 9 o'clock.

Railroad men will hold a praise and other religious services at half-past 2 o'clock to-morrow afternoon at the Association Hall, southeast corner of Sixth and Elm streets.

A meeting of the members of the Young Men's Mercantile Library Association will be held to-night, at the Library Rooms, for the purpose of selecting a Committee to nominate officers for the ensuing year.

The Rev. Dr. West will teach the Bible Class, at a quarter past 4 o'clock, Sabbath afternoon, at the Young Men's Christian Association Hall, affording a special privilege for Bible study, particularly for young men.

Railroad Time Changes.

The changes in the fall time-card of the Marietta and Cincinnati Railroad go into effect to-morrow: Train No. 101 leaves Cincinnati at 6 a. m.; No. 103 leaves 10:20 a. m.; No. 105 leaves 10:30 p. m.; No. 110 arrives here at 6:30 a. m.; No. 102 arrives at 6:05 p. m.; No. 104 arrives at 6:50 p. m. The Cincinnati, Hillsboro and Chillicothe Accommodation arrives here at 9:45 a. m., and leaves at 3:30 p. m. Loveland Accommodation trains arrive at 6:55 a. m., 8 a. m. and 2:25 p. m.; depart at 9:20 a. m., 4:55 p. m. and 6:20 p. m.

The Relief Union.

The Cincinnati Relief Union has just issued the following circular appeal:

DEAR SIR: The old "Relief Union" of Cincinnati has just completed its organization for the coming year, and reminds us of the necessity of well-regulated charity in our city.

It calls upon the Finance Committee to collect the necessary funds to relieve actual distress among the worthy women and children in our midst. We are well aware of the general depression in business; but with this comes the greater demand for assistance and the less number who are able to contribute.

Our charity is disbursed by some of the best citizens of each ward, who make personal visits to applicants, and thus make it most sure that your aid is not wasted. Our efforts have heretofore been successful, and we rely confidently on you to aid this good work again as liberally as you can afford. Please send your gift without delay to S. S. Davis, Treasurer, 61 West Third street, thus avoiding our calls. Respectfully yours,

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D. H. GEFFROY, JOS. GROSSTINE,
R. B. MOORE, Finance Committee.

AMUSEMENTS.

Grand Opera-house.

Miss Neilson to-night closes her engagement, which has been a very successful one, appearing as "Juliet." Mr. Plympton will play "Romeo," and the cast will be the same as on the opening night. The theatrical train on the Little Miami Railroad to-night will wait till the play is over.

"Sea of Ice" matinee this afternoon, with only 25 cents admission to all parts of the House.

Next week Mr. Jos. Murphy in "Kerry Gow."

Wood's Theater.

Katie Putnam, the bright little actress, closes her engagement with two performances, appearing on both occasions as "Tot, the Match Girl."

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Court Cullings.

Lewis Massman against Geo. R. Schulter. In this case, in which plaintiff alleges that he loaned bonds to John Luhn with a written agreement that they be returned on demand, the Court rendered judgment for the plaintiff for the money value of the bonds, with the interest as alleged in the defendant's answer, minus a credit of $500 and interest.

C. E. Thomson against R. M. Thomson and others. There was a demurrer to the petition on the ground of misjoinder of actions. Demurrer overruled.

W. R. Grant against W. D Bickham. The petition alleged that the defendant published a libel against the plaintiff in a newspaper published in Dayton. There was a demurrer to the petition. Demurrer sustained.

Elijah Craig against Robert Ayers and others. In this case, brought on a slander, the demurrer was overruled.

The trial of C. L. Pratt, of Greenup County, Ky., was begun yesterday. He was recently indicted for obtaining goods under false pretenses. Testimony in progress.

In the United States Court Charles Meyer, indicted for illegal voting, was found guilty. Major Blackburn gave notice that he would file a motion for a new trial and arrest of judgment.

The Special Grand Jury found an indictment against Frank Westjoan for illegal voting. His bond was fixed at $3,000 additional, which was given by Augustus Neather.

Military.

The following was offered in the Board of Council meeting last night by Mr. John Connolly, and was passed:

"Whereas, By an act of the General Assembly it is made the duty of the City Council to provide armories for the different military organizations in the city, and no action having been taken thereon, it is hereby

"Resolved, That the Board of Police Commissioners be requested to grant to the Centennial Guards the use of the hall at Hammond-street Station-house as an armory."

From the Coroner's Office.

An inquest was held this morning on the body of Sarah James, alias Peggy Stratton, whose death from accidental shooting we detailed in full yesterday.

She was a chambermaid on the steamboat Fanchon, and lived about three doors east of Pickett's Ranche, where the shooting took place. A verdict was rendered in accordance with the facts already published.

The second case was that of Mrs. Mary Oberer, who died yesterday at No. 22 Browne street. A verdict was returned of death from heart disease.

The verdict in the case of the infant Anna Dannemeyer was death from convulsions.

A Thrilling Fall.

Owing to the necessity of pushing the work as fast as possible, the contractors of the new Point Bridge had their men, who are employed in joining the force cables, engaged all day yesterday. They are compelled to work in a "basket" or platform, which is suspended above the river at about the height of ninety feet from the water. Yesterday afternoon a workman, whose name we did not learn, by some accident fell off the platform. Hanging from the platform was a rope that reached nearly to the water. In his frightful descent the man attempted to grasp the rope, but as he kept turning somersaults in the air he was unable to reach it until within about twenty feet of the river, when he succeeded in grasping the rope with both hands. He was at first unable to stop his descent, and slid down the rope for about fifteen feet, until his feet nearly touched the water. Then, to the astonishment of the crowds of people on the banks who had seen with horror his fall, he commenced climbing back up the rope, hand over hand. Then the crowds cheered unanimously, and his companions on the platform drew him up, uninjured, except the inside of his hands, which were badly lacerated. His presence of mind was as remarkable as his wonderful escape from death.—[Pittsburg Gazette.

A Revolutionary Boy.

"My son, my son," mildly exclaimed a reproving West Hill mother yesterday morning, "untie that cat from the gate latch, take in that rope you've stretched across the sidewalk, let your little sister out of the wood-shed, unfasten the cellar door and let the hired girl come up and get to her work, take that sign of 'Boarders Wanted' off of Mr. Posonby's front door, let Mr. Jasper's dog out of that barrel, throw that paper of gunpowder in your pocket out into the street, and then come here and tell me where you were Friday and Saturday that you weren't at school."

The boy said he wasn't prepared to answer just then, but he would insist on throwing out the report of the school teacher on the ground that he (the boy) had been unduly intimidated from attending school by the terror of long, hard lessons, and further by the practice of bulldozing in the parish, as he could establish by reliable witnesses. Pending the decision of the board he filed a number of protests, but his mother pronounced his attitude revolutionary and sent to his father's office for troops, which arrived about tea-time, and the local government was at once supported and order enforced, and, as the boy went up to bed without any supper and in custody of the troops, the throes of a free people struggling in the iron grasp of a domestic despotism could be heard away down on the back street, where the other boys were lifting gates off their hinges and carrying them down to the creek.—[Burlington Hawkeye.

"Injun" writes us for advice. He says he made a bet upon the Presidential election, and, supposing he had lost, he paid the stipulated forfeit by wheeling the other man in a wheelbarrow from Skowhegan to Podunk. If Hayes should prove the victor, how is our correspondent to get satisfaction? We believe you have a right to insist upon the status quo, before all things; and would advise you to wheel him back again at once.—[Boston Globe.

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