## TEXAS CRYING FOR RAIN.

HARDLY A DROP OF WATER ON THE GREAT RANGES.

Large Droves of Haif Dead Cattle Fruitlessly Hunting for Water and Nourishng Pasture-Country Merchants Cease Buying Goods-Vast Tracts Shriveled Up by the Drought.

GALVESTON, TEX., April 10.- The past week has been one of expectancy and disappointment to the people of Texas. To rains of any consequence have fallen hroughout the immense area now suffering from drought. Dispatches and letters to the Galveston News, San Antonio Express and other papers of the State continue to detail the widespread and threatening character of the drought, the severity of which has perceptibly increased since the last report. The drought now extends from the far Western grazing Czar was driving to the Gatschina lands across the State for a distance of 800 station here a man and woman were miles into the pine regions bordering on approaches the pineries, from which secion the complaints are of recent date. ONE SLIGHTLY FAVORED SECTION.

The general rains which usually set in at the full of the moon are wanting, and the cool, dry winds of the past fortnight continue to prevail, except in the district immediately west and southwest of San Antonio, embracing Medina, Bandera, Uvalde. Frio and Stascosa counties, where moderate rains fell yesterday, but not enough, say dispatches from that vicinity. This is one of the grazing secons of the State where stock was dying. Between San Antonio and the coast, emacing such fertile counties as Guadaoupe, Gonzales, Lavaca, Colorado, Caldwell, Bastrop and a dozen others, the drought has assumed a serious aspect. putting an embargo upon all agricultural ent, especially cotton, the chief product of this section.

CATTLE IN DYING CONDITION. One correspondent describes the roadways throughout this belt as covered to a depth of several inches with dust. The fields are barren even of weeks, while strings of cattle almost too poo; to stand up are traveling constantly in search of grass and water. In Central Texas, empracing about thirty countries. racing about thirty counties surrounding Waco, Corsicana and Burnett, the sitation is scarcely less promising, all reorts agreeing that nothing but very arly and plentifut rains will avert serious damage or failure of the crops. In orthern and Northwestern Texas the rought is not as severely felt as in the ther sections, but the complaints are increasing daily.

IN THE GREAT PANHANDLE. A slight sprinkle of rain fell during the reek in Mitchell county, along the line if the Texas and Pacific road, but no reort of rainfall in the great Panhandle istrict has been received. One result of drought is a notable scarcity of early cables at the principal points. The exictly over the situation is becoming treater every day. The wholesale houses this city are calling their drummers off ne road, as the country merchants reuse to buy during the uncertainty of the

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AN EASTER EARTHQUAKE.

Charlestonians Routed Out of Bed by an Unwelcome Visitor.

CHARLESTON, S. C., April 10 .- Like ast St. Fairick's day, Easter Sunday was shered in this morning with a reminder Aug. 31, 1886. The shock occurred bout 6:30 o'clock, and while it did no amage it was severe enough to startle ople from their beds and to frighten ly church goers. As on March 17, the vement was in the nature of two sudden ks of the earth accompanied by a hoar, significance of which could not staken at that early hour. This is the ly earthquake felt bere since March 17 si. The disturbance, however, had no ect on the celebration of Easter. The was a lovely one and the streets and urches were thronged with crowds of ayly dressed people.

A SHOCK AT BURLINGTON. BURLINGTON, VT., April 10-Two cocks of earthquake occurred hee this sternoon. The first was rather light and sas felt about 2:30 o'clock, and the cond minutes later. The second shok was y heavy, resembling the concassion n a large gun, followed by a jar of een seconds duration. Doors and winws rattled, and those living in the bird story of blocks say buildings seemed sway to and fro. People ran into the a panic, many supposing that terrible explosion had occurred hear by.

JOHN T. RAYMOND DEAD.

In Intestinal Disorder Complicated

with Heart Disease. EVANSVILLE, IND., April 10 .- John T. aymond was billed to appear at the pera house here last Friday, coming om Hepkinsville, Ky., where he appeared on Thursday night. The previous ght he appeared in Nashville, san., although not at all well-ewas suffering from a severe cold, kept up, and it was not until 40'clock he afternoon of Friday that he coned, at the urgent request of physis here, not to appear that night. He in bed from that time until the of his death, which ocay afternoon he slept a little for the me in several days. Drs. Candel Herr, who waited upon him, say that was in a dying condition when bed here. The immediate cause the was beart disease, compliant was beart disease, to the compliant was beart disease. a severe cold, nervous prosticongestion of the stomach A dispatch from a Alend rs, Raymond in New York to-day to or J. Lamb, Mr. Raymond's manastated that Mrs. Raymond was so rated by the news of her husband's b that she was unable to give any ections, so it was decided to take the nains to New York to-night. The

ole company went also, leaving on the Blaine Much Better.

LOUIS, April 10.-A dispatch from omeial source at Fort Gibson to the sociated Press, dated at 10 o'clock this ng, says: "Mr. Btaine's fever conthroughout yesterday, but last ththe was m comfortable, and now off and natural. His better, and the neu-not extended. This is a sending physicia.

Cutting's Cla ASHINGTON. e Texas et uent. RUSSIA IN ALARM.

at St. Petersburg Reported. LONDON, April 10 .- The Vienna correspondent of the Morning Post says a report is current to the effect that another attempt to murder the Czar was made on the Morsky road in St. Peters-

carrying bombs under their plaids. ALARMING RUMORS. A dispatch from burg to the Daily News save: "Most alarming reports respecting the Czar have been in circulation here. One rumor was to the effect that a mine had been discovered under the Imperial Palace at Gatschina, but it is learned on the best authority that this report is untrue, and also that no arrests have been made at Gatschina as was reported. On Wednesday, however, when the selzed at the corner of the Nevski Prospect and the Great Morskaia ten minutes be-Louisiana, but decreases in severity as it fore the Czar's carriage passed. Another person tried to present a petition as the Czar passed, but was arrested before he could reach the carriage. It has not yet been ascertained positively whether or not the persons arrested had any criminal

intentions. The Czar was in perfect health and excellent spirits." The Times' St. Petersburg correspondent confirms the statement that a number of arrests were made there Wednesday on the occasion of the visit of the Ozar, but says he is unable to confirm the report that a fresh attempt had been made upon the Czar's life.

CONFIRMATORY ADVICES.

Vienna and Berlin telegrams confirm the foregoing and state that the culprit stood upon the steps of an uninhabited house, No. 14, and carried bombs under a plaid snawl. It is supposed that the petitioner was an accomplice of the other wo and did not know that the latter had been arrested. The Czar knew nothing of the arrests. He sat beside the Czarina and kept bowing to the populace. They were returning to Gatschina from the Winter Palace, where they had been receiving a Japanese Prince.

KNIGHTS AND THE CHURCH.

Cardinal Taschereau Withdraws Condemnation of the Order.

QUEBEC, CAN., April 10 .- The following circular letter bearing on the Knights of Labor question was read in the different Roman Catholic churches to-day:

ARCHBISHOFRIC OF QUEBEC, April 5, 1887. In September, 1884, the Holy See, consuited by me on the society of the Knights of Labor, condemned it under pain of grievous sin and charged bishops to deter their diocesans therefrom, as I did in my circular letter (No. 131) of Feb. 2, 1885. After representations made by their lordships, the bishops of the United states, the Holy See has suspended until further orders the effect of that sentence. In consequence I authorize confessors of the diocese to absolve Knights of fessors of the diocese to absolve Knights of Labor on the following conditions, which it

Labor on the following conditions, which it is your bounden duty to explain to them and to make them observe:

1. That they confess and sincerely repent the grievous sin which they committed by not obeying the decree of September, 1884.

2. That they be ready to abandon this society so soon as the Holy See shall ordain it.

3. That they sincerely and explicitly promise absolutely to avoid all that may either fayor Masonic and other condemned societies.

or violate the laws, either of justice, charity or of the State.
4. That they abstain from every promise

and from every oath by which they would bind themselves either to obey blindly all or-ders of the directors of the society, or keep absolute secrecy even toward the lawful auabsolute secrety even toward the lawful authorities. (See discipline p. 217.) In behalf of these penitents only, and by virtue of an induit, I prolong the time of paschal communion until the feast of the Ascension inclusively. Please accept, sir, assurance of my sincere attachment.

E. A. CARD. TASCHEREAU,

Archbishop of Quebec.

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LANSDOWNE SCARED.

The Galleries of the Canadian Sen-

ate to be Closed to the Public. OTTAWA, ONT., April 10 .- There is much excitement here over an official note to the effect that during the presence of Lord Lansdowne in the Senate chamber at the opening of Parliament on April 14 the galleries of the Senate will be tory of the Dominion that such a step has been taken, the galleries of the Senate always on such occasions being open to the public, who are admitted ticket. The explanation is given that it will prevent confusion. The opinion is that his excellency has received letters, the threats contained in which he is afraid will be carried into effect if a crowd is permitted to enter the gallery et the chamber while he is opening Partiament on the floor below. Extra precaution is to be taken to insure his safety in passing between the Government House and the Senate on the day Parliament opens.

RIOTING AT BELFAST.

One Man Wounded by a Bullet-

Eviction Successfully Fought. BELFAST, April 10 .- A conflict occurred here to-day between a mob and body of police. During the fight one man was wounded with a bullet. No other serious casualties are reported. At this hour (midnight) the city is quiet, but it is said that preparations are going on for a renewal of the disturbance to-morrow.

EVICTION SUCCESSFULLY RESISTED. DUBLIN, April 10 .- The Privy Council has proclaimed Limerick and other ports under the, peace preservation act prohibiting the importation of arms and ammunition.

At Dunmanway, county Cork, yester day a farmer and his wife resisted evic tion for eight hours, hurling stones and other missiles at the police. The attempt to evict them was finally abandoned.

A Town Almost Burned,

LOUISVILLE, KY., April 10 .- A special from Henderson, Ky., says the town of Corydon, in that county, was almost destroyed by flames at 1 o'clock this morning. Fifteen bouses in the business por-tion were reduced to ashes, leaving only two standing. The loss is estimated at \$40,000, one-fourth covered by insurance. The fire is supposed to have originated in a restaurant from a defective flue.

London Socialists Arrested. LONDON, April 10 .- The Socialistic meeting in Hyde Park yesterday terminated in a collision with a body of police. Nine Socialists were arrested, including

Leader Williams. Lamar's Calhoun Oration WASHINGTON, April 10 .- Secretary Lamar is hard at work upon the oratio which he is to deliver at the unveiling of the statue of Calboun in Charleston on CAROLINA'S METROPOLIS.

Another Attempt to Kill the Czar The Sensations of the Day in Our Neighbor by the Sea.

CHARLESTON, April 9 .- The good peothe past six months developed a spirit of combativeness which is difficult to account for on any other hyphothesis than burg last Wednesday, and that a student and woman were arrested who were of the preceding generation—a pugnacity which was characterized in 1860-61 by the erection of liberty poles, the birth of the Palmetto cockade, and which finally led to the bombardment of Fort Sumter and the terrible train of consequences that fellowed in its wake. It would naturally be supposed that the earthquake would have shaken them down to a peace basis, but, on the contrary, that event seems to have had an opposite effect and to have stirred up such differences of opinion as premise to end in a war of words, only to be equaled by the war of blood and carnage that has now been most happily abandoned. It may be mentioned as a fact that ever since the earthquake the city has been, metaphorically of words. It started with the relief fund. negroes. Then there were growlers who were dissatisfied at the apportionment of the fund among the sufferers, although it is undeniable that the committee did its work admirably well. It is a known fact that a man who is classed A1 in the mercantile agencies, and who is a member of \$1,200, so the story goes, for repairing his building, and that the man owns a dozen houses or more.

WANTED OTHER SITES. It is rumored that he obtained the money for the reason that his residence was the only one of his dozen houses that was not mortgaged. Then when the public building act passed Congress, although it was known that the object of the bill was to enable the city to sell the police station for enough money to enable it to rebuild some of its destroyed buildings, and that the site was certainly the most eligible in the city, there were grumblers who wanted other sites. Next same a great war of words on the rebuilding of the alms house. A proposition was deliberately made in Council to purchase the Mills House, one of the largest and handsomest buildings in the city for \$30,000, and convert it into an alms house, situated in the most fashionable thoroughfare in the city. This time there was a howl which went out to Fort Sumter and up to Summerville, and the Mills House proposition was hastly abandoned, leaving the location of the

alms house still an unsettled question. Then the City Hospital, nee the sugar house, was torn down and it was proposed to re-erect on its site, which, by the way, is an admirable one, a modern hospital. This provoked an angry discussion and a site was selected in the northwestern part of the city near the river banks. This, too, brought out a dozen or more indignant protests, and the hospital question too remains a puzzle. Council next turned its attention to a consolidation of the fire department. For weeks experiments were made which proved that an engine could reach any quarter of the city from the little park at the corner of Wentworth and Meeting streets before steam could be raised. The lot beongs to the city, and the old engine sold for enough to build a handsome and ornamental central station. Another windy war ensued and nothing has as yet

been done. THE NEW POLICE STATION.

At present all hands are engaged in a war over the location of the new police station. The Legislature at its last session gave the city an eligible lot near the Citadel. Its position is central, and the city proposed to put up a handsome build-ing with architectural features similar to the pile of buildings which constitute the State Military Academy. The columns of the News and Courier have been filled this week with indignant protests and replies on this subjec

The postmastership came very near producing bloodshed. Before the de-ceased postmaster had been buried there were twenty or thirty candidates in the field. Congressman Dibble, who cham ploned Mr. A. H. Mowry in the fight for the Collectorship a year or so ago, and who was supposed to carry the appointment in his official vest pocket, came down to Charleston after the funeral just to look into the situation and get the views of all parties. A statement (semi-official) was at once published that Mr. Mowry was not a candidate for the place, and so his name was not entered by the book. makers. Having looked into the situation for six or eight hours Congressman Dibble went of to Washington, and almost before his departure was known the news of Mr. Mowry's appointment was flashed across the wires. This produced a howl, the echoes of which have not yet died out. Mr. Mowry will probably make a good postmaster. He is "one of the boys," so to speak, and his appointment, it is taken for granted, means a general sweep among the subordinates in the building The present method of conducting business is generally conceded to be unsatis-factory to the business public, and this is attributed to the fact that the institution has been made a kind of hospital for impecunious pets and favorites. It Mr. Mowry will use a broom and reorganize the internal economy of his office, public will be pretty sure to forget all the unpleasant things that have been said

about him. The absorbing topic of quarrel to-day is the quarantine question, which is a proposition to open the port in summer to such vessels from infected latitudes as do not come from infected ports. tion will be settled by the State Board of Health at its meeting on April 24,

MOBILE BAY LIGHTS.

A New Range Light to Be Estab-

lished at Sand Island. WASHINGTON, April 10.-The Light House Board gives notice that on or about April 20, 1887, a range light will be established at Saud island light station, at the entrance to Mobile bay. The light will be a fixed white shown from a located headlight placed on the middle of the ridge of the keeper's dwelling, and with the main light will form a range bearing NNW W. These two lights and the bar buoy are in the same straight line. The light is 34 feet above the level of the sea and should be seen in clear weather from the deck of a vessel fitteen feet above the sea eleven nautical miles.

Rolling Mills Burned.

TOLEDO, O., April 10.-The Maumee rolling mills were entirely destroyed by fire to-night. The loss is \$300,000, hundred men are thrown out of employ-

Atroglycerine Explodes. LONDON, April 10 .- A disastrous exclosion occurred in a nitroviveering facinjured number thirteen.

DEATH HAS NO VICTORY. TALMAGE PICTURES THE OVER-

THROW OF THE MONSTER. ple of this ancient metropolis have within Observance of the Easter Festival in the O'den Time-Easter the Queen of the Court of Sabbaths-Death's Preparations to Conquer the World - Death

Only the Cloak-Room to Heaven. BROOKLYN, April 10 .- To-day being Easter Sunday the Tabernacle was profusely decorated with flowers. The pulpit, the pillars, and the galleries were one great garden of bloom. Prot, Browne, the organist, and Prot. Ali, the cornetist, rendered selections from Handel, Haydn and Beethoven, appropriate to the day celebrated. The subject of Dr. Talmage's discourse was, "The Overthrow of the Monster," and his text, Isaiah, xxv, 8: "He will swallow up death in victory."

Dr. Talmage said: About 1853 Easter mornings have wakened the earth. In France for three censpeaking, continuously engaged in a war of words. It started with the relief fund. at Easter, until Charles IX. made the There were grumblers who protested against the distribution of rations to the London there is a royal pay roll of Edward 1., on which there is an entry of eighteen pence for four hundred colored and pictured Easter eggs, with which the people sported. In Russia, slaves were fed and alms were distributed on Easter. Ecclesiastical councils met at Pontus, at cantile agencies, and who is a member of one of the most prosperous firms, received particular day, and after a controversy, more animated than gracious, decided it, and now through all Christendom, in some way the first Sunday after the full noon which happens upon or next after

March 21, is filled with Easter rejoicing.
The Royal Court of the Sabbaths is made up of fitty-two. Fifty-one are princes in the royal household, but Easter is Queen. She wears richer diadem, and sways a more jeweled sceptre, and in her smile nations are irradiated. Unusually welcome this year because of the barsh winter and the late spring, she seems to step out of the snow bank rather than the conservatory, come out of the North in-stead of the South, out of the Arctic rather than the tropics, dismounting from the icy equinox; but welcome this queenly day, holding high up in her right hand the wrenched-off bolt of Christ's sepulchre, and holding high up in her left hand the key to all the cemeteries in Christen-It is an exciting thing to see an army

routed and flying. They run each other down. They scatter everything valuable in the track. Unwheeled artillery. Hoof of horses on breast of wounded and dying

You have read of the French fall

ing back from Sedan, or Napoleon's track of ninety thousand corpses in the snow-banks of Russia, or of the retreat of our own armies from Manassas, or of the five kings tumbling over the rocks of Bethoran with their armies, while the hall-storms of heaven and the swords of Joshua's lost struck them with their fury. In my text is a worse discomfiture. It seems that a black giant proposed to con-quer the earth. He gathered for his host all the aches and pains and malarias and cancers and distempers and epidemics of the ages. He marched them down, drilling them in the northeast wind and amid the siush of tempests. He amid the siush of tempests. He threw up barricades of grave-mound, He pitched tent of charnel house. Some of the troops marched with slow tread. commanded by consumptions, some in double-quick, commanded by pneumo-nias. Some he took by long besiegement of evil habit, and some by one stroke of the battle-ax of casualty. With bony hand he pounded at the door of hospitals and sick rooms, and won all the victories in all the great battlefields of all the five continents. Forward march, the conqueror of conquerors, and all the generals and commanders-in-chief, and all presidents and kings and sultans and czars drop under the feet of his war-charger. But one Christmas night his antagonist was born. As most of the plagues and sicknesses and despotisms come out of the East, it was appropriate that the new conqueror should come out of the same quarter. Power is given Him awaken all the fallen of all the centuries and of all lands, and marshal them against the black giant. Fields have already been won, but the last day of the world's existence will see the decisive battle. When Christ shall lead forth His wo brigades, the brigade of the dead and the brigade of the celestial host. the black grant will fall back and the brigade from the riven sepulchres will ake Him from beneath and the brigade descending immortals will take Him

from above, and death shall be swallowed up in victory. The old braggart that threatened the lost his throne, has lost his sceptre, has ost his palace, has lost his prestige, and the one word written over all the of mausoleum and catacomb and necropolis, on cenotaph and sarcophagus, on the lonely kahn of the Arctic explorer and on the catafalque of great cathedral, written in capitals of azalea and calla lily, written in musical cadence, written in doxology of great assemblages, written on the sculptured door of the family vault, is "victoy." Coronal word, embannered word, apocalyptic word, chief word of the triumphal arch under which

conquerors return. Victory! Word shouted at Culloden and Balaklava and Blenheim, at Magiddo and Sollerino, at Maratnon, where the Athenians drove back the Medes; at Poictiers, where Charles Martel broke the ranks of the Saracens; at Salamis, where Themistocles in the great sea-fight confounded the Persians, and at the door of the Eastern cavern of chiseled rock, where Christ came out through a recess and throttled the King of Terrors, and put him back in the niche from which the lestial Conqueror had just emerged. Aha! when the jaws of the Eastern mausoleum took down the black giant "death was swallowed up in victory." I pro-

claim the abolition of death. The old antagonist is driven back into mythology with all the lore about Stygian Ferry and Charon with oar and Melrose Abbey and Kenilworth Castle are no more in rulns than the sepulchre shall have no more to do with death than sentimental, wrote in most eulogistic we have with the cloak-room at a govern-terms—Rev. William Tennent seemed to we have with the cloak-room at a govern-or's or president's levee. We stop at such vant our overcoat, our overshoes, our outward apparel, that we may not be impeded in the brilliant round of the drawing-room. Well, my triends, when we out of tals world we are going to a King's banquet, and to a reception of monarchs, and at the door of the tomb we leave the oak of flesh and the wrappings with which we meet the storms of this world. At the close of an earthly reception der the brush and broom of the porter the coat or hat may be handed to us better than when we resigned it, and the cloak of bumanity will finally be returned to us improved and brightened and purified

slowness of locomotion. They will be put through a chemistry of soil and heat the most of our bodies are built with such and cold and changing seasons out of which God will reconstruct them as much better than they are now as the body of the rosiest and healthiest child that bounds over the lawn at Prospect Park is better than the sickest patient in Bellevue Hospital. But as to our soul, we will able to tell what they are good for. They are no doubt the foundation of quies, independent of obituary, into a state in every way better, with wider us in this state, to be indispensably valroom and velocities beyond computation; the dullest of us into companionship with the very best spirits in their very best mood, in the very parlor of the universe, the four walls burnished and paneled and pictured and glorified with all the splendors that the infinite God in all the ages has been able to invent. Victory! tle importance whether we are cremated or sepultured. If the latter is dust to dust, the former is ashes to ashes. If any prefer incineration let them have it without caricature. The world may become so crowded that cremation may be universally adopted by law as well as by general consent. Many of the mightiest and best spirits have gone through this process. Thousands and tens of thou-sands of God's children have been cremated-P. P. Bliss and wife, the evangelistic singers, cremated by accident at Ashtabula bridge; John Rodgers, cre-mated by persecution; Latimer and Ridley, cremated at Oxford; Pothinus, and was so beautiful I could not have sug-Blandina, a slave, and Alexander, a gested an improvement. My friend had physician, and their comrades, cremated at the order of Marcus Aurelius—at least expecting to come back at the end of six a bundred thousand of Christ's disciples cremated-and there can be no doubt about the resurrection of their bodies. If the world last, as much longer as it has already been built, there perhaps may be no room for the large acreage set apart or the resting-places, but that time has not come. Plenty of room yet, and the race need not pass that bridge of fire until it comes to it. The most of us prefer the old way. But whether out of natural disintegration or cremation we shall get that luminous, buoyant, gladsome, transcendent, magnificent, inexplicable structure called the resurrection body, you will have it, I will have it. I say to you to-day, as Paul said to Agrippa: "Why should it be thought a thing incredible with you, that God should ratse the dead?" The far-up cloud, higher than the hawk flies, higher than the eagle flies, what is it made of? Drops of water from the Hudson, other drops from the East river, other drops from a stagnant pool out on Newark flats—up yonder there, embodied in a cloud, and the sun kindles it. If God can make such a lustrous cloud out of water drops, many of them soiled and impure and fetched from miles away, can He not transpor tne fragments of a haman body from the material out of which bones and muscle and flesh are made, set them up again if they have fallen? If a manufacturer of telescopes drop a telenot mend it again so you can see through

earth, and out of them build a human body? Cannot God, who owns all the scope on the floor and it breaks, it? And if God drops the human eye into the dust, the eye which he originally tashioned, can He not restore it? Aye, it the manufacturer of the telescope by a change of the glass and a change of focus can make a better glass than that which was originally constructed, and actually improve it, do you not think the fashioner of the human eye may improve its sight and multiply the natural eye by the

thousandfold additional forces of the res urrection eye? "Why should it be thought with you an incredible thing that God should raise the dead?" Things all around us sug-gest it. Out of what grew all these flowers? Out of the mold and the earth. Resurrected! Resurrected! The radiant butterfly, where did it come from? The oathsome caterpillar. That albatross that smites the tempest with its wing. where did it come from? A senseless shell. Near Bergerac, France, in a Celtic tomb under a block were found flower seed that had been buried two housand years. The explorer took the flower seed and planted it, and it came up; it bloomed in bluebell and heliotrope. Two thousand years ago buried, yet resurrected. A traveler says be found in a mummy pi in Egypt garden peas that had been buried there three thousand years ago. He brought them out, and on June 4, 1844, he planted them, and in thirty days they sprang up. Buried three thousand

years, yet resurrected. "Why should it be thought a thing incredible with you that God should raise the dead?" Where did all this silk come from-the silk that adorns your person and your homes? In the hollow of a staff a Greek missionary brought from China to rope the progenitors of those worms that now supply the silk markets of many naonquest and demolition of the planet has | tions. The pageantry of bannered host and the luxurious articles of commercia emporium blazing out from the silk worms. And who shall be surprised if out of this insignificant earthly body. this insignificant earthly life, our unfold into something worthy of the coming eternities? Put silver into diluted nitre and it dissolves. Is the silver gone forever? No. Put in some pieces of cop-

per and the silver reappears. If one force dissolves another force organizes. "Why should it be thought a thing in-credible with you that God should raise the dead?" The insects flew and the worms crawled last autumn feebler and feebler and then stopped. They have taken no food; they want none. They lay dormant and insensible, but soon the south wind will blow the resurrection trumpet, and the air and the earth will be full of them. Do you not think that God can do as much for our bodies as He does for the wasps and the spiders and the snails? This morning at 4:30 o'clock there was a resurrection. Out of the night the day. In a few weeks there will be a resurrection in all our gardens. Why not some day a resurrection amid

adl the graves? Ever and anon there are instances of men and women entranced A trance is death followed by resurrec tion after a few days; total suspension of mental power and voluntary action, Rev. William Tennent, a great evangelist of the last generation, or whom Dr. Archi Alexander, a man far from being die. His spirit departed, People came in day after day and said: "He is dead, he is dead." But the soul that fled returned, and William Tennent lived to write out the experiences of what he had seen while his soul was gone. It may be found some time that what is called suspended animation or comatose state is brief death, giving the soul an excursion into the next world from which it comes back, a furlough of a few hours granted from the conflict of life to which it must return. Do not this waking up of men trance, and this waking

of insects from winter lifelessness, this waking up of grains buried three thousand years ago, make it easier for And plorified.

You and I do not want our bodies returned as they are now. We want to get thousand years ago, make it easier for you to believe that your body and mind after the vacation of the grave shall information so far received from posts in turned as they are now. We want to get thousand years ago, make it easier for you to believe that your body and mind matters are progressing most favorably. Information so far received from posts in tousand state the vacation of the grave shall information so far received from posts in all parts of the country indicates that fully 100,000 members of the Grand Army fact stocks to choose from CO.'S, 100 Congress stree

the most of our bodies are built with such wouderful economy that we can spare derment, and the injury of a toe joint makes us lame, still that we have two er three useless physical apparatl, and no anatomist or physiologist has ever been uable in the next state. The Jewish rab-bins had only a hint of this suggestion when they said that in the human frame there was a small bone which they said was to be the basis of the resurrection body. Perhaps that may have been a delusion. But this thing is certain, the Christian scientists of our day have This view of course makes it of but lit- found out that there are two or three superfluities of body that are something gloriously suggestive of another state. I called at my friend's house one summer day. I found the yard all piled up with the rubbish of carpenter and mason's work. The door was off. The plumbers had torn up the floor. was being lifted in cupola. All the pic-tures were gone and the paper hangers were doing their work. All the modera improvements were being introduced into that dwelling. There was not a room in the house fit to live in at that. although a month before when I visited that

house everything months, when the building was to be done. And O, what was his joy when at the end of six months he returned and the eld house was enlarged and improved and glorified! That is your body. It looks well now-all the rooms filled with health, and we could hardly make a suggestion But after awhile your soul will go to the Holy Land, and while you are gone the old house of your tabernacle will be entirely reconstructed from cellar to attic, and every nerve, muscle and bone and tissue and artery must be hauled over. and the old structure will be burnished enlarged, and all the improvements of Heaven introduced and you will move into it on resurrection day. "For we know that if our earthly house of this tabernacle were dissolved, we have a building of God, a house not made with hands, eternal in the heavens." O, what day when body and soul meet again They are fond of each other. Did your body ever have pain and your soul not pity it? or your body have a joy and your soul not re-echo it? or, changing the question, did your soul ever have any crouble and your body not sympathize with it? growing wan and weak under the depressing influence. Or did your soul ever have a gladness but your body celebrated it with kindled eye and cheek and elastic step? Surely God never in-tended two such good friends to be very long separated. And so when the world's last Easter morning shall come the soul will descend, crying, "Where is my body?" and the body will ascend, saying, "Where is my soul?" and the Lord of the resurrection will bring them together, and it will be a perfect soul in a perfect body, introduced by a perfect Christ into perfect beaven. Victory! Do you wonder that to-day we swathe this house with garlands? Do you wonder we celebrate it with the most consecrated voice of song that we can invite, and with the leftest fingers on organ and cornet, and with the billows of sound as the sea smites the basalt at Giant's Causeway!

only the bad disapprove of the resurrec-A cruel heathen warrior heard Mr. Moffat, the missionary, preach about the resurrection, and he said to the missionary: "Will my father rise in the last iav?" "Yes," said the missionary. "Will all the dead in battle rise?" said the crue chieftain. "Yes," said the missionary "Then," said the warrior, "let me hear no more about the resurrection day There can be no resurrection, there shall be no resurrection. I have slain thousands in battle. Will they rise?" Ah there will be more to rise on that day than those want to see whose crimes have never been repented of. But for all others who allowed Carl t to be their ardon and their life and their resurred

ion it will be a day of victory. The thunders of the last day will be the salvo that greets you into harbor. The ightnings will be only the torches riumphal procession marching down to escort you home. The purning worlds flashing through immensity will be the ockets celebrating your coronation on thrones where you will reign forever and forever and forever. Where is death? What have we to do with death? As your reunited body and soul swing off from this planet on that last day you vill see deep gashes all up and down the nills, deep gashes all through the valleys, and they will be the emptied graves, they will be the abandoned sepulches, with rough ground tossed on either side of them, and slabs will lie uneven on the rent hillocks, and there will be fallen monuments and cenotaphs, and then for the first time you will appreciate the full exhilaration of the text, "He will swal-

"Hait the Lord of earth and heaven! Praise to Thee by both be given; Thee we greet triumphant now, Hait the resurrection Thou!"

A TRIBUTE TO BEECHER.

Temple Israel of St. Louis Gives \$300

to the Monument Fund. St. Louis April 10.-At a meeting of the members of Temple Israel this afternoon the proposition to subscribe \$300 to the Henry Ward Beecher monument fund was unanimously adopted and the following telegram sent:

To the Board of Trustees, Plymouth Church, Ero klyn, N.Y.;
Temple Israel of St. Louis subscribes \$300 to the fund for building a monument to Henry Ward Beecher, prompted by the love we gratefully owe him for the sake of that divine principle of liberal thought he immortalized by his biessed life.

S. H. SONNESCHEIN, Rabbi.

A Burglar Killed.

BUFFALO, N. Y., April 9.—At Jamestown, N. Y., A. R. Catlin heard a man trying to enter his house. He took his rifle, went down-stairs and watched the man while he opened a window in the dining-room and climbed partially in. Catlin then fired and the bullet passed through the burglar's neck. He dropped from the window, staggered about 100 feet and fell down. The burglar was an oil well driller, and on his body was found plunder from other houses he had

Encampment of the G. A. R. ST. LOUIS, April 10 .- Preliminary arrangements for the national encamp-ment of the Grand Army of the Republic, which is to be held in this city next tember, are being vigorously pushed and

THREE TERRIBLE CRIMES. LYMANS. WEEKS' MURDERERS

IN THE LAW'S IRON GRIP. A Confession Among Crooks and Identification by a Man Who Saw Them on the Night of the Shooting Leads to the Solution of the Mystery-A Room Mate's Brains Beaten in-Rahway's

Dead Girl Still Unrecognized. NEW YORK, April 10 .- The police have a man whom they believe murdered Ly man S. Weeks in Brooklyn on the night of March 15. Three "crooks" were early in the week arrested in this city for burglarizing a house in Jersey City. They are: Paul Krouss, aged 25; John Baker, aged 23, and John Greenwall aged 25all German. The proceeds of the Jersey robbery were found upon the men. Or Thursday last Krouss told Inspector Byrnes that Greenwall had told him Krouss) that he had shot Mr. Weeks Brooklyn, had taken away his overcoa and pawned it, and then had sold the pit tol he did the murder with and ha bought a new one. Grenwall had to "Crook" Baker the same story, and h was nervous and apprehensive.

THE MEN IDENTIFIED. On Saturday afternoon Mr. Chamber lain, of Brooklyn, called at police head-quarters and identified Green wall as one of two men who sat opposite him on the terry boat going to Brooklyn on the even-

ing of Mr. Weeks' murder.
It was learned that Greenwall had had a pal named Charles alias "Butch".
Miller about the time of Mr. Weeks murder, and that Miller was serving a term in the penitentiary for a recent of fense. This man was brought to police headquarters, and Mr. Chamberlain recognized Miller among twelve other men as the companion of Greenwall on the ferryboat going to Brocklyn on the night of Mr. Weeks' murder.

SEEN AT WEEKS' HOUSE. Furthermore, Mr. Chamberlain was ou his way to bis home when he saw thes! men in the ferryboat, and to reach his home is in the habit of passing Mr. Weeks' house. As he did so that night, about 11:30 o'clock, he passed two mer standing beneath a tree nearly in front of Mr. Weeks' house. Mr. Chamberlair turned and glanced sharply at the men, and was surprised to recogthem as the two mer by their restless manner, had Who. attracted his attention on the boat earlier in the evening. The two men in the boat, the two men under the tree in front of Mr. Weeks' house at 11:30 o'clock on the night of the murder and the men Greenwall and Milier are clearly the same, and Mr. Chamberlain's identification is posi-tive. To this is added Greenwall's confession of killing Mr. Weeks to "Crooks" Baker and Krouss, and the police believe the mystery is solved.

MURDER FOR ROBBERY.

A Railroad Laborer Beats in the Skall of His Room Mate.

HOPKINSVILLE, KY., April 10 .- A railroad contractor from Cerulean Springere. ports a horrible murder at a boardinghouse on the Indiana, Alabama and Texas Springs. Two laborers named Purdy and Tompkins roomed together up-stairs, One night recently cries for help and loud noises were heard in the room. Person entering found Tompkins alone. He talked wildly and said somebody tried to cut his throat. An examination showed only some trifling scratches, and a fur-ther search showed Purdy covered up in bed with his skull beaten in. Tompkins could give no coherent account and denied all knowledge of the deed. Purdy was known to have a large sum of money in cash and postal orders. Suspicion was directed to Tompkins, who was searched and the money found on his person. He was placed under arrest. A large number of railroad laborers gathered and with difficulty were prevented from lynching him.

DEAD AMONG THE FLOWERS

Two Thousand More People Look at Rahway's Unknown Sleeper. RAHWAY, N. J., April 10 .- The body of the murdered girl found near here March 26 and her clothing were exhibited today. About 2,000 persons visited the morgue. The girl's head was surround. ed with cut flowers. The appearance of the face has been greatly improved. number of persons claimed that they recognized the body, but upon investigation it was found that their statements did not agree with facts known by the authorities. District Attorney Wilson has officially notified Undertaker Ryno that the body must not be buried until he gives the order. The funeral will be held to-morrow, and the

body will be placed in the receiving vault, SPIES AND THE TURNERS.

A Convention of the Chicago Dis-

trict Votes Against Anarchy. CHICAGO, April 10 .- A bitter set back was given to-day to the friends of August Spies, who have been endeavoring to enlist the moral support of the Turners here for him and his condemned friends, but the Anarchist sympathizers retuse to acknowledge themselves defeated and declare they will carry their efforts before the highest authority in the order and make the issue a national one among the Turners. Spies was a Turne and a prominent one before his incarcers tien. After the death sentence was pr nounced against him and his companion friend of Spies, Chairman John Gl and the memters of the Turners' Executiv poard, of this district issued a circular to all the subordinate Turning Societies in this vicinity requesting them to notif the board whether they favored the adoption of a resolution declaring the verdict against the Anarchists to be unjust, and asking for a new trial. result was a storm of protests against the

action of the board. To-day a district convention of Turners was held for the purpose of deciding upon the question of impeaching and deposing the District Executive Board, and especially John Gloy, chairman, for over-st ping their authority and disgracing their office. Seventy-seven delegates were present, including representatives from every Turner society within a radius of fifty miles of Chicago. After a stormy disuession the resolution to depose the Executive Board was carried by a vote

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