NEW YORK CAMP SITES .- The War Depart. ment has received reports from officers who have visited a tract of land about seven miles north of Watertown, N. Y., on the Black River, between the villages of Black River and Carthage, It is ed to use this ground as a manœuvre camp for the purpose of summer operations of the regllar army and the militia in the Department of the East. The tract selected consists of about 20,000 acres, and can be obtained, it is found, for \$410,000. although the estimate of the experts is that the land is not worth more than half that sum. army officers who inspected the place found that the tract is available and suitable so far as water supply, soil and transportation facilities are concerned. There are a number of desirable camp sites on the tract, but it was a question with the inspectors whether there are sufficient opportunities for the maneuver of troops. Steps will be taken, if possible, to reserve the options on this land.

RIFLE PRACTICE FOR PUBLIC SCHOOLS.— There is being sent from the War Department to the principals of high schools throughout New York and the superintendents of education in the state a report of the feasability and advisability of some policy to inaugurate a system of rifle prac tice in the public schools of the country. General Oliver, the Assistant Secretary of War, who is president of the National Board for the Promotion of Rifle Practice, is much interested in the subject, and believes that the proper presentation of the plan will be attractive to the school authorities all over the country. It is desired to interest schoolboys over thirteen years of age in the subject of rifle practice. He finds there are 515 schools in New York with about six hundred thousand pupils, half of them boys, who should be encouraged to take up rifle practice and become proficient in marksmanship. The number of boys attending high schools is more than ten thousand, and the College of the City of New York alone has about four thousand male students. The War Department authorities believe that much good work will be done in this preliminary training for military service, in addition to engaging the attention of the boys in exercise which is good for them on general principles. It is also proposed to organize the public schools into an athetic league in each educational centre. The War Department intends to lend its ald in every possible way to anything which will bring the youth of the country to a proper appreciation of the value of marksmanship. boys over thirteen years of age in the subject of

FROM MANILA VIA EUROPE.-Army officers who are on duty in the Philippines and are to re-turn to the United States are often desirous of ing back by way of the Eastern route, instead of taking the transport home by way of San Fran-cisco. General Leonard Wood made the recommendation some months ago in favor of granting this authority, and the Secretary of War has now decided that this may be done. Officers who are coming home from the Philippines may have leave coming home from the Philippines may have leave of absence, if it is due them, to the extent that will enable them to return to the United States by way of Asia and Europe, proceeding as they please within the allotted time and at their own expense beyond the cost which would be borne by the government if they returned on a transport via San Francisco. It is believed that many officers will avail themselves of this privilege and that the service will be proportionately benefited by their observations in foreign parts.

ORDERS ISSUED .- The following orders have

First Lieutenant GORDON JOHNSTON, to 3d Cavalry.

First Lieutenant GEORGE O. DUNCAN, 14th Cavalry, having been found by retiring board incapacitated for the contract surplement is anounced with incident the contract Surgeon VERDO B. GREGORY from Fort Adams to his home, Janesville, and report to surgeon general for annulment of contract.

First Lieutenant EDWARD M. S. HJNKLE, ordnance department, detailed capitain in that department, to complete period of four years for which he was originally detailed as first lieutenant.

NAVY.

Lieutenant I. E. BASS, detached NAVY Department, to

Lieutenant I. E. BASS, detached Navy Department, to charge recruiting party No. 4. Lieutenant D. VAN II. ALLEN, detached recruiting party, No. 4, to charge army recruiting station. Denver, utenant J. H. COMFORT, detached recruiting sta-tion, Denver; home, wait orders, utenant A. W. HINDS, detached the Potomac, to bureau of equipment, Navy Department, utenant L. J. WALLACE, detached the Washington, to the St. Louis.

Burgeon E. H. MARSTELLER, detached the Franklin Cable from commander in chief Asiatic fleet, Ma-

Commander W. R. RUSH, to Cavité Station. Midshipman E. B. SHERMAN, detached the Raleigh, to the Cincinnati.

Midshipman E. W. CABANISS, detached the Cincinnati, to the Raieigh

Second Lieutenant A. M. WATSON, M. C., detached marine barracks, Cavité, to the Pennsylvania.

Surgeon E. S. BOGERT, jr., detached the West Virginia, to home.

Captain THOMAS A. MOTT (retired), detached marine barracks, Washington; to his home.

Captain HENRY LEONARD, from duty as military attaché, United States Legation, Peking, May 7; report to brigadier general commandant at Washington.

MOVEMENTS OF WARSHIPS .- The following vements of vessels have been reported to the Navy Department:

February 28—The Des Moines at Havana; the Georgia at Tompkinsville; the Conecticut at Navy Yard, New York; the Tacoma at Guantanamo.

March 1—The Connecticut, from Navy Yard, New York, for Tompkinsville.

February 26-The Nero, from Tompkinsville for Guan-Pebruary 28—The Des Moines, from Key West for Ha-vana; the Uncas, from Pensacola for Key West; the Hannibal, from Guantanamo for Philadelphia. March 1—The Connecticut at Tompkinsville; the Ajax and the Leondes at Guantanamo.

U. S. S. NEWARK TRANSFERRED.

Governor Hughes Appoints General Henry to Receive It at Navy Yard.

Governor Hughes has appointed Brigadier General Nelson H. Henry, Adjutant General of this state, to receive the United States ship Newark at the navy yard, in accordance with an agree-ment between the State of New York and the Navy Department, at a date to be selected in the near future-probably on some day next week. The commanding officer of the Naval Militia is detailed to be present with General Henry on the occasion of the transfer of the Newark, and he will direct the commanding officer of the 1st Battalion, Naval Militia, to accompany him. After the transfer of the ship to the state the vessel and her invoices will be turned over to the Naval Militia, the commanding officer of which will assign her to the 1st Battalion for the use and occupancy of that organ-

General Henry, when seen at his office, in the State Arsenal, 25th street and Seventh avenue, yessoon as the Navy Department was ready to deliver the ship. The navy will supply a skeleton crew of twenty-four men, in charge of Boatswain Law, to keep the ship clean and to run the engines when

Bids will be opened to-day at noon at the arsenal for providing the state supplies that have been advertised for. In this case the articles consist of 2,000 ponchos of two sizes, and caps for the use of the National Guard. Requisitions have been received for medical stores amounting to \$3,000, sufficient to equip all the regiments; also a requisition for tentage for a full regiment, amounting to some \$11,500. Khaki is the material required for the tents.

It is to take the place of the ordinary canvas, as
It is said to be better proof against the sunlight
and not so readily distinguished as canvas. All
requisitions, General Henry says, must be in before
April 1.

BILL AGAINST TELEGRAPH TOLLS. Lincoln, Neb., March 1.-A bill was introduced in the Senate to-day, making the maximum price for telegraph service in the state 75 per cent of the rates in force on January 1, 1907.

BUTTE STRIKE SPREADS. Butte, Mont., March 1.-The strike of the various unions in Butte spread rapidly to-day. In many cases the men have quit, and in others they are socked out. Some 3,700 workers are idla.

Lieutenant O'Ryan Appoints Men with Exceptional Records.

With a view to adding to the efficiency of the 1st Battery, N. G. N. Y., Lieutenant John F. O'Ryan, who has been detailed to command, vice Captain Louis Wendel, relieved on account of charges, has decided to replace the old non-commissioned officers by men of the regular army who have exceptional records and are especially well recommended. The regulars must be qualified gunners, so that they can impart instruction to the members of the

battery. Some of the regular army men are also to be qualified cooks, farriers, veterinarians, etc. Five regulars have been appointed. They are:

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Sergeant Charles W. Hubener, 27th Field Battery,
rom Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont, who has been in
numerous battles and engagements in the Philipsines, and was recommended for coolness and
nravery in battle, skill in handling pack animals,
orsemanship and as a gunner.
First Sergeant William E. Donohue, 86th Company
of Coast Artillery, twenty years a soldier, a first
class gunner, and during the Spanish war assisted
dajor W. R. Hamilton, U. S. A., in the preparalon of the slege train at Tampa. Fla.
Henry F. Pegley, assistant veterinary in the 27th
Fleld Battery at Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont, a
graduate of the School of Farriers at Fort Riley,
Kansas. Kansas.

Frank Collins, who served in Dillenback's Light Sattery of the army, and also in the 11th Battery of Field Artillery, U. S. A.

Sergeant Walter Green, who saw extensive service in the Philippines as a member of the 4th

TAX CLERK DISMISSED.

Ellison Calls for Resignation of Arrears Bureau Man.

Corporation Counsel Ellison asked yesterday for the resignation of L. Frederick Mount, chief clerk in the Bureau for the Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes, which is in charge of James
P. Keenan, an Assistant Corporation Counsel.
Mr. Ellison, after an examination by the Commissioners of Accounts. missioners of Accounts, says there is a shortage of \$2.879 in the accounts of the bureau, and he has requested the Commissioners of Accounts to of the bureau for the last three or four years. Mr. Ellison also sent word to the bonding company which furnished the surety for Mr. Mount.

Mr. Mount has been connected with the bureau Mr. Mount has been connected with the bureau since early in 1901. He was associated with Senator Martin Saxe when Mr. Saxe was in charge of the bureau under the Low administration. When Mr. Ellison was asked about the matter yesterday, he said: "Mr. Mount was suspended for three weeks pending an investigation of the bureau in which he held a responsible position. On information furnished me by the Commissioners of Accounts, I have demanded Mount's resignation, and have requested the Commissioners of Accounts to make a thorough investigation of the entire bureau."

ARTIST ENDS HIS LIFE.

James Chrichton, of Washington, a Suicide in Brother-in-Law's Home.

James Crichton, an artist, who lived at the Cordova Apartments, 20th street and Florida avenue. Washington, killed himself about midnight last night in his room at the home of his brother-inlaw, William C. Clark, at No. 539 West 149th street. It was learned that the artist had had several attacks of heart disease, which caused him to become

little encouragement from him.

Last night Mr. Clark gave a dinner at his home

TORNADO ALMOST DESTROYS TOWN.

Persons Injured in Washington, Ark.

Little Rock, Ark., March 1 .- A special from Hope ington late last night and almost wiped it out of

"NO MARKET FOR RAILROAD BONDS."

Wabash Railroad, Not Able to Extend Tracks, Cancels Order for 2,500 Cars.

to dispose of enough of the 1905 issue of \$35,000,000 in bonds to raise funds. Vice-President Worthington, of the Wabash, in explaining the cancelling, says that there is no market for railroad bonds at the present time.

INSANITY PLEA IN STROTHER TRIAL.

Attack from Court.

West Culpeper, Va., March 1.-The defence in the Strother trial to-day shifted from the ford, engineer in chief of the department, pre-"unwritten law" to emotional insanity, and almost the entire day was devoted to argument which was asked Dr. Charles N. Clark, of St. Elizabeth's government hospital for the insane in Washington, who was called as an expert. In ruling that Dr. Clark's testimony was admissible, although the hypothetical question should be modified. Judge Harrison referred to the "unwritten law," saying with emphasis that if the formulation of the first, with room for additional facilities later. The main part will consist of one story. There will be a gallery approach to the story. it is meant that any person can take in his own hands the righting of his wrongs, the plea could

RUTGERS TAKES UP CARNEGIE GIFT.

[By Telegraph to The Tribune.] New Brunswick, N. J., March 1.-Rutgers College

The First National Arbitration and Peace Congress, to be held in Carnegie Hall. April 15 to 17, is, it is announced, to be attended by delegates from every state in the Union and from very department of life. Many eminent men, Europeans States Attorney, Clarence S. Houghton resigned partment of life. Many eminent men, Europeans and Americans, are to address the various sessions of the congress. Among these are Baron d'Estournelles, of France, Baron Descamps, of Belgium, James Bryce, T. Moberly Bell, of "The London Times," and W. T. Stead, A press committee, conaposed of representatives of the prominent monthies, weeklies and dailies in New York City, will invite the editors of the important publications throughout the country to be present.

States Attorney, Clarence S. Houghton resigned yesterday, and will in future devote his time to gesterday.

ARMY AND NAVY NEWS. REGULARS FOR BATTERY. NEW HOTEL BRUNSWICK SOLD.

TO BE CONNECTED WITH THE PRINCE GEORGE.

Market Again Found for All Souls' Church Site, in Madison Avenue-

The Century Realty Company has sold to the Twenty-eig'th Street Company (Charles F. Rogers) the twelve story Hotel Brunswick, Nos. 17 and 19 East 27th street, 50x98.9 feet, between 5th and Madison aves, which directly adjoins and connects with the Level Privac George, which is also owned by Twenty-eighth Street Company (Charles F. Rogers) the twelve story Hotel Brunswick, Nos. 17 and 19 East 27th street, 50x98.9 feet, between 5th and Madison aves., which directly adjoins and connects with the Twenty-eighth Street Company. The latter company intends to run both hotels as one. The Prince George and the Brunswick as an annex will be under the management of A. E. Dick, the present manager of the Prince George.

The Century Realty Company has bought from W. J. Clark and Caroline L. Iselin, trustees of th estate of Charlotte M. Goodridge, No. 14 West 29th st., a four story remodelled business building, front-

Charles T. Barney and the Century Realty Com pany have sold to the Park View Company the northeast corner of 66th st. and Madison ave., 100.5 feet on Madison ave. by 100 feet on 66th st., now occupied by All Souls Church. The purchaser in-

Henry Corn has bought from Julius Lowenthal

Henry Corn has bought from Julius Lowenthal cos. 34 and 36 West 18th st., two old buildings, on plot 50×25 feet. He will erect a twelve story store and loft building on the site.

The Charles F. Noyes Company has leased for I. H. Cammann, & Co., representing the Cammann, state, to the United Merchants' Realty and Invovement Company, the six story office building cos. 35 and 37 Broad st., covering a plot about 45.19x 03 feet, for twenty-one years, on a net rental asis. Including taxes and carrying charges, the uggregate rental is about \$50,000. The building adouts the Broad Exchange Building.

Pease & Elliman have leased for W. D. Sloane No. 647 5th ave., a six story dwelling house, on a lot 37.6x160 feet. They have also leased to E. H. Harriman No. 11 East 62d st. The same firm of

TO IMPROVE RIVERSIDE DRIVE PLOT.

A \$30,000 STUDIO PROJECT.

building to be erected for Edward Cudlipp at No mings of limestone, and have a frontage of 2

JOSEPH LEITER FOUND GUILTY.

plosion Killing Sixty Persons.

[By Telegraph to The Tribune.] Duquoin, Ill., March 1.—Joseph Leiter, the op erator of the Zeigler colliery, the scene of numerous labor conflicts in the last two years, was found guilty to-day, in the Franklin County Court, at Benton, of violating the State Mining laws, and will be flued from \$200 to \$500.

Mr. Leiter was found guilty of employing a min-

despondent. He came to New York a few days ago to consult a specialist, and, it is thought, got the State Mining Board, at the time of the explosion, in April, 1905, in which sixty men loss

ARGUMENT ON AHEARN CASE.

Borough President Accused of Contempt of Court-Decision Reserced.

Argument was heard in the Supreme Court yes terday by Justice Greenbaum on the application of James G. Collins to have Borough President Ahearn of Manhattan punished for contempt of court for disobedience to its mandate directing him restore Collins to his position as Superintendent of the Bureau of Highways.

Two Negroes Reported Killed and Other
Persons Injured in Washington, Ark.

The bolding of George Scannell, his appointee to the place. Assistant Corporation Counsel Cowle contended that Mr. Ahearn had not been guilty of contempt, and Justice Greenbaum reserved de-

MANY PRECIOUS STONES IMPORTED. Gain for February Over Same Month of Last Year Was \$1,208,264.

The total appraised value of precious stones cut and uncut, and pearls at this port for the month of February, 1907, shows a gain of \$1,208,264 over the same month for 1906. The figures as given out yesterday by Colonel Edward S. Fowler, Ap-praiser of the Port of New York, are as follows:

Pittsburg, March 1.—President Delano of the Wabash Raliroad has cancelled an order for 2,500 freight cars because it will be impossible to use additional cars on the limited trackage between here and Toledo.

Track extensions have been planned for the Wheeling & Lake Erle Railroad, but the officials of the road have discovered that they are unable to dispose of enough of the 1905 issue of \$35,000,000 in bends to raise for the Port of New York, are as follows:

Pearls and precious stones, cut, \$3,45c,284, compared with \$1,992,476 for February, 1906; uncut precious stones, \$819,016, compared with \$1,067,560 for the same month last year. The appraised value of merchandise last month was \$75,214 75, an increase of \$6,877,201 55 over February, 1906. The number of invoices and appraisement orders was 23,904, compared with \$2,003 and increase of \$6,877,201 55 over February, 1906. The number of packages examined shows a falling off from last year, being 55,235, 18

PLANS FOR STAPLETON FERRY HOUSE.

Building and Pier to Cost \$262,000-Latter Already Complete. The plans for the new Stapleton ferry termina

Sudden Change from "Unwritten Law"— of the Municipal Ferry have just been made public by J. A. Bensel, Commissioner of Docks and Ferries. The scheme provides for a ferry building and a pier 1.300 feet long, the latter being practically completed. Snelling & Potter are the architects for the ferry house, and C. W. Stanni

The ferry house will be a fireproof structure of on the proper form of a hypothetical question steel, masonry and terra cotta, one ferry slip which was asked Dr. Charles N. Clark, of St. being provided at first, with room for additional

CHANGES IN BROOKLYN FIRM.

hands the righting of his wrongs, the plea could only be offered in mitigation of the offence, not in justification. He said that there is no law or precedent in the history of courts in Virginia upon which to rest a plea of the kind.

The prosecution showed no surprise when the defence set about establishing a plea of emotional insanity, and was prepared to combat it with precedent and argument. The prosecution was not successful, however, in its efforts to exclude expert testimony, and at the close of the day the hypothetical question, with certain interlineations offered by Commonwealth Attorney Keith, was admitted. The examination of Dr. Clark will continue to-morrow morning.

CHANGES IN BROOKLYN FIRM.

J. A. Kohner, who has been president of the Brooklyn drygoods firm of Journeay & Burnham for two years, and Ethan A. Doty, vice-president of the firm, resigned yesterday. Both officers are interested in a large enterprise in Brooklyn while is soon to be launched. Mr. Kohner and Mr. Doty will retain their membership in the board of directors of the firm. William E. Philips, former Police Commissioner of the city of Brooklyn, will succeed Mr. Kohner, and Isaac Snedker, a member of the wholesale drygoods firm of Talcott & Co., in Manhattan, will succeed Mr. Doty.

POLICEMAN CONVICTED OF ASSAULT. Patrolman Thomas G. Walsh, of the West 47th street station, was convicted of assault in the Court of Special Sessions yesterday, and was re-New Brunswick, N. J., March 1.—Rutgers College has received a gift of \$25,000 from Andrew Carnegie. The money is to pay half the cost of a \$50,000 building to be devoted to chemistry and electricity. The college raised the second \$25,000. The offer was made two years ago, but the college has not been in a position until now to take advantage of it.

PEACE CONGRESS PLANS.

The First National Arbitration and Peace Contact of Special Sessions yesterday, and was remanded to the Tombs until Wednesday for sentence. The complainant against him was Moses Johnston, whose wife keeps a furnished room house at No. 321 West 48th street. He said that on the might of January 9 he was obliged to remonstrate with Walsh, who assaulted him with the butt of his revolver, knocked him down and then struck him with a billy. Walsh denied the assault. He will now have to face another trial at Police Head-our trial tr

CLARENCE S. HOUGHTON RESIGNS.

Sale of an 18th Street Plot for Improvement.

LENDS \$400,000 TO BUILD.

The Metropolitan Life Insurance Company has leaned to Lorenz Weiher \$400,000 on the property at the southwest corner of West End avenue and 84th st., where a nine story and basement apartment house is to be erected.

TRANSACTIONS IN REALTY.

S. Steingut & Co. have sold for the Robinson estate No. 344 East 47th st., a six story tenement A. B. Mosher & Co. have bought from Max Marx a plot, 75x100 feet, on the east side of Broadway. 100 feet north of 145th st. The buyers will erect a

six story apartment house on the site.
Frederick Zittel has sold to Leonard Well No olumbus ave., a five story flathouse and stores, lot 25x75 feet.

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nomas & Son have sold for Miss Nellie Doughty the lient the five story double flathouse, with the No. 1898 Amsterdam ave.

Kahn & Co. have sold for the Mulry estate 313, 215, 319 and 32 East 12th st., old buildings, blot 8xx193, 3 feet, to Benjamin Menschel, and resold the properties to Samuel Golding, of nan & Golding, for improvement. These parare among those which have been advertised sale at auction next week by order of the

3t 25.6x87 feet.
Merrill & Rogers have sold the triangular plot, lexitle, xx14e, xx154 feet, on the north side of Fordham toad, about 125 feet east of Valentine ave.
Arnold & Byrne have sold for George C. Engle Frank Koch the northwest corner of Columbus te, and 37th st., a five story flathouse with stores.

a Mrs. Hubert.

Tax Marx has bought from the Hudson Realty
mpany No. 3820 to 3824 Broadway, a six story
vator apartment house, at the northeast corner
Li9th st., on plot 99.11x150 feet.
the Whitehall Realty Company has sold No. 433
est 28th st., a five story tenement house, on lot
85 feet. 0x85.3 feet.
Duff & Brown have sold for the Washington
leights Realty Company the northwest corner of
5th st. and Ogden ave., a plot 70x95 feet.

PUZZLED BY MOCK MARRIAGE.

Tried in Connection with Coal Mine Ex- Miss Veness and F. Hambrock, Jr., Uncertain as to Estate. In an effort to brighten up a dismal trip

across the Atlantic, a young couple consented to be married last Wednesday evening by a cabin steward on the White Star liner Teutonic which arrived here yesterday from Liverpool. The "mock marriage," as it was called by the passengers, caused much merriment for all on board, and the couple who were joined together by the steward on the high seas took especial delight in the ceremony

The humorous side of the mock ceremony disappeared yesterday, and the prank took on a seious aspect when Frederick Hambrock, father of the alleged bridegroom, came to the pier and learned that his son had taken unto himself a

The bride-maybe, before becoming Mrs. Frederick Hambrock, jr., by the mock marriage, was Miss Amy Veness, member of a vaudeville com pany called the "Stunning Grenadiers." After pany called the "Stunning Grenadiers." After Mr. Hambrock, sr., took his son aside Miss Veness did not really know whether or not she had been married to Mr. Hambrock, jr. "I don't know," she said. "Maybe we are married; maybe not. Ask Freddie. Freddie, dear, are we married?"

Miss Veness tapped "Freddie" on the shoulder, and pointing to a reporter, said: "This

Miss Veness tapped "Freddle" on the shoulder, and pointing to a reporter, said: "This man wants to know if we are really married. Tell him, dear."

Freddle continued to listen attentively to his father, but when the latter finished his admonition he turned aside and said:

"I can't really tell you if I am married or not. Really, you have to ask the missus."

Frederick Hambrock, jr., represented the New York Life Insurance Company in Johannesburg, South Africa, and was returning to New York on a vacation. The couple left the pier, going in different directions, and neither decided whether or not the mock marriage was valid.

SEA MONSTER BREAKS PROPELLER.

Head Like a Sea Horse and Big as Small Whale, Say Fishermen.

Atlantic City, March L.—Captain H. H. Harken and the crew of the fishing smack Goldby Budd, which put into Great Egg Harbor to-night partly disabled. disabled, tell of seeing a wrecked four-masted schooner ten miles off the coast. They say they saw no signs of crew nor anything to indicate name of the wreck. While they were investigating. they say, their propellor was snapped off by collision with a large sea monster. It was the size of a small whale with a head like a sea horse. They say it went down after the collision. Captain Harken is reputed a sober, trustworthy man and his story excited much local comment.

MR. SULLY HAS FIGHTING CHANCE.

Daniel J. Sully showed considerable improvemen vesterday morning. Dr. Lafdlaw said yesterday mortains, had spent a good night, considering his critical condition. In the afternoon he took a turn for the worse and began to sink rapidly, but in the evening he again rallied, and the physicians in attendance announced that he still had a fighting chance of re-

SAYS HE WAS LINCOLN'S GARDENER.

[By Telegraph to The Tribune.]
Waterbury, Conn., March 1.—Pierced to the heart
by the intense cold of the last week, Albert Klees, of Kensington, who says he was once gardener for Abraham Lincoln at his home in Springfield, Ill., is dying. He is ninety years old. WOMAN WINS SUIT FOR \$17,000.

Mineola, Long Island, March L-A verdict for

\$17,000, with interest amounting to \$1,000 more, was awarded to-day to Miss Elizabeth Butcher, of Manhattan, who brought suit in the Supreme Court against Jacob Geissenheiner, as executor of the estate of his brother, Frederick W. Geissenheiner, who died in Sea Cliff, Long Island, a year ag Miss Butcher sued for services rendered by her t Frederick W. Geissenheiner as nurse, housekeepe and companion.

BUSINESS TROUBLES.

The following petitions in bankruptcy were filed yesterday with the clerk of the United States Dis-

Herman Wolf, clerk, No. 102 West 78th street, voluntary petition, showing liabilities of \$4.258 and assets of \$478. The principal creditor is the Twelfth Ward Bank, \$1,000.

Jacob Lappenheim, No. 1426 First avenue, vorantary petition, showing debts of \$2,137 and assets of \$35. The principal creditor is Maria Wachlasky, \$1,900.

\$1,900.

Albert B. Bieick, No. 263 Fifth avenue, voluntary petition, showing debts of \$2,254 and assets of \$182. In a principal creditor is the estate of Harry G. Hahle, \$25,062.

An involuntary petition was filed against the Pallsades Steam Laundry Company, of No. 2312 Eighth avenue, by three creditors—E. Waekerhagen, \$515; Louis Bedell, \$17, and Bachman & Heuter, \$104. Insolvency is admitted.

Schedules of the Munger Vehicle and Tire Com schedules of the Munger Vehicle and Tire Company, filed yesterday, show the concern's actual liabilities are unknown. The principal creditors mentioned are the State of New Jersey, for taxes, \$2.450; Louis de F. Munger, \$11.831. The principal item of assets is a suit or claim against the Rubber Goods Manufacturing Company, as a subscriber to the stock of the bankrupt to the amount of \$25,000, which, it is stated, was never paid. Real Estate.

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SIX HURT WHEN FUSE BLOWS OUT. An explosion from a defective fuse box caused the injury of six persons on a crowded car of the De Kalb avenue line at Carlton avenue, Brooklyn, during the rush hour yesterday morning. A hole was torn in the floor of the car by the explosion

and the flames burst through. Many passengers were standing in the aisle of the car, and exit by the doors was almost impossible. MARINE INDICTED FOR MURDER.

Boston, March 1-Among the indictments reported to-day by the grand jury in the United States Circuit Court was one of murder against Edward F. Lang, of the United States Marine Corps, who, it is alleged, shot and killed Corporal J. J. Quinn at Guantanamo on November 13 last. Lang was brought to this city last month by the naval supply ship Celtic, and will be tried in this city. Public Notices.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED by the BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY, at Room 911, 299 Broadway, No. York, until 2 P. M ..

FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF PORTIONS OF THE CATSKILI. AQUEDUCT. BETWEEN HUNTERS BROOK AND FOUNDRY BROOK VALLEYS, IN THE TOWNS OF CORTLANDT AND YORKTOWN, WEST. CHESTER COUNTY, AND PHILLIPSTOWN, PUTNAL COUNTY, NEW YORK.

At the above place and hour the bids will be opened and read. The award of the contract, if awarded will be made as soon thereafter as practicable. The principal items in the Engineer's estimate of the work are as follows:-

45,000 cubic yards 346,000 barrels

Fences and guard rails 63,960 linear feet. The bond required for faithful performance of the contract will be Five Hundred Thousand Dollars (3500,000). No bid, will be received unless accompanied by electing certified check upon a National or State Bank in the Cray of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, amoney, to the amount of Seventy-five Thousand Dollars (475,000).

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THE CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS, MAIN OFFICE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, HALL OF

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN. as required by the reater New York Charter, that the books called "The annual Record of the Assessed Valuation of Real and lersonal Estate of the Boroughs of Munhattan, The fronx. Brooklyn, Queens and Richmond, comprising the City of New York," will be open for public inspection, examination and correction on the second Monday of January, and will remain open up to and including

During the time that the books are open to pulspection, application may be made by any person approarding to be aggrieved by the assestiuation of real or personal estate to have the surrected.

In the Borough of Queens, at the office of the Department, Hackett Bullling, Jackson Avenue and Fifth Street, Long Island City.

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PROSS RIVER DAM AND RESERVOIR FIRST DIVISION. NOTICE OF FILING AND OF MOTION TO CONFIRM FIFTH SEPARATE "EPORT.

Public Notice is hereby given that the Fifth Separate Report of Daniel F. Cohalan, Join F. Brennan and Benoni Platt, Commissioners of Appraisal in the above entitled matter, was filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Westchester, at White Platns, in said County on the 31st day of December, 1906.

Notice is further given that the Fifth Separate Report

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LEATHER PRICES HURT INDUSTRY.

Wilmington, Del., March I.—The leather industry of Wilmington, which represents an investment of several million dollars, may be seriously affected. Seven of the thirty large factories are idle, while

said G. Parke Postles, vice-president of the American Leather Company, to-day.

For many years this city has been one of the leading leather manufacturing centres of the country.

was shot and probably fatally wounded in Sonora. Mexico, near the Sinaloa state line, yesterday, in defending his mining claims against two Mexicans.

MONDAY, MARCH 18, 1907,

J. EDWARD SIMMONS, CHAS. N. CHADWICK, CHAS. A. SHAW, Board of Water Supply,

J. WALDO SMITH, Chief Engineer, THOS. HASSETT, Secretary.

orrected.

In the Eorough of Manhattan, at the Main Office of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, Hail of tecords, No. 31 Chambers Street.

In the Borough of the Bronx, at the office of the bepartment, Municipal Building, One Hundred and eventy-seventh Street and Third Avenue,

In the Borough of Brooklyn, at the office of the bepartment, Municipal Building.

In the Borough of Richmond, at the office of the Department, Masonic Building, Bay St., Stapleton, S. I. orporations in all the Boroughs must make applications only at the main office, in the Borough of Man-

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or less. This is due to the high price of skins. "The curtailment of the finished product is necessary until an adjustment of prices can be secured."

BOSTONIAN SHOT IN MEXICO.

El Paso, Tex., March 1.—News was received to-day that James M. Parsons, formerly of Boston,