INQUIRY CONFINED TO GUDEN.

ATTERBURY SAYS SANFORD TOLD HIM \$12,000 STORY.

Guden Sald to Have Been Anxious to Get a Paper Dady Had -Bert Reiss Explains His Stock Deals-Brenner, Wingate and Others for the Defence.

ALBANY, Feb. 4 .- The Executive chamber was crowded to-day when Gov. Odell gave a hearing on charges in the case of Sheriff Guden of Kings county. The entire Kings county organization, with the exception of Col. Michael J. Dady, was present, Sheriff Guden had nearly fifty witnesses against the charge made that he made a bargain with Col. Dady whereby he secured his nomination. After a six hours' session the hearing was adjourned till to-morrow

Bert Reiss, who made the charges, was one of the early arrivals, and was prepared to testify in support of his accusations. The Sheriff was represented by Levi W. Naylor and J. Wernberg. Among the witnesses present for Guden were former Register Howe, ex-Police Commissioner William E. Phillips, Postmaster George H. Roberts, Jr., and Deputy Fire Commissioner William H. Lambeer. Deputy Attorney-General Coman sat with the Governor throughout the hearing.

At the outset Clarence J. Shearn, counsel for the complainant, asked that Col. Dady be made a party to the charges and asked for his removal from office. He submitted that the Governor had the right to remove a Commissioner of Elections the same as a Sheriff. Gov. Odell promptly refused to entertain the proposition. testify in support of his accusations. The

WALTER B. ATTERBURY. Walter B. Atterbury was the first witness called by the complainant. The Governor served notice on Mr. Shearn that he would hold him down to proving the charges, and, as time was precious with him, he did not want any unnecessary questions. The Republican party, Gov. Odell remarked, was not on trial, but Sheriff Guden.

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Mr. Atterbury said Col. Dady proposed that Guden be nominated for Sheriff and he (Atterbury) objected to it. He said Guden came to him prior to the election and asked for support. Guden, he said, offered patronage to the Seventh Assembly district if he received the active Republican support. Mr. Atterbury said he did not hear of the agreement between Guden and Dady until after election. Under Sheriff William L. Sanford then came to him and asked that a name be given to him so that Guden could make the appointment. According to Mr. Atterbury, Sanford said at the time: "We are going to make sixteen appointments off the reel before Dady gets on."

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Mr. Atterbury said he refused to give any names. He said Sanford told him that Dady had forced Guden, before election, to sign a paper in which Guden agreed to turn over to Dady all moneys over \$12,006 salary and that Dady should control all the patronage. He met Guden in Reiss's office a number of times and the agreement was referred to repeatedly and Guden was anxious, the witness said, to get back a paper he had given to Dady.

During the course of Mr. Atterbury's examination, Lieut.-Gov. Woodruff entered the executive chamber and took a seat at the side of Gov. Odell. Mr. Atterbury continued his testimony, stating that Guden told him, on the occasion of Col. Dady's return from Havana, that he (Guden) was going down the bay to meet Mr. Dady and offer a compromise so that he could control the minor appointments. The counsel endeavored to bring in matters pertaining to the Kings county Republican organization to show that Guden entered into a conspiracy to down Dady and have himself elected chairman of the County Committee.

Committee.

The Governor objected to such statements, saying he did not want anything in that direction. He wanted the counsel to prove the charges of Guden entering into an agreement with Dady and if those charges were proved he would not hesitate to remove the Sheriff, but matters relating to the organization of a committee did not enter into the question.

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in Guden's presence that he had offered Miss Cameron (Col. Dady's private secre-tary) the private secretaryship to the Sheriff if she would let him (Sanford) look at a paper in Col. Dady's safe, but she refused to do so.

Mr. Naylor began the cross-examination

of Mr. Atterbury by showing that there was ill-feeling between Atterbury and Dady. Mr. Naylor got from Mr. Atterbury an dmission that he had told Guden that if admission that he had told Guden that if he went down the bay to meet Dady on his return from Havana, Guden would endanger his personal safety. The witness told Guden that Dady would be apt to knock him down and throw him overboard. He said he had not requested Guden to appoint Reiss as his counsel. He had urged that the petition for Reiss's appointment be signed. Mr. Atterbury said he never be signed. Mr. Atterbury said he never had any faith in Guden—that he would get appointments from him. He had consulted with Mr. Shearn about the preparation of the evidence to be given before the Governor.

BERT REISS.

Bert Reiss was the second witness. He said he knew Sheriff Guden. He met him and had a conversation about ten days before election on the street in front of his law office. He was introduced as Guden's campaign manager and as his prospective Deputy Sheriff. Mr. Reiss said he met Guden, Sanford and others that same night at the Orpheum Theatre. After the performance they went to the Bank restaurant and the witness told Guden he would vote for him, as he always voted the Republican ticket. They left the restaurant and talked on the street from midnight until after 2 A. M. Guden told the witness that he wanted to get the support of himself and his friends, as he feared his defeat even if the rest of the county ticket was elected. At that meeting, the witness said, the matter of the agreement was only touched upon. Guden tried to impress upon him that Dady had not treated him right. Guden said Dady had made him sign an agreement, the details of which were not touched upon at that time. Guden insisted that the witness arranged a meeting for him with Mr. Atterbury, Mr. Kissel and others in an endeavor to get their support for his canvass. Mr. Reiss said he arranged a meeting for Guden at his house on Pierpont street, and former Senator Worth was there. Guden, at that time, said he was not Dady's candidate. His nomination was forced by Sanford and BERT REISS.

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Guden, Mr. Reiss testified, said Dady made him do something which compelled him to lose all faith in him. He wanted to show him up. Guden then related, according to the witness, that Dady before to went to Havana had called him into his office and presented to nim a written by magreement, which he asked Guden to sign. Guden said the agreement said that in the event of his election as Sheriff. Dady was to get all the income from the office in excess of \$12,000 per annum and to name all his supporters. Worth told Guden that in all the years that he had been leader of Kings county he had never stooped so low as to ask such an agreement from a candidate he had named for office.

Guden, Mr. Reiss testified, had said also that he wanted to "do" Woodruft, because he had not treated him right, having divided up his district and made it solidly Democratic. Guden told Worth he would de anything he wanted him to, as he was through with Dady. He then said to Worth

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Guden told Worth, the witness said, that he was short of funds and the witness afterward saw Worth make a contribution to the Sheriff of \$1,000 toward his campaign expenses. Guden had promised to appoint the witness as Sheriff's counsel at least fen different times before the election. He had advised with him continually on getting Mr. Kissel in line, seeing Atterbury, Jacquillard and others to get them to help in the campaign. In fact, either Guden or Sanford was continually in the witness's office.

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Dady's return. At the time Guden was coming to Reiss's office prior to the election.
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Reiss testified that Guden had remarked on more than one occasion that he was "out for the stuff" and appeared to feel very badly over the Dady agreement. Guden met Mr. Atterbury, Mr. Kissel and others on the day following his taking oath at the witness's law office, and at that time Guden stated, the witness said, that he thought he had better go down that day and see Dady and try to compromise with him so as to avoid trouble over the agreement.

At that time Atterbury had remarked to Guden that he would likely be dropped overboard if he made the trip. Guden told him that Dady believed the Kings county salary bills were unconstitutional and that was the reason why he had forced him to sign the agreement, believing that the income of the office would be \$100,000 a year.

On closs-examination Reiss said he had an unfriendly feeling toward Mr. Dady as a loyal Republican, but not otherwise. He had an unfriendly feeling against Guden because he was an Ingrate. He did not recollect saying on his former examination that his unfriendly feeling dated from the time of Guden's refusal to appoint him counsel. Reiss could not recollect that Guden had told him in their first interview about the agreement with Dady.

Mr. Naylor asked Reiss if he had ever owned Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railroad stock. Mr. Shearn objected to the question, but Mr. Naylor insisted, saying the transaction in the stock would seriously injure the credibility of the witness. Mr. Reiss had confessed to the commission of two crimes in this connection, Mr. Naylor said.

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Gov. Odell, after consulting the AttorneyGeneral, admitted the question. After considerable wrangling the witness answered that he had owned two stock certificates for five shares each. He had gone to the Hamilton Trust Company with one of the stock certificates. He had endeavored to obtain a loan on 500 shares of Missouri, Kansas and Texas stock as collateral at that time. He had presented a stock certificate which he thought was for 500 shares of stock and had obtained a loan of \$15,000 on it. The certificate had been presented to him by another and he had supposed it was all right.

Fifteen minutes after he had obtained the check from Mr. White at the Hamilton Trust Company, the witness said he was told by telephone that the certificate was wrong. He had then returned the check to the Trust Company and had returned the stock certificate to the party who had given it to him and received back his money from that party and closed the transaction.

When he went to the Trust Company with the stock certificate, Mr. Reiss said, he had not noticed that the certificate stood in his name and was one of the two certificates he had purchased a short time before for five shares and that it had been altered to represent 500 shares.

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before for five shares and that it had been altered to represent 500 shares.

Mr. Reiss said he was glad of an opportunity to answer the story concerning this stock certificate, for it had been held up against him and published broadcast by his political enemies for a long time and he had been threatened with all sorts of published the story of the story and he had been threatened with all sorts of punishments in connection with it, whereas he had been innocent of wrongdoing in the matter. The whole story against him had been made part of an affidavit and presented to the Supreme Court by a man who had litigation against him and a Supreme Court Justice had ordered the matter stricker out as false. This closed the instricken out as false. This closed the in-cident at the time.

John Kissel.

John Kissel testified that he had heard of the alleged agreement made by Guden He heard Guden tell about it in Reiss's office. At that time Sanford was present. Kissel testified that Sanford said he had been over to Dady's office trying to rob the safe, but he thought the girls there were "on to him." Sanford said something about offering Miss Cameron in Dady's office \$1,500. He said also that if he could not get the agreement back he would swear that he himself had signed it and not Guden. Sanford had also spoken of Guden's appointing Joe Jacobs a Deputy Sheriff. Sanford also said that "Charlie" wouldn't ever pay the money to Dady under the JOHN KISSEL ever pay the money to Dady under the

Mr. Kissel was on the stand when the Mr. Kissel was on the stand when the hearing was adjourned until 2 o'clock.

"At the afternoon session, Kissel resumed the stand and was cross-examined by Mr. Naylor. He said that Guden had said in his presence that he had only made two promises, one to make Bert Reiss, his counsel and the other to permit Jacob Worth to name the Sheriff's auctioneer. Guden had called Atterbury in his presence "an old woman," and declared that Atterbury talked too much. talked too much.

OTHER WITNESSES.

Joseph Jacobs gave testimony to being present at the conferences with Guden in Reiss's office. He heard Guden speak of the Dady agreement and heard him say he had only promised the two appointments, to Reiss and Worth.

Frederick W. Sparks, formerly Reiss's law partner, said that he was called into Reiss's office one day before the election and asked his opinion by Reiss of the agreement which Dady had compelled Guden to sign, the terms of which were related to him. He had stated that he thought the agreement would cause trouble. Guden told him before election that he had promised He had stated that he thought the agree-ment would cause trouble. Guden told him before election that he had promised to appoint Reiss as counsel. The witness told the same story related by other wit-nesses relating to Guden's telling the con-ferees that he wanted to get back the agree-ment he had signed for Dady and about his intention of going down the bay to meet Dady on his return from Havana. Judge Jacob Neu, who managed Guden's campaign, was called. He said Guden had also promised him he would appoint him his counsel.

Counsel for the complainant rested after introducing a number of papers as evidence. Attorney Wernberg then moved that the charge of making an ante-election promise to Judge Neu be dismissed and it was granted.

Jacob Brenner, chairman of the Executive Committee of the Kings County Republican organization, was the first witness for the defence. He recited how Guden came to be selected as the nominee for Sheriff. He was the choice of Mr. Dady. The witness told of Reiss's coming to him and asking him to intercede for him (Reiss) with Lieut.-Gov. Woodruff and Mr. Dady that he night be appointed counsel for Guden. Mr. Brenner said he spoke to them, but they declined to have anything to do with his candidacy. He had never heard of any agreement between Guden and Dady.

John K. Neal, Register of Kings county, corroborated Mr. Brenner's testimony in regard to the selection of Guden as the nominee for Sheriff. He denied that Mr. Dady had ever appreached him concerning the control of the patronage connected with the office of Register.

Dr. William L. Hiuchinson was called by Mr. Shearn to prove that Guden attempted to overthrow Dady as a member of the Executive tonneittee. He told of a conversation with Mr. Dady in which it was alleged that Dady had referred to efforts made to open the safe in his office. Dady had said that any one who would enter his office and get the combination of his safe was capable of doing anything. It was not directly charged that any certain person had tried to gain access to the safe.

Charles T. Hartzheim. County Clerk, declared on the probability that he defended and the declared by the declared to the combination.

Charles T. Hartzheim, County Clerk, declared most emphatically that he had never made any agreement with Mr. Dady to give him part of the income or patronage of his office. Nothing of the kind had ever been suggested to him. Postmaster George H. Roberts, Jr.,

gave testimony concerning the selection by the Executive Committee of Mr. Guden as the candidate for Sheriff. Guden's nomi-nation had been proposed and advocated

by Dady.

At this point Mr. Wornberg said he had no further witnesses ready and, although it was not quite 6 and Gov. Odell remarked that he might continue until 630 f up here we work in the courts, you know , a post-ponement of the bearing was had until 11 A. M. to-morrow, after the Governor had been taking testimony for six hours and a half.

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ATTACK ON CHARITIES BILL

SENATORS ENTER A PROTEST AGAINST ODELL'S MEASURE.

Rogers Bill, Substitute for Brackett's, Will Pass To-day -- Only Three Republican Senators Will Oppose It-Grady, Dowling and Elsberg Are Heard.

ALBANY, Feb. 4.—The bill introduced by Assemblyman James T. Rogers of Binghamton and recommended by Gov. Odell, which abolishes the boards of managers of the eleven State hospitals and centralizes the control of these institutions in the State Commission in Lunacy at Albany was substituted to-day for Senator Brackett's similar bill in the Senate, which is on the order of third reading, by a vote of 29 to 18, a party vote with the exceptions of Senators Elsberg of New York, Malby of Ogdensburg, and Willard of Utica, Republicans, voting with the Democrats. These three will be the only Republican Senators who will vote against the passage of the bill. Senators McEwan, Humphrey and Brown, Republicans, were absent. It requires only 6 votes to pass the bill.

The bill came up on the order of final passage shortly after noon, and it was attacked by Senators Donnelly, Dowling, McCarren, Grady and Elsberg. Senators Green and Higgins defended the measure and urged its passage in the interests of a business administration of these institutions, as well as in the interest of the patients themselves. The debate lasted for nearly four hours, when, at 5:30 o'clock, the further consideration of the bill was post-poned until 11 A. M. to-morrow, because there were a number of Republican Senators who desired to speak in favor of the

The bill will be passed to-morrow afternoon with a number of votes to spare. During the debate it developed that the constitutionality of the law will be tested by the first hospital employee who is re-moved or transferred by the State Commoved or transferred by the State Com-mission in Lunacy, and Senators Elsberg and Malby pointed out there was no doubt in their minds but that the courts would declare the law to be in conflict with the Constitution in that it clothed the Lunacy Commission with the powers of "manage-ment and control," where under the Con-stitution, the commission was to have only the powers of "visitation and inspection." the powers of "visitation and inspection."
Senator Grady contended that out of the 7,000,000 people in the State the Governor alone publicly demanded the passage of the bill.

Senator Dowling said that Bellevue and its allied hospitals were but recently placed under the management of a board of citi-zens in order to make sure politics would not enter into its administration. This was done through an enactment by the last Legislature. He showed the present inconsistency of the Legislature favoring that plan for Bellevue last year and now reversing its position by abolishing the local boards of managers of State hospitals.

Senator Elsberg decried the attempt to Senator Elsberg decried the attempt to make the bill a party measure on the part of the minority, and said he had no sympathy in the partisan attacks made upon it. He eulogized Gov. Odell as the best chief executive the State has had in many years, and believed the Governor's motives were honest and that the Governor considered the bill to be in the people's interests.

Col. Partridge Dines in Albany, ALBANY, Feb. 4 .- Col. John N. Partridge, he Police Commissioner of New York city, eached Albany on the same train this afternoon as did District Attorney Jerome, but did not know the latter was here or on his train. Col. Partridge returned to New York at midnight after attending a dinner given by Dr. and Mrs. Samuel B. Ward in honor of Gov. and Mrs. Odell.

MRS. JOSEPHS NOT SWINDLED Missing Lawyer's Wife Asked to Pay 800 for Tidings of Him.

The Brooklyn police arrested a young man yesterday who said he was Frank Sweeney of 17 Clifton place, for an alleged attempt at extortion from Mrs. Max Josephs, wife of the Brooklyn lawyer who has been missing from his home at 359 Fourth street since Jan. 24. The young man went to Mrs. Josephs's house and handed her a letter in which she was to give to the bearer \$60 to be delivered to the writer in return for information as to her husband's where-

Mrs. Josephs turned Sweeney over to a friend, who turned him over to a policeman of the Bergen street station. Sweeney said the letter had been handed to him by a stranger who had promised to wait fifteen minutes for an answer at Fourth avenue and Fourth street. This is a vacant lot through which Fourth street has not been continued. continued. The police took Sweeney the lot, but didn't find the stranger.

APARTMENT HOUSE TWICE AFIRE Firebug Seems to Have Something Against Charles C. Nott, Lawyer.

The tenants of the apartment house at 69 East Fifty-fourth street have been mystified by two apparently incendiary fires which have been discovered in the building within a fortnight.

The first was discovered on the morning of Jan. 26 by F. Rawdon Myers, who lives on the third floor. A blaze had been started in some kerosene-soaked rags in the hall near the apartments of Charles C. Nott, Jr., a lawyer, who lives on the ground floor. It was soon put out.

The second fire was discovered yesterday morning in the basement under Mr. Mott's apartment by one of his servants. It, too, apartment by one of his servants. It, too, had been started in oil-sonked rags.

The detectives of the East Fifty-first street police station and Fire Marshal Freel are investigating. The tenants all Freel are investigating. The tenants all say they know of no one who could be seeking revenge.

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DOINGS OF THE LEGISLATURE. Bill by Tim Sullivan Causes a Smile—"Little

Coney Island" Bill Passed. ALBANY, Feb. 4 .- The Senate passed by a vote of 26 to 14, Senator Brackett's bill permitting one domestic corporation to guarantee the bonds of another domes-

tic corporation in the same general line

Senator "Big Tim" Sullivan introduced a bill to-day which appears to have a bearing upon his case, which cost him several hundred dollars, through an altercation with an Albany street railway conductor for ordering him inside of a car. So when the Tammany statesman introduced the measure offering better facilities to the travelling public on street railroad cars, it caused a smile. "Big Tim's" bill compels ali street railroads to provide seating accommodations for all passengers, and any one who is obliged to stand up is not compelled to pay his fare. If ejected for refusing to pay a fare when obliged to stand the passenger will have good grounds for an action for assault and to recover damages from the railroad company. Assemblyman J. H. Fitzpatrick has a bill

Assemblyman J. H. Fitzpatrick has a bill providing that no employee of a hospital in New York city shall be obliged to work more than eight hours in one day. Another bill introduced by Mr. Fitzpatrick requires a third man on all street railroad cars in New York city.

A bill which is designed to overcome all objections to automobiles has been introduced by Assemblyman Reilley. It fixes the speed limit the same as other measures already introduced, but differs in the penalty provision for a violation of the speed limit. The first offence is punishable by a fine not exceeding \$25 and the second by a fine not exceeding \$25 and the second by a fine not exceeding \$350, while the third offence can be punished by a fine of not more than \$50 or six months in jail, or both. The penalty provision is favored by the Automobile Club of America.

Assemblyman Robinson's bill regulating the speed of automobiles to twenty miles an hour on public highways passed the Assembly.

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by the Assembly after a short debate, by a vote of 91 to 18. The bill simply puts back on the statute books the old antibob-veal law which, it has been discovered was inadvertently repealed by the Legisla-ture last year.

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Athough the lammany members chered strenuous objections to it, the Assembly, by a vote of 77 to 27, passed Assemblyman Bennett's bill, which is intended to put "Little Coney Island" out of existence. It is aimed especially at a dance hall on 110th street in New York city, and will affect others in that vicinity, as it prohibits public denoing in a hall on consecutive. public dancing in a hall on consecutive nights within a half mile of a cathedral now in the course of construction. These bills were introduced in the Senate:

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Senator Wagoner—Making the head of a
street railroad corporation directly responsible for the violation of the law prohibiting street railroad employees to be
compelled to work more than ten consecutive hours in one day.

Senator Slater—Fixing the pay for laborers employed in the New York city armories
at 25 for day.

t \$2.50 a day. Senator Wagner—Authorizing New York city to repay to the banks in New York city the amount of penalties paid by them for failing to comply with the law taxing

CATHOLIC CLUB DINES FORNES. Mayor and Comptroller Guests, and All Political Faiths Represented.

The members of the Catholic Club gave dinner last night in honor of Charles V. Fornes, President of the Board of Alderen. Among the guests were many of the heads of the city administration, but men of all political faiths were present at the dinner, which was intended not only as a tribute to Mr. Fornes's success, but to his services to the club during the time that he was its President.

In thanking the members for the honor they had paid him, Mr. Fornes said that he would so strive to fill his office that at the end of his term it might be said of him that whatever errors he had made were mot failures of heart or good purpose, but were mistakes of the mind.

Mayor Low in a happily worded address said that every member of his administration was animated by the one desire to do his best for the city and to deserve the confidence which the resorted

deserve the confidence which the people roller Grout, after sympathizing with Mr. Fornes in the task before him of having to keep in order a body of men who sometimes required the assistance of

the police, went on to say: There may come a time when we shall have Council in the City of New York which will a Council in the City of New York which will properly represent the city, but such a time will not come until the city's Council is vested with full legislative power over the city's affairs. I do not look to see a fit municipal government in New York until the Alder-manic body has given to it the powers of which I speak. Justice Morgan J. O'Brien and ex-Justice

THEATRES MUST OREY.

Mr. Sturgls Says They'll Have No Peace Until They Observe Fire Regulations. Fire Commissioner Sturgis said yesterday

that his crusade against the presence of persons in theatre aisles during performances was neither of recent conception nor spasmodic. 'I sent a letter to Assistant Corporation Counsel Cosby on Jan. 20 calling his atten-

tion to violations of this law in the Harlem Music Hall and the American Theatre on Jan. 18 and 19, and recommended that suit be brought in each instance. Mr. Cosby has charge of the Bureau for the Recovery of Penaities. This will show you that the movement had its inception soon after my accession to office and it will continue until we gain our point." The Commissioner said that he had re-

ceived twelve complaints of violation of the law in the theatres on Saturday afternoon and evening and these he sent to Assistant Corporation Counsel Cosby. The Commissioner explained that he wished to put particular stress on the fact that re would be no respect of persons in

ins crusade.

"We are keeping as close watch on Mr. Grau and the Metropolitan Opera House, he said, "as on the cheapest of concert halls; there should be no mistake on that point."

Mr. Sturgis's order was the alleged cause of a row in Daly's Theatre which resulted in the arrest of Edward S. De Costa, an insurance clerk of \$20 West Twenty-sixth street. De Costa says he bought an admission ticket to the theatre and knowing that it was against the law to stand in the sisio took a seat in the orchestra. When the usher tried to get him out of the less there was a row. The usher says De Costa punched him. A policeman took him out

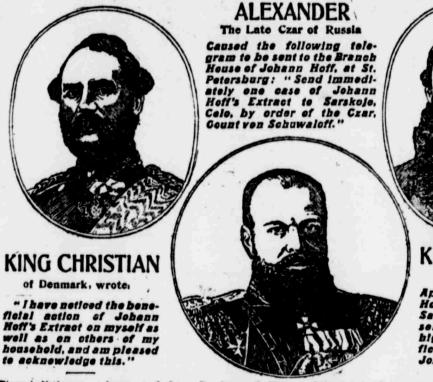
H. B. Odell Club Seeking Incorporation. The charter members of the Benjamin B. Odell Republican Club, among whom are Abe Gruber, Leonard V. Obermeier, and Montague Lessier, Congressmen-elect presented to the members of that club for presented to the members of that can ber their approval last night a charter de-fining the reasons for the club's existence. The Secretary of State will be asked next week by Michael Hiros, the chairman of the Executive Committee, to incorporate the club. It was organized in the Second Assembly district to fight the Downtown Tammany Club, controlled by Tom Foley and Timothy D Sullivan.

Ball of the French Cooks.

The thirty-sixth annual ball of the Soclete Culinaire Philanthropique was held at the Madison Square Garden last night the benefit of the widows and orphans' fund of the organization. Before the dancing began there was an exhibition of fancy dishes, prepared by chefs of many of the leading hotels of the city. Some of these were narvels of the cuinary art.

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Riordan of Troy, Studying Art in Philadelphia, Commits Suicide.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 4.-Miss Belinds Riordan, a student attending the Pennsylvania Academy of Fine Arts, committed suicide to-day. No motive is known for the deed. She first drank carbolic acid. That proving too slow she thrust a palette knife, such as is used for mixing paint, into her chest near the heart the inflicting ugly and painful wounds. They inflicting ugly and her suffering and she dragged failed to end her suffering and off the rubber into her chest near the heart three herself to a gas stove, took off the rubber hose, put it in her mouth and turned on

hose, put it in her mouth and turned on the gas.

Miss Riordan's home was in Troy, N. Y., and she boarded at 1631 Arch street. She was about 25 years old and went to live at the Arch street house last October.

A despatch from Troy says that Miss Riordan's brother committed suicide twelve years ago in a drug store by taking carbolic acid. She and her sister were possessed of an estate valued at \$12,000. Students at the Art School here say Miss Riordan spent more for dress than any pupil there. She had announced her intention of going to Europe in the spring. of going to Europe in the spring.

Chicago University Antiquities Burned. CHICAGO, Feb. 4.-Egyptian pottery, tapestry, mummies and other priceless relics of the age of the Pharaohs, recently collected in Egypt and sent to the University of Chicago by Prof. J. H. Breasted, were damaged or destroyed by flames in Haskell Hall yesterday. Embalmed cats and mum-mies of some of the Pharaohs, which had withstood the ravages of 3,000 years, succumbed to a Chicago fire.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

MINIATURE ALMANAC-THIS DAY. Sun rises.... 7:06 | Sun sets... 5:22 | Moon rises... 4:49 HIGH WATER—TRIS DAY. Sandy Hook 5:09 | Gov. I'd... 5:41 | Hell Gate... 7:34

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Ss Aller, Genoa, Jan. 22.
Ss Zeeland, Antwerp, Jan. 25.
Ss Saxonia, Liverpool, Jan. 25.
Ss Statendam, Rotterdam, Jan. 28.
Ss Mannheim, Hamburg, Jan. 17.
Ss Kudenhold, Santos, Jan. 9.
Ss Orizaba, Colon, Jan. 28.
Ss Cientuegos, Santiago, Jan. 19.
Ss Mexico, Havana, Feb. 1.
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SS Jefferson, Norfolk, Feb. 3.
SS Aragon, Newport News, Jan. 4.
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Ss Georgie, from New York, at Liverpool.
Ss Auguste Victoria, from New York, at Maiaga. SAILED FROM FOREIGN PORTS.

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ART STUDENT KILLS HERSELF. WHEELDON MARRIAGE MIX-UP. Iowa County Clerk Puzzled by Two Letters From Washington.

COUNCIL BLUFFS, Ia., Feb. 4.-L. F. Wheeldon of 406 Twelfth street, N. W., Washington, and Mrs. L. D. Wheeldon of 512 E Street, N. W., same city, are in a marital tangle, according to letters received here by County Clerk Reed. The man wrote that "a certain woman in Washington wrote that "a certain woman in Washington was exhibiting a marriage certificate indicating that he and a Mrs. Nicholson of Des Moines had been married in Council Bluffs." He professes ignorance of the marriage and thinks there must have been a substitution of his name in the certificate for that of some one else. He asks for particulars

ticulars.

Later Clerk Reid received a letter from Mrs. Wheeldon, saying that she and her husband had not been living together for five months; that he had secured her marriage certificate and destroyed it, and ask-ing for a copy of the record. Clerk Reid sent Mrs. Wheeldon a certified copy of the record. It was sent back to him with a request for a new marriage certificate in

Becoming suspicious, he wrote to Mrs. Wheeldon, demanding that she send photographs of herself and husband, so that he might determine whether the couple is the same that was married in his office on Sept. 7, 1897. The record shows that the names Wheeldon and Nicholson were first written and then the names "A. D. Whyte' and "Mary Van Arsdel" substituted, the couple agreeing that those were their names. Later the woman returned alone and told the clerk that the names were and told the clerk that the names were fictitious and that they really should be L. D. Wheeldon and Mary Nicholson.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4.—There is no such number as 406 Twelfth street, given as L. D. Wheeldon's address. Mrs. L. D. Wheeldon moved two days ago from 512 E street. Mrs. Wheeldon is said to be orderworker to get a diverge from her endeavoring to get a divorce from her

SCHWAR DENIES RUMORS. Not Abroad to Negotiate for Iron or Steel

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN LONDON, Feb. 4 -- Charles M. Schwab, President of the United States Steel Corporation, arrived in London from Paris to-day.
He will sail for New York on Saturday.

A newspaper quotes Mr. Schwab as denying emphatically all the stories that he has been negotiating for iron and steel properties in Europe. He reasserted that his trip was made purely for pleasure.

Auction Sale of King Edward's Horses. Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN.

to-day of the King's shire horse stud at Sandringham forty-five horses brought an average of £192. The highest price, 575 guineas, was paid for a broad mare.

Keeley Plant at Dwight, Ill., Burned. BLOOMINGTON, Ill., Feb. 4.-Dwight had a \$300,000 fire yesterday. The great laboratory of the Keeley Institute and other buildings were destroyed, among them being the Livingston Hotel. The fire started around the boilers in the main building of the Keeley company. This structure was destroyed.

A New York councilseer, now resident of Paris, about 40 examples of more than average merit removed from storage. A high pressure from the Northwest, accom-panted by a decided fall in temperature was centrai yesterday over South Dakota, freezing temperatures reaching to the centres of Georgia, Mis-sissippi and Texas. Zero weather advanced as far south as southern Kanses. The lowest temper atures reported were 26 below zero at Blamarck, N. D., and 30 below at Williaton, N. D. In the eastern half of the country the weather was gen erally felt, except for anow is the Luke regions and in the Tennesser Valley and flurries in this neighborhood. West of the sliesserph fliver fair weather prevailed, except in southern Texas ser, corrected to mad to sen hard, at a A. M., 20184.

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LAST DAY OF EXHIBITION WALDORF-ASTORIA. SALE THIS EVENING at 8:30,

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American Oil Paintings,

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JOHN FELL O'BRIEN,

Mr. Wm. Clausen of 381 'ifth Ave. will

assist in the management of the Sale. ***************** Fifth Ava. Auction Rooms, This (Wed.) Afternoon, Ard following afternoons at same hour.
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Diaz. Jules Dupre. TO-DAY, THURSDAY, ALSO FRIDAY, nt 3 r clock P. M., each day, to close the exists of a well-known jurist, deceased whose name we are not allowed to make public. Also, by order of

BISSERT APPEAL ARGUED. Appellate Division Would Not Acjours II

Decision Reserved. When the appeal of former Wardman George Bissert from his conviction for permitting a house of ill fame to remain open came on for argument before the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court yesterday Assistant District Attorney Gans asked for an adjournment, saying that he was not ready owing to his work in six other appeals. J. Rider Cady, counsel for The temperature posterial as recorded by the official thermometer, non also by this sense thermometer at the street level, is shown in the annexed table.

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