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Best Original Works.

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pamphlets offered in competition may

be sent to any member of the commit-

The committee on award has been

named as follows: Prof William M.

Sloane, Columbia; Alexander Graham

THREE-CORNERED PLAY.

Annual Chess Tournament Opened in

New York To-Day.

New York, Dec 31.-The fourth an-

nual tournament of the triangular col-

Cornell and the University of Penn-

university was represented by two

ton, Brown; C. L. Rand and J. R.

to-morrow, on Friday and Saturday,

First round-Hicks, Brown,

Second round-Rand, Cornell,

Hicks, Brown; Easton, Brown,

Pennsylvania, vs Mitchell, Cornell.

Fourth round-Rand, Cornell,

GRAND JURY ACTS.

Transit Co Make Changes

id Transit Co make certain changes in

its system with a view to the improve-

The grand jury recommends that the

attorney general take steps to annul

the charters of the constituent com-

panies of the Brooklyn Rapid Transit

ASLEEP THREE MONTHS.

Girl Who Quarreled With Lover

Thought to Be Dying.

Chicago, Dec 31 .- Dora Meek, who

went into a trance like sleep on Sep-

tember 28 as the result of a lovers'

quarrel and has never since awakened

is believed to be dying, says a special

to the Chronicle from Centralia, Ill.

Since Sunday she has shown an ab-

normally high pulse, which the doc-

tors believe is due to exhaustion.

There is very little fever and respira-

GEYSER IS TROUBLESOME.

an area of three miles and is increas-

TWO ATTACHMENTS MADE.

granted, says the American by Justice

Scott of the supreme court against the

property of the Keystone Telephone

Co, a New Jersey corporation with

headquarters in Philadelphia and

Charles J. Marsh on an assigned claim

of the Standard Underground Cable

MORGAN COMBINATION.

al Mercantile Marine company has as-

serted itself at the custom house for

Southampton. From this time the

name selected for the Morgan combina-

TWELVE MEN HELD.

Louisville, Ky, Dec 31.-Twelve men

are now in jail here on suspicion of be-

near here yesterday. Among the

names registered are Frank Hughes

of Pittsburg, George Love, Lima, O.,

Frank Wester, Hinton, W. Va, and

BOERS VOLUNTEERED.

Cape Town, Dec 31 .- A detachment

George Harmon of Allegheny, Pa.

will sall from here next week,

New York, Dec 31-The Internation-

tion is normal.

ing in size.

ment of existing conditions.

Pennsylvania, vs Hicks, Brown.

Pennsylvania;

Smyth, Pennsylvania.

Pennsylvania, vs Rand, Cornell.

follows:

sylvania, was begun here to-day. Each

lege chess league, consisting of Brown.

Bell and Dr George N. Olcott.

tee prior to June, 1903.

He Accepts the Proposition As Presented.

HAY WILL SEND IT TO LONDON.

And Then to Berlin and Rome-Venezuela Makes Promises to France-Will Treat Her Claim in the Same Way as Great Britain and Germany's.

Washington, Dec 31.—Secretary Hay has received the answer of President Castro to the proposal of the powers to arbitrate the Venezuelan difficulties before The Hague tribunals President Castro accepts the general

principles of the proposition. His answer will be transmitted from here to London, Berlin and Rome to-day.

Paris, Dec 31 .- A dispatch to the Matin from Caracas confirms the statement that Venezuela has promised France to treat her claims as those of Great Britain, Germany and Italy, but adds that a similar promise was refused to Belgium, Spain and Holland.

London, Dec 31 .- A dispatch to the Daily Mail from Willemsted, Curacao, dated yesterday, says: "The postmaster at Maracaibo, Venezuela, having detained correspondence belonging to German merchants, the German cruiser Falke threatens in consequence players: L. R. Hicks and S. H. Easto bombard the town."

INLISTED AT 15.

Episcopal Minister Who Has Just Died in Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, Dec 31.-Rev Leverett Bradley, until recently associate rector of St Luke's Epiphany Episcopal church of this city, died at his home to-day aged 56 years. He was born in Methuen, Mass, and at the outbreak of the civil war, when but fifteen years of age, enlisted and served until the end of the conflict. Shortly after the war he prepared for the ministry. He was ordained a deacon in 1878 in Hartford, Conn, and became assistant to the Rev Phillips Brooks at Trinity church, Boston. He was ordained to the priesthood in 1879. After serving in various New England charges he came to this city and became assoclated with St Luke's.

REAR END COLLISION,

Conductor's Head Cut Off and Body Badly Mangled.

Montreal, Dec 31 .- A rear end collision occurred to-day on the Victoria bridge on the Grand Trunk railway, between two freight trains. The conductor, Octave Tremble, was killed. His head was cut off and he was badly mangled. The wreck took fire and for the present all traffic is blocked. Trains to and from the United States cross the St Lawrence river on this

WANT ANNUAL DEBATES.

Stanford University, Cal, Dec 31 .-The students of the Johns Hopkins university, through Dr Grey Carrollton Lee, have formally submitted a proposal looking to the inauguration of a series of annual intercollegiate debates, the first to take place here in April. If it is decided to agree to three debates, Dr Lee expresses a desire to have the next meeting take place in Baltimore, and the third a point to be determined by lot. The challenge will be considered by the Stanford Debating league at the opening of the new semester, January 6.

BRANN'S DECISION.

New York, Dec 31.-Magistrate Brann handed down a decision to-day that Police Inspector Brooks violated section 10 of the penal code and exceeded his authority in forcibly entering Canfield's alleged gambling house on December 1, 1902. The magistrate held that Brooks must be held for trial The geyser, which began flowing early and must answer in the court of spe- in the month and which the governsessions. The decision was the outcome of a preliminary hearing in the action brought against the inspector for forcibly entering Canfield's.

INQUIRY AFTER MISSIONARIES. London, Dec 31 .- The missionary headquarters in London has telegraphed to Tangier for information regarding the missionaries in Morocco, for whose safety, however, not much fear is felt. The latest advices from the Americans at Mequinez show that Messrs Welliver of Minnesota and Reed of Kansas City went to Fez after the recent trouble at Mequinez. Six other missionaries are presumed to be at branches in this and other large cities.

SERIES OF ICE RACES.

Glens Falls, N. Y., Dec 31.-Arrange. the National Conduit and Cable comments are being made for a series of pany the other. ice races at the head of Lake George beginning January 15. Two races on a kite-shaped track will be held each week and will be continued as long as the ice stays good. A large number of entries from prominent horse own- the first time by the clearance of the ers in various parts of northern New American line steamer Philadelphia for York has been received.

MONEY WILL BE RECEIVED. St Petersburg, Dec 31 .- Count Bobrinsky, who co-operated with the White Star lines. merican famine work in 1891, has received inquiries from Americans in regard to the relief required in Finland and telegraphed to the minister of the interior. Von Plehwe, who has ing implicated in the hold-up of a authorised him to say that money will Louisville & Nashville passenger train ne gratefully received, but that other contributions are not wanted.

SLOAN'S VALET REMANDED.

London, Dec 31 .- Tod Slban's valet. Swiss named Carloz, was remanded at a police court here to-day, charged with stealing the American jockey's amond sleeve links, valued at \$425, a ess suit and other articles. Slean, ress suit and other articles. Sloan, of 10 Boers who have volunteered list as compiled by the board of asses-ho said he desired to go abroad, was for military service in Somaliland sors was completed this afternoon. and over to attend the trial.

LEMON JUICE TREATMENT.

Materbury

Dr Lederle of New York Says Physicians Now Use It.

New York, Dec 31 .- Dr Ernest G. Lederle, president of the health department, referring to the discovery To Be Awarded Every Five Years for said to have been made recently in England that lemon juice would kill New York, Dec 31 .- Through the gentyphoid germs in water, and to have erosity of the Duc de Loubat, whose been proved by experiments in Chicago, interest in American studios is well says he knows these experiments have known, two prizes, to be called the been tried often before and that many Loubat prizes, have been etsablished at physicians treat their typhoid patients Columbia university, to be awarded with lemon juice. every five years for the best original Dr W. H. Billings, a bacteriologist any period preceding the declaration of

works dealing with North America at of the department, said: "I have not made any experiments myself, but I am sure that lemon juice in water will prize is not less than \$1,000, and that kill germs if enough is used. Orange of the second prize is not less than juice will do the same thing, and, in \$400, and the competition is open to fact, we have been feeding patients all persons, whether citizens of the that right along. There is nothing new United States or of any other country. in this discovery of lemon juice. It These prizes are offered in the year takes more orange juice than lemon juice, because the former has not so much citric acid in it, and yet it is a powerful neutralizer. There is no doubt that acid will kill typhold

THE SHELL FISH REPORT

Balance to Credit of State Double That of Previous Years.

The Receipts From the Licensing of Boats Have Diminished-The Sale of Oyster Lands During the Year Amounted to Only About 500 Acres.

Mitchell, Cornell, and S. W. Addle-Hartford, Dec 31 .- The report of the state shell fish commission submitted man and F. Smyth, jr, Pennsylvania. The tournament will be played to-day, collections for the year ending Septemone round to be contested each day. The schedule for the tournament is as vania, vs Easton, Brown; Smyth, doubtedly, says the report, the failure Addleman, Pennsylvania; Mitchell, of the set for three successive years Cornell, vs Easton, Brown; Smyth, has done much to discourage the taking up of new grounds, but there is no doubt that most of the available grounds now in the hands of the commission will be called for upon the re-Recommends That Brooklyn Rapid turn of reasonably favorable condi-

In discussing conditions in Rhode New York, Dec 31.-The grand jury Island waters, the report alludes to the of Kings county handed down a prefact that the commissioners of that sentment to-day on surface and elestate estimate the income to the state vated railroad facilities in Brooklyn, for 1903 at \$45,000. recommending that the Brooklyn Rap-

An appropriation by the state sufficient to cover the expense of an adequate exhibition of the oyster industry at the St Louis exposition is recomnended. The commission says the general oyster business, aside from the work on the natural beds and the seed business, is fairly good, with an active demand for opened oysters, which is one of the most prominent forms of the oyster business of the state. The failure of the annual oyster set and the practical ceasing of work on the great public beds is spoken of in the report as particularly discouraging to the workers in view of the two previous poor years. Many who have worked the natural beds during the present season have not always made day

JUDGE WHEELER'S VIEWS.

Says State Should Examine Into All

Uncontested Divorce Cases. Middletown, Dec 31.-In a decision handed down to-day in which he re-Seattle, Wash, Dec 31 .- The geyser fused to allow a decree of divorce in at Eldorado, in the Klondike, is givgrounds of habitual intemperance and ing the territorial authorities much intolerable cruelty, Judge George W. trouble and has already done much Wheeler expressed an opinion of wide damage, according to a dispatch reinterest. He said that in this case the ceived by the steamer City of Seattle. advantage of a contest has been apparent, for had the case been uncontested the decree would no doubt have ment had succeeded in capping, has been granted. He suggested that in broken out again and is sending an the interest of morality and for its immense volume of water all over the own protection that the state should surrounding country. The glacier have each uncontested divorce case ments aggregating \$74,193 have been a contested trial.

SECOND MATE SHOT.

And Excitement is at Fever Heat Savannah La Mar.

Kingston, Jamaica, Dec 31.-Considerable excitement prevails at Savan-Company secured one attachment and | nah La Mar, on the southwest coast of this island, over the shooting there yesterday of the colored Jamaican second mate of the American brig Sunlight by the first officer of that vessel, H. G. Gardner of Maine. According to the details which have reached here trouble arose on board the Sunlight over the color question and the crew left and er company is backed by J. P. Morgan Before the trial the following entertainrefused to return on board. During the and James J. Hill. disturbance, it appears, Gardner fired at the second mate and probably fatally wounded him. A strong force of potion will appear on the papers of the lice as sent on board the brig to arrest American, Red Star, Leyland and was overpowered and taken to jail. The Yorkers. conce were compened to guard the was loading logwood for Boston.

CARRIAGE PLANT BURNED.

Milwaukee, Dec 31.-The entire plant of the Charles A. Bresch Co. carriage manufacturers, was destroyed James Murphy Michael McCarty and by fire early to-day, entailing a loss of upwards of \$100,000.

HARTFORD'S GRAND LIST. Hartford, Dec 31.-Hartford's grand The amount is \$60,603,852.

FLANAGAN TO ACT

He Will Make Demand for Registrar Hynes' Books.

MONDAY IS THE TIME SET.

This Move is Made to Avoid Any Ques-Salary-A Similar Case Was Decided in Bridgeport and the Losing Candidate Had to Pay Back Safary.

Attorney Root has finally decided that his chient, John H. Franagan, snail make a demand upon James A. Hynes next Monday for the books of the omce of democratic registrar of voters. He has decided upon this step to comply with all possible technicalities that might stand in the way of his client's eventually drawing the salary of the office, provided the decision of the supreme court sustains the decision of Judge Shumway of the superior court, which has de-clared favorable to Flanagan. In Bridgeport some time ago two candidates claimed to have been elected tax collector. One of them collected about \$4,000 taxes and out of this sum he paid his own salary, the city having refused to pay him. The case was finally decided against him and he, not the city, had to pay the other candi-

DIED IN ALBANY.

Former Waterbury Woman Whose Relations Reside Here.

Mrs Annie Igo, wife of John F. Colto the governor to-day shows that the lins, died at her home in Albany Tuesday morning. Mrs Collins was ber 30, 1902, amounted to \$9,242.56, born and lived in Waterbury until her while the expenses were \$5.672.14, marriage several years ago. She was leaving a balance to the state of \$3,- a woman of fine character, a devoted 570.42, which is more than double that wife and a loving mother, and leaves Mitchell, Cornell; Addleman, Pennsyl- of the previous year. Receipts from a large circle of friends in Waterbury boat licenses have diminished the pro- as well as Albany to mourn her loss. portion allowed by law for the buoy- Mrs Collins is survived by her husing of the natural cyster beds, so that band, John F. Collins, formerly of this vs the commission has been compelled city, and three sons, Michael, Frank Addleman, to apply for a special appropriation. and Louis; also one brother, William Only about 500 acres of new oyster M. Igo of Albany, and four sisters, Third round—Hicks, Cornell, vs Adground has been sold by the state this Mrs F. T. Andrews, Misses Julia L., 53, who said, speaking on "The Unilosses caused by the great conflagradleman, Pennsylvania; Easton, Brown, year, while 523.4 acres have been re- Lizzie M. and Jennie M. Igo of this vs Rand, Cornell; Mitchell, Cornell, vs covered for arrears of taxes through city. The funeral will take place the operation of the special law. Un- Friday morning at 8:30 from her late home, 161 South Swan street, Albany. trouble. An immense industry had property went up in smoke are build-Interment in family plot in Albany drifted out of the hands of the men ing mightier than ever, and in another cemetery.

WOMEN'S CLUB MEETING.

Papers Read by Members and Music on Piano and Mandofin.

At the meeting of the Waterbury Women's club yesterday afternoon the musical program consisted of a funeral march by Chopin by J. J. Derwin. Miss Grace Hamilton followed him with two readings, given in her usual charming manner. The first was Bret Harte's "How Santa Claus Came to Simpson's Bar," and the second a translation of Francois Copper's "The Last Son," which she interpreted in a highly original style. Between these readings Mr Derwin gave two mandolin selections, a fantasie by Adt, and "Slumber On" by the same writer. He was accompanied by Miss Anna S. Byrne.

New York Men Now at Head of the Business.

This Country and Canada Controlled by the Same Companies-Many Ex tra Horse Power to Be Added to the Business During the Coming Year.

New York, Dec 31.-New York men have now acquired control of the United States and Canada, says the Herald.

According to the census the total electric power in America in 1900 was dent Abraham Lincoln, which will be 311,016 horse power. Great additions | held in Music hall in the Citizens' bank have been made since. The additions building, under the auspices of the on the American side of Niagara Falls | Theta chapter of the Theta Sigma, a formed from the geyser extends over investigated and a report made to the are 55,000 and 65,000 horse power High school society, was held yestercourt. Such a proceeding would de- plants, to be installed as fast as each day afternoon in the superior court crease the number of devorces granted 5,000 horse power unit is completed, room. To a Democrat reporter, who by at least one-third, for he believed probably by next August. On the had the pleasure of being present at that a large proportion of cases would Canadian side, 110,000 horse power is the rehearsal, the trial proved most in-New York, Dec 31.—Two attach not stand a careful investigation and in process of construction for 1904 by teresting. The different parts were as one company and 50,000 horse power for another company. At Sault Ste state prosecutors, James Turley, Ed-Marie, Mich, 57,000 additional horse power has just been turned on.

At Niagara Falls the financial support of the Niagara Falls power company and the Canadian Niagara power company is furnished by New York capitalists

At the Soo, the Michigan Lake Superior Power Co, with 57,000 horse Seery Hayes; witnesses for the defense, vision of the water rates is one of out limping. It will take some time power on the Michigan side, and the Algoma Commercial Co, limited, with 20,000 horse power on the Ontario is a rather unique form of entertain- price shall not be less than a fair summer the child will be all right. side, are owned by New York men. The Great Falls, Mont, electric pow-

transmission system in the world, is solos, Miss Elizabeth Lawlor; violin a largely financed by New York capital- duets, the Misses Kilroe and Loughlin; is ists, and the Pike's Peak Power Co of recitations, Miss Winifred Ward, Miss next year most of our turbulent water mony. The bride was attired in a tail-Gardner and it was with difficulty he Colorado is largely owned by New Mary Turley.

In addition there are upward of fifty building in order to prevent native electric power plants, operated by turmobs from attacking it. The Sunlight bine water wheels, having a total of fied Spain that she intends to observe York has heavy financial interest. An to that of France and Great Britain. estimate of \$50,000,000 is believed to All the powers are thus in accord with investment in electric power plants.

INFANTA ISABELL SAILS.

Gibraltar, Dec 31.-The Spanish loop of war Infanta Isabell sailed from Algeciras to-day for Morocco. General Chacel will assume command of the Spanish expeditionary force

HISTORY IN SCHOOLS.

Democrat.

President James of Chicago Advocates

Broader Study.

Chicago, Dec 31 .- A broader study of history in the public schools is urged by President Edmund J. James of Northwestern university, in a paper read before the Chicago chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution. The paper was entitled "The Study and Future of State History in the High Schools." After dwelling on the imtion That Might Arise in Regard to portance of teaching state history, the paper in part says:

"We have perhaps sinned in the large amount of time which we have given in one grade or another to American history and the small attention which we have given to general European and world history. The history of our country is destined, in our opinion, to play an important part and occupy a leading place in all the future history but whether they will be hved up to or of the world, but if the American re- not is another matter. But it is a good The Famous Breach of Promise Suit public were to perish to-day the place which we should occupy in the grand any way, and if one stumbles on the progress of the world's history would, after all, be small."

DISCUSSED AT SHERRY'S

The Coal Strike Question In All Its Phases.

Delegates to the University Conference Gave Their Views-Wayne Mac-Veigh Says Universities Must Pay More Attention to Such Questions As the Coal Trouble.

uestion was discussed by some of the became a prey to the fire fiend and the speakers at the dinner given at Sher- dreaded malady known as smallpox rys last night to the delegates to the held the town in its grip for a time, university conference. James W. and while it failed to carry off many Alexander of Yale '60, speaking on victims still it cost a vast amount of "The Universities and Modern Busi- money and created a stagnation in business," suggested playfully that each ness which was felt by almost every university should have its trust and, merchant in the city. But thanks to after assigning various combines to the efforts of an efficient board of the different universities said: "Some- health the disease has been stamped body else can take John Mitchell and out and by strict adherence to sanitary the strikers. They are the biggest laws and other precautions, notably trust of all."

versities and Public Affairs." The universities must pay more atin charge-honest, well-meaning men, month or so people who will come in as capable as you and I. But it has from abroad and have not been here drifted out of their hands, and the na- since the fire will say that while it tion was face to face with a winter might have caused some hardships, the without coal. Then a graduate of a town is amply repaid for it all in the university did appear and said, 'Coal | magnificent structures that rear their must be mined, and he was the chief heads above the ruins of the old buildexecutive. Then another graduate ap- ings. The only building devoured by peared, of almost equal authority, the financial leader, and he said, 'coal tially replaced is the Scovill house, must be mined!" But the issue was not entirely settled by either or both of them. It depended not on a university graduate but on the graduate of a coal mine, who said 'if the arbitration is conceded for which I have been asking for eight months coal will be mined.'

'Arbitration was granted and coal was mined but if one had been less persuasive and another had not agreed then the mines would have been hermetically sealed for a winter. You must deal not alone with the coal barons-you must deal with the men who mine coal and bring ft to the surface. You must administer the government with the ideals of civic vir-

Mr MacVeagh was followed by President Eliot of Harvard who suggested that each of the gentlemen preceding him had slightly wandered from his subject, referred pleasantly Mr MacVeagh's impetuosity and his discussion of the 'strenuous life." He then outlined the ideal strenuous life, and led the discussion into quiet channels. His subject was "The Universities and the Learned Professions."

READY FOR MOCK TRIAL.

greater electric power plants of the High School Pupils Are Ready for To

Morrow Night. A successful rehearsal of the mock trial of the conspirators against Presihad the pleasure of being present at follows: Judge, Benjamin Fairbrother; ward McDonald; counsel for the prisoners, John Gaffney, Clyde Miller; but that's another matter. If the clerk, John Hayes; sheriff, John Hayden; the prisoners (Booth, Herold, Ar- er of the people to adjust it to suit six year old daughter of Mr and Mrs nold and Mrs Surratt), Joseph Daly, Joseph Guilfoile, Michael Blansfield. Miss Mary Judd; witnesses for the tion it can still do a few things withstate. (Secretary Stanton), Louis Jackson, clerk at Wilson's hardware store; and masters at Hartford, and a re- is thought, enable her to walk with-George Coyle, Charles Bolger. Attor- them, this power being vested in the for the bone replaced to become firmly ney Carmody is instructor. The trial aldermen, with a proviso that the set, but it is thought that by midment for High school students and no compensation for the use of water. doubt will attract, a large audience. Provision has been made to take care ment will be given: Piano selections, The California, the longest electric Miss Katherine Carroll Bergin; vocal expense in the past and is still doing Father Slocum officiating. A number

GERMANY'S ATTITUDE.

Madrid, Dec 31 .- Germany has noti-1,500 miles of circuit in which New an attitude towards Morocco similar be the minimum of New York's cash Spain's desire to maintain the status

dispatch received here from Ceuta, Morocco, says that a Moor who way facilities as a town of its size was under British protection has been and character should have had years murdered by the Moors between Tan- ago. gier and Tetuan,

lilla, Morocco, are quiet. People who have arrived at Centa ssitate its dispatch to that country. views of the situation there.

END OF ANOTHER YEAR AT HAND

Fair and Pleasant.

will be an ideal day for making New loved ones who have gone before. Year's cails. Of course the usual number of good resolutions will be made, plan to start out on the new year well, way now and then he may be able to Mazauka versus William Walaytis pick himself up, and in any case such which was decided for the plaintiff by a course shows a disposition to follow the straight path.

holiday besides. In the Catholic the plaintiff, would not say what the churches masses will be celebrated at an early hour for the accommodation of to be about \$300. The jury's verdict people who have to work. Watch ser- was for \$500. vices will be held in some of the Protestant churches to-night, and they will also hold services to-morrow morning. The library, banking houses, the offices in the City hall building and many other places of business will be closed,

The postoffice will be open until noon. Waterbury has had some rather exciting experiences during the year which has practically run its race and is about to pass on to those that have New York, Dec 31 .- The coal strike preceded it. A large slice of the city vaccination, it is hoped that the malady This roused Wayne MacVeage, Yale has seen its finish in Waterbury. The tion of last February, while looked upon as a great calamity at the time, given by the Washington Hill tention to a great question like the coal | will soon be forgotten. Those whose the flames that has not yet been parpose horses.

> ing this matter in hand will be able to see its way to giving Waterbury such a hostelry which will be worthy of the Brass city. On the whole the year has been a prosperous one in Waterbury. Work was good in all branches of industry and considering the strained relations between capital and labor, very little friction of that character came to the surface in this town, and it is hoped that with a better understanding between employers and employes, something which

six months the efficient committee hav-

quite noticeable a many quarters hitherto hostile to labor unions, Waterbury will soon be entirely free from troubles of this sort. Most of the factories have made additions to their plants and taken on additional hands, thus giving employment to people who might otherwise have to seek a market for their labor away from home.

The city government has kept up

with the procession. The fire and police departments have been strengthened so as to be able to meet any demands that may be made upon them, and the school board has been active in providing accommodation for the rapid increase of school children. Two will be ready for occupancy at the opening of the fall term next year. Work on the Wigwam reservoir has To be sure, it is not free, but considnot cost much. Many take the ground that it should not come so high, price is not right it is within the powthemselves, for while Waterbury is pretty well hampered by state legisla-

ways will have been corralled and a or-made traveling suit of blue broadlarge share of the annoyances people cloth and wore a picture hat. She was have had to suffer on this account wiped out forever.

The Connecticut Railway and Lighting Co. with all its faults, appears to be alive to the needs of better trolley service and has made a move in that direction which it is hoped will result in giving Waterbury such street rail-

No matter what way one looks at The Kabyles, in the vicinity of Me- the closing year, he is forced to the the closing year, he is forced to the conclusion that Waterbury has much to be thankful for, even though coal furnished home at 24 Cosset street, should developments in Morocco ne- from Fez do not take very serious and wood are scarce and the prices high. Of course many have been friends after January 15,

New Year's Day Promises to Be robbed of precious ones and miss some familiar faces about the home, but this is in accordance with a divine decree and it is the duty of all who have been tried to take a philosophic view of the BUSINESS PLACES TO CLOSE, situation and accept their afflictions as coming from God. Man was not born to remain here for all time and The Custom of Calling Will No Doubt none of us has any assurance that we Be Kept Up-The Year Just Closing will be here at the close of the year which we expect to see usher itself in Has Brought Many Changes to Wa- to-morrow. Let us be thankful that terbury and Its Thrifty inhabitants. we have been spared so long and hope that if we should be called away we To-morrow will be New Year's day, will be nearer Him whose nativity we and if the good weather holds out it celebrated on Christmas day and the

THE CASE SETTLED.

Is Ended.

The breach of promise case of Anne a jury in the district court a few weeks he straight path.

It will be a holy day of obligation in the supreme court will not be fried. the Catholic church and a national therefore Attorney Bauby, counsel for

FIRE TRUCK COLLISION.

Struck Wagon While Returning From Fire-Janitor Loughlin Thrown Out.

While returning from the fire on Fairview street last night a collision occurred between the fire truck and a team belonging to Sackett & Curtis. The driver of the team was thrown out and one of the firemen, John H. Loughlin, janitor of the City hall building, received a punch in the fifth rib that knocked him out for a few moments. But the janitor was at his post to-day just the same and had the hall looking as bright and cheerful as ever.

CITY NEWS.

Special forecast for Connecticut: Fair to-night and Thursday fresh southwest winds.

Miss Barbara Stadler and Miss Jennie Brown are spending the holidays with friends in Meriden.

A sociable and promenade will be club on next Friday night,

A large crowd of disciples of Izaak Walton are reaping a rich harvest at the Wigwam reservoir to-day. Superintendent Combellack of the

Boys' club has a poor woman for whom he would like to get a position as house-Frank E. Benham will receive a new

lot of horses on Friday. Some good drivers, heavy draft and general pur-Mrs Alongo Austin died after a long but this is on the way and there is every reason to believe that inside of illness, at her late residence, 436 South

Main street, this morning. Funeral at her home Thursday evening at 7:30. Mr and Mrs John Walker, Mr and Mrs A. E. Leggett, Mrs J. R. Walker, Master J. B. Walker are spending the holidays at the home of R. W. Riggs

in Mount Vernon, N. Y. The North End Athletic club will give a sociable and dance on Friday night. The North End boys have a well established reputation for being

entertainers of the first rank. Timothy J. Kelleher and Miss Margaret Sullivan were married this morning at the Immaculate Conception church, the Rev Father Slocum officiating. James Kelleher was best man and Miss Nora O'Donnell was maid of honor.

A private banquet and reception will be given by the members of the Somerset Social club to-night. Dancing will be enjoyed in the K. of C. hall. At 11 o'clock all will adjourn to the Broadway hotel where an excellent supper will be served.

The Co-operative Coal Co has established headquarters at Frank B. Hare's cigar store, 26 Bank street. The secretary will be there this evening and large buildings, the Walsh and Rus- every Wednesday evening hereafter to sell schools, have been completed, and receive dues. Anyone wishing to join another is in course of erection and can do so to-night for 50 cents, as after to-night the price will be raised.

The funeral of Edward F. Costine took place this morning from Mulbeen pushed to completion and the ville's undertaking rooms with service city put in a position so that its citi- at the Immaculate Conception church zens will not have to go dry for some by the Rev Father Broderick and intime, provided they can content them- terment in Calvary cemetery. The selves with libations of that sparkling bearers were Michael Breahen, Wilfluid commonly known as Adam's ale. liam Manning, James Manning and Michael Manning. The floral tribuses in the rounds of the year, it does Mrs Michael Healey and a bouquet from P. T. Flynn.

Dr Adolph Lorenz, the noted Vienna surgeon, performed a successful operation in New York Monday on the Harris Whittemore of Naugatuck. A bone in the child's foot was out of place and caused her to walk lame, out asking permission from its lords and the operation of Monday will, it The marriage of Katherine E. Mad-

den and William F. Seery took place of storm water, something which has at 6:15 this morning at the church of caused the city a lot of trouble and the Immaculate Conception, the Rev lot of mischief, but it of friends and relatives of the conthought that during the tracting parties witnessed the cereattended by her sister, Agnes, who was also tastefully gowned in blue broadcloth, Andrew Broderick acted as best man. After the ceremony the wedding party was driven to the home of the bride at 32 Cherry street, where a wedding breakfast was served to number of invited guests. The merry making was kept up until Mr and Mrs Seery left on their wedding tour for New York and Philadelphia. They were the recipients of many beautiful presents which left no doubt as to their where they will be at home to their