

NEW YORKISMS.

From our own Correspondent. New York, Aug. 6. At the northeast corner of Fourth street and Broadway are painted in large blue letters on the Fourth street side of the house, "Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals."

Small as the room is, and few as are its occupants, the visitor's first impression is that a great deal of business is transacted there. In the northwest corner sits a middle-aged gentleman, with a keenly benevolent face, whose eyes seem to beam with a general desire for the welfare of all dumb animals everywhere.

The act to incorporate that Society was passed April 10, 1866, and its first operations were in a limited field. Mr. Bergh owns that, indeed, without the enthusiast's blind devotion, it can scarcely be believed that a man would address himself to so gigantic a task.

The first cases upon which his benevolence made itself felt were the cruelties practised in the transportation of cattle and sheep. The conviction of a few of the offenders soon remedied that evil however.

It is, of course, impossible to trace the steps by which one evil after another evoked the attention of the Society. Among these evils were the adulterated food for horses and cattle, such as the mixing of plaster with ground grain; the numerous abuses inflicted on horses by car conductors and drivers; the amount of suffering caused by the present mode of constructing public roads to those animals which are obliged to pass over them; the cruelty practised in dog fights, and cock-fights; the brutal slaughtering of cattle; the feeding of snakes and reptiles with live animals; the worrying of cats, rats, and other animals by dogs; the tying of live fowls to stakes to be torn to pieces by amateur sportsmen; the wanton injury of animals, and suffering them to die a lingering death; and finally, most monstrous of all—the dissection of live animals assumed to be performed for scientific purposes.

During this, the second year of the Society's existence, there have been over two hundred convictions on the ground of cruelty to animals. During the first year there were only sixty-six. Similar societies have been or are projecting in Massachusetts, New Jersey, Missouri, and California, besides the one that already exists in Philadelphia, and the branch one in Brooklyn.

I have made it my duty to inquire into the amount of work which the Society has performed. One of the peculiar features is the distribution, throughout the public charitable asylums where children are cared for, of several thousands of a small illustrated work treating of the consequences of cruelty to animals.

most from the prairies, in lieu of live animals, the estimated saving on each car-load, according to the refrigerating plan, being at least \$500. The frightful manner of transporting sheep and calves, by "sardine ing" them together, has likewise, during the past year, been largely discontinued.

But there is one point against which all the energies of this noble association have been bent, with very little success, and that is the overloading of street cars. At the session of the New York Legislature of 1867, indeed, a bill embracing all that was desired to extend protection to man and beast was prepared by the Society and presented in person by Mr. Bergh.

Mr. Bergh, on January 2, 1868—one of those days when cars were mercilessly packed inside, and out—procured the arrest of the driver and the conductor of one of the Bleeker and Elm street cars. The defendants were indicted by the Grand Jury and on February 7 were tried at the Court of General Sessions before Recorder Hackett, found guilty and sentenced to pay fines of \$250 each.

In regard to dog and cock-fights, all the principal places where these sports have been held for so many years have ceased to do any business almost from the hour when, under the investigation of Mr. Bergh, more than a year and a half ago, "Kit Burns," keeper of "Sportsman's Hall," and proprietor of one of the most noted resorts of this kind, was arrested. The intense cruelty peculiar to the Jewish mode of slaughtering animals, was also the occasion of a circular letter being addressed by the Society to every Rabbi in the city of New York.

Meanwhile numerous agents of the society have regularly visited the various hospitals during the year to report whatever results may have taken place in the suppression of vivisection. Observation proves that anesthetics are more improved than formerly, and that a new one, known as bichloride of methylene, has become extremely popular. One of the chief operating surgeons of the Bellevue Hospital, Dr. A. Flint, Jr., intimates that he has almost discontinued the use of vivisection, and says that the only cases in which he does not employ ether is where the experiment would be seriously interfered with by an agent of that kind.

The society has likewise dragged two will-milk cases to light, but owing to the forgetfulness (to use no harsher term) of District-Attorney Morris, they yet remain undisposed of. An immense effort was made to obtain judgment against the proprietors of the cattle-yards on One Hundredth street, near Third avenue. In these yards, situated on an elevated and unsheltered point, hundreds of cattle, all winter long, were exposed to the blasts of wind and the showers of snow and hail, until their bodies were encrusted with ice. The human brutes who owned these yards employed the services of the late Secretary of State, the Hon. Chauncey M. Depew, and the Society those of the Assistant District Attorney, Mr. George W. Blunt. The case came up before Justice Connelly, and the brute proprietors won the day. Their recent creation of a new milk-cow market, however, is an involuntary tribute of the respect in which the Society's power is held.

And now, at closing, I hesitate and ask myself the question whether it would be impertinent to hint at the personal appearance of a gentleman who received me with exceeding courtesy and answered all my questions fully and frankly. Months before I ever saw this widely known suppressor of cruelty, I, in common with others who had never seen him, used to ask myself what could be the personification of one devoting his life to such an object. We all agreed that it must, from the nature of the case, be that of a short, appletic gentleman, florid in complexion and of an extremely impulsive and effervescent temper. All who retain such pictures will, upon a visit to the office of the society, look around in vain for the Mr. Bergh of their imaginations. He is the very antipodes of such a portrait as this, and talks with all the calmness of the philosopher and all the warmth and sincerity of the worker. In short, he is a gentleman who does a great deal of hard, ungrateful work in a courageous and conscientious manner.

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VECHAN-HOWELL.—On the 5th instant at the Parsonage of St. George's M. E. Church, No. 321 New street by the Rev. M. D. Kuria, Mr. CHRISTIAN VECHAN to Miss MARY L. HOWELL, both of Gloucester county, N. J.

DIED. CHADWICK.—On the evening of the 2d instant, JOHN T. second son of Mary J. and the late Thomas Chadwick, in the 21st year of his age. The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend a funeral, from the residence of his mother, N. 523 S. sixteenth street, on Friday morning at 10 o'clock.

COBURN.—On the 5th instant, HANNAH C. daughter of Mary and the late Isaac Coburn, in the 21st year of her age. The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from the residence of her mother, No. 166 summer street, on Saturday morning at 8 o'clock.

CORCORAN.—On the 2d instant, GEORGE CORCORAN, in the 27th year of his age. The relatives and friends of the family, also Pennsylvania Lodge No. 1, L. O. F., are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from the residence of his mother, No. 213 Cherry street, on Friday, the 7th instant, at 9 o'clock A. M. To proceed to Mount Moriah Cemetery.

DUNCAN.—At Wilmington, Delaware, on Wednesday afternoon, the 5th instant, JOHN A. DUNCAN, aged 63 years. The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend his funeral from his late residence, No. 670 French street, on Saturday afternoon next, the 8th instant, at 4 o'clock, without further notice.

HIRSCHLER.—On the 5th instant, SIMON HIRSCHLER, in the 7th year of his age. The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from his late residence, No. 47 Wood street, on Friday next at 2 o'clock P. M.

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LATEST BY TELEGRAPH. An Insurrection Anticipated in Spain. Progress of the Revolution in Panama.

Central and South America. The Revolution in Panama. New York, Aug. 6.—Panama advices of the 28th ultimo state that no collision had yet occurred between the Government troops and the revolutionists. Preparations were active on both sides, though there was a prospect of an amicable arrangement of the difficulties.

FROM EUROPE BY CABLE. Anticipated Outbreak in Spain. LIVERPOOL, August 6.—Jeff. Davis arrived here by steamer last night.

THE New York Quarantine. NEW YORK, August 6.—There are one or two cases of yellow fever on the steamer Ocean Queen at Quarantine. The brig Haviland, from Havana, had one death from yellow fever on the voyage.

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