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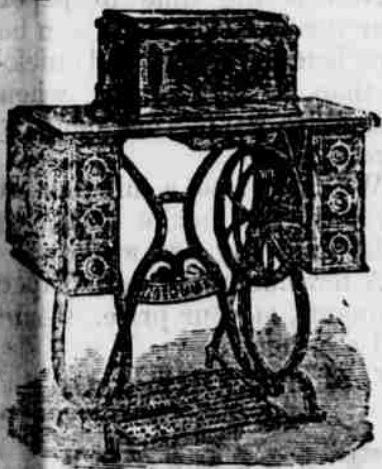
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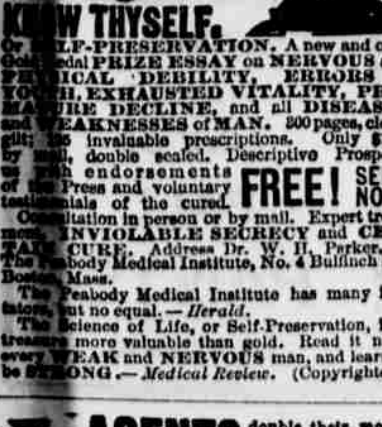
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## DEATH OF HON. JOHN JAY KNOX.

He was Comptroller of the Currency Under Grant.  
 NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—John Jay Knox, ex-comptroller of the currency of the United States and president of the National Bank of the Republic, died at his home, No. 19 East Forty-first street, yesterday afternoon of pneumonia.  
 Mr. Knox was a son of the late Gen. John Jay Knox. He was born at Knoxboro, Oneida County, on March 19, 1828. He was graduated at Hamilton College with the class of '49 and learned the rudiments of banking in the Bank of Vernon, N. Y., of which his father was president for more than twenty years.  
 In 1867 Mr. Knox was appointed deputy comptroller of the currency, and placed in charge of the mint coinage correspondence of the treasury department.  
 Mr. Knox was appointed comptroller of the currency by President Grant in 1872. He was again appointed, without his knowledge, previous to the expiration of his first term, and was confirmed by the Senate without reference to any committee. He was appointed to a third term on April 12, 1892, and resigned in 1894 to accept the presidency of the National Bank of the Republic in this city.

## BIG RAILROAD DEAL MADE.

The Reading Absorbs the Jersey Central and Lehigh Roads.  
 NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—The Jersey Central and Lehigh Valley railroads have passed under the control of the Reading. The Reading guarantees the payment of dividends up to seven per cent, on both Jersey Central and Lehigh stocks.  
 The dividends will be, it is said, on a sliding scale for several years. To secure this guarantee Reading puts in trust securities enough to cover the amount needed each year, which is about \$2,500,000.  
 Neither property has been leased to the Reading, because that is against the law.  
 The executive officers of the Jersey Central and Lehigh Valley are to have conspicuous recognition in the reorganization. This combination will control nearly fifty per cent. of the coal trade.  
 It is understood that the Pennsylvania Railroad has assented to the agreement and that the Vanderbilts have agreed to abandon the Southern Pennsylvania Railroad scheme.

## A RICH FIND.

Boys Discover \$37,000 in Stolen Securities Under a Barn.  
 ELMIRA, N. Y., Feb. 11.—Three little boys, aged about twelve years each, were searching for eggs under an old barn in Corning, and they found an old satchel. They opened it, and saw that it contained bundles of papers. They carried the papers and satchel to the office of Lawyer W. F. McNamara. They had found bonds and securities whose aggregate value is more than \$37,000. An examination of the papers showed that they had been stolen from the bank of Lattimore & Winton, in Addison, last Sunday night. On that night this bank was entered by burglars, and \$800 in gold and silver and bonds and securities, at that time reported to be worth \$15,000 or \$20,000, were taken.

## A JERSEY TOWN SHAKEN.

Earthquake Shock Makes Houses Tremble in Burlington.  
 TRENTON, N. J., Feb. 11.—A distinct shock of earthquake was felt in East Burlington to-night.  
 Houses shook and trembled as if about to fall, clocks were stopped and the people ran widely and excitedly into the streets.  
 The duration of the shock was about ten seconds.

## Bridge Jumper Stanley Dying.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, Feb. 15.—Meredith Stanley, the bridge jumper, leaped from the Suspension Bridge into the river at 11 o'clock yesterday morning, and sustained injuries which will probably prove fatal. In his descent he attempted to turn a somersault, but failed and struck the water sideways. A purse of \$25 was made up to induce Stanley and his wife to make the leap together, but she refused to do so on account of the purse being too small and the water too cold. Stanley then agreed to jump alone.

## Ward Waterbury's Abductors Indicted.

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., Feb. 10.—The Westchester county grand jury yesterday found indictments for kidnapping against Charles Waterbury and John McCann, for kidnapping a little eight-year-old Ward Waterbury a few days ago. Waterbury and McCann are locked up in the Fairfield county jail, Conn., and will be brought to White Plains for trial on a requisition.

## Behring Sea Board of Arbitration.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 11.—The State Department confirmed yesterday the London report that Great Britain and the United States had agreed to invite the Governments of France, Sweden and Italy to designate one Behring Sea arbitrator each. This tribunal will have seven members, two representing the United States and two Great Britain and three named by neutral governments.

## Assemblyman White Drowned.

MOORESTOWN, N. J., Feb. 10.—While suffering from an attack of grip Assemblyman A. Harry White escaped from his father's home at Pemberton this afternoon. He was found drowned a few minutes afterward in a small stream near by. He was twenty-four years old and had been conspicuous as a Democratic politician in Burlington county. He had been elected to the Assembly twice.

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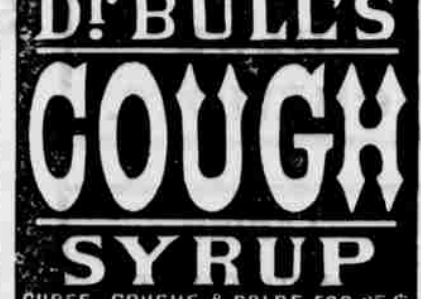


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 For W. Hill, Newport, 8:00 a. m., 3:15 p. m.  
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 For Catawissa 6:10, 8:00, 11:35 a. m., 12:15, 5:00, 6:30 p. m.  
 For Rupert 6:10, 8:00, 11:35 a. m., 12:15, 3:15, 5:00, 6:30 p. m.  
 Leave New York via Philadelphia 7:45 a. m., 4:00 p. m., and via Easton 8:45 a. m., 3:45 p. m.  
 Leave Philadelphia 10:00 a. m., 8:00 p. m.  
 Leave Reading 11:30 a. m., 7:30 p. m.  
 Leave Pottsville 12:30 p. m.  
 Leave Tammany 1:31 a. m., 8:35 p. m.  
 Leave Williamsport 9:48 a. m., 4:25 p. m.  
 Leave Catawissa 7:00, 8:20 a. m., 1:30, 3:19, 6:10, 11:10 p. m.  
 Leave Rupert 6:21, 7:08, 8:37, 11:39 a. m., 1:37, 3:27, 6:19, 11:39 p. m.  
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## FEARS OF THE COAL TRUST

Gov. Pattison May Get After the Monopolists,

AND, PERHAPS, BREAK THE TRUST.

His Attack on the Pool of 1886—Coal Speculators Uneasy—Wall Street Agitated—Will the Governor Take Another Decided Stand?

New York, Feb. 15.—The stupendous coal combine, engineered by the leading financial houses of New York and Philadelphia and the managers of the corporations engaged in the anthracite coal trade, is the most absorbing topic in Wall street to-day. Wall street has become nervous over the possibility that a vigorous stand may be taken by the State authorities of Pennsylvania against this gigantic monopoly. It is known that Gov. Pattison is no friend of monopolies, and in 1886, during his first term in office, he issued a strong presentment against several railroads and other corporations which had combined to control the anthracite coal trade, and which had at that time arbitrarily advanced the price of coal.

In his letter to the attorney-general of the State at that time Gov. Pattison said: "They can mark up coal prices to any figures they please, thereby subjecting the public to their mercy, in justly and unwarrantably taxing every fireside, and imposing upon coal consumers the financial burdens which the speculations of some of these companies have engendered."

"Against such combinations the individual is helpless. The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in creating corporations that are members of the anthracite coal combinations, vested them with the right of eminent domain and other franchises of a public nature. They owe certain duties to their creator. Their interference with the natural currents or conditions of trade has been in violation of what is believed to be sound public policy, and against the best interests of the State. It prejudices the public and oppresses individuals. It is a perversion of the purpose for which they were created."

It is believed that Gov. Pattison holds the same views to-day that he did when he made this telling arraignment in 1886. The only difference is that the situation is now much more alarming than it was then.

## LATTER DAY SAINTS MEET.

They Claim to Have 30,000 Members of the Church.

PLANO, Ill., Feb. 16.—The Conference of the Northern Division of the Latter Day Saints is in session in this city. Alexander S. Smith, a son of Joseph Smith, and a brother of the present recognized prophet, Joseph, the head of the church, is here, also Elder M. T. Short, who has just closed a series of meetings at Carthage, this State, where the original Joseph was murdered in 1844.

The numerical strength of the church is now 30,000. They boast of the fact that their greatest strength is in Iowa, with 5,000 members, where less illiteracy prevails than in any other State in the Union. Their next general conference will be held at Independence, Mo., where they were driven out and dispossessed of their property in 1838. Here they now have a membership of 800 and are finishing a \$40,000 edifice.

## THE FREE WOOL BILL.

The Articles which Mr. Springer would Exempt from Duty.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—The Springer Free Wool bill has been favorably reported to the House by the whole Committee on Ways and Means. It also reported a bill to place cotton bagging and cotton ties on the free list, and machinery used in the manufacture of cotton bagging.  
 The wool bill exempts from duty, after January 1, 1893, all wools, hair of the camel, goat, alpaca, and other like animals, and all wool or hair on the skin, all nolls, top waste, slubbing waste, roving waste, ring waste, yarn waste, card waste, bur waste, rags and flocks, including all waste, or rags composed wholly or in part of wool, and many reductions are made in other schedules of the McKinley bill.

## THE LOTTERY MAY GO TO MEXICO.

To Whirl the Gamblers' Wheel Within the Walls of Chapultepec.

NEW ORLEANS, La., Feb. 16.—A stockholder in the Louisiana Lottery Company is credited with the statement that the concern will move its business to Mexico at the expiration of its State charter in 1894. President Diaz is said to favor the scheme, the company to pay the Mexican Government the annual tribute of \$1,250,000 which was offered this State.

John A. Morris, the president of the company, and his associates have made heavy real estate investments in the City of Mexico, and their plans is said to include the purchase of the fortress of Chapultepec as the headquarters of their business.

## Theatrical Troupes Wrecked.

LARABEE, Mo., Feb. 16.—A special train bearing the "Cadi" company of New York and the Hyde variety troupe of Brooklyn was wrecked here on Sunday afternoon. The special train, going at a high rate of speed, crashed into a freight train which had been sidetracked to let the special pass. An open switch was the cause. Both engines were entirely demolished. Three train hands were killed, and several persons were injured. The theatrical people escaped unhurt. A special from Kansas City conveyed the wrecked companies to that city in time to fill their engagements.