RESERVE VERY LOW.

Our Gold Still Going Europeward.

HEAVIER EXPORTATIONS FEARED

No Remedy Yet, as the New Bond Issue Cannot Be Closed For 30 Days—The Reserve Now Down to $58,326,710. Likely to Go Much Lower.

WASHINGTON, Jan 8.—The treasury has lost $2 163,000 in gold bars, and $1,096,000 in gold coin, and received from the Mercantile National bank of New York $500,000 in exchange for currency, making the net loss for the day $2,759,000. This leaves the true amount of the reserve at the close of business $58,326,710. In financial circles here the fear is expressed that these heavy withdrawals are but the beginning of heavy exportations.

It is recalled that during last January the withdrawals amounted to about $33,000,000, of which $6,000,000 were withdrawn within two weeks, and over $7,000,000 in one day. The fact that 6 days must elapse before the new bond issue can be closed, and the contracts awarded seems to add to the anxiety heretofore felt, and in some quarters the opinion is expressed that before the 1st of February arrives the gold reserve will have been reduced considerably below any point it has reached hitherto.

A New York special says: Considerable indecision has been manifested by some of the gold shipping houses, and additional orders have been given. The actual amount to be shipped today is $2,725,000, and this total is below previous estimates. It is currently believed that the exports for the week will exceed $5,000,000.

A SPEECH BY VEST.

He Attacks the President and Secretary Carlisle—Other Senate Session Features.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—The senate has been treated to one of Senator Vest's characteristic speeches. He arraigned the supreme court for the income tax decision; he laid the responsibility for the lack of revenue at their door when they exempted the "sordid wealth of the land" from taxation; he contrasted the records of the present and past administrations; he threw some light upon heretofore unknown chapters in the history of the McKinley law; he denounced the financial dependence of this country, and of others upon the moneyed influence; he attacked the president and the secretary of the treasury for their proposition to retire the greenbacks and place the circulation in the hands of the national banks; quoted Secretary Carlisle against him self and, in conclusion, declared that the conflict between bimetallism and the gold standard was irrepressible and that the sooner it was decided the better it would be for our public and private life.

The other feature of the session grew out of the introduction by Mr. Chandler of a bill for a popular loan through the issue of postal savings certificates. In the course of Mr. Chandler's remarks the cable replies of the Prince of Wales, the Rothschilds and others to New York World were alluded to, and Mr. Lodge claimed that the editor of The World had been guilty of violating section 5,335 of the revised statutes (providing communication with officials of another government, the purpose of which is to influence them with a measure of the United States." Mr. Gray of Delaware rebuked both Mr. Lodge and Mr. Chandler for the suggestion that public opinion could not be solicited either here or abroad on any question, and affirmed that a just public opinion in all civilized centers must be the final arbitrator of all disputes.

Judge Miller After College Hazers.

MERCER, Pa., Jan. 8.—The district attorney has made a motion that a nolle prosse be allowed in the cases of Biggs, Howell and Flower, the Westminster students charged with assault, growing out of the hazing of Student Mahon. Judge Miller refused to entertain the motion until the students charged with the offense were in court. He said: "I will show those students down there at New Wilmington that there is a God in Israel, even if the faculty can't." It is probable that the motion will be granted, but the judge evidently wants to give the boys a lecture before doing it.

A Fire at Monongahela.

MONONGAHELA, Pa., Jan. 8.—The Conlins brickyard, located at this place, has been totally consumed by fire, including the dry sheds and machinery. The fire department was unable to reach it. The wind was blowing very strong and spread the flames to the pot house of the O'Leary factory, it being partly consumed. The total loss is $3,000, with no insurance.

Painters' and Decorators' Convention.

READING, Pa., Jan. 8.—The ninth annual convention of the Master House painters' and Decorators' association of Pennsylvania is in session here, with Titus Berger, president, of Pittsburg in the chair. The delegates were welcomed by Mayor Shanaman, and President Berger responded. Committees were appointed and reports submitted showing a rapid advance in the craft.

Found Dead and Robbed.

CLEVELAND, Jan. 8.—Albert Wolf a wealthy former of West Dover, has been found dead under the Nickel Plate railroad trestle, two miles west of Rocky river. A bloody coat was discovered a mile away and foot prints in the snow leading to it from the trestle. Wolf had had a large roll of money with him, but on his dead body only 66 cents was found.

Scared by a Pet Bear.

LOUISVILLE, Jan 8.—The people of St Matthews, a suburb, have been alarmed for the past two days by the ravages of a pet bear which escaped from its owner in Louisville two or three days ago. The bear has been attacked by dogs and in every instance retaliated generally killing his assailants. He has also waged a warfare on pigs.

Spaniards Tried to Swindle Him.

KANSAS CITY, Jan 8.—George Leas, formerly the proprietor of a boiler works in Kansas City, but now traveling for the Crescent steel works of Bradford, Pa., with headquarters at Chicago, was one of the intended victims of a gigantic swindle which has been unearthed by the authorities of Valencia, Spain.

English Paper Justifies Our Stand.

LONDON, Jan. 8.—An editorial in The Chronicle justifies America's aspiration to dominate the jurisdiction of international law on the American continent as England, in her time, dominated Europe. It says that it must be recognized that America never acquired an inch of civilized territory without the consent of its owner.

Clarke a Gubernatorial Candidate.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Jan. 8.—Congressman H. H. Clarke of the First Alabama district, has formally announced himself a candidate for the Democratic gubernatorial nomination on a sound money platform. His opponent will be Captain Joseph F. Gray, the candidate of the silver democrats made in [illegible]

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HAVANA HAS NOT FALLEN.

The Country Outside the City Abandoned to the Insurgents.

HAVANA, Jan. 8.—The insurgents are still in the vicinity of Havana, but their movements are not of sufficient importance to chronicle in detail. The number of insurgents at Managua and Calabazar, 14 miles from this city, has been increased, but it is now believed that Havana itself will not be attacked for some time to come. The statement that Havana had fallen was false. Campos' resignation is also denied.

The influx of refugees from the whole of the territory surrounding Havana continues, and apparently it is not possible to obtain sufficient means of transportation to accommodate the fleeing families and their household goods. The country seems to be entirely abandoned to the insurgent army, and no movement apparently avails to check them.

A Washington special says: At the state department it is said that no information has been received concerning the reported critical condition of affairs at Havana. As the navy department has no ships in Cuban waters, no information comes from that source. The intelligence from Cuba is of such an alarming character that some surprise is expressed, even by officials, that no word comes to the government as to the situation.

WANDERING IN LONDON.

An American Woman, Deranged and Friendless, Yet With $11,000.

LONDON, Jan. 8.—Your representative has called at the St. George's workhouse to inquire into the strange story of Mrs. Cornelia Seibels of Brookhaven, Miss., who was found wandering in the streets of London, having apparently completely lost her memory. Mrs. Seibels is about 84 years of age, evidently a lady by birth and had over $15,000 in her possession when taken to the workhouse.

When seen Mrs. Seibels was dressed in an ordinary workhouse blouse, and she was able to talk connectedly on every subject except that of the fortune, said to be $50,000,000 which she was on the way to Germany to collect as her share of the great Seibels estate. She also has a claim to the Temple estate in England. Mrs. Seibels is, she says, a cousin of the late Justice Lamar of the United States supreme court, and she has in her possession letters of introduction from Governor Stone and ex-Governor Lowry, both of Mississippi.

FOUR PEOPLE INJURED.

An Electric Car Runs Into a Carriage at St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 8.—An electric car on the Lindell railway has run into a carriage at Twenty-seventh street and Washington avenue, and severely injured four of its five occupants. The carriage was turned over and it and the horses and those inside were dragged more than half a block before the car could be stopped. The injured are:

Mrs. Daniel Bergan, head badly cut and back severely bruised, may die; Miss Mollie Williams, badly cut; John Egan, one leg broken and other bruised; John Egan, Jr., a boy, shoulder dislocated and other injuries, serious, and John Williams, only slightly hurt.

Building and Loan Man Arrested.

CINCINNATI, Jan. 8.—Edgar J. Shaw, president and manager of the Architects' and Builders' Loan association, has been bound over in $5,000 by United States Commissioner Hopper, in default of which Shaw went to jail. Shaw has been doing a big business, and advertised $100,000 capital stock. It developed that he had no capital stock and the directory was merely nominal. Many complaints were received of no returns. Shaw used the mails for advertising and was arrested for using the mails for fraudulent purposes.

Blown Up or Foundered.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 8.—The well-known British tank steamer Wild Flower, Captain Stonewall, which sailed from Philadelphia Dec. 11 for Rouen, France, with 1,173,626 gallons of crude oil in bulk, valued at $50,653, and manned by a crew of 30 men, all told, is believed to have blown up or foundered at sea and all hands perished, no tidings having been received from the ship since she left the Delaware breakwater that day.

Mrs. Davidson Admits Her Identity.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 8.—At the resumption of the preliminary examination of Mrs. Mary A. Davidson, charged with extorting $500 from Rev. Dr. C. O. Brown, in the police court, Mrs. Davidson gave the story of her life, which was identically the same as that told in these dispatches in interviews with Boston detectives, with the exception of her term in prison and other criminal features.

The Indiana on Her Maiden Trip.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 8.—The new United States battleship Indiana was sailed from the League Island navy yard on her maiden voyage. She goes first to Newport for her torpedoes and guncotton and will then formally join Admiral Bunce's fleet at Hampton Roads. Then she will go to Port Royal, S. C., where she will be placed in the big government drydock.

Killed His Guilty Wife.

SPOKANE, Wash., Jan. 8.—Frank Denison of Rockford unexpectedly returned home and found his wife in the company of Patrick Hickey. The enraged husband ran into another room for his shotgun. Hickey escaped. Mrs. Denison was about to follow and had reached the door when she received the contents of both barrels, killing her almost instantly.

To Colonize Armenians.

SANTA FE, Jan. 8.—Amado Chaves, territorial superintendent of public instruction, addressed a letter to Edward F. Cragin, chairman of the Chicago executive committee to aid the Armenians, thanking him for his suggestion of colonizing these people in New Mexico and offering to supply the necessary land free of cost.

Kentucky Legislature Organizes.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Jan. 8.—Both houses of the general assembly have been organized, the Republicans electing a full line of officers in the house and the Democrats doing likewise in the senate. Charles Blanford of Breckinridge was elected speaker of the house. The Populists voted with the Republicans.

Fears For a Kansas Village.

WICHITA, Kan., Jan. 8.—The prairie fires which lit up the sky west of here have been located in Pratt county, and fears are entertained that the village of Iuka is within the district. It is still impossible to get definite details from the scene, however.

Boiled to Death In Glue.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 8.—Boiled to death in a vat of seething glue, was the terrible fate which overtook George Weilan, 49 years old, of 1917 Elizabeth street, at the glue works of Delaney & Co., Tucker and Bermuda streets, Frankford.

To Reduce the Number of Saloons.

NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—The excise board has increased the fee for hotel saloon and storekeepers' licenses about one-half per cent. This was done because the board believes there are too many saloons in the city.

A Hebrew Philanthropist Dead.

LONDON, Jan. 8.—President Julian Golsmidt, the well-known Hebrew philanthropist who has been ill for some time past, is dead.

Stonecutters on a Strike.

CHICAGO, Jan. 8.—Eight hundred stonecutters have been ordered to throw down their tools and are out on strike.

GOADED BY GERMANY.

England Likely to Declare War Against Her Neighbor.

THE YOUNG EMPEROR IS DEFIANT.

He Declares His Purpose to Refuse to Recognize Great Britain's Suzerainty Over the Transvaal Republic, Abrogating the 1884 Treaty.

BERLIN, Jan. 8.—At a special audience which Dr. W. J. Leyds, the secretary of state of the Transvaal, had with Emperor William, his majesty declared that he would not recognize any claim of suzerainty over the Transvaal. Great Britain, by the treaty of 1884, claims suzerainty over the Transvaal republic.

A London special says: The Globe prints some sensational news under the following scare head lines:

"Activity In the War Office."

"Anticipated Military Measures."

The Globe then states that the war office has sent a special military messenger to the colonial office and that is rumored important orders are impending.

A dispatch received here from the insurgents at Aldershot says that the general belief, almost backed by proof, prevails there that the authorities are considering the mobilizing of the army reserves and part of the militia. The men employed in the ordnance stores are all very busy.

There is scarcely any doubt but that, after due investigation and deliberation, England will declare war against Germany for the emperor's refusal to further recognize the suzerainty of Great Britain over the Transvaal republic, this right being accorded by treaty. The action of Emperor William in telegraphing congratulations to President Kruger for his victory over Jameson's force was a serious breach of diplomatic usage.

Popular feeling in favor of Dr. Jameson is running very high in London.

The Times, for example, says: "The march will remain a glorious tradition for the Anglo-Saxon race."

A dispatch received by the colonial secretary, Mr. Chamberlain, from Sir Hercules Robinson, says that the arms and ammunition of the Britis Chhartered company's forces at Buluwayo have been placed in the custody of the representative of the queen of Great Britain.

The feeling here against Emperor William and Germany on account of the former's dispatch of congratulation to President Kruger, apparently ignoring British suzerainty over the Transvaal republic, continues among all classes of people, and the war sentiment against Germany rises as the time passes. Lady Warwick has written a letter to The Times on the subject. It is understood the arsenals and dockyards are being overhauled.

Emperor William is a member of several exclusive English clubs, including the Royal Yacht Squadron, and some of them the demand for his expulsion is already very loud.

Letters have also been published in the newspapers demanding that he resign his colonelcy in the Royal dragoons. There is no truth in the story that the British government was hurriedly drawing troops to Egypt from neighboring British colonies instead of from so distant a country as India.

Anti-Trust Law Bobs Up.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—Another brief session of the house was held, at which the only important business transacted was the admission of the new member from the new state of Utah, Mr. Allen, and the adoption of resolutions calling upon the attorney general for information concerning the enforcement of the anti-trust law and for the recommendations of new legislation on the subject, and on the secretary of the treasury for statistics concerning the seal fisheries of the Baring sea.

The Tariff Bill In Caucus.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—The Republican senatorial caucus on the house tariff bill has accomplished nothing. The prevailing sentiment appeared to be against all amendments and the tendency favorable to reporting the bill as it came from the house. Several senators expressed doubts as to the wisdom of the bill in any shape, and there was an evident disposition to regard the bill as purely an emergency measure.

Plunged His Hand In Molten Metal.

PHILLIPSBURG, Pa., Jan. 8.—William H Faust, employed at the Andover furnace, has met a terrible experience. He was engaged scraping dollers from a pit of molten iron, when he slipped and fell, plunging his left hand deep into the hot metal. The hand and forearm were terribly burned. It is feared that it will be necessary to amputate the hand.

Four Alleged Oleo Dealers Arrested.

HARRISBURG, Jan. 8.—Dairy and Food Commissioner Wells is after the Harrisburg oleomargarine sellers. Thomas Likens, M. Aronson, John Behring and Martin McTiernan were arrested at the instance of C. E. Johnson, an agent for Commissioner Wells, and held in $300 bail for a hearing.

Another Strike Expected In Philadelphia

PHILADELPHIA, Jan 8.—The street railway situation has again assumed a serious phase, and it is possible that another strike will be the outcome in the near future if the Union Traction company and its employes do not come to an understanding.

Met a Shocking Death.

MAHANOY CITY, Pa., Jan. 8.—Mrs. Michael Ryan, aged 30 years, a resident of Buck Mountain, fell across a redhot stove in her home. She was unable to rise and was so badly burned that she died several hours afterward.

Prospective Bride Wants Damages.

READING, Pa., Jan 8.—Miss Mary N. Smith of Philadelphia has employed counsel to bring suit for damages against Jesse Davies of this city, for refusing to keep his promise to marry her.

An Ex-Mayor Suicides.

AKRON, O., Jan. 8.—J. F. Scott, ex-mayor of this city, has committed suicide by hanging himself in his bedroom. He had been suffering from grip for nearly a year and lately had an attack of nervous prostration. He had made several previous attempts to take his life. The deceased was a prominent Odd Fellow.

PITH OF THE NEWS.

Two children of Abraham Leonard were burned to death six miles south of Dallas, Tex.

A Trenton (N. J.) hotel keeper while fit was attacked with a violent fit of hiccoughs from which he died.

Joseph Perkins of Hussiaville, Ind., a maniac, killed an officer and wounded several persons with an ax while being arrested.

The Nevada bank of San Francisco was robbed of $2,000 by a raised check said to have been passed on it by a customer named A. H. Holmes.

Warden John J. Fallon of the Tombs prison, New York city, has been suspended on charges of cruelty and conduct prejudicial to good order.

The Swedish Republicans of Kansas have decided to place one of their number in the field as a candidate for delegate-at-large to the national convention.

At Wapakoneta, O., the residence of Mrs. Lillian McFarland was destroyed by fire. Ruth, a 6-year-old child, received internal injuries which will probably prove fatal.

A suit for $8,250,000 has been begun in New York against the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe road for alleged conspiracy to wreck the Prescott and Arizona railroad company.

THE CUBAN LEADERS ALERT.

In Washington Trying to Secure Recognition For the Insurgents.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—It is learned that the chief purpose of the leaders of the Cuban revolutionary party in the United States in coming to Washington was to push vigorously the movement to secure recognition of the revolutionists by this government. They made to Secretary Olney a brief but forcible presentation of the claims of the insurgents to recognition. In addition, they presented to the secretary a great number of documents bearing upon the origin, abuses, conditions and present status of the Cuban uprising collected from official archives and unofficial sources.

Recently the house adopted a resolution upon the recommendation of the committee on foreign affairs calling upon the state department for all information in its possession concerning the revolution. President Palma and his associates at once began the compilation of evidence in justification of their cause and are determined that congress shall not want for information.

There is a strong sentiment in the house which has been advanced by the recent successes of the Cubans that this government should do all in its power consistent with international usages to assist the patriots. Mr. Sulzer and several other members are endeavoring to assist the cause in congress.

President Palma predicts that the insurgents will capture Havana within three months, and that a Cuban republic will be established in six months if it has the recognition of the United States.

EACH COUNTRY MUST YIELD.

Sir Edward Clarke Says This, and Favors a Mutual Mediator.

LONDON, Jan. 8.—The Times this morning publishes four columns, explaining the historical origin of the Monroe doctrine.

Sir Edward Clarke, speaking at Plymouth, in referring to Venezuela, said: "We must not be too impatient or angry with the Monroe doctrine. If we refuse to arbitrate except outside the Schomburck line we should have war with the United States and a war in which we should not be right. Each side must yield to some extent. We must ignore the American commissioner's, but to say that a line fixed in 1840 was unalterable was to adopt as unreasonable an attitude, as the United States adopted in President Cleveland's message."

He hoped, he said, that the government would resume negotiations with Venezuela direct, and that some mediator would be found whose judgment could be accepted with honor by both countries.

A Pennsylvanian's Confession.

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 8.—At a prayer meeting at South Pasadena Charles Crawford arose under deep excitement and announced that he was Albert Deffendorfer, son of a wealthy merchant of Huntington, Pa., and a fugitive from justice, under sentence for burglary and larceny in Pennsylvania. He later came to this city and gave himself up to the sheriff.

Felton May Be President.

ATLANTA, Jan. 8.—A rumor is current in railroad circles here, apparently with a strong basis of fact, that Mr. Samuel Merse Felton, receiver of the Cincinnati, New Orleans and Texas Pacific railroad, is to be chosen president of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad company.

Knocks Out Damage Suits.

BUTTE, Mon., Jan. 8.—An important ruling by Judge McHatton virtually knocks out a score or more of suits for damages for death and injuries at the great explosion a year ago, when 58 were killed and hundreds wounded.

Tried to Rob Pauncefote.

WASHINGTON, Jan 8.—Two men, giving their names as Henry Phelps of Chicago and George Williams of Brooklyn have been arrested while attempting to enter the residence of the British ambassador.

Compelled to Sign Express Checks

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 8.—A. H. Brownley of London, Canada, was held up on the beach at Santa Monica, and at the point of a pistol forced to sign ten American Express company checks of $50 each.

Willing to Invest a Million.

MINNEAPOLIS, Jan. 8.—Inquiry among the Minneapolis banks develops a disposition to buy $1,000,000 worth of the bonds if the premium is not pushed too high.

Paid Well For His Divorce.

COLUMBUS, Jan. 8.—W. C. Brown has been granted a divorce from his wife, who was given $12,000 alimony. He is a wholesale druggist.

A United States Consul Dead.

VIENNA, Jan. 8.—Dean B. Mason, vice consul general of the United States here, is dead.

THE MARKETS.

PITTSBURG, Jan. 7.

WHEAT—No. 1 red, 68@69c; No. 2 red, 67@68c.

CORN—New No. 2 yellow ear, 35½@36c; new No. 2 shelled, 32½@33c; high mixed shelled, 31@31½c; mixed ear, 33@34c.

OATS—No. 1 white, 23½@24c; No. 2 do, 22½@23c; extra No. 3 white, 23½@22½c; light mixed, 21@21½c.

HAY—No. 1 timothy, $16.50@17.00; No. 2 timothy, $15.50@16.00, mixed clover, $14.75@15.00; packing, $12.00@12.50; No. 1 feeding prairie, $12.00@12.50; wagon hay, $18.00@19.00 for timothy.

BUTTER—Elgin creamery, 26@27c; Ohio fancy creamery, 24@25c; fancy country roll, 15@17c; low grade and cooking, 5@7c.

CHEESE—Fancy New York, September make, full cream, large size, 10½@11c; New York flats, 11½@12c; fancy Ohio, September make, 9½@10c; Wisconsin Swiss, tubs, 12½@13c; limburger, 11@11½c; Ohio Swiss in tubs, 11½@12c; Swiss, in square blocks, 13@13½c.

EGGS—Strictly fresh Pennsylvania and Ohio, in cases, 23@24c; cold storage, 18@19c.

POULTRY—Large live chickens, 65@75c per pair; live chickens, small, 40@50c; spring chickens, 45@50c, as to size; dressed chickens, 12@13c per pound; live ducks, 75@80c per pair; live turkeys, 10@11c per pound; dressed, 14@14c; live geese, $1.00@1.25 per pair.

GAME—Rabbits, 20@25c per pair; quail, $1.75@2.00 per dozen; pheasants, $5.50@6.00 per dozen; squirrels, 50@75c per dozen; grouse, $5.00@7.00 per dozen; venison, whole, 12@13c; saddles, 17@18c.

PITTSBURG, Jan 7.

CATTLE—Receipts, about 70 cars on sale; this week the attendance of buyers was large, weather cool, demand steady; market fair; prices a shade higher on all grades. We quote: Prime, $4.25@4.50, good, $4.00@4.30, good butchers, $3.85@4.00; rough fat, $3.00@3.60; bulls, cows and stags, $1.50@3.00; fresh cows and springers, $15.00@40.00; feeders, $3.25@3.80.

HOGS—Receipts light; demand light, prospects lower; few sales at opening at yesterday's prices; very few good hogs here; medium weight selling best. Philadelphias, $4.25@4.30; Yorkers and pigs, $4.15@4.25; heavy hogs, $4.00@4.15; roughs, $2.75@3.50.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Supply liberal; 12 loads on sale; market dull. We quote prices as follows: Extra sheep, $3.50@3.65; good, $3.15@3.40; fair, $2.25@2.90; culls and common, $1.00@1.50. Lambs slow at $3.00@5.15. Veal calves, $7.00@7.50; heavy and thin calves, $3.00@5.00.

CINCINNATI, Jan. 7.

HOGS—Market steady at $3.30@3.85. Receipts, 4,100 head; shipments, 2,100 head.

CATTLE—Market quiet at $2.50@4.50. Receipts, none; shipments, none.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Market for sheep strong at $1.25@3.75. Receipts, none; shipments, none. Lambs, market firm at $3.00@4.75.

NEW YORK, Jan 7.

WHEAT—Spot market strong; No. 1 hard, 70½c.

CORN—Spot market dull; No 2, 35½c.

OATS—No quotations.

CATTLE—European cables quote American steers at 10@10½c per pound, dressed weight; refrigerator beef at 7@8½c.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Market active and ½@¾c higher. Sheep, poor to prime, $2.75@4.00. Lambs, common to choice, $4.00@5.75.

HOGS—Market steady at $3.90@4.30.

LIKE GOTHAM'S EXPOSE

Police Rottenness Developed In Philadelphia.

OFFICERS RAN IMMORAL HOUSES.

Interfered In Elections and Fired Men Under Them Who Did Not Vote as Dictated—A Lively Session of the Senate Lexow Committee.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 8.—More testimony of a decidedly sensational character, directed against the police in Mayor Warwick's ward, the Fifteenth, has been given before the senate Lexow committee. A number of policemen and ex-policemen were examined, the latter having all been discharged since last August's delegate election, when the administration opposed Senator Quay's election as state chairman. The witnesses not only told of the active participation of the police of the ward in politics, but charged that Sergeants Green and McManus were partners during the latter part of 1892 in maintaining a house of ill-fame on Green street.

Ex-Policeman James W Naylor gave this information, and said he was also a partner. He said the place broke up in about three months, and he and the sergeants were compelled by the woman who conducted the place, Molly Blanchard, to pay her money under threats of arrest. Charges were also made against House Sergeant William Francis, son of Lieutenant Francis, of intoxication while on duty and bringing liquor into the station house. The testimony against the lieutenant was in the main bearing on his activity in the recent election, when he is alleged to have made an active personal canvass for the administration and to have ordered the men under him to support the same. Many of those who did not were discharged for most trivial reasons.

It is being claimed by friends of the committee that attempts are being made to intimidate certain witnesses who are expected to testify.

Lawyer Pettit was in court and had the notorious Julia Crowe case postponed for one week. She is under indictment for keeping a disorderly house and will give sensational evidence before the committee in relation to the Second district. She claims she is now being intimidated by the police. Lawyer Pettit also endeavored to have ex-Policeman John Davis discharged from custody. Davis was recently charged with having sworn falsely before the committee as to his being appointed without passing the civil service examination. Davis was held in $1,500 bail for court.

Family Snowbound and Starving.

ATCHISON, Kan., Jan. 8.—A letter has been received in Atchison saying that the family of Frank McCain, formerly a merchant here, is snowbound and starving in the mountains 17 miles from Winthrop, Wash. The letter was written by the oldest son, who, by great effort, got through the snow to Winthrop. McCain had become insane.

An Important Indian Decision.

OMAHA, Jan. 8.—Judge Shiras of Iowa, in federal court at Omaha, has rendered a decision declaring that in cases where Indians have become citizens, with all the accompanying privileges, the government is still bound by all treaty stipulations existing while tribal relations were sustained.

Three Tramps Killed.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 8.—A freight on the Louisville and Nashville road has plunged through an open draw on the bridge spanning the Rigolets. The engineer and fireman escaped by jumping and swimming to the lighthouse. Three white tramps were killed. A brakeman was also hurt.

Fusion In Louisiana.

ALEXANDRIA, La., Jan. 8.—The Populists are arriving for their convention today, which, it is understood, will endorse the Republican nominees for governor, secretary of state and attorney general, completing the ticket with nominees of their own selection.

Major Post Dead.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—Major James Clarence Post, who was detailed to succeed the late General Poe, corps of engineers in the important government public works on the great lakes, has died at the home of his father-in-law in New York city.

Diaz Out For Re-Election.

CITY OF MEXICO, Jan. 8.—The movement for the renomination of President Diaz for a term of four years, beginning the first of next December, is growing strong, and clubs and newspapers favoring his re-election are being founded all over the republic.

Two Buildings Collapsed.

WINTERSET, Ia., Jan. 8.—A large two-story stone building, occupied by C. D. Berington & Co., hardware dealers, has collapsed, carrying down with it an adjoining building, occupied by the Smith Drug company. Several were injured.

Baltimoreans Want Bonds.

BALTIMORE, Jan. 8.—The local demand for the new issue of government bonds is growing rapidly and it now seems probable that $4,000,000 of $5,000,000 will be taken here.

An Old Sport Dead.

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 8.—Charles C. Basset, known to the sporting fraternity all over the country, a prominent figure in the frontier days of Kansas, is dead at Hot Springs, Ark.

To Make an Exhibit at Kiel.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—The international exhibition for navigation and fisheries to be held at Kiel from May 13 to Sept. 30, 1893, to Sept. 30, 1896, under the auspices of the German government, is beginning to attract attention in Washington. Within a few days an estimate for $30,000 will be submitted to congress for exhibits.

The Fleet Big Enough.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—The continued reports of the assembling of a large United States fleet in Turkish waters is irritating to the navy department. It is pointed out that the fleet already there is ample to give any moral effect to such urgent demands on Turkey as this government might determine upon.

No Alarm Over the Baltimore.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—No alarm is felt at the navy department over the U. S. S. Baltimore, reported at San Francisco to be overdue. She was under sailing orders to stop at Yokohama, and she had laid up there a week for any cause would not yet be due.

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WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—Secretary of State Olney and Mrs. Olney gave a dinner to the president and cabinet last night at their elegant home on Seventeenth street.

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