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TELEGRAPHIC CONDENSATIONS.

The News of the Week Briefly Told for Busy People.

Governor Hill has vetoed a bill entitled "an act to secure more fully the independence of electors and the secrecy of the ballot," which was passed by the last New York legislature, on the ground of unconstitutionality. He has signed the bill regulating elevator charges.

George G. Van Dusen, a prominent druggist, was found dead in Kingston, N. Y. His death resulted from heart disease.

A heavy thunder storm did considerable damage in Oswego county, N. Y. Two barns and two houses were struck by lightning and burned, causing a loss of several thousand dollars. In the eastern part of the county trees and fences were blown down and much damage done to buildings.

The Democrats in congress are now trying to devise a way to hasten action on the Mills bill. It has been decided in caucus to let the five minute debate run on for a while longer. Mr. Depew denies the St. Louis Globe-Democrat letter, don't believe it was written to begin with, and, if it was, it is unwarranted and untrue.

A meeting of American sympathizers with Irish patriots was held in Philadelphia, and a telegram was sent to Farnell, stating that \$5,300 had been raised and will be forwarded at once.

Ex-Sheriff B. F. Van Camp, of Carlton, Orleans county, N. Y., executor for several states, has disappeared with almost \$25,000 of other people's money.

Thomas Dolan is dying of smallpox at Newburg. He had been all over the city while the disease was in its incipient stage, and there is a great scare in consequence.

Col. Abner Taylor has been nominated for congress by the Republicans in the First district of Chicago.

Three men have been arrested at Cynthia, Ky., on suspicion of being the parties who attempted to rob the "big four" train near Cincinnati.

Forty thousand Knights of Pythias participated in the parade at Cincinnati preceding the annual convention.

Henry Munschelner, of Detroit, wanted to sell the store which was his namesake. He refused, so he murdered her and committed suicide, and thus the matter was settled.

John D. Hughes and Thomas Clark, of Pittsburg, are going to Ireland to stump the country with Michael Davitt to organize K. of L. assemblies.

The change from three to two turns a day in the mills operating under the Clapp-Griffith process of manufacturing steel will throw many workmen out of employment.

The International Typographical union is holding its annual session at Kansas City.

Albert Wettie, a shoemaker, has been arrested at Cananitsehban, Saxony, for the murder of a banker in Watertown, N. Y., in 1886, and robbing the bank of \$15,000.

Lord Stanley was sworn in as governor general of Canada. There was no demonstration.

Aerrick used in the construction of the soldiers' monument at Milford, Conn., fell, killing the foreman, R. McClintock, of Roxbury, Vt., and probably fatally injuring R. C. Bennett, of Newark, N. J., a workman.

Another Victim of Carelessness. AUBURN, N. Y., June 12.—A special to The Dispatch from Locke says: Minnie Mosher, aged 16 years, was accidentally shot in the neck and instantly killed by her 13-year-old brother. The boy was playing with a gun, which he did not know was loaded.

TRADE BULLETIN. New York Money and Produce Market. New York, June 12.—Money closed at the highest rate of the day, 3 per cent.; the lowest was 1. Exchange closed firm; posted rates, 1.50; actual rates, 4.95; 4.87 for 60 days and 4.95 for 90 days. Government bonds closed steady; currency 96, 119 bid; 48 coup. 127 1/4 bid; 494, do., 107 bid.

General Markets. New York, June 12.—FLOUR—Closed weak; winter wheat extra, \$2.95; Minnesota do., \$2.90; St. Louis extra, \$2.90; Southern flour dull; common to choice extra, \$3.40; 40c.

A Tenement Death Trap

Fire in New York Causes Terrible Loss of Life.

SIX PEOPLE PROBABLY DEAD.

Fire Escapes Worse Than Useless—Brave Work by Firemen, Who Rescue Most of the Inmates—Terrible Fate of Little Children—Many Badly Burned.

NEW YORK, June 13.—Fire broke out somewhere under the narrow stairway of the big four story tenement at 43 Second street this morning, on the southeast corner of Second avenue. An officer saw smoke coming out of the basement, and he and another officer went through the building to awaken the tenants. The alarm was sent out, but before the firemen arrived the flames were bursting out of the roof. They spread with so fearful rapidity that the whole building was a mass of flames five minutes later, and a number of the tenants were cut off from all escape, and were burned to death. A third alarm was struck, and the firemen who responded made a gallant battle to save lives.

There were iron fire escapes on the house, but the flames ate away the staircases as if they had been built of paper, and burst in roaring sheets through the windows that opened upon the fire escapes, and made them worse than useless.

Capt. Kruger and his lieutenant, Bradley, got up the life ladder in a twinkling and dashed up amid the smoke and flames to rescue the frightened and half-dressed tenants who had run to the roof. Fireman Wallace spread the life net, and without a moment's hesitation Mrs. Julia Koenig, who had got to the window near the corner of the third story, climbed to the sill and sprang into a scream to this net. She landed safely. Her face was scorched.

By this time a dozen firemen, with hose playing upon them, were breaking the windows on Second avenue, and climbed into the smoke filled interior to search for the tenants. They carried those they found out to the windows, and other waiting firemen bore them down the ladders to the street.

Mrs. Julia Clement and her husband were seized in firemen's arms and carried down the life ladder to the street. The flames had burned the woman's face and arms terribly, and had scorched the flesh from Clement's chin.

A family of five named Wischlerki were imprisoned by the flames on the third floor. The firemen got the husband and wife out unscathed, and then dashed in through the flames to save the little children, who were asleep in their bedrooms. They were a boy of 9 and two girls aged respectively 7 and 4. All three children were unconscious when found, and the surgeons of the four ambulances, which the elder Capt. McCullagh had telegraphed for the instant he got to the little one out the boy. The little girl died shortly afterward.

Gustave Burdy, the janitor of the building, lived on the top floor, near the scuttle, but before he could get to the roof he was so badly burned that he fell unconscious on the ladder leading to the roof. The foreman of the life ladders bore him to the street. Capt. McCullagh tried to find out for the firemen how many others were in the building, but couldn't do it with any definiteness, owing to the panic stricken condition of everybody who had been rescued from the building. He was told that there were nine families in all in the building, and that there were children in the house who had not been found or accounted for.

It is authoritatively stated that at least six people probably perished in the flames.

SHERIDAN'S MOTHER DEAD. The General Resting Easy—Neither Knew of the Other's Illness. ZANESVILLE, O., June 13.—Mrs. Mary Sheridan, mother of Gen. Philip H. Sheridan, died at her home in Somerset yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Sheridan's death was due to such extreme old age as to a slight cold contracted last week. She had been bedridden for only one week, and yesterday morning it was thought she was decidedly better, until towards noon, when a change for the worse set in. She remained all her faculties, except that of speech, to the last.

Mrs. Sheridan was born in Ireland in 1801, her maiden name being Mary Moimah. She was married to John Sheridan at an early age and came with him and their one child to the United States in 1820. After two years' residence in Albany, N. Y., they came to Somerset, where Mrs. Sheridan's home has been ever since. Her husband died in February, 1875; Patrick, the oldest son, in 1840, and Mary, the only daughter, in 1867 or 1868. But three of the family are now alive—Gen. Sheridan, Col. Michael D. Sheridan, aide on the general's staff, and Col. John L. Sheridan, of Indian Territory, who was with his mother at her death.

Mrs. Sheridan's funeral will take place at Somerset. She was never informed of her son's critical illness, and her illness has been just as seriously concealed from the general. Col. Michael Sheridan has telegraphed that it will be impossible for him to attend the funeral on account of the general's grave condition.

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Our reputation in Centre County for selling only the best grade of clothing is an established fact. We never handle imitations or shoddy and our customers know what they buy. Have new stock and all the late styles in Clothing.

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NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS—THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE LEWISBURG, CENTRE AND SPRUCE CREEK R. R. CO. WILL BE HELD AT THE OFFICE OF THE CO., No. 231 South Fourth street, Philadelphia, Pa., on Tuesday, June 12th, 1888, at 12 o'clock, a. m. Election for president and directors same day and place.

ORPHANS' COURT SALE

Pursuant to an order of the Orphans' Court of Centre County, there will be exposed to public sale, at the Court House, in Bellefonte, Pa., SATURDAY, JUNE 16 at 1 o'clock, P. M., the following described REAL ESTATE

the property of the late John Bertges, deceased, Gregg township, said county, viz: All that certain tract of land situated in the township of Gregg, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a post, thence south 3 3/4 deg. east 47 1/2 per; thence south 85 deg. east 7 per; thence south 27 deg. east 5 1/2 per; thence south 85 deg. east 1 per; thence north 1 1/4 deg. east 7 1/2 per; thence east 21 per; thence south 85 deg. east 11 per; thence south 85 deg. east 13 per; thence south 51 1/2 deg. east 13 1/2 per; thence south 62 deg. east 30 per; thence south 10 deg. east 25 1/2 per; thence south 21 deg. east 16 1/2 per; thence south 6 deg. west 31 1/2 per; thence south 79 deg. east 23 1/2 per; thence south 23 1/2 deg. west 13 1/2 per; thence south 80 deg. east 4 1/2 per; thence north 61 1/2 deg. east 8 1/2 per; thence north 83 deg. east 40 1/2 per; thence south 85 deg. east 10 per; thence north 84 deg. east 13 1/2 per; thence south 80 deg. east 30 per; thence north 15 deg. east 11 1/2 per; thence north 63 deg. west 23 1/2 per; to the place of beginning, containing one hundred and fifty acres and 132 perches. About twenty acres of the above are covered with fine Pine and Oak timber. Thereon erected a

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