

The Carbon Advocate

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BROADBRIM'S N. Y. LETTER.

Last week I wrote about the wretched wrecks that strew the shores of our New York life, but nothing more pitiful or romantic has occurred here for years than the death of E. C. Daniels, who died a few days ago in St. Luke's Hospital. During the second Grand campaign, at the request of the National Committee, I went into Massachusetts, and at Dedham met E. C. Daniels. At that time Mr. Daniels was cashier of the Webster National Bank at Boston, and was regarded as wealth and position as the foremost man in Dedham. His elegant house was one of the handsomest in that very aristocratic and exclusive quarter, and his horses were the finest, and the best to be found between Dedham and Boston. Mr. Daniels was a free liver and Dedham fell proud of him, and staid old bankers whose bank accounts required seven figures, felt honored by tucking their aristocratic legs under Mr. Daniels' elegant mahogany. He had risen from an office boy in the Webster Bank, and after years of honorable service had achieved a position exceeded by that of the president alone. But he had got into the habit of late living and he could not give it up. He tried his luck on the race-course and the pool room, but the devil had served so well in him in the hour of his direct need, then he stole the funds of the bank and at first he thought he would replace them. Days and weeks passed on and he sank deeper and deeper in sin, till at last his thefts became so blatant that he was detected and sentenced to imprisonment for five years. After serving a year President Grand pardoned him, and he started life anew. A great piano firm that knew his former life took pity and gave him the position of salesman. In two years he robbed his friends of eight thousand dollars and fled. From that hour he became a pariah and an outcast, homeless, ragged and starving. The fashionable society man, the swell clubman, the proud and aristocratic banker, who once occupied a magnificent mansion and was humbly waited on by retinues of servants, might be seen seeking his breakfast in the garbage cans by the wayside and found his lodgings in carts or in the cellars of vacant houses, and he esteemed himself fortunate when, by the bounty of some charitable pedestrian, he was enabled to seek the shelter of some ten cent lodging house in the slums. For over ten years he endured the horror of this miserable life, and at last, worn by disease, exposure and desolation he sank in the street a starving, homeless tramp. He was taken to St. Luke's Hospital, one of the noblest charities in the city, and after a brief struggle died. The ending of this miserable and disgraceful life is but another warning to our young men to keep in the straight and narrow path. The consuming desire to be rich and to live beyond our means is the curse of the present age; it is this which has helped to fill our State prisons and which has multiplied our suicides' graves.

The shocking accident to Dr. Edward Beecher, which has cost him one of his limbs, has filled the breasts of thousands of his friends with sorrow. Attempting to get on to the cars at Parkville where he had been attending weekly meeting, he either slipped or was thrown under the train, his leg was crushed so that amputation was rendered necessary, an operation that he stood with heroic fortitude. Dr. Beecher is eighty five and the chances are very much against him. In the hour of his suffering and sorrow, he has the sympathy of the entire community. Though Dr. Beecher is not so well known to the outside world as his illustrious brother, he has nevertheless been a faithful servant of Christ for over sixty years, and it is to him that he looks as his staff and his comfort, if he is called on to cross the dark valley.

I thought with the assignment of the thousand seats for the Centennial and their friends that the troubles of the Centennial celebration committee were ended, but, bless your heart, they were only just begun. The District Attorney, from Spotted Tail, Texas, has notified the committee that he may be expected with his family, and he may be expected to know what provision has been made for his entertainment while here, and if the committee will secure passes for his return home. The Mayor of Scrub Oak City, Dakota, writes that he may be expected, accompanied by the board of Aldermen, if funds can be found in the city treasury to afford them transportation. The Hon. S. P. Augustus Overly, of Mississippi, writes that he represented Nuxote County in the Legislature before the war, and as his family is expected from Europe about the 30th, he would be obliged to Mr. McAllister if he would see that they were properly cared for and given a seat near President Harrison where they could see the show to advantage. Then the Board of Aldermen told Alderman McCarthy that Alderman Lynch and O'Flaherty were getting all the good things for themselves, and he wasn't going to stand it. Alderman Finnigan and McManis denied this, and said that they had personally waited on the Kum-tee and had received assurances from McC. himself, that the Alderman would be provided for. Then all the rest of the city officials pitched in, and all the Mayors and officials of every town and city from Maine to Texas, and from New York to California, sent in requests. Then every man who has ever been a State Assemblyman, or served as a Constable or as a Member of Congress, in any State in the Union, expects entertainment for three days and a free blow to everything, dinner included. In fact, quite a number of these self-invited guests have given Mr. McAllister to understand that they would willingly forego the military and naval processions for a free blow at the dinner. Twenty-two thousand dollars is the sum estimated for wine alone. Ed. Stokes, of the Hoffman House, is said to have the contract for his drinks. If I suppose I might say for the drinks, for if they get away with twenty-two thousand dollars worth of wines at the Centennial dinner, it is safe to say that many hundreds who attend the feast will find their heads several sizes to small for them the next morning. The committee is in an awful muddle. The Grand Army men feel that they have been slighted. The Navy declares that it has received the cold shoulder; and the treatment of the Army, it is said, has been on the north side of friendly. Alderman Mulligan declared the other day in the Common Council "that the Board did not have free tickets each for the dinner and free drinks for himself and his friends, he would make that Kum-tee see sorrow be spoonful." There are evidently not free tickets enough to go around to the dinner. I judge so, from the fact that through President Harrison and Gov. Mill have received their

UP TO PRESENT WRITING BROADBRIM HAS SEEN NOTHING OF HIS.

Twice this week we have heard through perfectly reliable sources that Ward McAllister had resigned; that Ward McAllister had been dismissed; that Ward McAllister had washed his hands of the whole affair, but we now find that that talented representative of the Elite four hundred is still on deck and likely to be a very lively show up to April 30th. He is not dead nor sleeping; his position is a trifle on, but he is still master of the situation, and so he is likely to continue to the end.

This week is made memorable in political circles by the displacement of Postmaster Pearson and the elevation to the Postmastership of one of New York's most distinguished citizens, Cornelius Van Cort. Mr. Pearson, who is the son-in-law of the Postmaster who preceded him, Mr. James, has been connected with the Post Office for the past sixteen years. When General Garfield became President he appointed Mr. James Postmaster General, and in a few days after his assumption of his office his son-in-law, Mr. Pearson, was appointed Postmaster of New York. He held his position until Mr. Cleveland was elected; when his Mugwump friends, Larry Gulkin, George W. Courtis and Carl Shultz went personally to the President and begged for his removal. In the preceding campaign the appointment of Mr. Pearson was a great political triumph for his friends, who looked upon the Post Office as one of the richest political plants. Mr. Pearson is not a very suave diplomat, who held his office had made him a martinet and an autocrat, till his petty tyrannies made the lives of those in his subordination who held their offices by his favor a torment, but his heart fell into the basket this week, amid the general rejoicing of the hundreds of his subordinates, who held a grand justification to celebrate his downfall; and he will step out of the great building, where he has ruled like an autocrat for so many years, surrounded by a select group of the friends of the favored autocrats who held their places by his suzerainty and favor.

The city was started the other day by the arrest of several members of District Assembly 49, of the Knights of Labor, for the attempted destruction of Stevenson's saloon. The Knights of Labor, with dynamite bombs, Assembly 49 has been at the bottom of every disturbance here ever since the organization of the Knights of Labor. When Mr. Powderly tried to conduct the affairs of the Knights of Labor by means of keeping with decency and modern civilization, Assembly 49 started in to destroy Mr. Powderly. A fellow named Quinn, who got command of the organization a few years ago, ordered the great strike which resulted in the ruin of thousands of poor workmen. He held the great strike against the Third Ave. Railroad, and innumerable other strikes and boycotts, every one of which has been a miserable and disastrous failure, resulting in the ruin of the workingman. The Local Assembly 9390 wanted to run Mr. Stevenson's business and Mr. Stevenson refused to let them do it; then some men were hired who were to get employment in his brewery, and when they got in they were to destroy or poison his beer, resulting in the ruin of the workingman. The Local Assembly 9390 wanted to run Mr. Stevenson's business and Mr. Stevenson refused to let them do it; then some men were hired who were to get employment in his brewery, and when they got in they were to destroy or poison his beer, resulting in the ruin of the workingman. The Local Assembly 9390 wanted to run Mr. Stevenson's business and Mr. Stevenson refused to let them do it; then some men were hired who were to get employment in his brewery, and when they got in they were to destroy or poison his beer, resulting in the ruin of the workingman.

At the home of the bride's parents at Kridersville, Pa., April 11th, Harry T. Peters, of Paryville to Miss Mota M. Hummel, by the Rev. G. Meyer, at one o'clock p. m., beneath a beautiful floral horse shoe. Only the immediate friends were present who heartily congratulated the young couple upon their happy union. The house was beautifully decorated with potted flowers and trailing arbutus. The young people were held a shower of rice and old shoes and warm wishes, for a short trip to Philadelphia and other cities. After which they returned to Paryville where they will reside. Mr. Peters being in business with his father. The young couple start out in life with a bright future before them. The presents were many and beautiful, comprising gold and silver jewelry and bric-a-brac. We welcome them to the ranks of married life with our best wishes for their future.

ED. ADVOCATE. Please allow me space to say: Will brother William Craig, of Nebraska, and Clarence Soufflel Heits, of Lehighton, please put the appended paragraph in their hats for reference: William P. Tomlinson's testimony does not tally with the figures put up in some of the prohibition pamphlets as to the decline of dram shops in Kansas. Mr. Tomlinson is fresh from the ground, and is an active temperance abolitionist; yet he says there are 1,108 more saloons in Kansas to-day than there were under the license law. This speaks well for your much vaunted prohibitive plank to the constitution, now, don't hit! Further comment is unnecessary. A. J. C.

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Table with columns for 'To Balance on hand as per last Statement' and 'By Amounts Paid out as per Receipt Book'. Includes items like 'To Balance on hand as per last Statement' and 'By Exonerations'.

Table titled 'Amount Paid on Highways' listing various contractors and their amounts, such as 'Erna Newhard, labor, 1 order' and 'David Auger, labor, 2 orders'.

Table titled 'RECAPITULATION' showing 'To Amount of receipts and balances' and 'Paid out as per receipts'. Includes a section for 'SUNDRY EXPENSES' listing various services and their costs.

Table titled 'RECAPITULATION' showing 'Total amount of receipts, etc.' and 'Total amount paid out as per orders'. Includes a section for 'LIABILITIES' and 'ASSETS'.

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