STALEY WILL STAY.

President Nimick Won't Take Thousands For Him.

BASEBALL LAW LAID DOWN

Manager Phillips Overtaken by Another Relapse.

A GRAND BENEFIT SUGGESTED.

Two Race Meetings Arranged to Take Place at Erie.

GENERAL SPORTING NEWS OF THE DAY

As intimated in yesterday's DISPATCH, there is no intention on the part of the directors of the local club to part with Staley. The report that such was the intention has been floating round for several days, but it was only officially downed yesterday. Whether or not the adverse comments on such alleged action published in these columns yesterday had anything to do with an official declaration on the matter, is not clearly known. However, it is satisfactory to know that Harry Staley is not among the

list of contemplated victims.
Yesterday President Nimick plainly stated. that under no consideration would Staley be parted with. "Except," he said, "some un-fortunate circumstance which we have not the least idea of occurs. I wouldn't take thousands of dellars for Staley."

This statement will most assuredly be satis-factory to almost all the baseball patrons in this vicinity. Staley may be a great man in his business or he may be a failure, but certainly he has already given more promise than any youngster in the League.

STALEY'S GOOD CASE. This really is the entire case of Staley, and it is a good one. It is only fair to say that President Nimick never thought of disposing with Staley, and the report to the effect that he did was plainly discredited in these columns yes-

Mr. Nimick's presence in the city yesterday was due to the circumstance that almost every Pittsburger who reads about baseball will sincerely regret. Manager Phillips, who has been confined to a sick room for some time, and who has been gradually recovering during the last few days, had another relapse yesterday. President Nimick was sent for and was with the sick manager a considerable time. "Horace," as he is familiarly called, was a very sick man, as de is iamiliarly called, was a very sick man, but none of his immediate friends had any fear of serious results. Regrets were numerous in the Central Hotel, but chiefly because the local club manager was so well known as a jovial fellow. The hope is that he may be a little

During the afternoon President Nimick's at-Buring the atternoon President Nimics at-lention was drawn to the plain statement of President N. E. Young, regarding the White-Rowe matter. A few days ago the veteran Henry Chadwick wrote President Young defi-nitely, asking him his opinion of the case. The following reply from President Young was re-ceived by Mr. Chadwick:

"WASHINGTON, January 8. "WASHINGTON, January 8.

In relation to the Detroit club, they are members of the National League in good standing, and will so remain until their resignation is received and accepted. "Once a League player always a League player." If Bill Smith and Tom Jones are reserved players of the Detroit club, and said S. and J. are released from such reservation, they are subject to the acceptance of the other clubs of the League for a period of ten days. If their services are not accepted ten days. If their services are not accepted within that time, they are free to contract and within that time, they are free to contract and play with any club desiring their services; but, per contra. If their services are accepted, they immediately become reserved players of the club accepting, and immediately after the promulgation of such acceptance, they are incligible to contract or play with any other National Agreement club. That is the plain written law. The subsequent withdrawal of the Detroit club from League membership cuts no figure at all. If, however, on the other hand, they should tender their resignation and the same should be accepted, it would carry with it the unconditional release of all players under contract and reservation by or with it who had not previously been released and whose services had not peen accepted by some other League club. Yours truly, N.E. YOUNG."

PRESIDENT BYENE'S OPINION. Mr. Chadwick, in the Sporting Life, goes on to say: When I questioned Mr. Byrne he called my attention to article 5 of the national agree-

ment, which reads as follows:
"Upon the release of a player from contract or reservation with any club member of either Association party bereto, the services of such Association party hereto, the services of such player shall at once be subject to the acceptance of the other clubs of such Association, expressed in writing or by telegraph, to the secretary thereof for a period of ten days after notice of said release, and thereafter if said notice of said release, and thereafter if said services be not so accepted, said player may negotiate and contract with any other club (in or out of the League). The secretary of such Association shall send notice to the secretary of the other Association of said player's release on the date thereof, and of said acceptance of his services at or before the expiration of the ten days aforesaid."

When President Nimick saw these official statements he simply said: "Why, it is just as I have contended all along. If Rowe does not want to play ball any more, why goodness knows that we don't want to force him to continue the business. We are not so tyranical as

tinue the business. We are not so tyranical as that in Pittsburg. But if he wants to play ball that in Pittsburg. But if he wants to play hall it then becomes a matter of business, and he knows it. I'm sure I would like to see Rowe play here, and I'm certain that we can get along well together if he comes. However, the integrity of the League is at stake if we allow him to play elsewhere after we have bargained for his services. This fact raises the question to a national level, and we don't want to allow any precedent that may injure the prospects of the national game."

The Tennis Championship.

The third annual open tennis tournament of the St. Augustine, Fla., Tennis club, for both singles and doubles, will begin Tuesday, March 12, 1889. The contest will be for the club's "championship trophy," representing the tropical championship of the United States, now held by H. G. Trevor, of New York. States, now held by H. G. Frevor, of New Fork.
The trophy is a sterling silver model of the
ancient city gates, 19 inches high by 24 long.
The winner of the "all-comers" secures a
handsome silver cup as his personal property.
He then competes with last year's champion
for the trophy, which is winner's property after
four victories, not necessary consecutive.
Entries will be received by George Stuart
Smith, Secretary, 336 Beacon street, Boston,
who should be addressed at St. Augustine
during February and March.

The East Liverpool Club.

ISPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.1 EAST LIVERPOOL, January 13.-There has not been much done in regard to the forming of an Ohio State Baseball Club in this city and of an Ohio State Baseball Club in this city and Steubenville this week, but the players of last year's Crockeries of this place who are on a committee to assist in forming the stock com-pany, claim that the club will be a certainty, and that they are not holding off for a meeting which will be held in a short time for the pur-pose of getting the men who intend to take stock in the club together, so that they can make arrangements.

The Cowboys' Programme. Kansas City, January 13.—Manager Wat-kins returned yesterday from his Columbus trip. While East he made the following spring dates: With Cleveland, March 30, 31 and April 1; with Omaha, April 2 and 3; with Pittsburg, April 4, 5 and 6; with St. Joe, April 7 and 8. On April 9 and 10 the club will play in Omaha, and in St. Joe April 11 and 12. Minneapolis will play in Kansas City April 13 and 14, and the Detroit International League team April 15 and 16. All the Kansas City players will report March 10, and will put in a couple of weeks at

Wannop Wants a Fight. Boston, January 13 - Jack Wannon the English heavy-weight pugilist and wrestler, arrived in Boston from Columbus, O., this even-ing. Wannop said: "I have come to Boston hoping to arrange for a purse comest and I am open for any beavy-weight either Joe Lannon, Jack Ashton, George Godfrey or anybody that is at liberty and inclined to give me a chance. I don't say I can whip anybody, but I am in the business, and open for engagements. I have not been beaten yet."

Dal Signs With Denver. DENVER, January 18 .- Dalrymple, the old outfielder of the Chicago White Stocking Club during the years of 1879 to 1887, and afterward with the Pittsburgs, has signed a contract to play with Denver's new team this season.

ABOUT PACERS.

A Local Veteran of the Track Tells How Train Them. The following interview with Mr. Samuel Keys, of this city, is published in the Horse-

man this week:
"Sam, let us talk about pacers and how you "Sam, let us talk about pacers and how you train and drive them to win."

"That's too much of a question for me to answer and make it useful to the boys. I've heard of men training by the book, and that one of them in driving a heat forgot his lesson. Of course he hadn't time to slow up and study the book, as he used to do in exercising, so he was all at sea and lost the race. I may say generally that I try to understand the nature, constitution and peculiarities of my subject in hand. No two are alike. They need different work and feeding. What suits one don't agree with the other fellow at all, and you must guard against dulling the edge after you have it honed right. If so, there will be fewer off days in the campaign.

"Now, there was not old partner, Magoozler, that made a record of 2-201, more than 20 years ago. He was a very even-handed horse. Give him plenty of clean hay and oats on time, mashes and grass when necessary, also thorough grooming and regular work with kind treatment always, and he could be depended upon to pace a good race.

"Locy, 2:14, was an independent, don't-care kind of mare, but when just at a fine edge she would make the talent look a little out. No race was too long for her, as you know."

A GOOD SUGGESTION.

Jim Connors Expands a Little on Dunkerly's

Offer. Jim Connors, the wrestler, called at this office last night to reply to the offer of James Dunk-erly, published in this paper yesterday. Connors made a very sensible statement, as fol-

"I think that something more beneficial than "I think that something more beneficial than a single wrestling match can be arranged for the benefit of the sufferers of the Wood street accident. Of course I will wrestle Dunkerly, but I think we can arrange an evening's athletic entertainment of a very high order. For instance, we have in the city athletes of all kinds, including first-class boxers. Why can't we get two or four good boxers, horizontal bar performers, club swingers and other athletes, the whole to conclude with a match between Dunkerly and myself. If this can be arranged I want the Carpenters' Union to take charge of all the receipts. Of course every performer will appear free."

ERIE'S PROGRAMME.

Meetings Arranged for the Spring and Fal -Officers Elected.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.] ERIE, PA., January 18.—The Erie Driving Park Association has reorganized by electing R. J. Salztman, President, and Charles P. Haskins Secretary. The directors have decided to hold both a spring and fall meeting, which is something unusual.

Until last season our meeting was barely supported. The spring dates are May 28, 29 and 30. The purses will be \$4,000, all of which is subscribed. There will be special stakes for the 3 and 4-year-old races. The dates for the fall meeting will be put within those covered by the grand circuit of New York State. This will take in the horses as they return west from New York State.

Billee Taylor Heard From. Big Billy Taylor, the well-known ball-player, was a caller at the Enquirer office vesterday.
Billy came here from Pittsburg, and looks as sleek and well-kept as a banker's son. He is

Billy came here from Pittsburg, and holde sieck and well-kept as a banker's son. He is dressed in good taste and gives evidence of taking excellent care of himself. He has not touched intoxicating liquor for over nine months, and is in excellent condition. Taylor played last season with Sam Crane's Scranton (Pennsylvania) team, and did well. Billy's only grievance is the way he has been treated by some "funny tin-pan base ball reporters," as he calls them.

"It is a case of dog Tray with me," said Billy.

"There are a certain class of baseball writers who have done all they can to 'queer' me, I know I used to drink some, but I never harmed anybody or was ever arrested. I don't know why I should be classed up with some of the star lushers of the profession, but I have been. I won't give them a chance to do it again, however, as I intend to take care of myself. Under the new rules I will be back in pitching form. I won't have to look for a job; the job will look for me, I can put them across the plate justas fast as anybody." Taylor always was a good piayer, and in his present fine condition he ought to make a good showing in any company,—Cincinnati Enquirer.

The Columbus Team. [SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.]

berger, of the Columbus Association club, has completed the work of signing men for the sea son of 1889, and the following are now under contract:
Pitchers, Al Mays, John Weyhing, Philip
Lawless, Henry Gastright, Widener; catchers,
Peeples, O'C. Conner, Stencel; first base, Orr:
second base, Greenwood; third base, Johnson;
shortstop, Kappel; left field, Dailey; center
field, McTamany; right field, Marr.

It Was Another Hall.

Dr. Hall called at this office last evening an stated that he was not the "Hall" who wrestled Jim Connors at the East End Gymnasium on Saturday evening. The Doctor said: "It seems that an effort is being made to spoil my match with Ed. Reilly. I wrestle no fakes, and when I contest it is for victory."

A Good Yearling Sold. John Hienes, of Minerva, O., a few days ago sold a yearling colt by Starmont for \$1,500.

John will be remembered by younger people than old-timers as the owner and driver of Silver Sides, Lew Scott and others.

Sporting Notes. MCALEER has signed with Cleveland.

THERE is little chance of a battle between "the Marine" and Reagan. DEMPSEY states that he is always ready to make a match with Mitchell. Ir is stated that Kilrain will demand a change in the articles of agreement between himself and Sullivan.

J. B. P. FANCIER: Poultry is not included in the list of the Pittsburg dog show. Of course all classes of dogs are.

Jack Dempsey, the pugilist, arrived in the city early this morning. His opinions regarding current pugilistic topics, which have appeared frequently during the last two weeks, are unchanged.

are unchanged.

SPEAKING of the Rowe-White matter Henry Chadwick says: "The Detroit club have virtually sold the release of White to the Boston club, and of Rowe to the Fittsburg club, and these clubs having accepted these players, it follows that they are now respectively on the reserved list of these two clubs, and can so be held year after year—as I understand the matter—in a sort of League bondage. The question is, how does the League law stand against our common law? It is very certain that neither White nor Rowe can play in Buffalo this year. All they can do is to run that club without playing on the team. Both knew the law governing the League contracts when they signed with Detroit, and both must abide by what they voluntarily agreed should control their services as ball players."

BUSINESS BAROMETER.

The Usual Post-Holiday Duliness Sets in at Most Places. BOSTON, January 13 .- The following table, compiled from dispatches to the Post from the managers of the leading clearing houses of the United States shows the gross exchanges for the week ended Saturday, January 12, 1889, with rates per cent of increase or decrease, as compared with the similar amounts for the corresponding week

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oston	90, 554, 670	5.7	
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n Francisco	15,006,072	****	
ew Orleans	13, 349, 296	1.9	
altimore	12, 783, 067	0.4	
ncipnati	12, 234, 750	5.5	
ttsburg	11, 572, 850		- 3
ansas City	8, 860, 804	26.7	
ouisville	7, 089, 335	23.5	
rovidence	5, 210, 600	****	
ilwaukee	4, 853, 600	25, 3	
. Paul	4, 130, 336	16.4	
maha	3, 995, 345	39.3	
inpeapolis	3, 915, 648	12.3	
enver	3, 864, 607	69.2	
etroit	4, 823, 512	8.9	
eveland	3, 420, 990	10.7	
dianapolis	1,994,840	****	
emphis	3, 380, 919	35.4	
dumbus	2, 831, 311	6.2	1
alveston	1,865,316	46.9	
artford	2, 764, 126	7.7	
ew Haven	1, 495, 278	3.2	- 6
eoria	1,518,285	11 3	
ringfield	1, 273, 324	4.7	-
ortland	1, 186, 978	****	
os Angeles	1, 217, (80	16.9	
. Joseph	1, 321, 388	****	
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HANDS OFF, MR. WISE

The Ex-Congressman Denies That He Agreed to Stand Aside and

SEE MAHONE GO INTO THE CABINET He Charges the General With Losing the

State of Virginia.

GOVERNOR HOVEY'S INAUGURATION

To be Celebrated With Much Pomp and Circumstance

and a Grand Ball.

Ex-Congressman Wise, recently of Virrinia, but now of New York, visited the President elect yesterday. It is supposed he went to prevent the appointment of Mahone to a Cabinet position, but how he succeeded he refused to state. He was very bitter against Mahone, and charged him

with losing Virginia. Governor Hovey will

will visit Virginia during the summer. INDIANAPOLIS, January 13. - This norning's early train from Cleveland brought no less a person than ex-Congressman John S. Wise, formerly of Virginia, but who quietly slipped into the New Denison and registered from New York, admon-ishing the clerk not to call any one's attention to his presence. When his presence became known there was a flutter among the politicians and the correspondents, all of whom jumped to the conclusion that the "Billy" Mahone, and prevent his securing a Cabinet prize if possible.

Wise sought an early interview with Colonel John C. New at the latter's residence,

and then proceeded out to General Harri-son's, arriving at the house, unaccompanied, just after the family bad sat down to lunch. His visit was unexpected, but General Harrison gave him a Virginian's welcome and invited him to lunch. The midday meal over, the General and his guest spent a quarter of an hour in private conversation. A BLAST FOR MAHONE.

What passed between them can only be judged from the interview had with Mr. Wise on his return from the General's. Mr. Wise declared that his visit had no political significance; that he had a law suit at Akron, and he merely ran down to Indian-Akron, and he merely ran down to Indianapolis to spend Sunday. He would not admit that the very recent visit of 22 prominent Virginians in the interest of General Mahone furnished motive for his visit. But in the course of his conversation he inveighed against the celebrated little General with all his old time fire and invective, declaring that it would be disastrous to the Republican party in the South to put General Mahone in the Cabinet. When asked whether he made such declarations to the President-elect, he declined to state what passed in their conver-

clined to state what passed in their conver-He vehemently proclaimed that Mahone lost the State of Virginia to General Harrison in the late election. That owing to the factional Congressional candidates in the Fourth (Petersburg) district, General Har-rison's majority was only 3,000, whereas the usual Republican majority in that district

HE'S A KNICKERBOCKER.

Some of the Mahonites when here stated that Wise had agreed "to keep hands off," in their efforts to obtain Cabinet recognition for General Mahone. That Wise was no longer a citizen of Virginia, but was a New Yorker, and had renounced Virginia poli-

Mr. Wise did not exactly corroborate this, but emphatically denied that he had agreed to "keep hands off." As to his change of residence, he said, "I have quit being a negro-bucker, and am now quite a knicker

Wise spent the afternoon with ex-Congressman W. H. V. Calkins and left at 7:30 this evening for Cleveland, en route to Akron.

Another distinguighed visitor who ar-

rived to-day is John F. Plummer, the well-known New York merchant, President of in New York. He will be joined late to-night by the Hon. Warner Bateman, of New York, and it is understood they are here to urge Cabinet recognition for ex-Senator Warner Miller. They will call on General Harrison in the morning.

ANYBODY BUT MILLER. Another party of New Yorkers are en route from Canajoharie with ex-State Sen-ator W. J. Arkall at their head. Editor Sleicher, of Albany, and several others equally as prominent, are in the party. They will arrive about midnight. It is under-stood this party comes to urge the case of ex-Senator Platt, and that they are in favor of some third man from New York in case the President-elect cannot bonor Platt General Harrison passed the day at home, attending church this morning, accompanied by Mrs. Harrison and Mr. and Mrs. Mc-Kee. It being communion Sunday the General, as one of the elders of his church,

participated as usual in passing the sacraparticipated as usual in passing the sacra-mental elements.

In talking with Richmond gentlemen yes-terday, General Harrison said his ancestors came from near that historic city. He said he proposed, together with Mrs. Harrison, to pay a visit at an early date to the home of his ancestor, Benjamin Harrison, the

signer.

Every incoming train to-day brought its quota of visitors from all points in the State to participate in to-morrow's inaugural celebrations. The members of the electoral college of Indiana also arrived, and will meet at 10 o'clock to-morrow morning in the hall of the House of Representatives and cast the vote of Indiana for President and Vice President.

FOR THE INAUGURATION. The hotels are crowded and orders continue to pour in from Ohio, Illinois and other States asking landlords to reserve rooms. The scene in the lobby of the New Denison this afternoon and to-night was a repetition of the nightly scenes during the exciting days of the campaign. General Hovey's rooms were crowded with callers. Among the arrivals this evening were Judge G. V. Menzies and Mrs. Menzies, the daughter of General Hovey. With them came the General's son, Charles J. Hovey, and his wife and two children. General Hovey is a five times grandfather, and each of his three granddaughters and two grandsons will witness his elevation to the Gov-

Judge and Mrs. Menzies were also accompanied by a large party of ladies and gen-tlemen, personal friends of the family from Mt. Vernon. The inauguration will occur at 6 o'clock

to-morrow in English's Opera House. The House and Senate will attend in a body, and the Hon. Mason J. Niblack, Speaker of the House, will preside. General Hovey's address will be brief, occupying only 30 minutes. The inaugural ball will open about 10 o'clock. The sale of tickets to those fortunate enough to have invitations exceeds 4,000, including gallery and floor tickets, and a crush is anticipated.

ANOTHER BLAINE TIP.

A Confidential Friend Says the Premier ship Has Not Been Tendered Him. PROVIDENCE, R. I., January 13.-A man known to be in the confidence of Mr. Blaine says that he has had a conversation with him within a few days. In that interview, he said, Mr. Blaine stated positively that he had as yet received no offer of a Cabinet portfolio, nor even an intimation that it would be tendered. Mr. Blaine said, moreover, that should he be tendered the

SENATOR WOLCOTT'S ROMANCE. How He Sacrificed a Bride For a Trip to

Europe. CHICAGO, January 13.—There is a romance in the life of Ed Wolcott, who was ast night nominated for Senator from Colorado, known to but a few intimate friends in Chicago, where the plot developed. Wolcott graduated at Yale College in the same class with Louis James, the actor, and, having fitted himself for the law, came West a "briefless barrister" in the most literal sense, and located in Chicago. He didn't remain here permanently, however, and his failure to do so was due to a love affair with the handsome daughter of Judge Caton. It was a case of mutual affection, inspired at their first meeting, which occurred at a swell reception. He was socially conspicuous while here, and their subsequent meetings but confirmed the impression made. They became engaged, and the day was set for the wedding and all preparations made for the event. Colorado, known to but a few intimate

for the event.
Suddenly Wolcott informed Miss Caton that the wedding must be postponed for a year, as he was compelled to take a trip abroad. She consented, but when the case was placed before her parents they utterly refused to sanction the union, and declared that she must never marry him. Subse be inaugurated to-day. General Harrison quently Miss Caton married another gentle-man, and now resides in Chicago, while Wolcott went to Colorado and rapidly forged to the front. He is yet on the sunny side of 30 and possessed of immense wealth, lives in princely style, and entertains with a lavish hand.

A TIP FROM OLD PROBS.

The Warm Weather Does Not Indicate Late Spring.

PROVIDENCE, January 13 .- According to the following extract from a semi-private letter received here the Weather Department apparently does not believe that the present mild weather indicates a late winter and cold spring:

SIGNAL OFFICE, WASHINGTON, January 10.

The significance of the unusual weather conditions for the past seven months can be explained only with reference to the abnormal distribution of atmospheric pressure over the Northern hemisphere. Under the doctrine of averages we could reasonably look for an open, mild winter, since the late spring and summer was colder than usual, and to counterbalance the deficiency of temperature in the spring and summer there should be an excess in the winter just now occurring. This, however, cannot be regarded as responsible for future prophecies, since the scientific use of the average can only refer to very prolonged periods, and cannot safely be referred to in special short periods, such as six months or a year, in case of temperature and rainfall. My personal opinion is that no one has reasonable ground for predicting a late spring on the simple basis of the present winter being so far mild and open.

A. W. GREELEY, Chief Signal Officer. SIGNAL OFFICE, WASHINGTON, January 10.

ONE OF BRADDOCK'S BULLETS ound Near the Heart of an Old Tree Felled

in Maryland. CUMBERLAND, MD., January 13 .- A white pine tree was cut recently two miles south of Shade Mills, in Garrett county, near the site of the old Braddock road, and converted into shingles. It was a large tree, and by expert woodsmen estimated to be at least 300 years old. In cutting it up the saw, going through some tough sub-stance, then supposed to be a knot, attracted attention, and investigation disclosed a bul-let embedded within two inches of the heart. let embedded within two inchesof the heart.

The tree at this point was 32 inches in diameter. About one-third of the bullet was sawed away, the remainder, weighing at least an ounce, being left in a corner of the butt end of a shingle. The ball is supposed to have been shot from a musket by one of Braddock's men during the campaign which culminated in the disaster at Fort Duquesne. In this event the bullet was embedded in the tree 133 years ago, each year's growth burying it deeper. It is a most interesting memento of the ill-starred campaign of 1755.

A DOUBTFUL BIRTH.

nerican Couples Going to Austria Must Take Their Marriage Certificates.

LONDON, January 14 .- The Vienna correspondent of the Times says: American couples about to travel in Austria ought to take with them their marriage certificates. known New York merchant, President of the Harrison and Morton Drygoods Club of New York, and Vice President of the Union League Club. He was prominently identified with the financial end of the campaign in New York. He will be joined late to-tificate, the clerk said he must record the birth as illegitimate, and the only concession made, after much expostulation, was the substitution of the word "doubtful" for illegitimate. Further, on being told that the parents

belonged to the Anglican Church, the clerk wrote down, "No religion." AN EXCITING LIFE.

Irish Tenant Farmers Raided, Beaten

Evicted and Imprisoned. DUBLIN, January 13 .- A party of raid ers to-day visited the house of a Nationalist farmer on the Kenmare estate and, after administering a severe beating, extorted from him a promise to abjure the plan of campaign, which is very unpopular among a Members of the National League collected clothing, etc., in Londonderry to-day for the Falcarragh tenants who were arrested for resisting evictors. To-morrow the pris-oners will be driven in cars from London-derry to Falcarragh, where they will be

A VICTIM OF CIRCUMSTANCES

tried on Tuesday.

What Defaulter Axworthy Claims to be and His Prospects Sadden Him. TORONTO, ONT., January 13 .- Thomas Axworthy, ex-City Treasurer of Cleveland, O., arrived last night. He will take up his residence here. Mrs. Axworthy will arrive on Tuesday.

Axworthy says that he will be the only loser by his defalcation, and that he deplores having to face the world anew after 30 years of hard and honest labor. The only dis-honest act of his life, he says, was committed through the force of circumstances over which he had no control. His shortage was \$400,000.

BRIEF CABLE NOTES.

THE Peace Congress was opened yesterday at DR. PETERS expects to start for Zanzibas about the beginning of Eebruary. It is understood that the Pope desires to celebrate mass in St. Peter's on Easter Sunday.

Emperor William yesterday on African af-fairs. PRINCE BISMARCK held a conference with It is semi-officially denied that negotiations ire pending regarding the throne of Bruns-vick.

SARAH BERNHARDT has broken her contract to perform in Rome. Her agents have been summoned to appear before the tribunal. EMPEROR WILLIAM, accompanied by the Prince of Lippe, will go to Buckeburg to-day on a shooting expedition, and will remain until Thursday. EMPEROR WILLIAM and the Empressg ave a

dinner yesterday in honor of the betrothal of Prince Leopold, of Prussia, to Princess Louise, sister of the Empress. TWENTY-SEVEN Socialists have been arrested within a few days in Funfhaus and Ottakring, suburbs of Vienna. Among them is the Socialist leader, Becker. THE King of the Netherlands has inflamma-tion of the brain. The end cannot be long de-

ferred. Prayers for the king were offered in all The Hague churches yesterday. In the International skating championship contest yesterday at Vienna, Panshin came in first and Donoghue second. Donoghue then skated two miles alone in 6 minutes, 30% seconds.

MME ALBANI, the singer, in company with her husband, Mr. Gye, Signori Beolgnani and Masimi, Messra. Barrington and Foote, and Miss Damian, salled Saturday on the steamer Servia, from Liverpool, for New York. HE'S AN OLD SOLDIER

General Harrison Will Not Forget the Scarred Veterans Who

FOUGHT BRAVELY BY HIS SIDE. The Grand Army Button a Recommenda tion for Federal Office.

THE WAR BROKE THE DULL MONOTONY

lligher Levels.

Gave Him an Opportunity to Rise

The warm reception which the Presidentelect always gives to an old soldier shows that his heart is with the veterans. Many little incidents go to confirm this opinion. It is expected that the boys in blue will not be forgotten in the distribution of offices.

INDIANAPOLIS, January 13 .- Whoever ignores the old soldier in calculating the influences that will have a share in controlling the next Administration makes a great mistake. There is a singular quality in the regard which the President-elect bears toward his old comrades in arms. On only two or three occasions since he was nominated for the Presidency has he shown any symptoms publicly of being overcome by

Once was when he attended, some time ago, a reunion of the members of his old regiment. Then he made a little speech that was almost tender, and, accompanied by his wife and son, he spent an hour or more in chatting, laughing and joking with the said:
the veterans, who acted toward him, apparently with his entire approval, as toward a perfect equal, treated Mrs. Harrison as one of themselves, and chucked Russell under the chin and told him stories about the time when he was the Colonel's little kid and used to be passed around among the soldiers to be petted and made much of. It was remarked then that that evening was the first time that General Harrison had seemed really happy and free from care since he was nominated.

HE IS ONE OF THE BOYS.

Another time when General Harrison manifested real feeling was a few nights ago, when he bade farewell to his comrades in George R. Thomas G. A. R. Post. He spoke to the veterans as though they had been his brothers, and singularly manifested what must have been a leading subject in his mind when he impressed upon them that the preservation of a free and honest ballot was the great thing need-ful for the safety of the country and urged them to use their influence to preserve the purity of elections. The speech would have had no significance had it been intended for the public, but spoken as it was at a private gathering, and at a gathering where re-marks of that sort were entirely out of the natural order, it betrayed the fact that General Harrison's mind must have been iwelling a great deal on that subject.

That the speech was intended merely for That the speech was intended merely for the veterans themselves was shown by the General's manner when, afterward, one of the comrades asked him for a copy of it for publication. He seemed startled at the idea, and exclaimed: "Oh, no; this is a family matter; it was not for the public," and after a moment he added, "Besides, I couldn't give it to you if I wanted to; I couldn't tell myself just what I did say."

That remark about the speech being "a family matter" betrays significantly the way in which the President-elect regards his old comrades. Political associates may his old comrades. Political associates may be very close to him, but it is not likely that he would ever refer to any transaction with them as "a family matter." Another phase of the same side of the General's character was shown by his refusal to ban-quet with the Loyal Legion in this city recently on an occasion of which it had been intended that he should be the bright par-

BROKE THE MONOTONY.

It is with the soldiers as soldiers, and not with any particular class of them, that he raternizes as with members of his family. He recognizes no gradations among men who all alike risked their lives for their country. It is not difficult to account for this unusual bent of the General's mind when the circumstances of his life are considered. He was born and raised amid sur sidered. He was born and raised amid sur-roundings of the most commonplace sort. His early years were as devoid of inter-esting or inspiring experiences as the level, monotonous country in which he lived. The fame of his ancestors was but a lamp glowing behind him, which lengthened the shadows that stretched in front and into which his steps continually led. The bur-den of the poverty in which he lived was not so hard as the burden of commonplaceness that kept him always toiling along the same even plane of life, with nothing behind worth remembering and nothing before worth hoping for. So he lived on until manhood, always moving in a dull, monotonous round, as devoted of adventure as it was of comfort.

Into this life the War of the Rebellion books like a storm when a passeful plain.

broke like a storm upon a peaceful plain. The crash of arms aroused in him a spirit that had slumbered for two generations nearly, and an inspiration came into his life, probably the only thing of the sort it had or has ever known. The customs of a lifetime are not thrown off in a day, and his lot had ever been so hard that the idea of any change, no matter what, was delightful. The leaven of his ancestors had to take time to work in the spirit dulled by an eventless life, and so Harrison's military career was belated and he missed the op-portunities from which the instinctive dash and brilliancy of other men created great-

POSTOFFICES FOR SOLDIERS.

But all the testimony agrees that he was thorough soldier, a hard fighter and a good anaer. As much as his nature would let him he made a passion of war and followed it as a mistress of his heart. The hard experiences and the novel companionships of the campaign were like wine to a man who had never drank anything stronger than mild tea. The delight of the noise and rush of battle and the rough adventures of the march and the bivouac were like an opium eater's dream to the country lawyer whose life theretofore had known no more varia-

tion than that of a treadmill.

Out of this single enthusiasm of a dull lifetime came the tenderness which has ever since animated all General Harrison's feelings toward soldiers. It is like a man's remembrance of a youthful sweetheart. It is, so far as can be seen, the one exception to the rule of reason and logic that dominates the life of the President-elect. How far the exception will extend and how great an influence it will be on the course of the administration is a matter that only time can ministration is a matter that only time can reveal. It will certainly reach as high as a first-class postoffice, and it may tell in even more important official matters. In matters of a personal and social nature connected with the administration it may even become a predominant influence. It is safe to predict, at the very least, that during the next four years a Grand Army button will be a better passport at the White House than a bundle of letters of recommendations from politicians, and that there mendations from politicians, and that there will be a readier hearing there for the man who fought at Resaca than for the one who made the battle at the Sixteenth precinct of the Eleventh ward.

Hungry Dervishes Will Surrender. SUARIM, January 13 .- In reply to the Governor General's proclamation inviting the tribes to expel the dervishes and promising them food and money, two of the Hadendowa tribes express their willingness to come to Suakim, but say that the situation at Handoub prevents their doing so.

WARREN Weather Cle

WHY CHIEF ARTHUR QUITS.

Hend to the Brotherhood. CHICAGO, January 13 .- A local newspa per announces to-day that Chairman Gav-ner, of the special committee which recently cettled the "Q." strike, is the coming suc-sessor of P. M. Arthur as Grand Chief Engisessor of P. M. Arthur as Grand Chief Engineer of the Brotherhood. Gavner is still in the West, and will soon go to New York. He himself will not admit that he is a candidate, but he is free in criticising Mr. Arthur's management. Said an ex-striker, now filling a comfortable position in another business:

It is an open secret that Chief Arthur will resign before the opening of the next session of the brotherhood. He knows as well as anybody that he can never be re-elected, and prefers to retire on the plea that he has other interests commanding his attention. Mr. Arthur was first elected in 1874. He is now worth over \$500,000, and can afford to retire. He may have been a great man for the Brotherhood, but he never won a strike."

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"Has the Brotherhood ever won a strike?"

"Not under Arthur's management. His first failure was with the Boston and Maine Rsilroad. He tried to settle it and then ordered a strike. Everything was in favor of the engincers, but they were completely beaten. Then came the Reading strike, in which we were whipped out of our boots. The Grand Trunk strike was a similar failure, and so was the strike on the Brooklyn elevated roads. In this latter strike Arthur had so antagonized the Knights of Labor that members of their union resigned good jobs to take the places of our men. The result was that we were beaten inside of 36 hours. Arthur repaid the Knights when their men struck on the Reading; they repaid him when the Brotherhood men struck on the "Q."

THE CHINESE GOING.

Li Mong Kow Says Ah Sin Will Leave America in Ten Years.

OTTAWA, ONT., January 13 .- Li Mong Kow, Chinese agent in British Columbia, was here to-day transacting business with the Government. Of Chinese immigration

The Canadian people do not seem to want the Chinese, but we are much better treated here than in the United States, though the people in British Columbia are afraid of our people because they work so much cheaper. I am often asked why our countrymen never settle here, and I reply the trouble is in regard to the law. If all restrictions were removed there would be a greater influx of Chinese into this country. Our people are good, peaceful, law-abiding citizens, and would like to settle in Canada. I have now been 15 years in the United States and Canada, and I like your manners and customs better than I do those of my country. Our Government is trying to keep the Chinese away from the United States. The Emperor has a just conception of his duty, and issued an edict recalling all my countrymen in the United States. But he does not understand their position. Many Chinese are settled there, and they have amassed wealth and property. To leave at once would be to sacrifice everything. I have no doubt they will obey the order gradually, and that in ten years all will be at home.

A LESSON IN POLITENESS.

low a Connecticut Man is Teaching the Central Office One. WATERBURY, CONN., January 13 .- E. A. Saunders, of Naugatuck, wished a few days ago to call a doctor over the telephone. The operator at the central office here said after trying, that the doctor would not answer. Later Mr. Saunders tried again and heard the operator say, "He is after the doctor. Let the -- fool ring." Once more he tried, remarking that he had been ringing for half an hour. The retort was:

"You're a liar."

Mr. Saunders then brought suit against Mr. Saunders then brought suit against the Southern New England Telephone Company for neglect of duty and abusive language. Operator Quinland denied having used such language, but Justice Gibbons to-day found the company guilty, and imposed a fine of \$100 and costs. An appeal was taken. The company is wealthy, has a monopoly and its hundreds of subscribers are watching the case with interest.

BAD FOR BOULANGER.

Rain the Nation PARIS, January 13 .- M. Jacques, the opconent of General Boulanger in the Seine Department, has published a reply to General Boulanger's latest manifesto. M. Jacques says "With a Republican army there is no need to fear a Sedan with a Casarian army, which would cease to be exclusively French in order to become the army of a rebel soldier, defeat would be doubled by dishonor."

M. Jacques advises the electors not to listen to a soldier who has lost the right to appeal to the fiag, and to reject one whose candidature signifies indiscipline and na-

CONSUMED BY FIRE.

New York Shoe Firm and a Mise Judge the Sufferers. ALBANY, N. Y., January 13.-Messrs. Smith, Pratt & Herrick, jobbers of boots and shoes, in Broadway, were burned out to-night. Loss, \$150,000; insurance, \$90,000. SL. Louis, January 13 .- The handsome country residence of Judge H. A. Newcomb, of Kimswick, Jefferson county, about 25 miles south of this city, was burned to the ground yesterday. The Judge's extensive law library, a cabinet of valuable curios

collected in Mexico and Europe, and several pictures by famous artists were also destroyed. The loss will exceed \$35,000. Tired of Rebellion. BERLIN, January 13.-The Sultan of Zanzibar offers to mediate between the East Africa Company and the natives on the basis of the plan suggested by the company's agent. General Herr Vohsen reports that the natives are tired of rebellion and willing

to negotiate. Persecution in Russia. Harper's Bazar.]

"I wish it would stop raining," remarked a St. Petersburg gentleman the other day, after a week's storm, and a detective promptly arrested him for referring to the Czar as "it."

-The railroad killed nine head of cattle

for Mr. Wells, at Orange City, Fla., one day last week. This makes 43 head killed for him within the last two years, 29 of which he has, as yet, received no pay for.



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Herr Most's Former Pupils and Comrades Pursue the Renegade.

A RANK TRAITOR AND COWARD

Is What They Declare They Can Without Trouble Prove Him to Be.

HE NO MORE PREACHES ON ANARCHY.

Since He Began to Pile Away Wealth His Views

Herr Most is denounced as a greedy and self-seeking cormorant of the anarchistic society he taught for four years. His old omrades say he is a traitor to the cause and that he is a coward who has deserted them since he began to get rich on the profits of his newspaper. They have issued an address containing their complaint.

ISPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH 1 NEW YORK, January 13 .- The Radical Arbeiter Bund, which is made up of Anarchists whom John Most taught in Austria and Hungary from 1868 to 1872, held a meeting to-day at 525 East Fiftieth street, and went for Most with a sharp stick. They adopted a circular which they had addressed, "To all honest Revolutionists." It says: "Since coming to the United States, Most is rapidly becoming conservative, and since the Chicago Anarchists were hanged, he has positively be-

come cowardly." They go on to say that Most heard some way that they had plotted to supplant him as the leader of the Anarchists of the United States, and had started in to denounce his detractors. His followers took up the cudgels for him and division of the anarchistic analyse resulted. istic ranks resulted.

CUTTING ENTIRELY LOOSE. The Arbeiter Bund, having made up its The Arbeiter Bund, having made up its mind to part company with Most, goes on to call him a greedy and self-seeking cormorant, who wants money and seeks his own personal aggrandizement. Most kept on saying in the Freiheit that they proposed to get him out of the way. They had to get him out of the way. They had planned to kill him, he said, and had settled on the anniversary of the hanging of the Chicago Anarchists, November 10, as the day of the slaughter. They were going to kill him right after the parade. He fought the parade and was opposed to every sort of a demonstration, even a public meet-

Among the offenses laid at Most's door is that he denounced Herr Stahlmacher, who murdered the police officer Rumff, in Austria. Most frequently charged in the Freiheit that Stahlmacher was not a man to be trusted. The Arbeiter Bund, in their proclamation, pronounced the charge against Stahlmacher an outrage. They say Most refused to publish the notices of their meetings, and even dared to keep away from the meetings continuously.

HE'S GETTING RICH. They say that they now know that Most is getting rich from the profits from the Freiheit. They cite as an evidence, that after Inspector Byrnes pulled him out from under a bed and locked him up, Most declared that the police had stolen \$180 from him. Where did he get it, the Bund asks, if it wasn't from the Freiheit?

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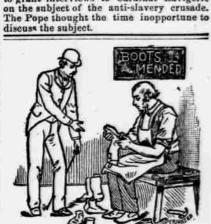
"Instead of a propaganda of deeds he advocates a propaganda of talk," the Arbeiter Bund avers. "Now he is a Communist. Formerly he was a Federationist. Now a believer in authority. Formerly he was opposed to all authority. Now he proclaims against the revolutionary movement in Europe. He tells us to look after the move-

ment here.'

everywhere to support the International anarchistic revolutionary agitation in Europe and wage warfare against Most and the Freiheit. It may be that there's a rival Anarchist newspaper at the bottom of it. An Inopportune Time to Discuss Slavery. ROME, January 13.-The Pope and Prime Minister Crispi have both declined to grant interviews to Cardinal Lavigerie

The proclamation appeals to all good

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