PITTSBURG, SUNDAY, MARCH 2, 1890.

## TORIES IN A TANGLE.

Labouchere Proves That Salisbury Connived at the

ESCAPE OF THE NOBLES

Implicated in the Notorious Cleveland Street Scandal.

TO JAIL FOR WINKING AT A PIG.

That is the Latest Criminal Offense Discovered in Ireland.

MRS, HUMPHREY WARD'S NEW RELIGION

Labouchere's suspension from the House of Commons has caused great excitement throughout England. He is prepared to prove the statements of Lord Salisbury in connection with the Cleveland street scandal false by no less a person than the private secretary of the Prince of Wales. The refusal of the Tory Government to allow an investigation has aroused great indignation. An Irishman has just been sentenced to prison for three months for winking at a

IST CABLE TO THE DISPATCE.1 LONDON, March 1 .- [Copyright.]-The debate in the House of Commons Last night on Labouchere's motion for an inquiry into the Cleveland street scandal amply justifies the belief that Lord Salisbury and other members of the Government were responsible for the escape of Lord Arthur Somerset and other criminals. One of the chief points in Labouchere's indictment was that Salisbury had an interview with Sir Dighton Probyn, the controller of the Prince of Wales' household and personal friend of Somerset, at which he stated that a warrant for Somerset's arrest would be forthwith issued; that Probyn went straight to the Colonel of Somerset's regiment; that the Colonel told Somerset, and that Semerset fled from the country the same evening.

CAUSE AND EFFECT.

There was a case of cause and effect which Attorney General Webster could only explain by a second-hand denial from Lord Salisbury-a denial not of the interview with Somerset's friend, but the fact that he told Probyn the date upon which the warrant would be issued. Webster repeatedly laid stress upon Salisbury's denial as though that were in itself sufficient to dispose of the charge, and he did so with

the coolest of men, lost his patience and declared bluntly that he did not believe Lord Salisbury. The ministerialists, renegade Chamberlain among them, howled for a withdrawal of the obnoxious assertion. Labouchere fiercely refused and repeated the offense and he was finally named and suspended for a week.

APPLYING THE GAG LAW. Having thus prevented Labouchere from replying to Webster, the cloture was afterward applied and a motion for inquiry defeated, but it will not help the Government. The House was startled and the country is to-day astounded at the scandalous delays which, as Labouchere proved, were interposed to prevent the arrest of the foul criminals. Chapter and verse were given for every statement, and the reply of Webster himself, one of the accused to the general charge was the veriest lawver's quibble. He was unable to deny the facts of the delay and failed to explain them away.

The police were first placed in possessie of the facts the first week of July by Hammond, who, instead of being arrested or watched, wat allowed to escape and not one effort was made to obtain his extradition. although the police in Belgium, in which country he first sought retuge, offered to hand him over. For months Somerset was allowed to move about in London society, and Webster could only explain this imno corroborative evidence against him.

A PECULIAR VINDICATION. Yet when sourced by the Radical press and the police were authorized to arrest him, a warning was conveyed to him and he got clear away, having gagged the House of Commons, suspended Mr. Labouchere and imprisoned Editor Parke, the Government now have the effrontery to claim that its character has been vindicated. A grim satisfaction is obtainable from the manner in which the scandal has been turned against Lord Salisbury personally. He is charged with conspiring to deteat the ends

of justice by aiding Lord Somerset to es-

A similar charge was made against Mr. Parnell in connection with Frank Byrne's flight. Parnell denied the charge. The House of Commons refused to believe him and it was left for a special commission to declare him innocent. Salisbury denies the charge against him. A considerable pro-portion of the House of Commons disbelieve the reigning Grand Duke. The game his denial, and prominent member of that House has declared him a liar. Why, therefore, ask the Liberal newspapers, shouldn't a commission be appointed to try the charges and allegations against Lord Salisbury?

THE DRAMATIC FEATURE. A dramatic incident of the debate was the challenge by Webster to Labouchere to state the name of the person who gave him information of the conversation between Salisbury and Probyn. Labouchere smiled an extremely broad smile and with an alacrity which showed the challenge was pleasing to him, wrote the name on a slip of paper, offered it to Webster and blandly invited that astonished gentleman to read it aloud. The house lifted its collective cars and eves and every tongue was silent, but Webster tailed to respond to the challenge, and a great roar of exultation went up from up the Liberal

Labouchere says he cannot divulge the name, and there have been many wild guesses as to his informant's identity. I am in a position to inform you that he is no

HOME RULE SURE TO WIN.

The Followers of Gladstone and Parnel Are Confident of Ultimate Success-Biggar, the Dead Member, Will be Sorely Missed. IBY CABLE TO THE DISPATCH.1

LONDON, March 1.-The vigorous speech of Sir William Harcourt at Bath has struck the keynote of the electoral campaign. Wipe out the Liberal Unionists is the battle cry which will be yelled from a thousand throats whenever the general fight commences. Harcourt's dealing with the Parnell Commission report showed masterly vigor and power of dissection and this part of his work he is likely to repeat in the House of Commons next week. Mr. Gladstone, who is now quite well again, will open the debate on the commission report on Monday, and he has already devoted several days to mastering all points in the report. He will endeavor to make the most critical analysis, and it is doubtful whether he can do this under two hours, which will mean a speech of six newspaper columns.

Mr. Parnell has been indisposed for a week past, and, much to his regret, he was unable to attend Mr. Biggar's funeral. He has been staying at the South of England for a rest, but he hopes to be in his place in Parliament next week. It now appears that the story that Biggar had left Butlerstown Castle to his dear triend Tim Healey is not true. The castle is hereafter to be at the disposal of the Roman Catholic priests officiating at Butlerstown. Some of the less wealthy Parnellite members may regret that the eastle has passed out of Biggar's control. He used it as a sort of a sanitarium or hos-pital for them. It any Parnellite complained of overwork or illness, it was Big-gar's custom to give them the keys of Butlerstown castle and beg them to go there and recuperate.

The bulk of Mr. Biggar's fortune, although he was never married, is willed to "My son, Joseph Biggar," upon condition that he shall pass examination as solicitor, which he has once failed to do. Should Joseph tail to qualify himself as a solicitor the bulk of his fortune goes to the Roman Catholic Church. The fact the that his dear friend Tim Healey is not mentioned in the will is due to Healey's own desire. Nevertheless Biggar left £1,000 to a son of Healey's, for whom he stood as godfather. Biggar's sister, who came over from Belfast and prevented a public funeral, taking upon herself the direction of arrange ments, is cut off with a legacy of £80.

AN IRISHMAN WINKED AT A PIG. The Latest Crime for Which a Son of Eris

Suffers. (BY CABLE TO THE DISPATCE.)

LONDON, March 1 .- The charges against Sir Morell Mackenzie, instigated by envious rival practitioners and by scheming politicians, have been pretty thoroughly exploded by the verdict against Steinkopff and the Times. No intelligent person conversant with the circumstances ever believed that Dr. Mackenzie subordinated profes- and other heresies, which, following upon sional duty to political considerations, and yet the exemplary damages he has obtained, with apologies of Steinkop ff and the Times, were necessary to put him right before the world. The adage that a cat may look at a king has been mentioned in this and other newspapers and is generally considered

Nevertheless in Ireland a man may no wink at a pig. Edward McGinley of Kult was on Thursday sentenced to three months' imprisonment for this crime. The pig with Labouchere.

He succeeded, to the great delight of the ministerialists. Labouchere, who is usually the spolert of men lest his relief and by a remarkable coincidence a home rule butcher was about to purchase the animal when McGinley, also a Home Ruler, winked upon it. The proposed is a remarkable coincidence a home rule butcher was about to purchase the animal when McGinley, also a Home Ruler, winked upon it. upon it. The upon turned his back upon the pig and the owner had McGinley arrested. The pig, while regretting McGinley's misfortune, expresses satisfaction in the present condi-tion of affairs, since no butcher has yet dared to purchase it for alimentary pur

> WEDDED A BANKER'S DAUGHTER. Obtained Her Father's Millions and Fled

With His First Love. (BY CABLE TO THE DISPATCH. LONDON, March 1 .- Berlin is enjoying pleasant scandal. Captain Baron Bernard Von Liechtritz Steinkirch, of the Grenadier Guards, a crack regiment of the German army, has just been expelled from the army, The Baron married, not quite three years ago, the only daughter of the great banker, Baron Bleichroder, receiving with her a dowr; of several million marks and two valuable estates in Silesia, near Breslau. The captain was married in June. In October he deserted his wife and about the same time there disappeared from her home a beautiful wife of a wealthy citizen of

Breslau, Frau Eiserann. Only a few days afterward the Silesian estates were put up for sale and brought a small fortune. The captain refused to refund any of his wife's dowry, but bought a handsome chateau in Austria, near Graz with her money, where he is now living with Frau Eiseman. His wife has obtained a divorce from him and returned to her munity by saying that the authorities had father's house. The captain is boasting that his marriage to Baron Bleichroder's daughter was a preconcerted scheme between himself and Frau Eiseman to obtain the banker's millions.

NOT MUCH OF A SPORTSMAN.

A Brother of the Kalser Succeeds in Injuring Himself and Others.

IBY CABLE TO THE DISPATCH. LONDON, March 1.-Prince Heinrich, ship, has injured himself so severely by a fall while shooting in Corfu that he will be compelled to give up the command of his warship, the Irene. The injury to himself was not all the injury Heinrich did in falling; both barrels of his gun were discharged severely wounding a Greek gentleman who

It is only four years ago that the Prince, while out duck shooting near Baden dis-charged his gun accidentally and permakeeper is now in receipt of a handso sion, both from the Grand Duke and Prince

ACCORDING TO ELSMERE.

Mrs. Humphrey Ward the High Priestess n New Religious Sect.

IBT CABLE TO THE DISPATCH.1 LONDON, March 1. - Mrs. Humphrey Ward's "Robert Elsemere," like Walter Besant's" All Sorts and Conditions of Men. is destined to be productive of something material. Besant's "Palace of Pleasure" now exists in Whitechapel as "The People's Palace," and Mrs. Ward has just established a new sort of Toynebee Hall in Gordon Square, where the new religion as outlined in "Robert Elemere," is to be

taught. Mrs. Ward is the high priestess of the new church, and Dr. Martinen and Stopford Brooke are among the influential persons

> A Bridge Saves 100 Miles. IBY CABLE TO THE DISPATCH.]

LONDON, March 1.-The great cantilever bridge across the Forth river at Edinburgh am in a position to inform you that he is no less a person than Sir Francis Knolys, Private Secretary to the Prince of Wales.

is to be opened with much ceremony by the Prince of Wales next Tuesday. After that trains will begin to run, and travelers in crals" are at the head of the movement.

Scotland will be able to save 100 miles

A CABINET CRISIS,

Constant, a Lending French Minister Becomes Disgusted and Resigns-His Enemy, Bonlanger, Sends a Telegram of Congent-

ulations. (BY CABLE TO THE DISPATCH.)

PARIS, March 1 .- There was a violent scene in the Cabinet Council to-day, at the conclusion of which Mr. Constans, Minister of the Interior, resigned his portfolio. Later M. Constans was interviewed and said in a few words: "I have resigned because I disagreed with the President of the Council on the acceptance of the German Emperor's invitation to the Berlin labor conference. I am a Frenchman, and I hope, a thorough patriot. I could not become a party to the

acceptance of Germany's profier, which I regard as adding insult to injury."

M. Constans has refused to withdraw his resignation. Three other members of the Cabinet are expected to follow his example. M. Constans has received a dispatch from General Boulanger, his great-est enemy, saying: "Tnanks, Constans, you have done France great service." President Carnot is making every effort to heal the breach and prevent the breaking up of the Cabinet. It was not to be expected that the consent of the French Gov-ernment to participate in the Berlin conference would pass without a protest. Everybody was surprised when the announcement was first made. Patriots shuddered at the idea of "shaking hands with the Prussians," as they termed it, Frenchmen generally thought this complaisance was going too far and compromis-ing the dignity of the country. This, taken in connection with the recent leniency to a royal pretender, has aroused a bitter spirit, cially among the radicals and extrem-

A strong and determined opposition is springing up in the Chamber. It was able to compel the President and the Council to beat a retreat on the intended release of the Duke of Orleans. It may gather additional power from the present unfortunate German incident, and find it-self in a position to overthrow the ministry. It will no doubt have the help of the Boulangists, and possibly in certain circumstances, of the Monarchists and Imperialists M. Bourgeois has accepted the portfolio of Minister of the Interior, in place of M. Constans, resigned.

TRYING TO CAPTURE A SEAT.

The Gladstoniaus Are Pressing the Conservatives at a Bye Election.

TBY CABLE TO THE DISPATCH.: LONDON, March 1 .- The week has brought fresh and peculiarly gratifying proofs of the growing dissensions within Tory ranks, Lord Randolph Churchill has thrown in his lot with the temperance party to the extent of advocating local option or prohibition his approval of the eight-hour agitation, has greatly shocked the staid Tories, and Balfour's promise to give Ireland some extension of local-self Government has caused open mutiny in Ulster. The outlook therefore is decidedly satisfactory to me rulers. Next Tuesday is polling day at St. Paneras and the constituency being a

count. At the last election the Tories had a majority of 260, and the Gladstonians are now working every nerve to wipe that out. will succeed. Other elections are coming notably at Stamford and Stoke on Trent, and these will probably reveal something though it is at St. Pancras that the main in terest is centered.

HOPES FOR HIS RECOVERY.

Young Lincoln is Still Very Weak but is Stendily Improving. IBY CABLE TO THE DISPATCH.]

LONDON, March 1 .- Abraham Lincoln is very weak to-day, but he takes liquid nourment well and keeps up his spirits. He is, of course, not out of danger, but hope of his recovery is still cherished. The operation was quite successful and the patient rallied considerably afterward. Such was his state of collapse on the night of February 26 that his condition was looked upon as hopeless. On the morning of the 27th, however, it was found that he had made a slight rally and again, as a last resort and in the hope he would be able to bear the strain, a second tapping operation was performed, giving him great relief. In the afternoon of the same day he had further rallied, and another operation was performed, establishing a permanent open ing and drain for his chest. All this has resulted in an amelioration of his chest ail ment, and, although he is still very prostrate, hopes are entertained. Such is native vigor and pluck that he may yet pull through. At midnight young Lincoln appears to be steadily recovering from the shock of the recent operations, and there is an encouraging amelioration in the more serious phases of his illness.

STANLEY IS BOTHERED

By the Curiosity of the Large Supply of Egyptian Idlers.

IBT CABLE TO THE DISPATCH. 1 LONDON, March L.-Stanley, who is nov working hard upon his journal for publication, complains that much of his day is brother of the German Emperor, who is taken up at Cairo by good fellows and cigasomething of a Mr. Winkle in sportsman- rette smoking civil officers, who never tire of questioning him about the wonders of the Dark Continent. He hopes to be in London about the mid-

dle of April, and one of his first public ap pearances will be at the American banquet.

TWO HUNDRED LIVES LOST.

The Report of the Loss of the Steame Quetta Fully Confirmed. LONDON, March 1 .- The report of the loss of the British steamer Quetta is confirmed at Lloyds. The advices received there state that 200 lives were lost. The steamer struck a rock not shown on the

the Torres straits, at the northern extremity of Australia, and sank in three minutes. CANADA WANTS TO BE INDEPENDENT. American Powers Will be Asked to Ald Her

chart at 9 o'clock last night near Simedl, in

in Obtaining Her Freedom. MONTREAL, March 1 .- A League has been formed here to bring about the independence of Canada by 1892. All the American powers are to be asked to exert their influence, and, if needs be, concerted action to free the country from the last vestige of European rule on the continent. The League will have united with it all

the Liberal clubs in the country. American universities are to be invited to co-operate, as well as political bodies who have for their object the bringing about of the final triumph of democratic institutions throughout the world. The League will be under the rol of a Supreme Council, whose actions will be kept secret.

This new departure coming after the re-cent actions of Liberal clubs in declaring

TRUSTED A TRAITOR.

A Man Who Handled Fifty Millions In Four Years Found to be

JUST ABOUT \$1,700,000 SHORT.

Wool Firm Reveals a

VERY STARTLING STATE OF AFFAIRS.

The Enormous Discrepancies Cover a Period Com

mencing in 1875. George P. Brown, head of a big Boston

wool firm, is short \$1,700,840. He was trusted implicitly and had accounts with two banks alone, which amounted to \$50,000,000 in four years. The books were in a very demoralized condition.

Mass; General Pearson, of Pittsburg, who has the support of Representative Dalzell, and Colonel McNichel, of Philadelphia, who is Congressman Bingham's candidate. Now, however, it appears that an outside element is entering into the contest, proposing to SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH). BOSTON, March 1 .- A deficiency of \$1,-

700,000 has been found in the books of George P. Brown, the head of the big wool firm of Brown, Theese & Clark, and Treasurer of the Riverside and Oswego mills whose side and Oswego mills, whose failure last summer created such a sensation. The report of the expert accountant, which as a dangerous opponent by the Pennsylcontains this information, was submitted to the assignees to-day. He found the books in a demoralized condition. It took months to ascertain the exact con-

dition of affairs. Brown had handled immense sums in his official capacity. In the last four years he had deposited \$50,000,000 in two banks, to say nothing of deposits in five other banks. The books do not, however, account for \$1,-700,840 beyond the fact that the money had been withdrawn by Brown. Where that big sum has gone, only Mr. Brown knows. FOR THIRTEEN YEARS.

Henry A. Fifer, the accountant, after stating assets and liabilities show on the face of the accounts, says in his re-port: "A trial balance of the ledger on August 6, 1889, shows an apparent sur-plus of \$246,983, but on an analysis there is found among the assets accounts to a large amount that are worthless and have been for years. In looking over the books I found discrepancies spread over each year from 1875 to 1888."

It was found that indebtedness to the amount of \$1,700,840 existed on August 6, 1889, that had no record upon the firms' books, thus swelling the direct debt to \$3,-112,159. No detailed record of this additional indebtedness was in existence, except such as could be gathered from memoranda on slips of paper. Beside being treasurer of the Riverside and Oswego Mills Mr. Brown has for many years acted as Mr. Brown has for many years acted as financial agent for three corporations to a certain extent. He has also been accustomed to get notes and acceptances discounted for his own and others' benefit, besides the discounts obtained by him for his firm.

The firm's business bank account was with the National Bank of Redemption. at St. Paneras and the constituency being a typical metropolitan one the contest is being watched very closely by all parties.

The fight will be between Mr. Bolton, a Gladstonian, and Mr. Graham, a Tory. An independent candidate, John Lighton, has been nominated, but he is of very little actions to the state of the THE METHODS EMPLOYED.

> The methods employed by Mr. Brown in First, a discount of one or more pieces paper would be obtained at a bank than where a regular account kept. Quite probably there was indebtedness maturing at that t. The amount of such was debt would be deducted and a check drawn by Mr. Brown for the balance. This check instead of being deposited in some one of his regular banks, would be used to par-

tially pay a debt elsewhere, his check or the firm's being given for the difference. Thus no record of the transaction appeared. Second, a note or notes would be placed in a broker's hands for sale. The advances say \$10,000. The check thus advanced is indersed direct to A. D. Juillard Co., New York, and the only elew obtainable to the transaction is check given the broker for an amount representing interest or discount. Third a discount is obtained at some bank. The pro-ceeds are paid to Mr. Brown in New York funds. These funds are immediately mailed to New York, and thus no record remains to how what notes were discounted, or where. By the aid of copy books and letters many of these transactions have been arrived at

A PECULIAR CHURCH FIGHT.

One Priest Charges Another With Partici-

but in proportion to the whole they are of

pation in a Conspiracy to Murder. SHENANDOAH, PA., March 1 .- Considerable excitement exists here among the members of the Greek Catholic Church over the arrest of their pastor. Last June the Rev. Wolanski left the church in charge of Rev. Andruchovicz and went to Lemburg, Austria, to consult with his superiors. On Thursday he returned here and demanded posession of his church, but the substitute refused to vacate, claiming that the peopl desired him to remain.

To-day Rev. Andruchovicz and six other. were arrested on the charge that they had tormed a conspiracy to murder a triend of

furnished \$1,000 bail. EX-SHERIFF WALKER ACQUITTED.

Youngstown Jury Finds He is Not Gullty of Embezzlement.

Each of the accused

ISPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.1 Youngstown, O., March 1 .- The case of ex-Sheriff Eli B. Walker, indicted for embezzlement, was given to the jury at noon to-day, and two hours later they returned verdict of not guilty.

While Walker had retained \$1,900 in his hands for a short time it was shown that it was with the consent of the attorney for th party to whom it was due, and was paid in tull. There was no evidence to show that Walker had any intent to convert the money to his own use, or defraud anyone in the transaction.

A Valuable Limb.

BUFFALO, N.Y., March 1 .- The Supreme Court jury this morning rendered a verdict for \$8,000 in the case of C. F. Pitcher against the Lake Shore Railroad Company for the loss of a leg, caused by the sudden starting of a train carrying a carload of horses, of which Pitcher had charge.

Trying to Wipe Out Virginia's Debt. RICHMOND, VA. March 1 .- A resolution providing for the appointment of a commis sion to confer with the bondholders, with view to the settlement of the State debt, in conformity with the provisions of the Rid-dleberger bill, passed the Legislature to-

Judge James Lawrenceson Dying. BALTIMORE, MD., March 1 .- Judg James Lawrenceson aged 87, the oldest employe of the United States Postal Service, both in point of age and continuous service, is dying at his home in this city, of pneumonia. HARTRANFT'S PLACE

Is Being Engerly Sought by a Host of Candidates-A New Name Which Has Caused Something of a Sensation - There is An-

other Vacancy.

[FROM A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.] WASHINGTON, March 1 .- There is quite an interesting little fight developing over the vacancy in the Board of Managers of An Investigation Into the Accounts of a | the National Soldiers Home, occasioned by the death of General Hartranft, of Pennsylvania. It is customary to fill such vacancies by the appointment of a successor from the same State. Consequently there are several candidates from Pennsylvania, all urgently pushing their

claims and providing a nice enough little fight without outside assistance. They are Major General Gregg, of Read-ing, who is indersed by Congressman Maish; General Pearson, of Pittsburg, who take the place away from Pennsylvania en-tirely. It is said that General Alger, of Michgan, is anxious to succeed General Hartmnit, and has started out with the his own personal strength among his many friends in official life, and he is regarded

There is another vacancy on the board caused by the death of Colonel Martin, the Kanes member, and if General Alger really wants to be on the board, the Pennsylvania Congressmen think that he ought to make application to become Colonel Martin's successor for geographical reasons, rather than interfere in a purely Eastern contest. Ex-Congressman Steele, of Indiana, is also understood to be a candidate for appointment to succeed General Hartranft.

ALGER FOR PRESIDENT.

The Michigan Man Talks in a Very Guarded

Minner About the Prospect - The Dependent Pension Bill Will Pass Congress. ISPICIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.1 COLUMBUS, March 1 .- General Alger, commander-in-chief of the Grand Army of the Republic, passed through Columbus today on his way to Detroit. He had been attending the department encampment at Parkersburg, W. Va. Ohio's commander, General Hurst, and a large of Grand Army men number met Alger at the depot and had a long talk with him. The old grizzly here was asked what he thought of the boom for the Presidency that a Chicago paper was giving him, but laughing, he said it was too early to talk about that matter, that the convention would not be held for two years and several months yet, and he had not authorized any mention of his name for that high office. He refused to say whether he favored Harrison for a second term or not. In regard to the service pension bill General Alger said: service pension bill General Alger said:

I do not believe the service pension bill has any show for passage, but the disability or dependent pension bill will undoubtedly go through. This bill provides \$12 a month for soldiers who are not able to work and are dependent, but it doesn't require the hospital record or proof that the trouble is incident to the army. The members of Congress are calling for the number of soldiers now living, and no Grand Army man nor any man living can come within 250,000 of the number. This information is wanted in order to form an estimate of the amount that would be required to pay the service pensions. If anything is done in that line it will not be until after the census is completed. I am in tavor of the dependent bill at present, and advised my committee that under the circumstances it was better to advocate the passage of that bill, for in the endeavor to get the other we might lose both. If this session Congress does nothing, why there is another next fall to work upon.

Congress does nothing next fall to work upon. HUSTON WILL NOT RESIGN

Because He Has Been Reported to be Fighting the Administration. PERCIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATOR ! INDIANAPOLIS, March 1 .- Several Inlianapolis Republicans visited J. N. Huston at Connersville vesterday and he authorized them to say that he is not going to resign the Treasurership of the United States. It was his intention to resign upon this trip home, but after consulting with some of his friends he reconsidered his determine. tion. He was moved to a reconsideration because the Democratic newspapers have continually said that he was at outs with the administration. He assured those to whom he talked that he would under no consideration abandon his office before the State election. In a general talk on politics Mr. Huston said he had spent over \$100,000 since he went into Indiana politics. He is exceedingly anxious to get back into private

A prominent Republican told your correspondent to-day that he knew that Huston would resign at no distant day, and that he was particularly angry at Harrison, be-cause, notwithstanding his expressed desire that W. G. Robertson, of Mt. Vernon, his private secretary during the campaign, should be appointed Bank examiner, Har-rison had appointed an obscure Republican named Holman, of Rochester, to that position. In private he condemns the administration.

TO TRY AN EXPERIMENT.

Phillips Brooks Wants to Find a Christia Business Man in New York.

PEPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH. NEW YORK, March 1 .- Trinity Church was well filled with men half an hour before noon to-day, and hundreds of later comers had been turned away at the doors, when Phillips Brooks began the last of his series of noon-day addresses. He spoke upon the possibility of Christianity for ordinary men, and said it was time it was proved whether or not a man could be a consistent Christian and do business in New York.

A CHURCH QUARREL ENDED.

Rishon Ryan Removes a Priest at th Request of the Congregation. BUFFALO, N. Y., March 1 .- Bishop Ryan has consented to the request of St. Adelbert's congregation for the removal of the objectionable priest, and the appointing of another, more agreeable to the parishioners. This ends the quarrel that has existed for

A DRY SABBATH IN KENTUCKY. Covington Saloon Keepers Indicted for Selling Liquor on Sunday.

CINCINNATI, O., March 1 .- One hundred and sixty-three indictments against saloon keepers for selling liquor on Sunday, contrary to an old statute of the State, were returned to-day by the Grand Jury in Covington, Ky. This includes all the saloon keepers in Covington except two.

THE LATEST SILCOTT. He Calls Himself F. F. Thayer, but His

Captors Are Hopeful. CHEHALIS, WASH., March 1,-The arrested at Toledo yesterday, supposed to be Silcott. He gives the name of F. F. Thayer, and is apparently attempting to conceal his identity. He claims to have been a resident of Washington, D. C., and to have known Sileott.

THOUSANDS OF THEM

Any Number of Children Under the Age Required by Law Are

NOW AT WORK IN THE FACTORIES. Inspector Martin Will Soon Begin Business in Real Earnest.

RESULT OF A PARTIAL INVESTIGATION.

In answer to complaints, Factory Inspector

Martin says that his office will soon be in

active operation. A partial investigation

shows thousands of children under the

Some Concerns Have Already Agreed to Reform Their Hours of Labor.

proper age are employed throughout the State. Mr. Martin is ready to inquire into any case called to his attention. PEPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH. PHILADELPHIA, March 1.-It has been charged by the Knights of Labor and other organizations of like character that the recent Act passed by the Legislature which relates to the employment and safety of women and children in mercantile, industrial and manufacturing establishments is constantly violated in certain districts, and

in the bill, 12 years, are still employed in many factories. These charges have been made not only here, but at Pittsburg and many other points throughout the State. William H. Martin, who was recently appointed Factory Inspector by Governor Beaver, in speaking the matter this evening, said:

NO OFFICIAL RICK.

"I have received no official communication from the Knights of Labor complaining that the act is being constantly violated, outside of a letter I received yesterday from the National Trade Assembly requesting that an office be established in Philadelphia, in or-

office be established in Philadelphia, in or-der that they may more easily have access to the Factory Inspector. "People must remember," continued Mr. Martin, "that the office of Factory Inspector is a new one in this State, and that it takes some time to get things in working order. It is only a few months ago that my deputies, Wesley Godfrey and Miss Bella Mc-Henry, were appointed. They have charge of the factories in Philadelphia, Bucks, Montgomery, Chester and Delaware counties, and have been busily engaged in visit-

ing these manufacturing establishments in those counties ever since. "During our inspection we have found the law violated in several places, and thousands of children employed under the age stated in the act and forced to work over the period mentioned in the bill.

CHILDREN WORKING ELEVEN HOURS. "Three mills in Lancaster had been working the women and children 11 hours per day. We notified them that they would have to comply with the law, and they promised to come to ten hours, beginning next Monday. In the large cities, especially, we find in our inspection that a number of children under the age of 12 years, have

"In nearly every mill and factory I vis-ited I had to give orders for better sanitary arrangements and changes in shafting, belting and machinery which were found to be dangerous to employes. I have made it my especial duty to see that fire escapes are put in all the mills and factories. In Philadelphia, and especially in Reading, a number of changes are necessary. In conclusion, Mr. Martin said that he would attend immediately to any communi-

HOW WILL THEY MAKE HIM TELL?

cation in the way of complaints.

Decision That an Employe Must Impart Secrets Discovered by Him. ISPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH. PROVIDENCE, R. I., March 1 .- The Supreme Court has given a decision to-day which establishes a precedent as to the rights which an employer has to the knowledge of his employed. The Scheir Spring Dyeing and Bleaching Company, of which ex-Governor Henry Leppitt is one of the principal owners, had in its employ an expert chemist. James C. Woolworth, who contracted for a certain term of years and at a certain salary, with the proviso that whatever discoveries he should make in the laboratory of the company in making dyes, etc., should be the property of the company. Woolworth later made important discoveries of much value in the company's business, but declined to make known his formuias. The company brought suit and after a long consideration, a majority of the full bench has decided that it is entitled to the full benefit of all the discoveries, and that Woolworth must impart his knowledge

JUST A BUSINESS PROPOSITION. ensational Developments in the Hurley

Bank Robbery Case. ASHLAND, WIS., March 1 .- Evidence of startling nature was given to the city by J. C. Lennon, brother of the attorney, in the Hurley bank robbery case. He said that two weeks before Christmas Ed Goodland came to him with a proposition to make \$2,500 apiece, saying Cashier Reynolds had offered him that much to help rob the bank. The witness asked Goodland if Perrin had anything to do with the scheme, and was told he new nothing about it.

Defendant Edward Baker explained how he came to have so much money about the time of the robbery. He came to Hurley broke, and went to Perrin for help, because he had known the latter for 12 years. rin, the witness, testified, gave him \$1,500 in cash to buy a saloon. This, less the cost of the license and other minor matters, was the money he had on his person when arrested. Baker endeavored to establish an alibi by testifying that he was at the theater at the hour of the robbery.

A VICTIM OF HYDROPHOBIA.

The Sufferer Asks His Friends to Kill Him to End His Misery. [SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.1 ERIE, PA., March 1 .- John Wilson, a young farmer living in the vicinity of Erie, is a victim of hydrophobia. He lies in convulsions, and the case is well marked. Twenty four years ago he was bit in the thumb by a dog. A few weeks ago he selt a numbness in his hand, and as soon as it reached his shoulder he was seized with the rabies.

Neighbors held him fast with buckskin cov-

During lucid intervals the poor fellow

begs piteously to be smothered and put out

ered hands.

years of age.

LAKE NAVIGATION OPENED. The Earliest Trip for Years on the Fresh-

water Ocean. COLCHESTER, ONT., March 1. - The steamer City of Cleveland, of the Detroit Sheriff arrived here to-day with the man and Cleveland Steam Navigation Company, left Detroit this afternoon on her way to Cleveland and passed here at 3 o'clock. She was making splendid time, and, barring

KINCAID OUT ON BAIL.

Friends Come to the Rescue of the Man Who Was Almost a Murderer-Taulbee's Chance of Recovery Believed to be Good.

WASINGTON, March 1 .- The nearly fatal affray in the Capitol yesterday continues to be the absorbing topic of conversation. Late this afternoon Mr. Kincaid, with his attorney, appeared I be Judge Miller, of A Fortune of \$45,000 Dissipated in Many 'ng examination, the Police Court, # the Police Court, and a serious design of the persons were present rease properties of the first of the persons were present rease properties of the persons were present rease present rease properties of the persons were present rease properties of the persons were present rease pr

Stamp as sole surety in the sum named. Mr. Kincaid passed a rather comfortable night, sleeping but little, however, owing to he severe strain which his nerves had undergone. Mr. Kincaid said to-day that for a long time he had had great difficulty in getting to sleep at night, even under the most favorable circumstances. Shortly after noon Mr. Kincaid, in company with an

officer, called at the office of his counsel, C. C. Maurice Smith. During the morning Mr. Kincaid received large number of telegrams from prominent people of Kentucky, tendering legal or other assistance. Judge Durham, of Danville, Ky., ex-First Controller of the Treasury; James G. Givens, of Louisville, and Colonel George M. Davis, also of Louisville, all men of eminent legal ability, offered their

The consultation over Mr. Taulbee was a number of children under the age stated held by Drs. Bayne, C. Adams and Fred-erick. It was decided not to make an effort to probe for the bullet at present, as it is apparently not doing any harm in its present position. The physicians report a marked improvement in Mr. Taulbee's condition and the furniture. 'Griscom was leaning back that his chances for a speedy recovery are

THE B. & O.'S NEW MOVE

Reaching the Windy City by Purchasing the Chicago and Atlantic-Competing With the Pennsylvania Company for Pittsburg's

CHICAGO, March 1.-The latest gossip concerning the Baltimore and Ohio and its newspapers. On the desk in front of him sileged plans for obtaining a foothold in were several letters addressed to various alleged plans for obtaining a foothold in this city, is to the effect that one of the schemes under consideration by the ten by Griscom on the brevity of life, full management of the company is the of good advice to men to bear their ills purchase of the Chicago and Atlantic bravely, and a letter addressed to the Cor-Road. This would not only give the Balti-oner. Griscom was the son of Dr. John H. Road. This would not only give the Baltimore and Ohio first-class terminal facilities. which it needs above all things, but would add to its system a line of road that, by the construction of a 30-mile link between wounded in the battle of Fredericksburg, Marion, O., and Mt. Vernon, and was promoted to be lieutenant.
O., would materially shorten its route

A SMALL FORTUNE LOST. between Chicago and Eastern points, thus making possible more equal competition with the Pennsylvania system. In such an pate it by gratifying his passion for tinker-event the Baltimore and Ohio would have ing at mechanics. He had visionary event the Baltimore and Ohio would have

Upon how much foundation the gossip in this connection it would be difficult to say. The general opinion has been that the Erie Railroad Company would eventually absorb or secure control of the Chicago and Atlan-

CREATING A NEW COUNTY. Allegheny, Armstrong, Butler and West-:SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH. 1 GREENSBURG, PA., March 1 .- It is

robable that a new county will be formed taking in part of Westmoreland, Armstrong heing made by the citizens of Apollo, Leech burg, Freeport, Natrona and Parnassus to have the new district created, and it is very probable that they will succeed. Prominent people in those towns say that no stone will be left unturned looking to the formation of a new county. By statistics

lawfully encroaching upon any of the coun-ties from which they propose taking the ter-

and data carefully gathered they claim to

be able to cut off a new county without un-

MURDERED IN A POREIGN LAND. Sad Fate of a Wealthy Young Englishman in Canada. PRINCETON, ONT., March 1 .- The body of the man who was found murdered, with the appearance of having been robbed, in the woods near here a lew days ago, has been positively identified as M. Benwell, a

came to this country for the purpose of starting a stock farm.

wealthy young Englishman, who recently

A SOCIETY LEADER'S PLIGHT.

He is Charged With Embezzling \$1,800 From His Employer. LOUISVILLE, KY., March 1 .- William M. Smith, son of A. T. Smith, a well-known liquor dealer, is charged with embezzling \$1,800. He was employed by H. Weirich, a shoe dealer, for years as bookkeeper, and is charged with having appropriated the money in small sums. He has been a leader

in society. THE DISPATCH DIRECTORY.

Contents of the Issue Classified for the Render's Convenience. The first part of THE DISPATCH to-day contains all the news, local, general and foreign. The second and third par s contain carefully selected matter that cannot fail to please, interest and instruct. The first installment of

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TIRED OF TRIFLING.

An Unfortunate Inventor Ends His

FIVE CENTS

Life in a Peculiar Manner. HIS LAST DEVICE A SUCCESS.

Fruitless Efforts.

DESERTED BY FAMILY AND PRIENDS

Disposed of His Few Effects and Tried His Final Contrivance.

Inventor John Griscom, of New York suicided yesterday by inhaling gas through

having been wasted. He left a treatise on the brevity of life, filled with good advice. SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.1 NEW YORK, March 1 .- John Griscom, an inventor, whose inventions had never been put to practical use and who had spent an inherited fortune of \$45,000 in trying to introduce them to the notice of capitalists, committed suicide to-day in his office at 47 Park street by inhaling illuminating

a peculiar apparatus designed by himself.

All hie plans had failed, a fortune of \$45,000

by Edward Teiffe, an employe of H. Buhler, a machinist to whom on Friday Griscom had sold his desk and office chair. against; he wal, with a piece of calico, which

gas by means of a queer contrivance, which

was his last invention. He was found sit-

ting behind his desk early in the morning

had been used as a window curtain, thrown over his head like a veil.

THE METHOD OF SUICIDE. To a gas jet in the wall Griscom had attached a long rubber tube, with one end passed up through a buttonhole in his coat and tied with a piece of twine to his coat collar, so that the end of the tube was near his mouth. Griscom had stopped the cracks in the door and windows with rags and old

Griscom, a physician who was formerly well known in New York. He enlisted in the One Hundred and Fifty-Second New

From a distant relative he inherited \$45,-

000 several years ago, and proceeded to dissi-

practically a double track west of Pittsburg, with local traffic in portions of that territired of pushing them. One of his devices was an airspring for railroad cars. It was never used. Griscom's family had withdrawn themselves from him on acand three children live in San Francisco.
Griscom's home was in Hempstead, L. I.
He had for several years been trying to
make money on his farm near Hempstead

> ing process. The process, however, was a failure, and the experiment cost Griscom a pile of money.

SOLD AT A SACRIFICE President Leland Retires From the Control

by raising chickens by a peculiar incubat-

of the Wrecked Bank. ISPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH. NEW YORK, March 1 .- Within ten days Mr. Charles H. Leland will retire from the Presidency of the Sixth National Bank, which he temporarily resumed after Classsen and his associates had been got rid of. According to the present taken by a syndicate of gentlemen well known in the banking world. The terms of the sale will be on a basis of \$330 per share for the 1,005 shares which Mr. Leiand owns. Unless there should be some change made

in the arrangements Mr. Leland's successor as President of the bank will be Mr. Alexander H. Stevens, now the Vice President of the Gallatin National Bank.

Mr. Stevens is a man well along in years, widely known and highly respected in financial circles. For many years he was the cashier of the Gallatin Bank. He is a man of means, and some time ago, desiring to retire from the active duties his place, he was put into the honorable position which he now holds. The price at which it is said Mr. Leland's stock is to be sold represents practically its intrinsic value, based upon the assets of the bank. The price paid by Classen and Simmons

six months ago for the same stock was \$650 per share.

A PATED FAMILY. A Mother and Four Children Die Within a Week of Diphtheria.

Gregor, wife of ex-Representative J. C. McGregor, died at her home in this city this morning of heart failure, caused by diphtheria. During the past week four children have died of the same disease, and Mr. McGregor herself is very sick. The family has re-

PERCIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCEL!

ZANESVILLE, O., March 1 .- Mrs. Mc-

southern part of the city, and the sickness is said to be caused by the unsanitary condition of the surroundings of the dwelling.

DIED PROM PRIGHT. A Woman Expires During a Fright at a School Entertainment.

KANSAS CITY, March 1 .- During an entertainment which was held at the Shorts school, 12 miles west of here, last night four men became engaged in a quarrel. Mrs. Henry Short, who was present, witnessed it and during its progress she fainted and died. She was subject to heart disease. Six men received painful wounds in the course of the row, which is said, was begun by the three Swett brothers, who had been drinking whisky. Warrants have beer issued, but to-night no arrests have beer

Ex-Treasurer Henningway All Right. JACKSON, MISS., March 1.- Experts who have been examining the books of ex-Treasurer Henningway, will report that his accounts are correct and that the apparent big shortage was due to errors in bookkeeping. The Torpedo Boat Chushing a Success.

NEWPORT, R. I., March 1 .- Lieutenant Converse, U. S. N., in charge of the torpedo boat Chushing here to-day pronounces her up to all requirements and a success. Ex-Governor English Critically Ill. NEW HAVEN, CONN., March 1 .- The ill-

more seriens turn, and late to-night be is reported to be in a very critical condition. CHICAGO, March 1 .- The Board of Trade

decided to-day to abolish the gathering and dissemination of quotations. This action is aimed at the bucket shops.