THE LETTER AT LAST.

'Squire Piper Hears the Evidence in Rev. Mr. Bristol's Libel Suit-

AN ATTACHMENT WAS NECESSARY

To Secure the Missive, Which the Justice Decides Is Libelous.

THE CASE IS CONTINUED FOR COURT

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.] BEAVER FALLS, Sept. 6. - A continuance was had yesterday before Justice Piper on the preliminary hearing in the libel suit instituted by Rev. J. W. Bristol, paster of the First Baptist Church of this place, against Dr. James W. Squires, Treasurer of

the Baptist Church at Churchuseo, Ind. The first hearing was adjourned to allow Sol Myers, who acknowledged on oath that he had the letter upon which the libel suit

rests, to produce said letter. At the appointed hour Myers failed to show up and an attachment was issued. He was found by the officer, and when brought before the Justice said that his attorney had advised him not to show the letter. Finally he agreed to allow a copy to be made of it by a stenographer. The Justice decided to return the case to court. A requisition will be gotten out and Dr. Squires will be brought from Indiana to this county to answer the charge.

THE 'SQUIRE'S DECISION. The justice decided that the letter was ex-

The justice decided that the letter was exceedingly libelous. It is very voluminous and contains matter of the most sensational kind. It is addressed to the "First Baptist Church of Beaver Falls, or to whom it may concern," and is dated August B. 1891. In part the missive is as follows:

"We have received many letters concerning Rev. W. J. Bristol, as to his character, antecedents, etc. In answer we would state that Rev. Mr. Bristol came here out of jail, or was taken out by giving bail for his appearance at court. He prefessed to be a minister who had gotten into trouble through no fault of his own. He attended our prayer meetings and talked so nice, and acknowledged with tears flowing down his checks that he had been so wicked, but that he desired to reform, that we finally concluded to give him a call as pastor of this church. We thought we were going to have a shining pastor.

a shining pastor.
"It was not long, however, until we found him out and then gave him his dismissal. He (Bristol) collected money to build a church and never turned it over to the church and never turned it over to the church people, but appropriated it to his own use. He also contracted debts which he left unpaid and skipped the town, and we are informed on good authority that he got a man to move him and goods to the Fort Wayne station in the night, that he might get away and avoid having

HIS GOODS ATTACHED

to satisfy his creditors. He borrowed money from the church to help him out of a tight place, and never paid it back. He borrowed \$20 or \$25 from John Hulmes, one of the church members, who took his individual note for it. Hulmes will never see his money again. He owes F. S. Stool a store bill of \$8.25, Smith Bros. \$5.50, Dr. Squires \$30 for professional services, and numerous other persons in Churubusec."

The letter goes on in this strain for several closely written pages, and concludes with the following language: "He is a liar, a backbiter, a slanderer and a prevaricator, is as sharp as a tack as sly as a fox and as slick as a greased hog."

The document is signed by G. B. Henick, S. B. Lockmore, James W. Squires, G. W. Stilles, J. R. Easley, R. B. Clear and G. Coe, deacons and trustees of the Baptist Church of Cherubuseo, Ind. from the church to help him out of a tight

THE ITALIAN ITCH EPIDEMIC.

Hundreds of People Affected With This

at Cincinnati at the time of the raid on Jim laborers, who have recently been employed in this neighborhood, and has spread both up and down the line of the Philadelphia and Rending Railroad and along the line of the new Treaton cut-off from Morrisville to Gien Loch.

Two Daring Mariners.

Two Daring Mariners.

They Sail Away From New York to Boston in a Little Cigar Box Craft.

ion, first from the Italians to the she keepers and then to the people generally.

That American Photographer Identified.

WHERLING, W. VA., Sept. 6 .- [Special.]-Carleton Groves, who was arrested at Mayance, Germany, yesterday, charged with being a spy, is the son of Robert Groves, of Barnsville, Belmont county, Ohio, and a Barnsville, Belmont county, Ohio, and a nepliew of Joseph Groves, of this city. He has been in the employ of the Pennsylvania Bailroad at the Broad street station, Philadeiphia, for several years, and being an expert amateur photographer, was sent along the railroad this summer to take views, and then given a vacation, which accounts for his presence in Germany. He took his camera with him more for pleasure in taking views of scenery than anything clsa.

Big Electric Storm in Ohio. ALLIANCE, O., Sept. 6 .- [Special.] - The most destructive electric and rain storm ever witnessed here passed over this section of the State last evening. No less than 12 buses and barns are reported struck by thining, resulting in a total loss of because \$30,000 and \$75,000. The electric disduring the storm was dazzling, while nin descended in torrents. It is re-d to-day that a number of lives were

lost within the range of the storm, but owing to the lack of telegraph facilities today, it is impossible to get anything definite. The Salvation Army Will Fight.

case as to their right to beat a drum while parading the streets. Two of the officers are under arrest charged with disturbance and violation of an ordinance by beating a drum. Robert McCordy, President of the First National Bank, furnished bond for their ap-pearance area eminent legal counsel have been engaged to defend them.

Left Both Stage and Husband.

Youngstown, Sept.6. - [Special.] - Miss Anna Barwell, of this city, while traveling with an opera company two years ago married D. Fred Ashton, who was in the cast. Miss Barwell has left the Wilbur Opera Company, returning here, and will remain until she se-cures a divorce. She charges Asiton with extreme crocky, and claims that his con-duct became unbeamble, forcing her to sue for divorce.

Typhoid Fever in West Virginia.

PARKERSBURG, W. Va., Sept. 6 .- [Special.]-Typhoid fever is increasing in different parts of this State, and a number of deaths have occurred in this immediate vicinity. The disease, which was started after the streets were torn up for improvements, has about ran its course. At Fairmount it is still rag-ing, and nearly 100 cases are reported from Ohio and Marshal counties.

Dairell Delegates From Altoona. ALTOONA, PA., Sept. 6.-[Special.]-The Aldelegates to the Scranton Convention and declined to instruct them. The delegates are E. H. Numer, George B. Bennett, for Deltell, and J. D. Hicks, who was Blair Gounty's choice for Congress last year, and who thinks it is to the best interest of the

A Doctor's Fatal Fall.

Crmnentann, Mn., Sept. 6.-[Special.]-Dr. G. E. Hotchkiss, the resident physician of the Raltimore & Ohio road at Barton, Md., was killed inst night by falling from a train. He was on his way to visit a patient when the accident occurred. Losing his hold on the railing, he pitched forward to the ground, crushing his skull and breaking his neck.

The Didn't-Know-It-Was-Loaded Fiend. WESTON, W. VA., Sept. 6.-[Special.]-John Crowl pointed a revolver at his mother yesterday, under the impression the weapon was not leaded. The ball struck her in the back and penetrated the left lung. She may ABOUT THE RAIN-MAKERS.

TEXANS HAVE LITTLE FAITH IN THEIR DYNAMITE BOMBS They Call Them Dudes and Laugh About Their Foolishness - An Unorganized

teresting Letter.

WELLSBURG, W. Va., Sept 6 .- [Special.] -In a letter just received from Texas in the immediate vicinity of the work of the recent rain producers, some interesting statements are made. An abstract of the letter is as follows:

Party Which All Want to Boss-An In-

is as follows:

Our ranche is only 12 miles as the crow flies from the place of experiment, and there has been no rainfall on it since the party came. There has been one min on the Chicago ranch, where they are located, but there is really no just reason to think it was caused by their work, as they have only sent up one balloon containing the hydrooxygen gas, and several kites with a small amount of dynamite attached, besides exploding some rack-a-rock on the ground. It seems the apparatus for making the gas will not work as it should, and they can only indiate one balloon a day, which is nonsense when they try to bring rain in an area of many a score of square miles. Then there seems to be no head to the party, and the members are continually quarreling among themselves, and they seem to be rather trying more to have a good and lively time with Uncle Sam's money than they are trying to bring rain. We suggest, in fact, that they do not want to bring rain, as it might spoil their pleasure trip.

Then they will not allow any strange re-

bring rain, as it might spoil their pleasure trip.

Then they will not allow any strange reporters to ascertain anything about their methods or success, but prefer to do their own editing of copy sent to papers. The dispatches sent out to the Northern papers, stating that the rack-a-roak bomb brought a heavier rain on the Chicago ranch than had fallen there for three years, are simply lies of the whole cloth, and were sent out by members of the experimenting party. There has been a longer spell of dry season than has occurred since 1885, but no cattle have died. There have been several nice rains in the past few weeks, before the "heaven busters" struck the plains, and also after they came here, but before they fired a shot, and since they began the bombardment they have not brought enough to water, their whisky. I suppose, however, if it should happen to rain, as we naturally should have much in a short while, the experime ters will get all the credit, and Providence won't even be in it.

It's a dudish sort of an outfit, so far as the "scientific" end of the party is concerned, and altogether they have impressed the native "Maverick puncher" as being away below par in an intellectual ways If it's necessary to act so silly, and say such simple things, in order to be "scientific," I fear the ordinary Texan's education in that line has been woefully neglected. That statement may be severe, and even unjust, but this much is true: they are sadly lacking in organization and descient in common sense. Neither do they seem to possess any nerve, and are greatly afraid of their own machines, and unless they soon get over their new wardness there will be a grand explosion down there some day, and they will at last succeed in bringing rain—a perfect torrent of atomized scientists. We people down here believe they can bring rain when the moisture is in the air, but not any sooner than nature does under the same conditions. trip.
Then they will not allow any strange re-

A DESPERATE CONVICT.

He Will Be Released at Columbus To-Day,

but Immediately Rearrested. COLUMBUS, Sept. 6.-[Special.]-George Duncan, the pal of the celebrated Jim Anderson, recently captured in Cleveland by Detective Kelly, will be released from the penitentiary to-morrow, but will not be a free man but a few seconds. He is wanted at Cincinnati for burglary and shooting to kill. As soon as Duncan steps outside of the prison he will be arrested and sent back for trial. The prisoner is a desperate man, and will give the officers trouble if he has half a chance at the time his rearrest is attempted.

Duncan was received at the penitentiary March 11, 1890, from Cincinnati on a one-March 11, 1890, from Cincinnati on a one-year sentence for shooting to wound Patrol-man Casey, who was trying to arrest him for burglary. July 25, of the same year, he escaped, in company with another prisoner known as Charley Ray. Warden Dyer and the prison guards cornered the fugitives in a minute parasite transmissible from one per-son to another. The disorder here is affect-ing all classes alike and the best families and most refined people are among the sufwas away longer, but was finally captured ferers. It is traced to the imported Italian at Cincinnati at the time of the raid on Jim

NEW YORK, Sept. 6.-[Special.]-This afternoon two young men sailed from Rockaway Beach in a dory, bound for Boston. Harry Tumbenback, the captain, sat in the stern just before starting, while Robert Valkeburg, the mate and crew, went forward and christened the craft "The Little Rover." Their boat is 7 feet long and 2 feet, 6 inches in width. It has a square stern, is flat bottomed, has a center board and carries a main sail and a jib. With its two oc-cupamts it draws 6 inches, while its gun-wales are about 8 inches above the water. In this eigar box the two men expect to reach Boston in about nine days. They expect to capsize frequently, so they carry a reel with a long line. When they go over-board they will swim ashore, drag the boat after them, bail her out and proceed. Both the voyagers are robust young fellows, who have made a record as life-savers at Rockaway and Asbury Park. They will trust to their swimming powers rather than to the

GENERAL GRUBB HOME.

After a Rough Voyage the Minister to Spain Reaches New York.

NEW YORK, Sept. 6.-General E. Burd Grubb, United States Minister to Spain, arrived from Havre to-day on the French Not Nostown, O., Sept. 6.—[Special.]—The liner La Touraine. The Minister was in Salvetion Army has decided to make a test excellent health and spirits. The La Touraine experienced a violent hurricane, lasturs. During the gale the sea stove in the lookout on the foremast, which was
45 feet from the water's edge, and also broke
a number of the stanchions.

Officers of the steamer say it was one of the heaviest storms they had experienced in seven years on this line. The cap, too, of the iron windlass, weighing over 400 pounds, was hurled to the port side of the steamer, a distance of several rods. Fortunately no one was injured during the

Shortsighted

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To the West Virginia State Fair the Bal-timore and Ohio Railroad will sell excursion tickets from September 7 to 11, inclusive, good to return until September 12, at half rates.

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ing Rear Admiral Walker and HIS FAMOUS WHITE SQUADRON.

That Seems the Chief Work of Act-

Senior Officers Have Been Treated to Impu-

dence and Insults.

AN ADMINISTRATION PET IN A SCANDAL

[FROM A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.] WASHINGTON, Sept. 6 .- Though nothing Secretary of the Navy and the Assistant Secretary of the Navy have this week been wrestling with the grave question of the disposition of what there is of the United States Navy, and, primarily, with the quar-rel between Admiral Gherardi and Acting Rear Admiral Walker, for upon the circumstances that led to this quarrel hinge

the proper and sensible bestowment of the few ships that constitute the "navy." Gherardi is the senior admiral of the navy, and Walker is only an acting rear admiral. The former will probably be retired in a year, and, if things continue as they are, Walker will have command of the North Atlantic station and air himself as the officer in charge of the great display that will be made next year in honor of the memory of that fine old-time navigator, Christopher Columbus. Meantime, Walker is as arrogant as he dares to be, and that is decidedly impudent. He is a brother-inlaw of Senator Allison, of Iows, who is the perennial Chairman of the Committee on Appropriations of the Senate, and has it in his power to give or withhold millions from administrations anxious to make a record for building up the navy.

Whatever the strength of the affection between the two men, Allison favors Walker in every way he can, and has had him placed in command of the "White Squadron," or "squadron of evolution," in which position Walker for a year or two has been doing nothing but swing about in the pleasantest of weather, and in home and foreign latitudes where there were splendid harbors with facilities for no end of banquets aboard and ashore

AN ORNAMENTAL SQUADRON AFLOAT. All this time Walker has had in his ornamental squadron several of the newest most beautiful and best-equipped ships of the navy, while at all of the most important points there have been a lot of old tubs, and at times no ship at all, flying the stars and stripes. For instance, there was a considerable period a few months ago when no American naval vessel was within 1,000 miles of the Sandwich Islands, though there were plots afloat to insure or encourage the occupation of the islands by the English

force.

The young Queen is afflicted with Anglophobia, and for this reason: She knows that her American subjects are plotting for a republic, and that the only hope of the perpetuation of her rule is in forming a sort of alliance with another country. It has been a part of her plan to catch the United States napping, excite an uprising among the natives when there was no naval ship of the United States in the harbor at Honolulu, ask for protection from British ship of the United States in the narbor at Honolulu, ask for protection from British vessels, secure the landing of a British force and the organization of a British "protecto-rate," which, as any one will understand who knows the British temper and policy, would mean a permanent directory of the islands from the north end of Westminster

HOW AMERICAN AFFAIRS ARE WATCHED. Ditto at Samoa. There the Germans are scheming for absolute control, and to prevent the United States from acquiring even a coaling station, and yet nothing but an old tub is left there to inspire fear from the natives and respect from the others, and part of the time there is no United States

vessel there at all. Ditto at China. For months there has been danger of a massacre of foreign residents, and Americans in China have had to place their hope of protection in vessels of other countries than their own, which had on that coast only a few rotten hulks not even capable of safely making the voyage home in case they were wanted.

Soon after the revolutionary movement broke out in Haiti. Admiral Cherardi was

broke out in Haiti, Admiral Gherardi was ordered there to protect American interests with the rotten old Galena, with an arma-ment of 30 years ago and a speed of 11 miles an hour. Later he received the addition of an hour. Later he received the addition of the Ossipee, and still later of the Kearsarge, neither of them seaworthy and only capable of doing about ten miles an hour. As though to add insult to injury, the "White squadren," with its fine ships, was not long ago ordered to make its way to Port an Prince and display its and Walker's mag-nificence in the presence of the old sea dog, Gherardi, with his rotten vessels, and no wonder Walker, favored as he was, should forget the etiquette due to his senior in forget the etiquette due to his senior in rank, and when sternly called to account for his lack of respect rerform his part in such a supercilious way as to be more insulting

POOREST VESSELS IN IMPORTANT PLACES. Thus, while the poorest vessels of the navy have been ordered to the most important posts to perform vitally important duty, this swell-headed acting rear admiral, with his political and social influence so powerful as to make him believe that he owns the navy, has been all the time sailing in summer weather to suit his own sweet will, with the finest of our new war ships at his com-mand. It is a fact that he has been "runmand. It is a fact that he has been run-ning" the navy, and that means that he has had influence that neither the President nor the Secretary of the Navy dared to resist. He has had only to ask to get what he wanted no matter how arrogant his demands. This favoritism has disorganized the whole

navy.

The grip of Walker on the navy and its disposition has become of itself so great a scandal that the President and Secretary Tracy have been forced to consider some change, and it is probable that an arrangement will soon be made that will at least ment will so Walker is not in shoults consuggest that Walker is not in absolute control, though it is probable that his influence will yet be able to keep him constantly in positions which are not in any way his

If Senator Allison takes a hand to pre vent any curtailment of Walker's great swing there will be music, for Allison is as stiff necked as Walker, and will have his

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way if he wants it, or will have a fight if he does not get it.

For Walker's good and his own he will probably have to be content with something a little modest for a time, if Walker is to be the chief figure in the Columbian maneurous for the result is becoming too great the chief figure in the Columbian maneuvers, for the scandal is becoming too great to be ignored, and if Walker is not retired somewhat from the front, where he is the chief target for a galling and increasing fire, there will not be enough left of his magnificent self next year to command the fleet which will show the weakness of our navy, though it may show the political and social strength of Acting Rear Admiral Walker.

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COULDN'T BLUFF PASSETT.

The Collector Was Not in the Least Afraid

of Prince Russell Harrison. NEW YORK, Sept. 4.—[Special.]—The echoes of Russell Harrison's tilt with Collector Fassett are still heard in the corridors of the Custom House. Mr. Harrison has been very angry because the row got into the newspapers. On the visit to the Col-lector young Harrison talked very loud. A dozen people were in the Collector's office.

dozen people were in the Collector's office. Some were close to his desk, and among them was THE DISPATCH reporter.

Standing with his straw hat on, Harrison frowned angrily down upon the Collector, who sat in his Roman chair, and he ripped out: "And that —— fool Lyon went and referred my application for the boat to Foster." Quick as a wink the Collector was out of his chair and stood facing young Harrison. He pulled his glasses off, and, glaring right in Harrison's face, he shot back: "Excuse me, Mr. Harrison, I was the —— fool." For a moment young Harrison was dazed. The Collector was very angry, and was evidently not a bit afraid of the son of the President of the United States. Young Harrison looked sheepish and soon retired. If he had remaine I anylonger and kept on making a noise, he longer and kept on making a noise, he would have been tumbled out of the build-ing by Uncle Sam's messengers.

A MURDEROUS HUSBAND.

He Fails in an Attempt to Kill His Wife and Shoots Himself Dead. WATERBURY, Sept. 6.—[Special.]—In Seymour, Conn., this morning, John Weingladt shot himself dead after an attempt t kill his wife by shooting. The two bullets fired at the woman narrowly escaped a vital spot, both entering the head. Weingbladt was drunk and insanely jealous, and he has been brooding over his troubles for some

He was a steel forger and a fine-tool maker at the Seymour plush mills and earned good wages until a few days ago, since which time he has been on a spree.

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DIED.

GUNSAULIS—On Sunday, September 6, 1891, at 5 a. M., Matilda, wife of Joseph Gunsaulis (deceased), in the 59th year of her age. Funeral services at the residen sister, Mrs. E. A. Corey, 27 Balkan street, Allegheny, Monday Evening, at 7:80 o'clock, Interment Tuesday.

KOHLER-On Saturday, September 5, 1891, at 3:15 p. m., FREDERICK KOHLER, in his 29th

Funeral services at his late residence, 110 Elm street, on Turspay, at 10 a. M. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to at-LAFFERTY—At Heidleberg, Ps., JAMES LEO LAFFERTY, September 4, 1891, at 11 r. M., aged 4 years, 9 months and 27 days, son of Arthur and Catherine Lafferty.

McCLOSKEY—On Sunday, September 6, 1891, at 4:30 A. M., Captain HENRY McCLOSKEY, in the 57th year of his age.

Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from his late residence, 331 Pennsylvania avenue, Alle-

gheny, on Tusshar, September 8, at 8:50 A. Services at St. Peter's R. C. Church, at 9 A. M. Interment at McKeesport, Pa.

NEVERGOLD—On Saturday, September 5, 1891, at 6:45 A. M., GEORGE NEVERGOLD, in his 34th year.

Funeral on Monday, September 7, 1891, at 2 r. n., from 58 Rebecca street, Allegheny. 2 RIFE—On Sunday, September 6, at 10:45 A. N., Annaham Ripz, aged 72 years, 8 months and 4 days.

Funeral from the residence of his son,
Thomas A. Rife, 26 Monterey street, Allegheny, on TÜESDAY, September 8, at 3 r. M.
Friends of the family are respectfully in-

SPEER—On Sunday morning, at 6:30 o'clock, Dr. James Ransey Speer, in the 95th year of his age.
Funeral services will be held in the chapel at the main entrance to Allegheny Cemetery, on Butler street, on Tuzsday, Septem ber 8, at 3 o'clock P. M. SPRATT—At Haysville on Saturday, September 5, 1891, at 6 P. M., W. S. SPRATT, in his

Services at 10 A. M. TUMBDAY. Interment later. STEED—On Sunday, September 6, 1891, at 1:40 a. m., Thomas, only child of Abe and Bella Steed, aged 7 months.
Funeral from the parents' residence, 4545

Friendship avenue, on Monday at 2 P. M. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. THOMAS—Saturday, September 5, at 6:10 N.M., ANDREW SOMERVILLE, intant son of B. L. and Mollie Thomas. Funeral from 702 Mint alley, Southsid Monday, September 7, at 2 P. M. All friends

are invited to attend.

WATSON—Sunday, September 6, at 12:45 r. n., Dona Watson, wife of William Henry Watson, aged 25 years 2 months. Funeral to take place Tuzsday, September S, at 8 A. M., from her late residence, 233 Madison avenue, Allegheny. Requiem mass at 8t. Philomena Church at 8:30 A. M. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

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