Church Discipline.

NORRISTOWN, Feb. 26.—Bishop Bowman,

officer of the Evangelical Church Confer-

day if he had anything to say concerning

which withdrew from the church, and which

In reply he furnished the following state-

"The Evangelical Association has the

government-that is, all the churches con-

nected with the association are under one

government. All the ecclesiastical ar-

rangements are subject to the control of

their general conference, which meets every

four years and is composed of delegates

elected to the different annual conferences

in accordance with their numerical strength

Where the Schism Began,

in the councils of the church, and who re-

fused to sign the proceedings of that body,

in violation of the constitution of the

laws and usages, this faction, known as

the Dubs faction, organized independent services and published weekly papers which made it their special aim to antagonize the regular publications of the

church, as well as to oppose, arraign and assail the general officers of the church, holding them up to public ridicule. That faction labored to reduce the circula-

tion of the regular church literature and in-troduce in its stead their own, going so far

as to publish their own separate Sunday school literature.

"Nevertheless, they claimed that the profits of the church publications should fall to them equally with those who labored assiduously to build up these interests, and

commenced suits at laws, in violation of the discipline, even before the church was

given an opportunity to decide the questions at issue by its own highest tribunal, the General Conference.

Why Arbitration Is Not to Be Thought Of.

"After these acts of opposition to the church, and after they had already met in their separate assembly, thus consummating

the schism in the church, arbitration was

proposed by other parties, a method of action which the church could not recognize.

To the General Conference of the church, the only authoritative body which might

have entered into any negotiations, no offer to arbitrate was made, hence that body ad-

usted the question at issue in accordance with

the laws and usages of the church, taking

the ground that whoever desires to remain in the church must submit to the decisions

"At the General Conference held at

AFTER THE GRIPPE.

The Grippe Responsible forMore Deaths

after Recovery than During its Course.

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PROPOSALS FOR ROOFING COPPER—
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and blank forms of proposal may be obtained on application at this office. BERNARD R. GREEN, Superintendent and Engineer. 1625-45-25, 25, 27, 29 mhH, 12 DROPOSALS FOR ROOFING COPPER. Buffalo the adjudication of several important questions, as well as the election of the general church officers, displeased a number of delegates somewhat prominent church. Afterward, in opposition to the

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ALLEGHENY, PA.

was the most popular candidate for the pas-torate, but he is a Presbyterian, and the trust deed requires the selection of a Bap-tist. Mr. Pierson will continue to occupy the pulpit, and will probably formally join the Baptists and become the permanent

THE APATHY OF DESPAIR

Tory Majority in the

House of Commons.

Makes a Government Defeat on Some Side Issue Very Possible.

English Breeders Resent a Reflection on British Pedigrees.

PIERSON TO FILL SPURGRON'S SHORS

majority of 60, but the Unionists, of whom one-third decline to contest for Parliament

A Defeat Staring Them in the Face, the Irish teller, Sir Thomas Esmonde, with the intimation that the motion had been car-

Wild cheers rose from the opposition to 137. It was a small majority for the Ministerialists, but the pleasure of their surprise elicited loud counter cheers from the opposition benches.

As the session proceeds the Ministers are

aware that the tendency to these untoward Up-Hill Work for the Irish Bill,

convinced that the more the bill is studied the more it will be seen to contain machinery to promote a broad, workable system suited to Ireland. I hope, also, to omplete the general scheme by introducing bill transferring to Ireland private bill gislation now done at Westminster.

If this expression is sincere, Mr. Balfour that the Government collapsed through the

supporters of his intention to hold a conference of the party on the eve of the day the Irish local government bill is going into committee. The opposition tactics, he says, will pursue in the matter.

Why the Opposition Doesn't Like It. A council will be unable to appoint or re-move officers or to fix salaries without the Ulster members rejoice over the powers given to this committe, while the more the other Irish members scan Mr. Baltour's

able to them. Chancery proceedings are about to open, following a writ served upon Mrs. Parnell and Justin McCarthy jointly, at the instance of Messrs. Redmond, Harrington and others, with the view to decide the custody of the Paris funds. A legal declaration of the Chancery Court will only assist the subsequent action of the party. The proceedings signalize the fact that the Parnellites see no chance of an agreement with the Mc-

The New Irish Fund Growing.

largely increasing. The proposals of Secretary Foster for restricting European immigration to the United States, are auxiously discussed by Atlantic steamship companies. The suggested increase of the head tax implies increased passenger rates. A high steamship authority says that, while the scheme will create positions in European ports for a new class of officeseekers at the cost of At-lantic steamship lines, it will impel emigration to other countries, especially to Cannda. The exaction of a bond of \$30,000

The ruling of the United States Treasury in refusing entry to animals after April 1, unless of satisfactory pedigree for five gen-erations, excites opposite opinions among

ive stock dealers. Breeders Say the Pedigrees Are O. K. pedigree has not satisfied the regulations. statement that foreign registers have been estions from American importers whose tables are full and who wish to clear them

The Lord Mayor has sounded the Prince of Wales in regard to the holding of a con-Mansion House to express sympathy with Princess May. As yet the Prince of Wales has not responded, declin-ing to express an opinion. Many wedding presents which reached White Lodge prior to the death of the Duke of Clarence have been returned. Dressmakers who were engaged in preparing the bridal outfit are sell-

The Probable Successor of Spurgeon. Fifth avenue early yesterday morning. William Iames Spurgeon, the brother of the late They stole a lot of cigars and cheap jewelry. morrow.

Charles Spurgeon, has provisionally as-sumed the duties of the pastorate of the Metropolitan Tabernacle. Rev. Mr. Pierson

The Hendersons, of the Clyde, are building a 40-ton centerboard yacht for Mr. Bell, of Thistle fame. It is expected that she will be a prize winner.

Further tests have been made with the Snyder dynamite projectile in South Wales. Shells from six-inch Armstrong guns, charged with 45 pounds of black prismatic powder, attained a velocity of 35 feet per

second greater than ordinary projectiles.

M. LOUBET WILL TRY IT.

The Latest French Premier to Omit Con-

Weakening President Carnot's Position.

PARIS, Ecb. 26,-M. Bourgeois has aban-

clare a policy that will not allow the clergy to encroach upon the rights of the State.

ance of the republican form of government. This development appears to be the result of the Comte de Paris'

withdrawal from active polities, as indicat-ed by his refusal to grant further subsidies to his newspaper organs. The Radicals are

alarmed, because this change of front is likely to strengthen the moderate support-

ers of the Government.

At a meeting of members of the Demo-

eratic left in the Senate, presided over by M. Rank, an influential politician, a reso-

lution was adopted expressing the hope that

the crisis would result in the triumphant

defense of the lay spirit against the

pretensions and encroachments of elericalism. The Anti-Clericals declare

that the resolution is aimed directly at President Carnot. He is accused

of prolonging the crisis in order to check the radical hostility to the church, and it is

said that he is encouraged in his moderate religious policy by his wife and General

TERRIBLE REVENGE FOR A CRIME

Petroleum and Burned.

VIENNA. Feb. 26 .- The details of a mos

horrible story were received in this city to

A NORTH SEA DISASTER.

All on Board but One.

A CABINET CRISIS IN ITALY.

Their Portfolios.

LONDON, Feb. 27 .- The Times correspon

A Bulgarian Diplomat Assassinated.

Mrs. Deacon to Meet Her Husband.

CANNES, Feb. 26 .- Mrs. Deacon returned

from Paris to-day and was examined at the

prefecture in the presence of an important witness. She will be confronted by her

DEPEW ON A FOOTBALL TEAM.

College Dining Crew.

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.-[Special.]-Yale

nen to-night honored Walter Camp, the

concert room of the Madison Square Gar-

Quarterback, Henry E. Howland; halfback,

Walter Camp, who responded to ex-Judge

Beside Captain McClung, the members of

the present football team were present in full force. Last year's football team, from

Heffelünger down, was also represented.

Broke a Window and Robbed a Store.

Thieves broke a plate glass window in

Mrs. William Howard's notion store at 721

center, Eugene L. Richards,

represented kickers in the

husband to-morrow.

graphs, will leave the cabinet."

pretensions and

Loubet to undertake the task.

CLEVELAND ABLE TO CARRY CANADA

stans' Name From the Cabinet and Keep the Other Members - The Crisis boned his attempt to form a Cabinet, and President Carnot has now summoned M. There is a prospect that M Loubet will -New York, Pennsylvania, Itlinois, Michi complete the formation of the new Cabinet to-morrow by emitting M. Constans from the list and taking the Interior portfolio himself, MM. de Freycinet, Ribot, Bour-geois, Rouvier, Develle and Riche retain-ing their present seats. M. Loubet will de-

gan, Wisconsin, Minnesota, North and South. Dakota, Iowa, Colorado and Wash-Those engineering the movement are harmonious in their opinion upon the main object of their attack-the downing of Harrison-and they are sowing with vigorous sweep the seed of discontent in many other States. From such sowing they expect to reap a harvest sufficient for their needs.

The protracted crisis has greatly weak-ened President Carnot's position. One hundred members of the Right have agreed to sign a formal declaration of the future conservative policy, the leading feature of which is, as already announced, the accept-The names of the Senators are known, but at present they can't be published. Suffice to say that they are recognized here as men who can be depended upon to steer their State delegation in any direction they see

Platt Depended on in New York.

I will confess we do not consider Blaine out of the race, and should Harrison not win on the first ballot I should not be surprised to see a bolt for Blaine. Should there be, and Blaine remain in his present condition of bealth be will accept."

A Woman Suspected of Murder Soaked in How Blaine Kept His Faith. day. A band of masked men collected during the night in the small village of Minia, in the province of Bukowina. They went to the house of Harrison. But don't interpret what I have a young widow named Matie Leppers, foreing their way into her bedroom and bound her securely with cords. They then poured petroleum over her, thoroughly saturating her clothes. A match was then applied to the oil-soaked garments, and in an instant the unfortunate woman was enveloped in chances. Several of our States will instruct for this and that favorite son. That is all right, so long as they don't instruct for

flames. The poor victim's shricks and cries The band stood gazing on the spectacle until the woman's convulsive struggle 'Were the 11 States in the movement to hold conventions to-day the delegates from New York, Minnesota, North and South Dakota, Colorado and Washington would be uninstructed. The delegates from Illinois would be instructed for Cullom, those from Michigan for Alger, Wisconsin for Rusk, Iowa for Allison, and Pennsylvania for Blaine. We do not think when the 11 conventions meet there will be any change.

A Fight for West Virginia. It looks as if West Virginia might play a very interesting and probably important part in the figuring up on the next Presiden-tal contest. The desire of President Harrison In a Collision, One of the Vessels Sinks With that Secretary Elkins should accept the Republican nomination for Governor of LONDON, Feb. 26.-News of a terrible that State has already been widely disdisaster in the North Sen, by which a

man they can, and it is probable that Representative William L. Wilson will be the Democratic nominee. He is not seeking the nomination, but will accept it if offered

be put upon the ticket. Cleveland Strong in the State. alarmed about West Virginia, and the best informed politicians believe that if Cleveland does not secure the nomination the

Cleveland is wonderfully popular in West Virginia, and a solid delegation will go to the national convention in his support, and it is felt that with him as a candidate there would be a reasonable certainty of Demo-cratic success. With any other candidate it is hardly to be hoped that the State could be carried in face of the tremendous efforts that will be put forth by Mr. Russian named Ivanoff, an accomplice of Elkins.

> Cleveland Could Carry Canada "I am sure that Cleveland can carry Canada without a struggle," said Senator Stockbridge, of Michigan, this afternoon. The Senator has just returned from the Ann Arbor celebration, and his car was attached to the private car occupied by ex-President Cleveland and Senator Dickinson, when the party traveled over the Michigan Central to New York. "My reasons for making this bold assertion," continued Senator Stockbridge, "are numerous; but the chief one is founded on facts and sights witnessed during our trip through anada this week. From the time we en-tered the Queen's dominions until we left it, Mr. Cleveland had one continuous ovation. It showed plainly in what high estimation English subjects held Mr. Cleveland. At St. Thomas, where we stopped for a short time, we were met by a British brass band, and a great crowd of people calling for a speech from Mr. Cleveland. It was a grand reception, but it was only one of the many given him as we passed through the Canadian towns.

Less Enthusiasm in New York. "At the Canada end of the suspensi bridge there was an enthusiastic crowd of people who called for a speech from the ex-President, and greeted him with cheers. Naturally, after witnessing the great ova-tions given him in Canada by the British tions given him in Canada by the British subjects, we expected to see the American people waiting to welcome him to his native land, but great was our surprise to find no crowd on the United States end of the suspension bridge, no calls for speeches, and very little interest in his presence. At Buffalo, Mr. Cleveland's old home, the people did not turn out to greet him, and he passed through almost unnoticed, while at Rochester there was absolutely no one foreceive him. Therefore, I judge from those things that Mr. Cleveland can easily carry Canada, though he lose New York.

workers will meet in Philadelphia to-morrow to decide upon plans for a monument for the 19 glassworkers killed in the Ra-venna wreck. It will cost \$3,500, and be erected at Corning, N. Y. RECIPROCITY, its history and results, by William E. Curtis, in THE DISPATCH to-

ROUDERS GAVE UP THE FIGHT. RUINED He Goes Into a Barber Shop and Then Sends for O'Mars to Arrest Him-Led the Officer a Wild Chase, but Was

wife in the neck last Tuesday, delivered himself up to the police yesterday and is now in Central station on a charge of atempted murder. The police are greatly relieved that the man is under arrest, for they have been vainly searching for him ever since his disappearance immediately after the shooting.

Rouders went to the barber shop of his

friend. Jacob Motz, in the basement of the Anchor bank building last evening and was shaved. While undergoing the operation he told Motz he wanted to give himself up, get a hearing at once and then get bail, so that he could place himself under treatment, He asked Motz to send for Superintenden O'Mara to come and see him. Motz carried the message himself, and when the Police

Superintendent learned who wanted to see him he went with Motz at once. Rouders was placed under arrest and taken to Central station, but was disappointed that he could not first get a hearing.

After Rouders was locked up it was learned that his way and the state of the state After Rouders was locked up it was learned that his meek submission was not entirely voluntary. He had been closely pursued since early in the morning by Inspector Whitehouse and Detective Fitzgerald and at last finding they were bound to catch him he jumped a car and came into the city. The two district officers traced him to the point where he boarded the car

within 20 minutes after.

Rouders admits having shot his wife, but says he only intended to frighten her. Rouders and his wife had not been living together for some time, but she received some money from her father's estate reently and he went to see her last Tuesday to get some of it. Her refusal to deliver led to the shooting. Her condition is much improved and there is little doubt of her

letters, purporting to be signed by one William Washburn, in which the latter wanted to arrange with Cummings to send him secretly the names of all persons who entered into contracts with the new com-Rouders has the appearance of a man He claimed that he had invented a con who has been on a protracted spree. He re-fuses to talk of the shooting. Although rivance which augmented the screens, but the police have been searching the county for Rouders, he declares he has not been two miles away from the city. did not interfere with the sale of the latter He wanted to supply the customers of the Portland Screen Company with his own invention; and offered to pay liberally for every name sent. These letters are said by experts to be in the handwriting of Mr.

TWO LITTLE GIRLS' HARD LUCK All Caused by a Mother's Desertion and a

Father's Brutality. Yesterday afternoon as Officer J. B. Thompson was patrolling his beat about Twenty-eighth street he noticed a little girl standing on the corner crying bitterly. Upon questioning her she told an interesting story. She said her name was Kate McNichol, and she was hunting work. She said she had lived with her father on Carson street, near Twenty-sixth, until yesterday morning, when her father had driven herself and her younger sister from the house after beating them severely. During the course of the day she had become lost

from her sister, and did not know where she was. She wandered into Walker's Employment Agency on Sixth street. Here some lady told her where she could find a position, and she had set out to find it, but had got lost, and night coming on she had no place to go, and had given way to tears when discovered by the officer. She was taken to the Twelfth ward police station, and showed Sergeant Stix and the officers the bruises on her body, and scratches on her face, which she said had been inflicted by her

father.

Officer Thompson took the girl to a boardpeared to be bright and said that her father was employed in one of the South-side mills. She also said her father and mother could not agree, and so a couple of weeks ago the mother left and went to board. Since her mother left, her father had been

more abusive than ever.

Her sister has not been found, and it is supposed she has been taken in and cared for by some family. MARK TWAIN'S story, "The American Claimant," in THE DISPATCH to-morrow.

THH JOYCE MYSTERY.

East End Police Think Pulpus Did the His big manufactory on Tree street covers several acres. He has always had the reputation of being a thoroughly honest man. A hearing before the Coroner in the mys terious murder case of Sarah Joyce will be held this morning. The officers of the Second police district have ever since the finding of the girl been industriously at work on the case and were last night confident that Pulpus, the colored man arrested, will be held for the killing. Inspector White-house says the letter alleged to have been written, in which the writer confesses to having committed the murder, was a fake. He takes no stock in the letter. His investigations, he says, have satisfied him that the girl never had a lover in Ireland or in America, and that she was never known to be out of bed after 8:30 at night. It was reported yesterday that the girl was weak minded and that at times she was not responsible for her actions. This is em-phatically denied by her sister, Mrs. Mc-

Ginley, of Sylvan avenue.

"Our investigations have been vigorous,"
an East End officer said last night, "and we
are now convinced that Pulpus is either responsible or knows something about it. We can fix him at the spot where the girl was found just at the time the girl is supposed to have died. He will certainly be held for the killing."

Will Tackle the Smoke Again. At the next meeting of Councils, a new ordinance will be taken up, prohibiting the use of bituminous coal by manufacturers in certain parts of the city. The object is to injure the manufacturers as little as possible, but at the same time protect the resi-dence portion of the city from the smoke The line, in which soft coal may be burned, commences at the outer city line, on the north side of Second avenue. It will then run to a point opposite Miltenberger street, then up over the hill diagonally across through the Allegheny Cemetery, to Butler street and out to the Sharpsburg bridge.

PITTSBURG'S successful business me tell in THE DISPATCH to-morrow how a young man should invest his first \$100.

They Still Want a Daily Paper. The labor leaders of Pittsburg are still toddying their pet labor daily newspaper scheme and think it is a possibility. They claim to have a man who is willing to start a subscription fund with \$20,000 and others who will give smaller sums. If things can be got in shape a meeting will be held in the Knights of Labor headquarters next Tuesday afternoom Several labor men from other cities will be present who are interested in the scheme, and it is the inten-tion to get the thing in working order.

A New Converting Mill at Homestead. Ground has been staked off at Homesten or a new converting mill-for the steel plant of Carnegie Bros. & Co. The mill is to be supplied with the latest improved machinery, and will be under root by April 1. J. Kennedy will superintend the con-

Will Not Ask for More Money. The Stonecutters' Association last night cussion about asking for an increase, but it was thought best not to ask for more money this year. A Glassworkers' Monument.

A committee of American Flint glass-

TWO INSURANCE CASES. ONE FRAUDULENT, ANOTHER RATHER ODD, BOTHERING LUPER,

O'Brien, an Agent at Shippensburg, Ar rested for Representing Bogus Compa-nies—A Philadelphia Newspaper Gets Into Trouble Recause of an Advertising Scheme.

HARRISBURG, Feb. 26. - [Special.]-State Insurance Commissioner Luper went to Emporium Thursday and secured the arrest of W. S. O'Brien, an insurance agent of that place. O'Brien had taken four risks on the property of a merchant in that town, receiving \$120 in premiums. The insurance was placed in the Crescent Insurance Company and the Washington Union Insurance Company, of Cleveland; the Alabama Fire Insurance Company, of Florence, Ala., and the Lumbermen's Fire Insurance Company,

of Berkeley, W. Va.
Mr. Luper wrote to the insurance officials
of Ohio and Alabama, and they replied that
they knew nothing of the three first-named break up the family of an employe of a competitor and other serious offenses. Mr. Burrowes is at the head of the biggest wincompanies, and that they had no legal ex-istence. An investigation into the Lumistence. An investigation into the Lumbermen's Company showed a state of affairs not much better. This company advertises that it is doing business on \$200,000 capital, but the Auditor of West Virginia writes that, while the company is chartered upon \$10,000 capital, with power to increase to \$200,000, it has only \$1,000 paid up. placed at \$50,000 a year. Nearly a year ago a former employe of his patented a

Finally, after much opposition, in which, it is alleged, Mr. Burrowes took an active part, a corporation was formed under the name of the Portland Screen Company, 5200,000, it has only \$1,000 paid up.

One of the prime movers in this company is Lewis G. Smith, of Harrisburg. Mr. Smith was Secretary of the Capital City Insurance Company and agent for some others which were recently closed by Commissioner Luper. O'Brien was given a hearing in Emporium and held in \$800 bail for trial at with many prominent Portland citizens in-

York Morning Advertiser has been issuing a coupon with each copy, which insured the life of the holder for 24 hours. Recently the Philadelphia Inquirer followed suit, the coupon being headed "\$500 Insurance." The Commissioner wrote to the Inquirer and asked the management by what authority they were doing an insurance business. After several days the Inquirer people replied to the effect that they were not doing an insurance business, but, in the meantime, they had changed the heading of the coupon to read "\$500 given away." Surrowes. The intention was to secure the

The Philadelphia Inquirer Company is the name of the corporation located in Philadelphia, which, I am informed, is incorporated under the laws of Pennsylvania and is engaged in the business of accident insurance without authority of laws. Pease soon began to receive anonymous let-ters, saying that her husband was unfaith-ful to her. Letter after letter came. The husband was confronted with them and had engaged in the business of accident insur-ance without authority of law. I respect-fully submit for your consideration the propriety of proceedings against said cor-poration, to determine its authority to make contracts and to issue policies of insurance.

PLOTTING AGAINST A MAYOR.

Negro Messengers of White Conspirator Tried to Lure Him to His Death. spiracy to assassinate Mayor J. J. McDonough, came to light to-day. Late Wedne day night two negroes called at the Mayor's residence and endeavored to allure him out of doors by claiming to be the bearers of a message from police headquarters. The mayor has telephone communication between his residence and headquarters and if his presence had been required.

Inquiry next morning developed the fact that no message had been sent by the police. Later in the day a negro told the Mayor a high social, political, church, and busi-ness position. After General Neal Dow he that two white men had offered him \$50 to call the Mayor out of the house and then get out of the way. The negro was frightened and fled, followed, he said, by the strangers who threatened to kill him. Mayor Me-Donough has recently begun a rigid enforcement of the Sunday law, and has incurred the enmity of the grogshop keepers

ORANGEs and how to prepare them, by a southern woman, in THE DISPATCH to-

morrow, Arrested for Assaulting His Daughter. Peter Dousin, of West Newton, Westmoreland county, was arrested vesterday in Shaner's Hollow, a French settlement, for attempting to assault his 15-year-old daughter. The arrest was made by Detective Lang at the request of Secretary Dorente, of the Anti-Cruelty Society. Dousin was given a hearing before 'Squire Guffy and was held for court. He is a prominent citi-

zen there and is worth about \$10,000. Another landslide occurred on the Panhandle road shortly after midnight yesterday. A part of the Birmingham hill came down a few feet ahead of the fast line, and before the train could be stopped the engine and a mail car were thrown from the track. The passengers were badly frightened. The train was brought back to the Union depot and sent out over the Ft. Wayne road.

MUSIC, sport, Grand Army, secret societies, etc., receive special attention in THE DISPATCH to-morrow.

Rail and Lake Rates to Detroit. The Pittsburg committee of freight agents met at the Lake Shore office yesterday. A lot of detail business was disposed of. The rail and lake rates to Detroit were fixed, but no date for the opening of navigation

Did Not Purchase the Pictures. The Allegheny Library Committee met last evening. Very little work was done. The members of the committee inspected the collection of pictures that are on exhibition and seemed pleased with the gallery. They did not, however, make any

The Pay Rolls Approved. Public Works Committee of Allegheny met last night and approved the pay rolls of the several bureaus. They amounted to: Streets, \$4,037 17; roads, \$2,028; parks, \$899 47; property, \$567 55; markets, \$69 99; wharves and landings, \$219 49. This comprised the work of the various committees that met previous to the meeting of the Public Works Committee.

Died in the Workhouse. William Leniger, who was committed to the workhouse December 28 for three months as a vagrant, died at that institution early yesterday morning. Leniger was sub-ject to epileptic fits, which caused his death. The deceased was 38 years old and belonged in Indiana. He had two daughters, but

'Hastings' Shortage Made Good. Yesterday the friends of ex-Market Clerk Hastings made up his shortage of \$2,314 24 and turned the amount over to City Solici-tor Elphinstone. They hope now that he will get the lightest possible sentence. Some men gave as much as \$100 to help pay off the shortage.

ENGINES that run with gas, air and petroleum, by George Res, in THE DIS-PATCH to-morrow.

A Bill for Compulsory Voting. ANNAPOLIS, MD., Feb. 26,-A bill was introduced in the House of Delegates today to make voting compulsory in Mary-

An Eastern Bank in a Bad Way, NEW MARKET, N. H., Feb. 26.-The New Savings Bank, of this place, has suspended. The cause was unfortunate investments in real estate and on personal se-curity. The deposits are about \$191,000.

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The New Yorker Accused of Murder Now in the Plymouth Fold. NEW YORK, Feb. 26.-[Special.]-The

attendance at Plymouth Church prayer meeting last night was larger than usual, in expectation of a possible row between the male and female members over the admission of Darwin J. Meserole, the son of General Meserole, who was recently tried for the murder of Theodore Larbig in Dovie Comstock's flat in Larbig in Dovie Comstock's flat in Sackett street. The attendants last night, however, had an opportunity of seeing young Meserole, for he was present, and apparently no one was more deeply interested in the devotions than he. He arose slowly, and, with bowed head and a voice chocked with emotion, declared that his soul was filled with love for Christ, and that he halleyed that his and that he believed that his sins had been forgiven. Meserole had merely accepted the courtesy extended to all attendants at the prayer meeting, whether members of the church or not, to give their experience and take part in the discussion on the religious topic under consideration. He made a most favorable impression, and all opposition, it is said, to his admission to membership will die out before the next

land under penalty of a fine, the fines to go to the public school funds. Sickness or ab-sence from legal residence are to be the only acceptable excuses.

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"There will be peace in the church when-ever a revolting minority submits to the decision of the majority. No government can arbitrate with an insurrection while the latter is in arms against its authority. The document published by the Dubs faction, proposing certain arbitration schemes, con tains, according to its own face, considerable less than one-fourth of the ministers in the church, and comes from a faction which, while it issues words of peace, is engaged in violent acts of warfare against the autho ities and institutions of the church.'

RECIPROCITY, by William E. Curtis, of

FOUR MEN UNDER ARREST Charged With Drugging and Robbing Butler County Man, Samuel Foster and Thomas Post were arrested at the Union depot last night by Detective Bendel, charged with robbing Thomas Boyard, of Butler, of \$38. Dan Sailor and George Stuckrath were arrested

on Thursday for complicity in the same af-Boyard came to town Wednesday, and in the evening was approached by two of the men who, in a friendly way, offered to take him around the town. Boyard accepted, and after traveling around for a time was taken into a saloon where the other two joined them. Bovard claims he was drugged in the saloon with the assistance of the bartender, though he don't know the location tender, though he don't know the location of the place, and remembers nothing after leaving the place. He was picked up on the tracks of the Second avenue electric line at 6 o'clock the next morning by the motorman of the first car. He had been robbed of everything he owned.

He notified the police and with the description he gave Sailor and Stuckrath were

arrested Thursday by Captain Denniston and Detective Robinson. Both are Pitts-burg men, and the police say have been im-plicated in similar affairs before. Foster and Post are Cleveland men, and were just about to embark on a train for Cincinnati when Detective Bendel observed them. Calling Lieutenant Gallant to his assistance the detective placed Post under ar-rest, while Gallant nailed Foster. The arest caused considerable excitement at the station. Foster and Post are thought to be

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HARD ON THE WHIPS Is the Keeping Intact of the

THE PARIS FUND COMES UP AGAIN.

ICOPYRIGHT, 1862, BY THE NEW YORK ASSOCIATED LONDON, Feb. 26.—The Conservative commoners, who are urging the Government to dissolve Parliament about Easter, have their reasons reinforced by the daily difficulty experienced by the Conservative whips in keeping enough members together to prevent the opposition from snatching a division on anything like an organized party struggle. The Cabinet can still rely upon a

again, will not hang about the House to save the Government from chance defeat at unexpected moments. The opposition members, now greatly more attentive to their duties than are the Ministerialists, have on several divisions nearly succeeded in defeating the Government. An instance was furnished to-night in the case of a minor measure relating to

the provision of lunatic asylums for the North of Ireland. Messrs. Sexton and Healy and Sir Willism Harcourt contended that the bill ought to fall within the local government measure. Mr. Healy then moved to adjourn, and the result of the division was handed to

benches, and the Ministerialists looked arhast, although Mr. Jackson, the Chief secretary for Ireland, had announced that the bill was not a purely Government measure. The incident took an amusing turn when, on Sir Thomas Esmonde's reading the igures, it was found that the motion to ad-ourn had been defeated, the vote being 149

By the time Mr. Chaplin's small holdings passed, the House will have no left for prolonged wrangles over the Irish local government bill. Still, Mr. Baltour shows no disposition to recede from his intention to carry that measure. Writing to the British Unionist Club he

simply ignores the course of events in every last session known of protracted English Parliaments, the dominant fact of which is apathy of retiring members who failed to

support them. Lord Salisbury has informed his leading under Mr. Gladstone's leadership, will then have developed and the Conservatives will be enabled to decide on what course they

A close scrutiny of the text of the Irish local government bill does not lessen the Liberal opposition to the measure. The restrictions with which the bill hampers cils are endless. A special restriction, which is not fully explained, is where Mr. The damages sustained by the Forest Queen were so extensive that the sea began Ballour provides that a council can only opto rush through the breaches in her hull in pose a hill in Parliament under the assent great volume. She at once began to settle of the joint committee, of which body a majority of the members are non-elective. and in a short time she plunged to the bot-tom. So quickly did the Forest Queen founder that her crew had no chance to save their lives. The dispatches give no infor-mation as to the extent of the damage done

measure the more the bill becomes intoler-Five of the Principal Ministers to Give Up

The special fund, which the Irish National Federation started a year ago for electoral and other purposes, is progressing. The total is now £12,000 and the fund is growing . The American contributions are

from steamship owners as a pledge for the return of objectionable emigrants within two years, he holds, will be impossible of football expert, with a dinner given in the den. It was, from start to finish, a football

dinner. The list of speakers was as follows: Harland's personal remarks; left guard, One side declares that the export trade now is in pure-bred cattle, and that for sev-Chauncey M. Depew, who spoke for eral years there has practically been no rade with the United States in cattle whose faculty; left tackle, J. H. Mitchell, who spoke for the kickers in the alumni; halfback, Thomas L. McClung, orator for kickers in the present; left end, W. A. Stiles, spokesman for kickers in the past; right guard, Buchanan Winthrop, representative of kickers in the corporation; Rickinson W. Richards, of kickers in the new sers right end Ames aperts deny the accuracy of the Treasury established with the sole object of making cross-bred, mongrel animals eligible to tree entry. They assert that no such registers exist, and that the rolling originated in sugkickers in the new era; right end, Ames Parker Wilder, kickers on the grand stand; fullback, Isahe H. Bromley, the last

ng the completed portions.

BOLT FOR BLAINE

If Harrison Doesn't Get the Nomina-

tion on the First Ballot.

NOW PREDICTED BY A SENATOR Who Is One of a Number Who Are Planning

to Down the President.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.-There is novement on foot among certain influential Senators to prevent the renomination of President Harrison. It is in the interest of no other candidate in particular. To down Harrison is the mainspring of its being. The instrument to accomplish such a purpose has been selected. There are many candidates willing to be chosen, but the movement has not got that far. There are present 11 Northern States in the movement

Upon Tom Platt the leaders of the move-eent count to take care of the New York delegation, and those outside the movement, but aware of it, agree that in reckoning upon Tom Platt the leaders do so advisedly. A senator who has been in the movement since the beginning said to-day:

"We are determined to down Harrison.

We are determined to down Harrison.
Some of us are actuated by a personal dislike, the rest by a belief that Harrison,
even if renominated, can't be elected. I
can't say upon whom we shall unite. He
may be Cullom, Alger, Sherman, who, by
the way, is the only Republican, next to Blaine, capable of carrying New York-or it may even be Blaine himself. I admit that to-day the indications point to Blaine.

health, he will accept."
"Why, then, did he write that letter?" "Because of Harrison. When he entered the Cabinet he promised not to be a candi-date. Harrison urged him to write the letsaid as an indication that we have combined bine on anyone until just before the con-vention, so that you can truthfully state that all the other candidates stand equal

had ceased and her auguished moans had died away, and not one of them stirred from the spot until nothing re-mained of the body but a blackened and distorted mass. The murderers then left the place as secretly as they had arrived. The motive assigned for the outrage is that the woman was suspected of having murdered her busband, and it is thought Harrison may be able to overcome us, but," and the Senator smiled, "I doubt it." that those who took part in the burning of the woman were friends of the dead man.

cussed. The probabilities are that, in the interest of Mr. Harrison, Mr. Elkins will be a candidate for Governor, and will exert all his great power to throw the State over to the Republicans in the Presidental consteamer went to the bottom, carrying with her every soul on board, with only one exception, was received in this city to-night. Only meager details of the catastrophe have yet been obtained, but from the dispatches It is a matter of no little consequence how already at hand it is learned that the the electoral vote of West Virginia will be cast. There is little doubt that the candidacy of Mr. Elkins is very strong. His associations in the State and his immense business interests, involving a number of steamers Loughbrow, British, and Forest Queen came into collision off Flamberough. village on the North Sea. The vessels crashed together with great force, and the Forest Queen was torn apart by the bow of the Loughbrow. prominent Democrats in entangling alli-ances, might make it a very difficult thing to defeat him. Therefore the Democrats are anxious to bring forward the strongest

> run than any other Democrat who could To make the run he would sacrifice a brilliant career in Congress to make a desper-ate fight in the party interest. But even with so strong a candidate as Mr. Wilson, the Democrats have every reason to feel

ient at Rome says: "A ministerial crisis is imminent here. It is probable that Signor State will be very apt to go Republican, Luzzati, Minister of the Treasury, and Sigdespite all efforts to save it. nor Branca, Minister of Posts and Tele-CONSTANTINOPLE, Feb. 26 .- Dr. Vulkovitsch, the Bulgarian agent here, who was stabbed yesterday by an unknown man, died to-day. The murder is attributed to a

decided to work for 44 cents an hour for an

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in the United States, and his income is

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A Drummer Driven From Business,

his mail transferred to the business office.

The letters then ceased. He was sent out

again, and they once more began to come and finally he had to give up traveling.

One of the charges against Mr. Burrowes is that he has assumed the name of W. P. Washburn. It appears that a W. P. Washburn boarded at the Preble House in 1891.

He has made affidavit that he had neve

given permission to anyone to use his name;

hat he has never been engaged in business

an an agent or otherwise for any concern and that he does not know E. T. Burrowes

Mr. Burrowes went to the printing office of George D. Loring and ordered 200 letter heads, reading "William P. Washburn, agent for Cooper's patent weather strips, postoffice address Station A. Boston, Mass."

Proof on Every Hand.

rowes' handwriting, has been obtained from the printer and will be used in substan-

tiating the charge of forgery. Postoffice authorities at the various cities to which

the Washburn letters were sent had re-ceived orders to return all of them to a

given box in the Portland office, which

Mr. Burrowes for years has been one of most distinguished men of Maine. He had

is the best known man in the Prohibit

date for Governor. He has been a candi-date for Mayor. He is one of the leaders of

proved to be Burrowes' private box.

The original copy, said to be in Mr. Bur

order list and cut rates.

PORTLAND, ME., Feb. 26.-Hon. E. T. surrowes, of this city, was arrested to-day by United States Marshal Saunderson, harged with conspiracy to ruin a rival busness corporation, forgery, an attempt to

screen and a process for making it, and at-tempted to interest capitalists in the mat-

C. L. Cummings was the chief clerk of the new corporation, and soon after it opened for business he received several Another case, one rather out of the usual course, is being investigated by the Com-missioner. For some time past the New York Morning Advertiser has been issuing a

read "\$500 given away." Mr. Luper was not satisfied, and to-day wrote to Attorney General Hensel as Soon after the organization of the rival company it employed as a traveling sales-man a man named J. W. Pease, who was "on the road" most of the time. Mrs.

> The Attorney General is looking up the law in this matter, and will probably pro-ceed against the *Inquirer* unless it changes its method of advertising.

SAVANNAH, GA., Feb. 26 .- What is beieved by the police to have been a con-

refused to respond to the message, as the officers would have summoned him by wire

the National Prohibition party. He is the most extensive manufacturer in Portland. in the low quarters of the city. MESEROLE ADMITTED INTO CHURCH.

was made. This was postponed on account of the uncertainty of the weather. The De-troit rates will be: First-class, 31 cents; second, 28 cents; third, 20 cents; fourth, 14 cents; fifth, 13 cents; sixth, 11 cents.

proposals tending to a purchase of the pic-tures. At the next meeting definite action will be taken in regard to this matter.