CRIME.

TERRIBLE CRIME IN CHICAGO.

A Young Girl Attempts to Murder Her Father, Mother, Brothers and Sisters by Giving Them Strychnine.

From the Chicago *Journal* of the 20th we extract the following particulars of a fearful tragedy, information of which we have already published in our telegraphic columns:

Residing at No. 340 Church street is a family named Stang. The head of the family, Andrew Stang, is an industrious, well-to-do German gardener, and has by hard work and economy amassed a considerable sum of money. His family consists of a wife and five children. Of the latter, Elizabeth, who bears her mother's name, and whose age is sixteen, is the eldest. It is Elizabeth who, dead to all impulses of affection is charged with having attempted to consign her dearest relatives to a premature death. It appears that she has always been a source of ceaseless anxiety to her parents. From her earliest infancy she has displayed an irresistible inclination to steal anything of the slightest value which came within her reach. As she grew older this evil propensity more fully developed, until at last she reached a point entirely beyond restraint, and it became necessary to have her arrested, which was done, and for a year she was confined in an asylum, in hopes that that course might work a reform.

But this step failed in accomplishing the desired purpose, for after her release she persisted in her course of depravity, and on every opportunity which presented would steal from anybody with whom she came in contact. Her mother was a constant victim to her rapacity, and only two weeks ago Elizabeth robbed her of $20, and more recently still of various other sums of money. With the fruits of her dishonesty she would leave the house and not return until it had all been spent. Each time that she came back her parents received her with open arms, hoping over and over again to reform, by their counsel, the child who to them was all the world, in spite of the dreadful trouble and anxiety she caused them continually.

Matters went on thus up to Saturday, when the deed which has shocked the community at large was perpetrated. She happened to be at home. On that day it devolved upon her to cook the dinner. While preparing the coffee, a younger sister, named Kathrina, noticed a white substance floating on its surface, and asked what it was, and was told that it was only some flour. The meal was at last ready, and the whole family, excepting Kathrina, consisting of Mr. and Mrs. Stang, Rosa, aged twelve years, and Andrew, four years, sat down to partake of it. Several of them noticed that the coffee had a peculiarly bitter taste, but all drank of it, the father drinking the whole of a large cup full, the mother and Rosa taking about half a cup each, and the little boy drinking quite freely of it. It soon began to do its work, and the mother remarked that she feared they were poisoned, but Mr. Stang only laughed at the idea. He was, however, speedily undeceived, for soon the whole family were taken with the most violent vomiting and retching, and now, thoroughly alarmed, medical assistance was called, Dr. J. Milton Bowers being summoned. He arrived at the house at a few minutes past two o'clock, about half an hour after the meal was eaten. A most horrible scene presented itself. Father and mother, daughter and son, were writhing in intense agony; the little boy was apparently in the last agonies of dissolution, the extremities cold and pulseless. Little Kathrina, who alone had not partaken of the deadly mixture, witnessed the awful scene. She was stricken with terror. The doctor expressed his opinion, from statements made in regard to the peculiar taste of the coffee, that strychnine had been administered to the sufferers. He employed the usual antidotes, and, after hours of labor, finally saved the poisoned patients.

Elizabeth, in the meantime, had thrown away the coffee that had not been used, and escaped. The doctor found it necessary to procure a sample of the death-bearing mixture, and learning where the would-be murderess had thrown what had been left, succeeded in collecting sufficient for purposes of analysis.

Detectives were employed to ferret out the fiendish daughter, and subsequently succeeded in arresting her.

It is a difficult matter to form any conclusion as to the motives which induced Elizabeth to commit the horrid crime. She asserts that her parents treated her in a harsh and cruel manner; that her father made her work very hard, compelled her to peddle vegetables for years past; that her mother used to swear at her in a horrible manner, call her bad names and constantly threatened to send her to the Reform School; also that her mother used to beat and abuse her so that owing to the noise the neighbors would gather round the house. On Saturday morning she says her mother beat her in a brutal manner. She denies having put any poison in the coffee and says she believes that her mother did it. The strychnine had been bought by her at her mother's request that morning, to be used in killing rats.

This morning the victims are in a comparatively comfortable condition, and are undoubtedly past all danger. The girl will be arraigned at the Armory this afternoon. As those she poisoned are not able to appear against her, she will be formally remanded to jail to await their recovery.

THE BANK OF THE REPUBLIC ROBBERY IN NEW YORK.

Additional Facts Relative to the Capture of the Alleged Thieves—How the Police Got their Information.

It would appear that the means by which the detectives were put upon the track of the alleged robbers of the Bank of the Republic were not so extraordinary nor so mysterious as certain of the detectives concerned would have the public to believe. The facts in the case which relate to the arrest of Edwin Weed are as follows: A money broker in this city was called upon on Saturday afternoon by Weed, who had been previously in the habit of paying him occasional business visits. Weed stated that he desired to borrow $1,500, and when asked what collateral he was to give he mentioned Missouri bonds. The broker told him that he would give him the check for the amount at his brother's office on Monday, at which place at a certain hour he could bring the collateral. The broker's brother-in-law happening into the office shortly after Weed's departure, the former spoke of the loan desired by Weed, when the brother-in-law called his attention to the fact that the Bank of the Republic had a few days before lost certain Missouri bonds, and that in all probability the bonds held by Weed were the identical bonds that had been stolen; and in this belief he was all the more strengthened by the revelation, as it is alleged, that Weed's name had occupied a prominent niche of notoriety in the Lord bond-robbery revelations. The broker, who had not before given a thought to these circumstances, on being thus reminded of the character of the person with whom he had to deal and the discretion that was necessary to be observed in keeping his brother-in-law's suspicion from all but official ears, the following day (Sunday) paid a visit to Inspector Leonard, of the Metropolitan Police, at the latter's residence, and made him acquainted with the fact of Weed's visit to his place, and the kind of collateral that had been promised. He, moreover, informed the inspector that he was not desirous of appearing in the case, and had called upon him merely as a personal acquaintance, in order that he might do as he saw fit in the matter. As the broker was unwilling to go to Police Headquarters and thus make himself known in the capture that was to ensue, and as Inspector Leonard had other police occupations to engage his attention just at the time Weed was to call for the check and deposit the security bonds. The latter hurried to the Central office the following morning, and accosting the first detective he met in the building, he communicated to him the fact of Weed's proposed visit, &c., and then accompanied him to within a short distance of the broker's office. Of course the detective in question, with Weed as it were placed under his very nose, had no alternative but to arrest him the moment he called in the office and it had been ascertained to a certainty that the bonds the suspected man deposited as collateral were of the number of the bonds stolen from the bank. Weed once arrested and readily confessing that he had received the bonds from Miles Murray, with whom he was to have an appointment on Sixth street and Second avenue the very morning of the arrest, the apprehension of Murray was a very tame affair. —*N. Y. Herald.*

CITY BULLETIN.

SENATORIAL AND REPRESENTATIVE DELEGATES.—The Senatorial and Representative Conventions of the Democratic party met yesterday and elected delegates to the State Convention at Harrisburg, as follows:

SENATORIAL DISTRICTS.

First—Alexander J. Diamond.
Second—John Campbell.
Third—T. A. Sloan.
Fourth—Thomas McCullough.

REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICTS.

First—Joseph Caldwell.
Second—George W. Nebinger.
Third—Aldermen George Moore.
Fourth—Luke Keegan.
Fifth—Lewis C. Cassidy, Robert E. Randall.*
Sixth—Chas. L. Wolff.
Seventh—A. Lawrence.
Eighth—James Brook.
Ninth—George A. Quigley.
Tenth—James Dehen.
Eleventh—Thomas McDevitt.
Twelfth—John Huplet.
Thirteenth—M. J. Brady.
Fourteenth—A. McGrann.
Fifteenth—John K. Chadwick.
Sixteenth—John Kerkersheimer.
Seventeenth—John E. Vallee.
Eighteenth—James Thornton.

*In this district two delegates claim to be elected, and certificates have been given to both. There will, of course, be a contest.

MERCANTILE LIBRARY COMPANY.—The annual meeting of the Mercantile Library Company was held last evening, Frederick Fraley, Esq., in the chair. The annual report was read, showing that there are 16 perpetual members, 3 of whom were added during 1867; whole number of life members 139, 74 of whom were added during the past year; whole number of stockholders, 5,793, 128 of whom were added during 1867; subscribers, 369. At the beginning of last August the whole number of volumes in the library, by actual count, was 42,383; books acquired during the year, 4,563; books loaned during the year, 160,436. The report refers to the purchase of the Franklin Market property; the price was $126,000, and of this $26,000 have been paid, and $50,000 remain on ground rent. The balance, $50,000, is yet to be provided for, and allowing $80,000 for adapting the building to its new uses, the remaining expense is $130,000. The Treasurer reported that during the year 1867 the total receipts were $31,958 32, and the expenses $31,327 08.

ALLEGED BURGLAR FOUND.—The search of the hospitals yesterday by the police resulted in the finding of one of the men who broke into the house of Mr. E. P. Hewlings, No. 2132 Walnut street, yesterday morning. At St. Joseph's Hospital a man who gave his name as Reardon, but whose real name is Burns, was found. He reached the institution in a cab yesterday morning between four and five o'clock. He had a cut about six inches long on the left side of the abdomen, and a portion of the bowels protruded from the wound. He is in a very low condition, and his recovery is considered scarcely possible. He admitted to Chief Lamon this morning that he had been stabbed at the house of Mr. Hewlings, but refused to say anything about his companion. He is about 30 years of age and belongs to this city, but is not known to the detectives as a thief.

FIRES.—Last evening, about half-past eight o'clock, a fire occurred at the china store of Mr. Clare, No. 323 North Eighth street. The loss is estimated at $500.

About half-past eleven o'clock last night the smoke-house of Gottlieb John, at Twenty-third and Meredith streets, was damaged by fire to the of $50.

This morning, about half-past ten o'clock, a fire was discovered in the third story of building No. 22 South Sixth street, occupied by George Thurgaland as a barber shop and dwelling. The flames originated under the floor, and burned through a partition. No other damage was done. Loss about $150.

FEMALE THIEF.—Mary E. Sweed was arrested yesterday and taken before Alderman Pancoast, upon the charge of the larceny of articles from three houses which she had been visiting. She was held in $800 bail for trial. She is the wife of George Sweed, whose arrest for the charge of burglary was noticed yesterday. Sweed is charged with having broken into the house of Mr. Thompson, No. 1502 Thompson street, in October last, and stolen therefrom government bonds, police warrants, some cash, and a gold watch, the whole amounting to between $3,000 and $4,000. The warrants and watch belonged to Mr. Mitchell, and the bonds and money to Mr. Thompson.

ROBBING A BOARDING HOUSE.—George Reynolds, Wm. Curren and Charles Robinson were arrested yesterday, by Lieut. Connelly, and taken before Alderman Patchel, upon the charge of the larceny of a lady's cloak, valued at $50, and some jewelry valued at $50, from a house No. 1328 Lombard street. Reynolds went to the house on Saturday and engaged a lodging room for himself and friend, the latter being Curren. On Sunday night Robinson was taken to the house. On Monday, after the three left, the articles named were missing. As there had been nobody in the house but the accused, they were arrested. They were held in $600 bail for a further hearing. Reynolds and Curren were subsequently recognized by the Detectives as old offenders.

ANNUAL BALL.—The Fairmount Fire Company will give their annual ball this evening at the Academy of Music. The former reunions of this Company have always been of the most pleasant and agreeable character, and judging from the gentlemen having charge of the entertainment for this evening, it will equal, if not excel, their former efforts.

LARCENY AND ASSAULT AND BATTERY.—Ann O'Neill was before Ald. Beitler, this morning, upon the charge of having stolen $6 from a woman who resides in the same house with her, No. 314 New Market street, and Edward O'Neill, her husband, a lame man, was charged with having struck the complainant in the case on the head with his crutch. Both were held for trial.

MURDEROUS ASSAULT.—Barney Gorman, *alias* Pussy Gorman, was before Alderman Morrow, yesterday, upon the charge of assault and battery. It is alleged that he went to Donnelly's tavern, in the neighborhood of Ninth and Christian streets, and beat the proprietor in an outrageous manner, causing serious injuries. He was committed to answer.

CORRECTION.—In our report of the election by City Councils of City Directors of the North Pennsylvania Railroad, published last week, we fell into the error of saying that O. H. Howard was elected. The name of the gentleman who was elected was O. Howard Wilson.

CAUGHT IN THE ACT.—A German named John Wolfinger was arrested this morning at one o'clock, while in the act of stealing iron from the depot of the North Pennsylvania Railroad Company, at Berks street. He was held in $800 bail to answer, by Ald. Heins.

PRESS CLUB.—The stated meeting of the Press Club of Philadelphia will be held this afternoon at the rooms, No. 515 Chestnut street. The new constitution and by-laws will be considered, and other important business transacted.

STATE DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION.—Luke Keegan was elected to the State Democratic Convention from the Fourth Legislative District, and not Edward Helmbold, as was stated yesterday.

MORE CONTRIBUTIONS.—Chief Ruggles has received $5 from Hez, and $2 cash, for the relief of the Simons' family, who were severe sufferers by the fire in Cox street on Chistmas night.

ACCIDENT.—George Campbell fell on the ice at Seventh and Spruce streets, this morning, and had a leg broken. He was taken to the Hospital.

AMUSEMENTS.

MR. MURDOCH'S READING.—Mr. Jas. E. Murdoch gave a reading at Concert Hall, last evening, to an immense audience. Mr. Murdoch is, at any time, sure to have a full house when he appears upon the platform. His pure and elevated patriotism, the noble and unselfish work performed by him during the war, and his earnest and hearty advocacy of the cause of the Union have given him a hold upon the hearts of the people such as no other man in his position can hope to obtain. If these did not suffice to attract the public to his entertainments, his eminent talent would. Mr. Murdoch is the most accomplished and finished elocutionist in this country. He has brought the art to its highest and nicest perfection, and natural and graceful as are his inflections, there is not one of them that is not the result of careful study.

It was generally thought that Mr. Murdoch would read selections from Dickens last evening, for the purpose of showing how very superior his style is to that of the immortal Charles. This was not the case. Mr. Murdoch read but a single chapter from "Pickwick," and he expressly stated that he did so at the earnest solicitation of the gentlemen under whose auspices the reading was given. It would be absurd to attempt a comparative criticism of the two men as readers. Mr. Murdoch's style is wholly and altogether different from that of Mr. Dickens. That of the former is the very perfection of elocutionary art, and where Mr. Dickens simply mimics and personates, Mr. Murdoch, with very little attempt at constantly changing facial expression, only declaims. In character parts, Mr. Murdoch, despite his triumphs upon the stage, is not as successful as he is as a reader of poems such as the "The Sleeping Sentinel," and Mr. Boker's "On Board the Cumberland." The episode from "Pickwick" was admirably done, last night, but Mr. Murdoch was hardly so successful even as Mr. Dickens in giving vitality to the familiar personages of the piece. The entertainment, however, was very enjoyable, and the audience constantly testified to their hearty appreciation by applauding. It is to be hoped Mr. Murdoch will be induced to give a series of these readings in this city. His personal popularity, apart from the attractiveness of his style, will insure success.

THE THEATRES.—At the Chesnut Mr. John E. Owens will appear in *The Victims* and *Forty Winks*. Lady Don, at the Arch, will appear in *The Ladies Club* and *Lalla Rookh*. At the Walnut, this evening, Mr. and Mrs. Barney Williams will appear in *The Fairy Circle*, *The Rough Diamond* and *The Irish Tiger*. The American offers a varied bill.

CARL SENTZ'S ORCHESTRA MATINEES.—The Sixteenth matinée of this popular series will be given to-morrow (Thursday) afternoon at 3½ o'clock, at Horticultural Hall. In the following programme it will be observed that Mr. Sentz has introduced a selection of sacred music. It is his intention to pursue this policy hereafter at each of his concerts:

Grand Symphony, No. 6, in G major.....Haydn
Introduction—Adagio Cantabile.
1. Vivace assai.
2. Andante.
3. Minuetto, Allegro molto.
4. Finale—Allegro molto.
Quartet—"*O come ev'ry one that thirsteth*" Mendelssohn
(From the Oratorio of Elijah.)
Second Finale of Maritana, (by request,)..Wallace
Waltz—Auf Flügeln der Nacht, (On the Wings of night,) first time.....Faust
Serenade—For Horn and Flute Solo, (First time,) Titti
Galop—The Grand Duchess of Gerolstein, (first time,).....Birgfeld

THE FRENCH OPERA.—The French Comic Opera Company, of New York, will appear in this city at the Academy of Music, February 11th, in Offenbach's opera *Le Grande Duchesse de Gerolstein*. Copies of the libretto can be procured at the Academy.

C. HENRY'S BENEFIT.—We would call attention to this event to-morrow evening, at the Seventh Street Opera House, as one worthy the consideration of the community. All of Tunison & Co.'s Minstrels appear in a splendid programme. Mr. T. Carr Langton, from Trenton, appears upon that night only. Mr. Henry sings two new ballads. Johnny Mack's new burlesque and great hit, *The Black Book*, will be given for the fourth time. As Mr. Henry is one of the sweetest tenors upon the minstrel stage, and a great favorite, there should be a crowded house. Box office open during the day to secure seats.

CONSERVATORY OF MUSIC.—Lovers of fine music, well executed, should not neglect to attend the next (the eighth) matinée of the American Conservatory of Music, at New Horticultural Hall, Saturday afternoon of this week. Masterpieces of Beethoven and Mozart will be performed The attention of our readers is invited to the advertisement under "Instruction."

LECTURE.—Hon. Robert Dale Owen will lecture this evening at Washington Hall, Eighth and Spring Garden streets, upon "The Law of Kindness Historically Illustrated?" The lecture is in the interest of the Pennsylvania Peace Society.

ELEVENTH STREET OPERA HOUSE.—An entirely new burlesque entitled *The Arrival of Dickens*, will be given this evening. It is filled with laughable situations, local hits, humorous dialogue, and the characters are personated by the most popular members of the company. Lew Simmons will represent Charles Dickens. Mr. J. L. Carncross will sing several favorite ballads, and there will be singing, dancing, and the usual miscellany.

PHILADELPHIA OPERA HOUSE.—The famous burlesque entitled *The Black Book* will be given to-night at this opera house. It is a humorous adaptation of *The Black Crook*, and is said to be intensely amusing. It has had a prolonged run in Boston and New York, and has been warmly eulogized by the press of both cities. It is placed upon the stage here in first-rate style, and the cast includes the most accomplished performers in the troupe. There will be singing, dancing and Ethiopian eccentricities and comicalities.

SIGNOR BLITZ.—The Signor has taken Commissioner's Hall, West Philadelphia, for this week only. Those who desire to visit this great magician before his permanent retirement must do so at once.

THE COURTS.

OYER AND TERMINER—Judges Allison and Ludlow.—This morning Thomas Comfort was put on trial charged with the murder of Francis O'Neill, on the 3d of November last. The prisoner and deceased, with others, had been in company in the northwestern part of the city, and while coming down the Lamb Tavern road the parties left Comfort and O'Neill alone, going down the road. The two then had some words in regard to their capacity to whip each other. They came to blows, and O'Neill received nine stabs. Later in the evening Comfort, while in a Ridge Avenue car, stated to the conductor that he had had a difficulty with a man and had given him enough. Upon this admission he was subsequently arrested. O'Neill died on the 11th of December, a *post mortem* examination disclosing the fact that one of the stabs had entered one of the lungs.

The case was commenced at half-past eleven o'clock, and the Commonwealth's case was developed as above.

SUPREME COURT—Chief Justice Thompson and Justices Read, Agnew and Sharswood.—Slemmer's appeal was argued this morning.

NISI PRIUS—Justice Strong.—The Pennsylvania Steam Towing and Transportation Company vs. George Eppecheimer. Before reported. Verdict for plaintiffs.

Merrick & Sons vs. The Germania Fire Insurance Company of the city of New York. Same vs. The Fulton Fire Insurance Company of the city of New York. Same vs. The Hanover Fire Insurance Company of the city of New York. Same vs. The Lorillard Fire Insurance Company of the city of New York. Actions on policies of insurance. On trial.

CITY NOTICES

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From mountain river swift and cold.
The borders of the stormy deep,
The vales where gathered waters sleep,
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PERHAPS the best pun recorded was that inscribed on a tea-chest, viz.: "*Tu does.*" These persons are the singular of the verb *does*, to each, and when literally translated, become, "Thou tea-chest." We would like to teach our readers to buy their coal of Mr. W. W. Alter, Ninth street, below Girard avenue, and at the corner of Sixth and Spring Garden streets.

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