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INVITATIONS FOR WEDDINGS, PARTIES, &c., executed in a superior manner by
DREKA, 1033 CHESTNUT STREET. fe20-tf§

DIED.

COOPER.—On Fifth-day evening, the 9th instant, John M. K., son of Joseph B. and Elizabeth K. Cooper, aged two years and six months.

The relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend his funeral, from the residence of his parents, near Camden, N. J., on First-day afternoon, the 12th inst., at three o'clock, without further notice.

LEVY.—This day, at noon, Amelie, wife of Bernard Levy.

Due notice will be given of the funeral.

LUMMIS.—Fell asleep in Jesus, April 8th, at Sodus Point, Georgiana, wife of Benj. B. Lummis, and daughter of the late George and Maria C. Willis.

MACKEY.—In Camden, on Thursday evening, after a protracted illness, in the 54th year of her age, Mrs. Sarah Frances, wife of Mr. G. C. Mackey, and daughter of the late Rev. Wm. Eldred, of Muncy, Pa.

Funeral will take place on Monday afternoon, at 2½ o'clock, from the residence of her husband, No. 343 Stevens street, Camden, N. J. The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited.

McCOY.—On the 10th inst., Miss Sarah McCoy.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from the residence of her uncle, Thomas McCoy, Fifty-ninth and Market streets, on Monday afternoon, at 3 o'clock.

SHARKEY.—On the 9th instant, Mary Keating, wife of Bernard Sharkey, aged 43 years.

The relatives and friends of the family are requested to attend her funeral, from the residence of her husband, No. 1827 Green street, on Monday morning next, the 13th inst., at 8½ o'clock. Funeral services at the Cathedral.

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RELIGIOUS NOTICES.

MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH, REV. P. S. Henson, D. D., Pastor, Athletic Hall, Thirteenth street above Jefferson. Preaching to-morrow, at 10½ A. M.: "The Marys and the Master," 7¾: "Religion and Common Sense," (continued.) Lecture and Prayer Meeting every Wednesday evening, at 7¾. Sabbath School, 2½ P. M. 1t*

FIRST NIGHT AFTER THE RESURRECTION.—Series of Sermons by Rev. Dr. March on "Night Scenes in the Bible," continued To-morrow (Easter Sunday) Evening, at 8 o'clock, in Clinton Street Church, Tenth, below Spruce. There will be extra choral services. All persons cordially invited. 1t*

REV. RICHARD W. DUMPHRISS, THE newly appointed Pastor of Trinity M. E. Church, Eighth street, above Race, will commence his pulpit labors in that Church next Sunday, 12th inst., preaching at 10½ A. M. and 7½ P. M. A cordial invitation extended to all. apl0 2t*

CHURCH OF THE HOLY APOSTLES.—SERVICES every Sunday evening, in the Lecture Room of Tabor Presbyterian Church, Eighteenth, below Christian, entrance on Montrose street. Sermon to-morrow evening by Rev. Phillips Brooks. 1t§

NORTH BROAD STREET PRESBYTERIAN Church (Corner of Broad and Green Streets.)—Rev. Peter Stryker, D. D., pastor elect, will preach to-morrow at 10½ A. M., and 7½ P. M. Sabbath School at 3 o'clock. Strangers welcome. 1t*

ELEVENTH BAPTIST CHURCH, TWELFTH street above Race.—Preaching Sabbath morning and evening, by Rev. E. M. Byrn, of Clayton, N. Y. Sunday school open as usual, morning and afternoon. *

ST. CLEMENT'S CHURCH, TWENTIETH and Cherry streets. To-morrow being Easter day, the afternoon service will be omitted. Service in the evening at 7½ o'clock. 1t*

REV. C. H. PAYNE WILL ENTER UPON HIS duties as Pastor of the Arch Street M. E. Church, at Broad and Arch streets, to-morrow morning. Preaching at 10½ A. M. and 7½ in the evening. 1t*

COATES STREET, BELOW FOURTH.—Central Presbyterian Church, N. L. Rice, J. Y. Mitchell, Pastor. Baptism and Lord's Supper at 10½ A. M. Sermon at 7½ P. M. Seats free and public invited. 1t*

OLD SPRUCE STREET BAPTIST CHURCH, Spruce street below Fifth, Rev. J. Wheaton Smith, D. D., Pastor. Preaching To-morrow at 10½ A. M., and 8 o'clock P. M. Baptism in evening. 1t*

RECOGNITION OF FRIENDS IN HEAVEN.—Sermon on this subject by Rev. W. P. Breed, D. D., at West Spruce Street Church on Sabbath evening, 12th inst., at quarter before eight o'clock. 1t*

SPECIAL NOTICES.

CONCERT HALL.

FREDERICK DOUGLASS,

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On Tuesday Evening, April 14.

ADMISSION.....TWENTY-FIVE CENTS.
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The sale of tickets will be commenced at GOULD'S Piano Warerooms, 923 Chestnut street, on Saturday, 11th instant, at 9 A. M.

Doors open at 7. Lecture at 8. ap9tf

THE PENNSYLVANIA MILK COMPANY (Incorporated by the State of Pennsylvania) announces to the citizens of Philadelphia, that the Farmers and producers of Milk, in the counties adjoining the city, have formed a corporate Company with the above title, for the purpose of supplying the citizens of Philadelphia with MILK and CREAM.

To enable them to meet the wants of this large community, in this necessary article, they have purchased the new and extensive depot of the Market Street Railroad Company, Nos. 3336, 3338, 3340, and 3342 MARKET street, to which point all the Milk will be taken and inspected, and then be distributed *pure* and *unadulterated*.

The Company has made arrangements with the Railroad Companies to bring the milk from the dairies during the night, thus enabling the Company to serve the citizens early in the morning, with the Milk drawn at the dairies the evening before. The Cream served will be taken from the previous morning's Milk. This milk will be sold as Skimmed Milk. Great complaint has been made, not only by the residents of Philadelphia, but by the farmers also, of the manner in which the business of buying and selling Milk in the city has been conducted;—by the citizens, on account of the quality of the Milk supplied to them;—by the farmers, on account of the unsatisfactory manner in which the Milk is purchased from them and sold to the citizens.

From a knowledge of these facts, and in order to serve the citizens of Philadelphia, as well as to protect the interests of the farmers, the following named persons (farmers and producers of milk) viz: J. Henry Askin, Joseph B. Baker, Abram S. Ashbridge, Wm. E. Lockwood, A. C. Roberts, W. M. Ogleby, Captain W. Wayne, Daniel H. Lewis, David Havard, and J. C. Sharpless, were led to apply to the Legislature for a charter (which has been granted) creating a company for the purpose of selling milk and cream. From the character and standing of the persons named, the citizens will have a sure guarantee that the article served them will be pure and unadulterated.

The price at which families will be served during the month of April will be as follows:

For Cream, 28 cents per quart. Milk, 8 cents per quart.
Skimmed Milk, 4 cents per quart.

Orders will be received at their Office, No. 3338 Market street, on and after TUESDAY, the 7th instant.

JOSEPH B. BAKER,
President.
J. C. SHARPLESS,
Secretary and Treasurer. ap6 6t§

ACADEMY OF MUSIC.—LECTURE BEFORE the Franklin Institute, by Dr. Boynton, SATURDAY, April 11, at 8 o'clock, on "The Curiosities of Creation," beautifully illustrated with dissolving views, &c. Tickets to all parts of the house, Fifty Cents.

For sale at the Franklin Institute, 15 South Seventh street. Seats reserved without extra charge. Members' tickets admit to the Lecture. ap6 6trp§

"HOME FOR INVALIDS," ESTABLISHED IN 1847, by E. E. DENNISTON, M. D., at Springdale, Northampton, Mass. Number limited to thirty. References: Barton, Jacob Bigelow, M. D.; Edward Reynolds, M. D.; John Homans, M. D.; R. J. Bigelow, M. D. New York, Willard Parker, M. D.; Austin Flint, M. D.; Brooklyn, C. L. Mitchell, M. D. ap4-s,4t rp§

SPECIAL NOTICES.

UNION REPUBLICAN PARTY.

The Convention on Rules

WILL MEET

On Monday Afternoon, 13th inst.,

At 3 o'clock, in the

OLD COUNTY COURT HOUSE.

LOUIS WAGNER,
CHARLES N. RIDGWAY, Secretaries.
1t*

PENNSYLVANIA MILITARY ACADEMY, Chester, Delaware county.
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T. B. PETERSON, Esq.,
Philadelphia.
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GOOD SPRING RAILROAD COMPANY.—
PHILADELPHIA, April 11, 1868.
The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of this Company, and an election for President and six managers to serve for the ensuing year and until others shall be elected, will be held at the office of the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad Company, No. 227 South Fourth street, on MONDAY, the 4th day of May next, at 11½ o'clock A. M.
WM. H. WEBB, Secretary.
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WM. H. WEBB, Secretary.
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SCHUYLKILL AND SUSQUEHANNA RAILROAD COMPANY. Office 227 South Fourth street.
PHILADELPHIA, April 11, 1868.
The annual meeting of the Stockholders of this Company, and an election for President and six Managers, will take place at the Office of the Company on MONDAY, the 4th day of May next, at 12 o'clock M.
WM. H. WEBB, secretary.
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CITY BULLETIN.

DEATH OF MAJOR FLOMERFELT.—Major Armstrong I. Flomerfelt, a well known citizen of the Third Ward, died very suddenly last evening. He had been on a gunning excursion for a week past on the coast of New Jersey, in company with several friends. The party had just landed at Manahawken beach, and Major F. was engaged in pleasant conversation with two of the party, when he suddenly fell dead. The deceased was in his usual apparent good health up to the moment of his sudden demise. Every effort was made by his friends to restore suspended vitality in the body, but he could not be recalled to life.

Major Flomerfelt was well known throughout the city as an active business man and politician, and as a genial friend and companion. He was a member of the old American party, and as such was elected to City Council, upon the going into effect of consolidation in 1854. He subsequently served a term as Receiver of Taxes, and administered the duties of the office with great satisfaction. At the time of the nomination of Mr. McMichael for Mayor, Major Flomerfelt was also a candidate for the nomination.

ANOTHER HANDSOME IMPROVEMENT.—The old mansion house at the corner of Walnut street and Washington Square, formerly occupied by Josiah Randall, and the adjoining dwelling on Walnut street, have entirely disappeared. The property was purchased by the Philadelphia Saving Fund Society, and a magnificent building for the use of the Society is to be put up. The new structure will have a front of 52 feet on Walnut street, and 130 feet on Seventh street. The principal front will be in the Italian style of architecture. It will have two ranges in height from the basement, with arched openings, and a massive rusticated door-piece. Quincy granite will be used in the construction of all the exterior walls. The first floor, besides the banking room, to be of large size, with a ceiling 40 feet high, will have rooms for the officers, the vault, and a retiring room for depositors; and the second floor, the managers' room, president's room, &c., &c. The building will cost $130,000, and is to be completed next summer.

ROBBERY AND RECOVERY OF STOLEN PROPERTY.—Last evening the stable of Colton & Clarke, on Sansom street, near Fifteenth, was broken into. The thieves hitched up a horse, and packing into a wagon an awning valued at $100, and two barrels of flour, drove off. Intelligence of the robbery was left at the Sixth District Police Station, and this morning Policeman McKnight found the horse and wagon at Nineteenth and Cherry streets. The awning, flour, and driving lines were gone.

A GOOD MOVE.—An ordinance of the city provides that vehicles shall be kept a certain distance apart when being driven along the streets. This is intended to prevent danger to pedestrians, but the law has, as a general thing, been rather indifferently enforced. The Mayor, having received some communications upon the subject, called the attention of the Lieutenants of Police to the matter, and desired them to notify their officers that the provisions of the ordinance must be rigidly enforced.

LARCENY OF RAILROAD IRON.—A man named George Calkens, residing in "Dutch Row," in Richmond, was arrested upon the charge of the larceny of iron belonging to the North Pennsylvania Railroad. The iron was taken at Fisher's Lane Station. Calkens was one of the men who jumped from the wagon at Cooperaville, a few days ago, when a policeman appeared in view. He was taken before Alderman Senix, and was held in $1,600 bail to answer at Court.

CARELESS SHOOTING.—This morning, about nine o'clock, a colored man, residing on Rodman street, fired a pistol out of the back window of his house. The ball passed across Lombard street, and entered the window of a house. It passed in close proximity to the head of a woman and buried itself in a stove.

LARCENY OF HOSE.—A man named William Zeirweiss was arrested this morning at Fifth and Moore streets, upon the charge of the larceny of a lot of garden hose from the residence of Mrs. Scott, on Moyamensing avenue. The hose was found in his possession. He was committed by Alderman Mink.

AN ITEM FOR HOUSEKEEPERS.—Persons who are refurnishing their linen closets, or those who are in want of staple and household dry goods of any kind, will find it greatly to their advantage to make their selections from a large and well-assorted stock such as that offered by the new firm of Kulp & Macdonald, No. 1206 Chestnut street. Mr. Kulp, of this house, is well and favorably known to the public through his long connection with the old and respected establishment of J. T. Cowell & Son, and he brings from thence an experience and an an extensive acquaintance which cannot fail to secure for him the most satisfactory success in his new enterprise. Messrs. Kulp & Macdonald have fitted up their store in handsome style, and have stocked their shelves with attractive and desirable goods. They offer to housekeepers unusual advantages in the way of table cloths, napkins and table linen generally of the most famous makes and of all grades, from the cheapest to the best. They also have a first-rate line of Tweed and Barnsley Sheetings, Pillow-case linens of all widths, together with an extensive assortment of French and Irish shirting linens, and a great variety of White goods of all descriptions. They also make a specialty of embroidered cloth piano covers, of which they have an unsurpassed assortment of all colors and patterns. Messrs. Kulp & Macdonald are enterprising and liberal in their dealings with their customers, and their establishment already bids fair to become one of the most popular of its kind in the city.

THE ARCH STREET M. E. CHURCH.—The Rev Mr. Payne, who has been transferred from the N. Y. East Conference to serve as the Pastor of the Arch Street M. E. Church, was welcomed to his new charge last evening. Notwithstanding the unpleasant weather, by which a large number of the members of the church were prevented from being present on the occasion, enough were in attendance to give a substantial greeting in the form of subscriptions to the amount of $81,800 towards the erection of the main building of the contemplated structure, at the S. E. corner of Arch and Broad streets. A belief is entertained that this amount will be increased to nearly or quite $100,000 by the members and friends who were absent last evening. The sum of $70,000 has already been expended in the purchase of the ground and the erection of the chapel fronting on Broad street. The whole is estimated to cost over $200,000, and when completed it will form a striking ornament to the city. It is intended to commence work immediately.

BOSTON VISITORS.—A committee of the members of the "Boston Coal Exchange," consisting of John L. Batchelder, Howard Snelling, Theodore Pentice, George S. Winslow, William J. Keefe, J. Baldwin, Jr., Joseph Robbins, Jonathan Barry, C. J. Barry, and H. L. Batchelder, arrived here last evening and are stopping at the Continental Hotel. These gentlemen are the largest buyers and consumers of coal in New England, and have visited our city for the purpose of examining our wharves at Richmond, and for the purpose of inspecting the entire coal region. They come at the suggestion of Mr. Charles F. Norton, President of the Commonwealth Bank, and one of our largest coal miners, who will accompany them on their tour. The whole party will be under the supervision of the Hon. John Tucker, who will leave on Monday, on a special train on the Reading Railroad for the Schuylkill mines.

FRANKLIN INSTITUTE.—Dr. Boynton has arrived in this city with his apparatus and pictures required for his lecture at the Academy of Music this evening. Among other things, he has the apparatus used for the splendid experiment of *burning a sword*, reservoirs filled with gas, an enormous oxohydrogen blowpipe, &c. In this experiment the blade of a sword is ignited in the flame of the mixed gases, and burns with intense light and dazzling scintillations, which extend in star-like sparks in all directions, while a stream of melted steel pours down and is received on plates of sheet iron, with which a portion of the stage is covered for protection. The Doctor has also his immense Gyroscope, requiring the strength of several men to set it in motion, and provided with planets and satellites. It is capable of sustaining a weight of 20 pounds in the air.

DEATH OF A WORTHY MAN.—On the 8th inst., Mr. Alfred L. Jones, a worthy and respectable active member of the Hope Hose Company, died at the Episcopal Hospital, from disease contracted while in the army. Mr. Jones served throughout the war with credit to himself, and upon his return, being completely broken down in health, he was kindly cared for by the members of the Hope Hose Company, who bestowed upon him the tenderest and most constant attention. His malady growing worse, however, he was removed to the Episcopal Hospital, where he at last died. His funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon, at 2 o'clock, from the residence of Mr. John Bernard, No. 722 Pine street.

INSURANCE.—We call the attention of business men and the public generally to the advertisement, in another column, of Mr. Mordecai D. Evans, of the General Insurance Agency, No. 431 Walnut street. Mr. Evans represents a number of the safest, richest, promptest and most popular companies in the United States. Among these are the Tradesmen's Fire Insurance Company, of New York; the Connecticut Fire Insurance Company, of Hartford; the Firemen's Insurance Company, of New York; the Albany City Insurance Company, of Albany, N. Y., and the National Life Insurance Company, of New York city. Mr. Evans is prepared to offer the most satisfactory inducements to those who desire to insure, and persons will find it to their advantage to call upon him before going elsewhere.

SLIGHT FIRE.—The alarm of fire between 12 and 1 o'clock to-day was caused by a slight explosion of gunpowder in the gun shop of Henry Lechler, 104 Arch street. Some damage was done by the explosion and by fire to the windows, shelving and stock, but the fire was extinguished without the aid of the firemen, who were very promptly on the ground.

RUN OVER.—Two men were run over by a wagon loaded with potatoes at Second and Spruce streets, yesterday afternoon. One was severely bruised. Patrick McKeenan, the driver of the wagon, was arrested. He had a hearing before Alderman Morrow, and was held in $1,000 bail.

HOUSE ROBBERY.—The dwelling of Mrs. Rodgers, No. 2021 Fitzwater street, was entered and was robbed of several articles and a small sum of money, the total value of the stolen property being $50.

DEATH OF A SEA CAPTAIN.—Intelligence was received this morning of the death of Captain Outerbridge, an old and well-known sea captain, a resident of this city. Capt. Outerbridge died suddenly, at Sagua, West Indies.

RAILROAD ACCIDENT.—This morning a man named Henry Holbrook, aged 28 years, was run over by a train of coal cars at Nicetown. He had both legs cut off.

DISASTERS.

Sad Drowning Case.

[From the Chester (Pa.) Republican.]

On Thursday afternoon of last week an unknown man came to this place from a vessel lying in the Delaware. He visited the Mayor's office, and that officer, thinking him somewhat deranged, provided quarters for him during the night. The next morning he expressed his desire to go to Philadelphia, and he was put on the road to that city. On Friday, about three o'clock, he was found standing erect in Ridley creek, near its mouth. He had evidently strayed there, stuck fast in the mud, and the tide coming in he was drowned. His body was brought to this place by undertaker William A. Minshall, who made every effort to find out where he came from, but without success. He was apparently about forty years of age, six feet high, and stout in proportion; dressed in a dark steel-mixed casimere coat, brown casimere pants and vest. He was a foreigner, and, to appearance, an Irishman or Scotchman. An inquest was held on the remains, and the jury returned a verdict, "found drowned." The body was interred by Mr. Minshall in one of the burial grounds of this city, on Wednesday last.

CRIME.

MELANCHOLY SUICIDE.

Affecting Letters from the Deceased to His Family.

[Indianapolis (April 8) Correspondence of the Cincinnati Gazette.]

A most sad and distressing suicide occurred at the Bates House some time last night, but was not discovered until about noon to-day. The victim is George W. George, of Cincinnati, who has been at the Bates House since the 10th of March, engaged in exhibiting a new invention called a cooking column. He was a man about fifty years of age, had a wife and children in Cincinnati and a son in the house of White, Corbin, Bouve & Co. The chambermaid tried his door twice this forenoon, and the third time, soon after noon, looked over the transom, discovering him lying in his blood. Upon investigation it was found that he had blown off the whole side of his forehead by a shot from a Derringer pistol. He had a demit from Pentucket Chapter, Massachusetts, dated December 20, 1867, and a certificate from the Knights Templar Consistory, Cincinnati Orient, dated January 4, 1868, showing him to have attained to the thirty-second degree of Masonry. Letters were also found, directed to Captain Hartwell, the hotel clerk, his wife and his son. The first two were written two weeks ago, in quite an large, bold hand, and show that he has long meditated the deed. The letters are as follows:

LETTER TO THE CLERK.

Brother Hartwell.—Will you please to see to my things that they go to Cincinnati, direct to Henry B. George, who will pay the balance of my bill here.

Yours, fraternally, GEORGE W. GEORGE.

P.S.—Be sure and send the two letters upon the table. G. W. G.

LETTER TO THE SON.

INDIANAPOLIS, March 25, 1868.—*Dear Henry;* I am satisfied that the cooking column enterprise is a failure, and I do not know what to do but to die. I do not know whether you and mother will be surprised at my taking my own life, but I have thought nothing else for the last year and a half, and now there is no other course to pursue that I can see. I cannot resist the feeling that it must be done. I cannot live any longer. I don't know what will become of mother and the children; but as I have been kind to you and Charley in times past you must both do all you can for them. * * * She has been a good mother to you, Henry, and you must try and make her future life as pleasant and comfortable as you can. My frailties and imperfections you will forgive. I hope and trust God will. Give my love to all the children—Lizzie, Charles, Kate and Carrie. My body will be in Cincinnati to morrow morning. You will find in my pocketbook a certificate of deposit, indorsed over to you, for a one thousand dollar ten forty bond, belonging to the estate of N. K. Farnham, and the account of notes, &c., in my drawer in the bureau, at home. See that the matter is settled up all right. And now, Henry, forever, farewell, and God bless you and mother, and all, is the prayer of your unhappy father.

GEORGE W. GEORGE.

LETTER TO HIS WIFE.

INDIANAPOLIS, March 26, 1868.—*Dear Darling Frank:* I wrote to Henry, and said in my letter that I could not write to you, but I must, just to bid you farewell, and bless you and the children. Don't judge me too hastily, dear Frank. I have contended against this feeling for a long time, but can do so no longer. You will all be better off, and I hope and trust God will forgive me this deed, and keep you and the children under His care and protection. Good-by for this world. Your husband,

GEORGE W. GEORGE.

The wife and son were telegraphed to, and will probably be here on the last train to-night. The body has been properly cared for in the meantime.

The Fitzgerald Murder Case.

[From the New York Herald of To-day.]

On the 23 day of August, 1866, a murder was committed in Westchester county under circumstances peculiarly revolting. A young girl who had just crossed the threshold of womanhood was shot by one of a party of soldiers on furlough from Fort Schuyler, who attacked a private house and threatened death to all its inmates. The principal of these men was Thomas Fitzgerald, who fired the fatal shot, and he was arrested and tried for the murder at White Plains in December of the same year, and sentenced to be hanged. An appeal was made through the counsel of the prisoner to the Supreme Court, and as the judgment was affirmed Fitzgerald's last loophole of escape has been closed and he will be sentenced anew at the June sessions. The case having occurred so far back, a brief recapitulation of the circumstances will not be out of place: On the night of the 1st of August, 1866, Alex. Elliott, a farmer living at Westchester, went into a saloon near Westchester bridge, where he found a party of soldiers drinking, who were subsequently identified as Thomas Fitzgerald, N. J. Canty, John Doran, Michael Martin, John C. Burke, Charles Burke and John Rooney, the latter being a civilian, but also engaged as a teamster at Fort Schuyler. Some words arose between the party as Elliott interfered in their conversation and the result was that Elliott was threatened with a beating and had to escape by a back door, when he pursued his way home down the village. He had not long gone when the soldiers went after him and overtaking him, the altercation was renewed. Elliott then had his arm broken with an iron club in the hand of one of the men and again escaped, getting home safely and then went to bed. Between 2 and 3 o'clock in the morning the Elliott household were aroused by a confused noise outside, and Elliott looking out observed the same party of soldiers who had previously attacked him surrounding the house, and they all now appeared armed with guns and bayonets. Knowing that they were after him, he got out of the house through the barn at the back, clad only in his shirt, and swimming Westchester creek with the aid of only one arm, as his left was broken, he alarmed the neighbors; but while flying from the house he heard a shot fired, and thinking it was at himself he only accelerated his movements. In the meantime the assailants continued banging at the door and claiming admittance. They at length burst it in, and Fitzgerald threatened to shoot Mrs. Elliott unless she told him immediately where her son was. The old lady implored him to spare her life; but she testified that the musket was snapped at her, although it fortunately did not explode. The ruffians then again went outside, and remained parleying some time; and Ellen Hicks, a niece of the Elliotts, went to close the door. As she stood there Fitzgerald raised his musket and pointed it at her, being then only about twenty feet off, and before her sister, who had an arm around her, could draw the unfortunate girl inside, he fired, and the ball, passing through her abdomen, broke the leg of a chair and ricochetted against the wall of the room. The poor girl, exclaiming, "Mother, I am dying!" sank upon the floor, and, after lingering in great agony, expired about three hours afterwards. The desperadoes then retired and dispersed in various directions; but the Tremont police, being informed of the affair, were quickly in pursuit, and the whole party were arrested before midday. The feeling of the community was so strong that it was with the utmost difficulty the populace could be restrained from seizing and lynching the prisoners as they were taken to the station. At the Coroner's inquest, held the same afternoon, a verdict of wilful murder was brought in against Fitzgerald, and the others were declared to be accomplices. The trial of Fitzgerald, as has been already stated, took place at White Plains on December 5, 1866, and he pleaded not guilty. He constantly asserted his innocence and although he acknowledged he would have killed Elliott if he could have seen him he asserted that the night was dark, he fired at random, and did not even know his victim or was aiming at any one until he heard a scream. The testimony of Nicha as Lotts and others was to the effect that the night was clear enough to see distinctly, and the former said he saw Fitzgerald while standing about fifty feet off deliberately point his musket at the wounded girl and fire, at the same time uttering some oath. Ellen Hicks was only twenty-four years of age, and was engaged to have been married the very week she was shot. The prisoner is a young man, and has, since his sentence and during his confinement in the county jail, where he had been from the time he was arrested—nearly two years ago—still asserted that he was innocent of murder, while confidently believing that he would yet be successful in his appeal, and the decision of the Criminal Court reversed. Now that the Supreme Court has decided against him he will probably dispel those illusive dreams and prepare to expiate his crime on the gallows to which he was sentenced so many months ago.

The McGee Assassination—Exploded Rumors—Strong Evidence Against the Prisoner Whelan.

OTTAWA, April 10, 1868.—The McGee tragedy has as yet assumed no new phase. Last night a strong force of police went some thirty-five miles from the city, and thoroughly exploded two rumors concerning the murderer. The first was that he must have driven off into the country, as a carriage was heard passing near Sparks street about the time of the assassination. The detective found out that a carriage did pass in the direction indicated, but that it arrived at its destination—some thirty miles off—about a quarter past two that night, and could not, therefore, have contained the murderer or his accomplices, as the murder did not take place till almost that hour. The second rumor had reference to a stranger leaving Ottawa after two o'clock and striking inland in a suspicious way. The detectives followed up this clue and ascertained that such a man did leave the city on foot, but that he knew the murder had happened, and stated so openly on his arrival at Aylmer, some nine miles out. That there were many accomplices in the plot, there is now no doubt, and the expectation of the authorities is that some of them will give such a clue as will lead to full conviction. Whelan is the man at whom all the evidence continues to point, and if he is innocent he has himself to blame for occupying his present position. For years past he has openly avowed Fenian sentiments and hatred to McGee in Quebec, Montreal, Ottawa, and at a prior period in Hamilton, Ontario. In the latter city he made his appearance about the time of the Ridgeway fight, hailing from Buffalo, gave out that he was a Fenian and used such sentiments that the authorities there thought it necessary to arrest and detain him several days. Whelan's wife and some others were arrested in Montreal yesterday and were expected here to-day, but have not as yet made their appearance. The authorities, I may state, are still very confident that in holding Whelan they have the right man, but at the same time other clues are being diligently followed up.—*New York Herald.*

MRS. M'GEE AND THE ST. PATRICK'S SOCIETY—PRISONERS TURNING QUEEN'S EVIDENCE—WHELAN'S GUILT.

MONTREAL, April 10, 1868.—Mrs. McGee refused to accept the address of condolence from the St. Patrick's Society, as she thinks it primarily responsible for her husband's murder.

Three of the prisoners have turned Queen's evidence against Whelan, whose guilt is almost conclusively established. The trial will take place next week.

Mail Robbery in Harrisburg.

[From the Harrisburg Telegraph, of April 10th.]

It will be remembered that some time during last fall a mail bag was stolen in this city. A portion of the contents belonging to the Harrisburg Bank was recovered only a few days since, having been found in the vicinity of the depot. The portion recovered were check and drafts, the payment of the same having been stopped at great inconvenience and expense to the Bank. We understand, however, that other portions of that mail bag were stolen belonging to other banking institutions here, are still missing.

Another mail bag or box, intended for the East, was stolen within the last few days, whether at the depot or not, we are unable to learn; the loss will fall heavy on some banks, in addition to the great trouble of having the payment of checks and drafts stopped, and afterward duplicating the same. During the administration of the late Postmaster, when Mr. Crawford was local mail agent at the depot for a period of five years, not a single mail bag or pouch was lost. At that time (during the war) thousands of strangers were loitering around the depot, and the mails which are now transported over the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad were all transhipped here, and together with the immense amount of mail matter shipped from this place, made the mails ten times as heavy as they are now; and yet, with only one agent, Mr. Crawford, attending to all this matter at the small salary of seven hundred dollars, our business men met with no losses. We understand that two men are now playing mail agents at the depot, at a salary of one thousand dollars annually, placed there to perform the same duties that Mr. Crawford did, and yet we record the second loss within six months; but we desire to be understood distinctly that we do not charge these men with negligence, for we know that the boxes or bags lost were actually placed in their care. Everything connected with this case is kept from the public, but we know the fact that a mail bag is missing, and that the loss is heavy.

The Uprising of the Browns—The Brown Family in Search of a Fortune.

[From the Boston Herald of the 10th.]

Some sixty or seventy persons, representing the Brown family, had a meeting at the Boston Hotel this forenoon, relative to their interest in a large estate in England. This matter of large property has been simmering for several years, the first meeting having been held in Bristol, Vt., in April, 1864, when measures were taken to get possession of millions of property in Chancery in England, waiting for heirs. It is supposed the rightful heirs are descendants of one George Brown, a lieutenant in the British army, who emigrated to this country in 1640 and settled in Haverhill, Mass. It was brought to the notice of the Browns by Columbus Smith, of Salisbury, Vt., who has been engaged for years in the prosecution of such claims.

There has been a hitch in the investigation through the unfaithfulness of an agent employed by Mr. Smith, one C. M. Fisher of Vergennes, Vt., a lawyer of some note, and the meeting to-day was to sanction the appointment of A. B. Herrick, who, it is believed, will prove faithful to the trust. This appointment of Mr. Herrick was approved. Meantime a successful hunting up of pedigrees has been going on, and the Browns have shown their interest in the matter in the formation of an association. If no other result accrues, the Browns will know who their ancestors were.

While waiting for the Browns to come to order, a glance at the Directory showed that there were recorded in that useful book some six hundred names. As the wives and minor children are not included in the record, it is fair to presume that not less than six thousand Browns live in this and the immediate vicinity. The apathy exhibited by the large number does not look well for their zeal in hunting up the immense property, else if all the claimants should show their interest, Boston Common would hardly be large enough to hold all of that stock in the country. To judge from appearance, most of the persons at the meeting were from the country, showing that they at least have had time to ponder and realize the importance of grasping such a fortune.

General Lee's College—The Chivalrous Demeanor of the Students.

The New York *Independent* says: In view of the persistent efforts now being made at the North to collect money for Washington College, Lexington, Virginia, and of the lamentable fact that those efforts are sanctioned by such men as Rev. H. W. Beecher, Professor Hitchcock, Horace Greeley and Gerritt Smith, we deem it our duty to print the following extracts of a letter from a resident of Lexington, showing how rampant is the spirit of rebellion, proscription and mobocratic violence in that institution.

"LEXINGTON, Va., March 17.—Residing in Lexington, and having seen more or less of the students and professors of Washington College daily since Lee assumed the presidency of the institution, I feel it my duty to give the people a few facts, which will, I trust, show the philanthropists of the North the animus of the institution to which they are contributing. The professors are, without a single exception, thoroughly rebel in sentiment, and act accordingly. I have heard one of them assert that he would infinitely rather live under military rule than to be reconstructed under the laws of the present Congress. No student can remain in the college who is not a rebel; not, I suppose, from any law of the institution to that effect; but from the universal sentiment of those connected with the school.

"To show how kindly disposed they are towards Northern philanthropists, I will give you a scene that came under my own observation. On the 4th of February, while Mr. E. C. Johnston was quietly skating on North river, about one mile below this place, a party of students, about seventy-five in number, without the least provocation, only that he was a hated Yankee philanthropist, set upon him and most foully insulted and beat him. When he, trying to remonstrate with them, asked why he was treated thus, they answered, 'Because you are a d—d Yankee, and we don't want you here. You can have ten days to leave Lexington; and, if you are not gone in that time, we'll tar and feather you. And, if you dare to say anything about this, we will take you out of your store at night and hang you.' They heaped upon him the meanest and vilest abuse they were capable of using, some calling