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WAREHOUSE.

RECEPTION

New Year Congratulations Are Received at the National Capital.

THE PRESIDENT'S CALLERS

Diplomats from Every Nation Gather at the Executive Mansion and Pay Their Respects to President and Mrs. Cleveland.

Washington, Jan. 1.-The white house is roomy, but its capacity was taxed to the utmost today by the crowds that passed in and out of what may be termed the state apartments, namely the blue room where foreign ambassadors and ministers have their first formal interviews with the president, the red room, the green room, and the spaclous east room, the scene of so many inecidents that have become historical, and lastly the generously proportioned corridor, extending near the en-tire length of the mansion with which all these apartments communicate.

Wherever the eye wandered in the blue room, the corridor, the east room, or the other chambers it was met by groups of spreading palms and tall, drouping rubber trees, by flowering rose bushes from the deepest of crimson Poinsetta blooms to the most delicate of white rosebuds. The mantels, the fire places, the window embrasures were banked with floral beauty. The chandeliers were almost hidden in wreaths of green smilax. Ferns waved delicate branches from nooks and corners while stately and graceful speci-mens of the screw pine stood alone in alcoves more impressive in their soli-

The reception was set for 11 o'clock and just at that time the members of the receiving party comprising President and Mrs. Cleveland, Vice President Stevenson and the cabinet officers and their wives came down the private staircase leading to the corridor, pre-ceded by Colonel John M. Wilson, U. S. A., superintendent of public buildings and grounds, in full uniform.

When the Band Played. Entering the blue room, the president and Mrs. Cleveland placed themselves at the right of the line and the others were ranged in accordance with omeial precedence. The march from the pritate apartments above the states had een accompanied by music from the nited States marine band under Prof. Fancifulli, which was stationed in the public lobby. The cabinet ladies in the

ceiving line were Mrs. Olney, Mrs. arlisle, Mrs. Harmon, Mrs. Larnont, Carlisle, Mrs. Harmon, Mrs. Lamont, Mrs. Wilson, Miss Ferbert and Miss ductions, and the only reason for our getting hold of them on such advantageous terms is because there are but one or two of a kind. According to custom, the members of the diplomatic corps were first received and they came in force, headed by their guarantee every garment perfect. Some are full lined, some three-quarter lined, and all are warranted net to cost you one cent over shook hands firmly and exchanged smiles with the president, as though there had never been such a thing as

"a Venezuelan note" or a message to congress on the Monroe doctrine. Mrs. Cieveland's gown was lavender and white striped satin, trimmed with point lace and high neck, as were all the gowns of the members of the receiving

And Mrs. Yung Yn Smiled.

It was a matter of singular note that nearly all the members of the diplobody were accompanied by ladies of their families, if they had any, or by the ladies of somebody else's family if they had not. And it so hap-pened that one of these women attracted more attention from the spectators foreign contingent, despite their red and blue, yellow and white coats and braid and side arms. She smiled sweetly on Mrs. Cleveland and then went smiling and bowing down the line, and continued to smile during her progress to the east room, apparently wholly unconscious of the great interest she created. She was Mrs. Yung Yu, the wife of the Chinese minister, who found herself the cynosure of all eyes. Whereever she went her progress was greeted with whispers of "Isn't she pretty." "What beautiful silk," "What an odd head dress,"
All the diplomatic officers and the

ladies accompanying them left the white house shortly before noon in or-der to partake of the annual diplomatic breakfast at Secretary Olney's. Dignity in Line.

Plain black frock coats and black coats of other cut, succeeded the kalcidoscopic array of diplomatic at-tire. The chief justice and associate justices of the United States supreme court headed the Democratic contingent. Chief Justice Fuller, accom-panied by Miss Fuller; the broad shouldered Justice Harlan, the gigantic Justice Gray, the venerable Justice Field, leaning on the arm of his wife for support: Justices Brewer, White, Brown and Shiras, The justices of the United States court of appeals for the District of Columbia, headed by Chief Justice Alvey and other district judges, assistant secretaries in the government departments, and a host of senators and representatives, many of whom had wives and daughters with them. Inter-state commissioners, directors of various public institutions, the commissioners of the District of Columbia. Bureau officers of the executive depart-ments, and many others holding official positions filed back in endless array.

The Yellow Sash Appears.

Then came the army officers, Major General Miles heading a line of his subordinates, making his first official so-cial appearance as the major general commanding the army, georgeous in yellow sash and all the appurtenances of the commanding general's costume. Then came the navy—bluff and courtly old sailors and spruce young lieutenants and ensigns, all walking with na-

val swing. A host of other civillan officials followed the naval officials and then followed the associated veterans of the war of 1846, carrying the battle flags; war of 1846, carrying the battle flags; members of the Grand Army of the Re-public, the Loyal legion, the Union Veteran legion and the oldest inhabit-ants association of the district of Col-

The Promisenous Shake.

Between 12.30 and 1 o'clock the public reception to citizens began. All the morning those who fell within this category had been assembling outside the white house until at the time stated they numbered many hundreds and stretched in a long line, two deep. down the driveway to one of the main gates and out into Pennsylvania avenue. Several of the cabinet ladies and a large number of those behind the line had left the white house by this time to attend receptions of their own, but the president and Mrs. Cleveland stuck bravely to their fatiguing task and had a handshake and a smile for all who came. At 2 o'clock the doors were closed and the annual official reception was over,

Held Up by Bandits. Ukiah, Cal., Jan. 1.—A stage running between this city and Harris, Humboldt

county, was robbed this morning by masked highwaymen. Wells-Fargo's treas-ure box was taken, also registered mail packages. The amount of plunder taken is unknown.

Fireman Hurled to Death-Other Train-

REAR-END COLLISION.

men Injured. St. Louis, Jan. 1.—A rear-end collision occurred between a Wabash passenger

train and the Diamond special on the Vandalia-Illinois Central in the tunnel at 2.05 last night. Fireman Harry Rothweiler, aged 27, of the terminal sec-tion, was hurled to death and Engineer Milton White, aged 27, and C. C. Cham-bers, express messenger, were injured. The wreck *as caused by the Wabash train slowing up at a curve in the

MORTON A CANDIDATE.

New York's Popular Governor Will Seek the Presidential Nomination at St. Louis Convention.

Albany, N. Y., Jan. 1.—Governor Levi P. Morton has finally announced to his friends that he will stand as a candifriends that he will stand as a candidate for president before the national Republican convention to be held at St. Louis. He stated his position at the dinner given at Chauncey M. Depew's residence in New York city on Monday night. The others present were Hon. Thomas C. Platt, Benjamin F. Tracy, Hon. Warner Miller, State Comptroller James A. Roberts, of Buñalo, and ex-United States Senator Frank Hiscock, of Syracuse. These gentlemen had at a dinner tendered Governor Morton in a dinner tendered Governor Morton in New York city ten days' previous as-sured him that he could have a solid delegation from this state and the un-divided support of the Republicans of the state without regard to leaders.

The first step in securing him this unanimous endorsement was the resig-nation of State Comptroller Roberts as president of the State club, which was organized by John F. Milhelland, of New York city, as an anti-Platt or-ganization. Mr. Roberts is preparing a statement which he will give out for publication tomorrow afternoon in which he will endorse Governor Morton's candidacy and show why in his judgment Mr. Morton should be nominated. Mr. Platt and other prominent Repub-licans will also be interviewed tonight or tomorrow and give like statements to that of Mr. Roberts.

These publications will be with Governor Morton's full knowledge and con-sent and he is now satisfied that the Republicans of the state are anxious to give him a hearty and unqualified en-

WAR IN THE KAFFIR REGION.

England Cannot Put the Brake on Dr. Jameson-Commands an Army of 500 He Lends His Troops Into Transvanl.

London, Jan. 1.-The cablegram sent by the Right Hon. Joseph Chamberlain, colonial secretary, to Dr. Jameson, the administrator of the British South African company, ordering the return of the force of five hundred armed men which Dr. Jameson is alleged to have led into the Transvaul to assit Sie Uitlanders, or foreign residents of the Republic, to enforce their demands, cannot reach him until he arrives at Jo-hannesburg, at which place there are equip 30,000 men

fighting.
Mr. Chamberlain sent a dispatch to the British South African company ask-ing them to repudiate Jameson and ass To this dispatch the company re acts. plied that they were entirely ignorant of Jameson's acts or purposes. Cecil Rhodes, prime minister of the ply stated that Jameson had acted without authority. He (Rhodes) had tried to stop him when he learned that he had gone into the Transyaal, but found that the wires had been cut and that consequently he could not communicate with him

Dr. Jameson wrote a letter to the commandant at Maricoland refusing to withdraw from the Transvaal and avowing that he would proceed upon his original plans, which in acceptance of the invitation of the principal residents of Rand were to assist them in their demands for justice.

It is rumored here that advices have been received announcing the arrival of Dr. Jameson with his followers in Johannesburg Berlin, Jan. 1.-Considerable excite-

ment prevails here over the crisis in the Transvaal, and the attitude of Great Britain is denounced upon all sides,

CONFESSED TO FORGERY.

After Making Known His Schemes a Ohio Swindler Escapes. Ottawa, O., Jan. 1.-John J. Jones, an

agricultural implement dealer at Bowling Green, on Saturday confessed to W. S. Lenhart, holder of a \$600 note, that it was a forgery. Jones then took the train north and is supposed to have gone to Canada.

Subsequent investigation indicates an aggregate of \$25,000 forgeries through five years, affecting farmers, banks and business houses.

Many Chinese Slip In-

San Francisco, Jan. 1.—Through the treachery of an officer in the custom house two carloads of Chinese from the Atlanta exposition have slipped through the fingers of a score of United States inspectors and are now somewhere in Chinatowa, safe from interference. The Chinese were landed in this city before daylight, and were harded in carriages to the Chinese. wer hurried in carriages to the Chinese

Atlanta Exposition Closed. Atlanta exposition closed.

Atlanta, Ga., Jan. I.—The work of breaking up the exposition began this morning. Exhibitors were busy packing. All the buildings remained open, however, except the government building. The exposition receipts will hardly meet the expenses, but the deficit is small. The exact amount has not been ascertained. penses, but the deficit is small. The act amount has not been ascertained.

Rainey Employes Satisfied.

Scotdale, Pa., Jan. 1.—Notices of an advance in wages have been posted at all the Rainey plants. Rainey will pay the Frick Rainey plants. Rainey win pay the Free scale of wages except in one instance, in which the Frick rate will be higher. The Rainey employes are satisfied with the turn the affairs have taken and there is no prospect of any trouble. Four Brothers Burned to Death.

Pittsburg, Kan, Jan, 1.—Near Frontenac four brothers—Robert, John William and Arch McFadden—were burned to death in their house while asleep. They were 18, 16, 12 and 11 years old, respectively, and the two oldest were miners. There are Eints of cut aloy.

of out play. STATE SNAP SHOTS. Stockholders have ratified the new Read-Dr. Leonard Pearson, of Philadelphia,

was appointed state veterinarian, at a

salary of \$2,500. Henry Gelvia and his wife, of Mertztown, died of fever the same day and will be buried together. Richard Stevens, of Hoboken, N. J., had a fine yacht, the Alleen, launched a Roach's, Chester, yesterday. Two tramps fired on a locomotive crew who tried to drive them from the railroad near-Lebanon yesterday.

President Cleveland Announces the Five Men Selected.

AR. BREWER HEADS THE LIST

sketch of the Members Whose Decision May Provoke a War with England. The Leading Commissioner Is a Republican in Politics.

Washington, Dec. 1.—The president tonight announced the composition of the Venezuelan commission, which will

onsist of five members, as follows: David J. Brewer, of Kansas, associ-David J. Brewer, of Kansas, associate justice of the supreme court of the United States; Richard H. Alvey, of Maryland, chief justice of the court of appeals of the District of Columbia; Andrew D. White, New York; Frederick R. Coudert, New York; Daniel C. Gilman, of Maryland, president of the Johns Hopkins university.

Sketch of the Members.

Judge Brewer, the leading member of the commission, was born in Smyrna, Asia Minor, in 1837, his father at that time being one of the American missionaries in that part of the world. In 1858 Judge Brewer removed from New York city to the west where he engaged in the practice of law in Kansas City. He

tive of Maryland. He was on the ju-dictary committee of the constitutional convention of 1867 and was elected chief judge of the Fourth circuit under the new constitution, and was re-elected in 1882. He was designated by Governor Hamilton as chief justice of the court of appeals of Maryland to succeed Judge Bartol. This place he resigned to accept the office of chief justice of the federal court of appeals in the district of Columbia.

Upon the death of Chief Justice Waite some of the justices of the supreme court urged the president to appoint him chief justice of the United States. This the president was disposed to do, but, it is understood, was deferred by the fact, so it has been said, that Judge Alvey is a southern man and it was feared that for that position to go to the south, might create animosities.

Daniel Colt Gilman is distinguished as an educator. In 1877 he was elected the first president of the Johns Hopkins university, Baltimore. Mr. Gilman is said not to be affiliated with any political party, but his tendencies are inclined to the Republican organization. He is a native of Connecticut and is in his 65th year. Andrew Jackson White, of New York, is also distinguished as an educator. He is a native of New York, was born in that state in 322. He was president of the Republican state con-vertion of New York in October, 1861, and was United States minister to Germany from 1879 till 1881. Mr. White was also one of nited State missioners to Santo Domingo and aided in preparing the report of that commis-

Not Officially Notified.

President Cleveland has not yet notified the appointees to the Venezuelan commission of their selection, but he has the assurance from each that they would accept the high offices if tendered

It is stated that Justice Brewer's essarily mean that that gentleman will be chairman of the commission. The selection of presiding officer will be left to the commission itself, when an or ganization is effected.

It is the president's intention to have

the commission meet as soon as possi-ble, but information received tonight is that he has not yet decided when to call the primary meeting.

Frederick Coudert is the head of the

law firm of Coudert brothers of New York city. He has a world-wide reputation as an advocate and an authority on international law. He served with distinction on the Behring sea commission and was complimented by the president of the French Republic for his speech before the commission and was entertained at the palace. Mr. Coudert was president of the Manhattan club or several years and is now a member of nearly a dozen prominent New Yor! clubs. He is a Democrat and is classed as anti-Tammany.

MISSIONARIES IN DANGER.

Turkish Authorities Unable to Check the Bloodthirsty Mohammedan Mobs-Foreign Representatives Indifferent.

London, Jan. 1.—The Constantinople correspondent of the United Press telegraphs under date of Dec. 31 that United States Minister Terrell has received telegrams from Aintaba, Asia Minor, saying that slight disturbances had taken place there in which three persons were killed. The telegrams also said that there had been a bloody out-

break at Orfar lasting two days. Miss Corin, missionary at that place, the dispatch said had received the assurance that they would have a guard and be protected. The apathy of the Washington government in regard to the consulates authorized to be established by congress is the subject of much comment and harsh criticism, the onsulates at Harpoot and Erierout not having been filled.

The concensus of opinion in Constantinople is that the scheme of a petro-leum monopoly which it was reported had been granted to a Russian syndicate, will fall through.

London, Jan. 1.—The correspondent

of the United Fress at Constantinople, telegraphing under the date of December 31, says: "The Porte has evasive replies to the foreign diplomats who have offered to meditate between the Turks and the Armenians for the sur-render of Zeitoun, which place is now in the hands of the Armenians. The foreign representatives, accordingly, held another meeting today and decided to make another effort to induce the Porte to accept mediation and nam the foreign consuls at Aleppo as medi-

There were disturbances at Orfar on December 28 and 29, but no details have been received."

TOM JOHNSON ACCUSED.

Alderman Licht, of Detroit, Makes Some Serious Charges Against the Street Rallway Magnate.

Detroit Mich Jan 1 -There is much talk of boodle in connection with the amended ordinance which was passed by the common council yesterday giv-ing the Detroit Citizens' Street Rail-way company a new franchise running for thirty years. One of the stories is

to the effect that there is \$70,000 in the

Alderman Frank Licht, of the Sixth ward, says that Tom E. Johnson, president of the street railway company, offered to loan him \$4,000 yesterday without a scrap of paper as security, to be repaid whenever Licht found it con-venient. If he would vote for the amended street railway ordinance. Mr. Licht says there was no doubt of Mr Johnson's intentions.

The charges of boodle will undoubtedly lead to an immediate investiga-tion by the grand jury of the method which obtained in the passage of the ordinance and some sensational de-velopments are expected. Vice Presi-

dent Hutchins, of the company, does not believe the story.

Hon. Tom. L. Johnson was called upon in Cleveland this morning regard-ing Alderman Licht's statement of boodle. Mr. Johnson denied Arderman Licht's statement, but acknowledged Licht's statement, but acknowledged having had a talk over the matter of street railway franchises in which Licht's vote was asked.

TRACTION TROUBLES.

Manager Beetem and His Men Cannot Arrange Terms of Settlement-Strikers Dissntisfied.

Philadelphia, Jan. 1.—The committee of employes of the Union Traction company in whose hands it was supposed that the question of deciding for or against another strike was placed, after they had met the general manager of the road, had a conference with that the practice of law in Kansas City. He has occupied various important positions, including that of judge of the First judicial court of the state of Kansas, and from 1870 until 1891 filled the place of justice of the Kansas supreme tions on the road, but he refused, as was court. He was appointed associate expected, to grant the demand of two

court. He was appointed associate expected, to grant the demand of two justice of the United States supreme court for the Eighth circuit by expression in 1889. In politics he is a Republican.

Judge Richard Henry Alvey is a native of Maryland. He was on the total court for the recognitive of Maryland. He was on the total court for the Amalgamated association of street railway employes. The company has announced that in the future all new men who are taken on must sign an agreement that they will belong to no labor organization. Mr. Beetem absolutely refused to recede from his position and in the end the sentiment of the committee was in favor of surrendering this point to the company. The men representing the Market street, the Ridge avenue and the Darby division even signed the agreement on behalf of the employes of these lines.

The men representing the other divisions said that thy were willing to sign the agreement, but they were confident that their action would not be endorsed by the men. The committee then left Mr. Bectem and went to a mass meeting of the employes to report the result of the conference. What the result of the mass meeting will be cannot be stated. Many of the men who were assembled awaiting the return of the committee were in an excitingly irritated state of mind and were loudly in favor of a strike. The mass meeting was being held late tonight and the committee will meet Mr. Beetem again at 7 o'clock in the morning and report to him the decision of the men.

CREW'S SUFFERING.

Pive Days Without Food or Water and Exhausted When Discovered. Galveston, Texas, Jan. 1.-Captain H.

the American schooner Julia A. Ward arrived here last night from Menus-La., on the schooner M. L.

Weaver, The Ward was driven to the shoals at Cheiner-a-Tigue, on the Louisiana coast, on December 20, and ten minutes later she sank, compelling the crew to take to the mizzen rigging, where they remained until the next day, when, the sea having subsided, they built a raft of what material they could get, and on name appears at the head of the official the morning of December 22 boarded list given out tonight. It does not necrection. On the night of the 23d they landed on the beach near St. Joseph's harbor and camped in the brush. Next morning they searched for fresh water, but, not finding any, they took to the raft, and at 10 o'clock on the night of the 24th arrived in a famished and exhausted condition at the plantation of Arthur Franklin, where they were cared for. They had been without food, water or sleep five days.

The Julia A. Ward is owned in Boston, and was bound from Bay View, Mass., for Sabine Pass, Texas, with a cargo of rock.

CAUGHT BLACKMAILING.

New York Policeman Caught Extortion from a Woman.

New York, Jan. 1.—Daniel Redner, a patrolman of the Twenty-third pre-cinct, detailed by Chief Conlin to special in the office of Acting Inspector Cortright, was arrested on a charge of extortion late last night by Detective Mason and Acting Sergeant McKerval, of the central office. Superintendent Dennett, of the Society for the Prevention of Crime, had called the attention of the chief of police to the suspicious conduct of Redner in connection with Emma Bachman, a prisoner whom he a disorderly house at 230 East Ninth

All the preparations were made to catch the blackmailing ponceman by Dennett and Chief Comin together, and last night he was taken "red-handed." The two arresting officers and Superintendent Dennett saw him receive money from the woman in her home in Ninth street, and, springing out on him, made him a prisoner, and found in his pocket \$199 in bills previously marked. Redner was taken to police headquarters. Chie Conlin tore of his shield, suspended

him from duty pending trial.

Dennett and the detectives hid themselves in Mrs. Bachman's house, at 230 East Ninth street, yesterday afternoon. At 6 o'clock Redner called, Mrs. Bachman had a conversation over the his-tory of the case, drawing admissions of previous exchanges from Redner. Then she told him she could pay only \$190, which, added to \$60 already paid,made \$250. The rest she would pay after the trial. Redner grumbled about the uelay, but finally took what was offered. The detectives came out from their hid ing places, and, arresting him, searched for the money, which they had seen him put into an inside pocket, and the case was complete.

In the Essex Market police court Redner was held by Magistrate Simms in 55,000 bail to await the action of the grand jury.

DONNED THEIR WAR PAINT. Fromble Brewing Among Killispoo In-

dians on Account of a Murder. Victoria, B. C., Jan. 1.—The steamer Danube, which returned from Alaska yesterday, reports trouble brewing at Sitka over the murder of a young, In-dian of the Killispoo tribe, in connection

with which two men of the United States cutter Walcott, together with a couple of miners and thirteen Kuka Indians, have been arrested.

The Killispoo tribe have donned their war paint and taken up arms to avenge the death of their tribe

SILVER MEN HOLD THE KEY

Senate Committee Will Report a Prec Coinage Bill.

POSSESS A CLEAN MAJORITY

Indications Are That the Bond Bill Will Be Destroyed in the Committee-A Scheme to Get the President Upon Record.

finance committee will hold its first meeting under the reorganization tomorrow morning. Although final ac-tion may not be taken on either the bond or tariff bill recently passed by the house, some members of the committee will urge speedy action and if possible an immediate report. The best judg-ment of the situation seems to indicate that the bond bill will be destroyed in committee and a substitute in the shape of a free coinage bill reported. Nothing short of this will satisfy the silver men on the committee, and they have eight votes. Mr. Wolcott, of Colorado, one of the new men added to the committee, has not been in Washington this winter owing to ill health, ington this winter owing to ill health, but his absence makes little difference, the silver still having a working majority of two in committee and a clean majority in the senate of 10 or 12.

It is probable that the tariff bill will

be reported to the senate without amendment. Republicans have been making every effort to get together on these measures and the silver Repub-licans who will vote for free colnage as a substitute for the bond proposition, it is believed, can be persuaded to refrain from putting such an amendment in the tariff bill. Republican leaders hope to see the bill pass the senate as

it came from the house.

It is believed the president will veto it and it is thought by Republicans to be good politics to put the president where he will be compelled to veto a measure that is intended to increase the receipts and provide adequate rev-enue. Whether Republicans can be lined upon this proposition and per-suaded to not insist upon amendments is a question no one can yet answer. It is not unlikely that after the bill is reported a Republican extra caucus will be held to discuss the subject and decide upon policy.

CHERRY BOARDS PROBABLY. Philadelphians Discover the Platform Upon Which George Washington Was

Inaugurated President.

Philadelphia, Jan. 1 .- A very interesting relic of the early days of the Repub-lic was discovered today by workingmen who are clearing out and remodeling the old senate chamber in the court of common pleas building, adjoining Independence hall. The apartment has long been discarded and it is now being restored to its original state of colonial times. In the course of the work the court platform was removed and underreath it was found an old platform which the members believe was that of the senate chamber and they agree that there is little or no room to doubt that upon these very boards George Washington was inaugurated president.

The historical associations of this building, particularly of the room in which the old platform was found, are thus briefly recorded on the tablet placed on the Chestnut street wall: "In this building sat the first senate house of representatives of the United States of America. George Washing-ton was inaugurated president, March, 1793, and closed his official career when herein, also John Adams was inaugurated second president of the United

States March 4, 1797." The platform that was discovered yesterday was raised about fourteen inches from the floor and the front was curved, forming the half of an oval. It was in excellent preservation and the paint on the upright boarding, that extended from the edge of the plafform to the floor, was as bright as if it had been there only a year. The framing for this was sawn out in a line and the foreman of the workmen said that the style of carpentry was entirely different from that employed nowadays and represented many times the labor that would now be needed, with improved methods and morticing appliances.

KILLED INTRUDER.

Woman Near Circleville, Ohlo, Shoots an

Unwelcome Visitor.
Circleville, O., Jan. 1,-Mrs. Josle Purcell shot and killed Ed Miller at Darbycell shot and killed Ed Miller at Darbyville at midnight last night. The woman
was alone at home when Miller forced his
way in by kicking open the front door.
Mrs. Purcell retreated, founds, revolver
and shot Miller, who had been in the habit
of visicing her, but had been forbidden to
do so again. When Purcell arrived home
this morning he found Miller dead and his
wife in besteries. He took her to this city. wife in hysterics. He took her to this city, where she surrendered herself.

GOLD IN AN OLD TABLE.

Inriosity of an Appraiser Reveals the Honrd of a Dead Grocer.

Indianapolis, Jan. 1.—Following the death of Henry Rodewald, a prosperous grocer of this city, it became necessary to appraise his personal property. Among his effets was a rickety old table, standing in

an unused corner.

The appraiser placed its value at 10 cents and it was thrown aside. Curlosity afterward led him to open the drawer in the table, and he found therein a package containing \$1,700 in gold. Will Not Give Up Trinidad. Rio De Janeiro, Jan. 1.—Before congres

adjourned yesterday the minister for for-eign affairs explained the impossibility of accepting the arbitration proposed by Great Britain regarding the disputed own-ership of the island of Trinidad.

Killed by a Train. Wayne, Ind., Jan. i.—West-bound pas-senger train No. I on the Nickle Plate struck a horse and sleigh at Clayport, forty miles west of here, about 4.30 this morning. The occupants of the cutter, William Doderidge and Daniel Rhoads were killed.

SPARKS FROM WIRES.

Mrs. J. W. Nally, who shot and killed Frank Doherty while he was attempting to assault her at New Hope, Ky., has been acquitted.

William Connors, alias J. J. Williams, wanted at Jackson, Miss., for stealing \$10,000 worth of diamonds has been arrest-ed at Louiseville, Ky.

The fifty-two brewers in the English companies, having a capital of 399,000,000, have formed a trust with the Anheuser Busch company, in Chicago, Iil. Judge Peckham has filed his resigna-tion as a member of the New York court of appeals and will take up his residence in Washington during the present week. Two of the crew of the United States cut-er Walcott, at Sitka, Alaska, are charged with being implicated in the murder of a Killispoo Indian. The tribe are on the

George W. Dice, who was arrested Kansas City, Mo., and taken to Atland Ga., is said to be the leader of a gang counterfeiters who have put in city witten \$100,000 worth of spurious money.

ANNUAL Washington, Jan. 1.-The senate

Will commence Monday, December 30, and continue for Ten Days.

Our annual clearing sale of table lineens, previous to inventory, has always been looked forward to with interest by intelligent housekeepers, and judging from the many inquiries already made concerning this one it will be no exception to any of its predecessors.

The values we offer are always appreciated, and during this sale IRRE-SISTIBLE BARGAINS will be brought forward from day to day and will comprise everything throughout the department, from a table linen at Twenty-

prise everything throughout the de-partment, from a table linen at Twentypartment, from a table linen at Twentyfive Cents a Yard to one of our Double
Satin Dannasks, at Two Dollars and a
Haif or over; also, in table napkins
from One Dollar a Dozen up to Fifteen.
Quotations on goods of this class are
no criterion of their values, but are
often misleading. Therefore we invite
you to a personal inspection of our
stock, knowing that you will not only
be interested, but that we can save you
at least Twenty-five Cents on every at least Twenty-five Cents on every dollar invested, Extra choice line of Dinner and Tea

Sets, Lunch Cloths, Center pieces, Doy-

lies, etc.
Our usual fine assortment of German "Silver-Bleach" Damasks.
Agency for John S. Brown & Sons' linens, "Best in the World."
Sale commences Monday morning and will last for ten days.

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A Happy New Year to the Peaceful, Honest

People of the World. Lewis, Reilly & Davies wish the peace-New Year. We are happy because we live none of the most prosperous cities, in one of the best countries, in one of the largest states and the greatest country that man is privileged to live in. Among the cities, towns, etc., that we wish to remember in a particular way are the following:

Wilkes-Barre, Conklin, Great Bend. Great Bend, New Milford, Alford, Kingsley's, Bennett, Forty Fort, Wyoming. Parsons Foster, Nicholson, Miners Mills, Mill Creek, Nicholson,
Factoryville
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