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WEST SIDE EVENTS.

Patrolman Thomas Lowry Has Returned from the West, Where He Attended Mrs. Turner's Funeral.

Patrolman Thomas Lowry, of South Sumner avenue, returned at 2 o'clock yesterday morning on the Delaware, Lackawanna train from Denver, Col., where he attended the funeral of Mrs. Margaret Turner, formerly of this side, who died on Dec. 28, at Denver. The burial was made last Thursday in Fairmont cemetery. Former Scrantonians, who are now residents of Denver, acted as pall-bearers. They were: Reese Miles, Edward Tyler, David Jones and Mrs. Simpson. Mrs. Turner was well known on the West Side. Several months ago Mrs. Turner and her daughter, Grace, left here for California. This daughter accompanied Mr. Lowry to Scranton and will hereafter reside here.

Social of the Orioles.

The Oriole dancing class held a social last evening in Mears' hall. The event was enjoyed by several hundred young people. James Lunney was master of ceremonies with T. Hurst as assistant. Mrs. Mallot presided at the piano. The members of the floor committee were: M. Sullivan, W. Gilroy, P. Duffy, Charles Lavis, John Judge, Joseph Barrett, Edward O'Malley, W. McGarrah, J. J. Hessler, John Coston, T. Gilroy; reception committee, Eugene Cosgrove, Lunney, M. Lee, M. Duffy, Edward Earley; Morgan Sweeney and T. Earley. The Orioles is one of our popular dancing classes. Last night's affair was successful-in every respect.

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The funeral of the late Mrs. Hannah McFadden occurred yesterday morning. Services were held at 3 o'clock in St. Patricks church. Rev. Father McNally preached an eloquent sermon, extolling the Christian qualities of the deceased. The floral tributes were many and beautiful. A large cortige moved to Hyde Park Catholic cemetery, where interment was made, The pall-bearers were: Frank McCann, M. McCann, John McCann, Frank McClain, George-McClain and M. McClain.

News Notes and Personals. Coasting was enjoyed by the young folks on Luzerne street last night. Mrs. Lewis Morse, of Jackson street, left yesterday mor Nineven Junction. From there she will go to Cohoes, N. Y., to visit

er daughter. Mr. and Mrs. Terwillger, of Teath street,

are in New Jersey, in attendance at the funeral of a relative.

The bachelor contingent of the Jackson Street Baptist church held an entertainment last evening, the programme of which appeared in yesterday's issue.

Ethel, the 3-year-old child of Mr. and Mrs. David J. Thomas, of Washburn street, died yesterday. The funeral will be held Friday at 2 o'clock. Interment will be made in Washburn Street cemetery.

A delegation of the Sons of America met last evening at the corner of Main and Eynon street, from whence a visit was made to Taylor camp, Sons of America. Officers of the camp were installed.

At a meeting of the Washburn Street Presbyterian church, held Tuesday afternoon, the annual reports of the various boards and societies were heard. The business conducted was mostly of a private nature.

The Republicans of the Fourteenth ward will meet this evening in Co-operative hall to nominate candidates for school controller, common council, constable and dis-

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas, Beynon have returned from a wedding tour and are now residing on Twelfth street.

Will Williams, of Hampton street, suffered the amputation of a finger this week. The member had been poisoned by contact with sulphur water.

Louis James, of Eynon street, has returned from a visit at Wilkes-Barre.

Secretary E. D. Fellows, of the board of trade, has returned from New York city, where he had been commissioned to deliver \$40,000 worth of high school bonds

to M. W. Harris, brokers. T. J. Jennings, of the school board, accompanied him.

Mrs. Jennie Thompson, of Hampton street, who has been dangerously iil, is slowly recovering.

West Side Business Directory.

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range and shelf, 318 and up. R. J.
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GROCERIES—Revere Standard Java Coffee is unexcelled. The leading coffe of the day. For sale only at F. W. Mason & Co. Fine Groceries, 116 South Main avenue. avenue.
SECOND HAND FURNITURE—Cash for anything you have to sell. Furniture. Stoves, Tools, etc. Call and see the stock of J. C. King, 1024 and 1026 Jackson street. Special sale of Holiday Wines for famlly use, 35 cents per quart, at James F. Bests, 308 Cedar avenue.

NORTH END.

Mrs. Elmira Jones, who has been visiting in this part of the city for some time, returned to her home, in Olyphans, last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Davis, of Wayne avenue, are jubilant over the arrival of a bright young son at their home.

Miss Hattle Meade, of Parker street, who has been seriously ill for some time, has almost fully recovered.

The funeral of Mrs. Anna Emery will take place tomorrow afternoon on East Market street. Services will be conducted in the Providence Methodist Episcopal church by the pastor, Rev. William Edgar, who will be assisted by the Rev. C. Prosser, of the Primitive Methodist church.

A ball was held last evening in Company H armory for the benefit of Mrs. Walters. A large crowd was in attendance. Miss Maggie Thornton furnishing music for the dancing.

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ness.
Miss Mary Morgans, of Putnam street, has returned home after a short visit with friends in Wilkes-Barre.

DUNMORE

Mrs. Harris is quite dangerously iil at her home, on Monroe avenue.

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Cards are out announcing the marriage of Miss Maggie A. Carroll, of this place, and Frank H. Wampler, of Hyde Park, at the home of the bride's parents, on Butler street, on Wednesday evening, Jan. 15.
Miss Mattie Wilcox, of Madisonville, is the guest of Miss Eva Osterhout, of South Blakely street.
Frank Smith, of Carbondale, was calling on friends and relatives in town yesterday.
The council will meet in regular monthly session at the porough building tonight.
The Young Ladies' Mission circle of the Presbyterian church will meet at the home of Mrs. G. W. B. Allen, on West Drinker street, this afternoon, between the hours of 5 and 7 o'clock.
Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Maloney attended the funeral of the former's father, at Pittston, yesterday.
H. Denmark was calling on friends in this borough yesterday.
Rev. Richard Hiorns had Frarge of the prayer meeting in the Presbyterian church last night.

ITS ANNUAL MEETING.

St. Joseph's Society Elected Officers for

the Year Yesterday. The annual meeting of the St. Jo-seph's society of this city was held yes-terday afternoon at the Foundling home on Jefferson avenue. About twenty members were present and the election of officers took place. A board of nine directors as follows was chosen Rev. P. J. McManus, Mrs. P. J. Horan Mrs. Fred W. Gunster, Mrs. Robert Wills, Mrs. M. W. Flaherty, Mrs. Will-lam Walker, Mrs. Hannah Roche, Mrs.

Mrs. Horan was elected president, Mrs. Horan was elected president, Mrs. Horan secretary, Mrs. Gunster treasurer, and Mrs. Wills financial sec-retary. The report of Mrs. Gunster, treasurer last year, was read. The re-port of Mrs. Horan, the secretary, will be read at the next meeting.

Not if the Moon Was Bright.

Harry—"Is this Miss Wallace that I am going to meet tonight a pretty girl?"
Ned—"Well, that's a matter of opinion.
My own idea is that she is much more likely to get engaged on a moonlight buggy ride than at a fashionable bail."—Somerville Journal.

Or Skate?

## SOUTH SIDE NEWS.

innual Election of Officers of the Scran ton Athletic Club Will Take Place This Evening.

This evening the annual election of officers of the Scranton Athletic club will be held and the contest will be conducted with a spirit of rivalry almost as great as if large salaries were attached to the offices. The factional feeling is not bitter. The club consists of the representative young men of the Nineteenth and Eleventh wards and contains a membership of about 135 in good standing.

The nominees are as follows: President, Charles G. Rosar and George Wirth; vice-president, Fred Ehrhardt and Hayden Austin; treasurer, Robert Robinson and William Koch, jr.; recording secretary, Emil R. Bonn and George C. Griswald; financial secretary, Peter Nenis and Charles Kellerman; captain, Peter Marker and Charles Sohns; librarian, William Neuls and Charles Weber. This evening the annual election of offi-

A Vicious Young Man.

Charles Sauer, 19 years old, whose parents live on Beech street, was arrested by Patrolmen Schmidt and Coleman Tuesday night at 9 o'clock for abusing his parents and cutting up his drunken capers around the house. He was then, after coming from his sister's house, where he pulled the pictures from the wall and broke them on the floor. He was inclined to resist arrest, but submitted after he saw that such a course would not pan out very profitably. In police court yesterday he had a hearing and was committed to the county jail for thirty days. A Vicious Young Man.

Shorter Paragraphs of News The caucus of the Democrats of the Twentieth ward will be held tomorrow night in Corcoran's hall and will be somewhat simplified by the absence of some of the candidates for office. A quiet caucus was held Tuesday evening in Phillips' hall, on Fig street, and John Gibbons was named for school controller; Thomas Mechall Carll For some Hamp Mark F. Carllin for Grail for councilman; Mark F. Cahilin for assessor; and John J. Ruddy for alderman. Frank Moeller was chairman of the meeting.

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Rev. August Lange is visiting friends in Philadelphia.

The South Slide board of trade will meet tomorrow night.

William Hartman and Miss Sophia Bower were married at the parochial residence of St. Mary's German Catholic church Tuesday afternoon at 5 o'clock by Rev. P. C. Christ.

The Democratic Vigilance committees of the Twentieth ward are as follows: First district, Patrick Ruddy, jr. Malachi Coyne and William Minton; Second district, Mark S. Cahilin, Morris Duggan and Dominick Reilly; Third district, Martin Connor, Cedar avenue, Michael Sullivan and John McGraw.

TAYLOR.

Dr. W. L. Van Buskirk returned to his position as assistant demonstrator at the Philadelphia Dental collège yester-day, after spending a three weeks va-

cation with his mother. Hon. Frank R. Coyne is serving on the grand jury this week. There are special prayer meetings being held in the Methodist Episcopal church this week. The meetings are quite largely attended.

The Taylor Dramatic company is arreactive.

ranging to produce the play, "Down in Dixie," at this place in the near future. The condition of Mrs. McKenzie, of Union street, is gradually becoming The Republicans of the Second ward

will hold a caucus at Taylor hall on Jan. 17, at 7.30 p. m. to place in nomina-tion candidates for the office of school lirector and councilman. Elmer T. Da-niels, William T. Davis, vigilance com-

Washington camp, Patriotic Order Sons of America, had election of officers last evening. A large number of visiting brothers were in attendance.

ENJOYING THE SLEIGHING.

Paved Thoroughfares. Though the amount of snow on the ground is scarce enough to cover it the merry fingle of the sleigh bell was heard yesterday and long into the night. The paved streets, notably Washington avenue, were the favorite speedways for horsemen and quite a number of turn-

outs dashed up and down during the It could not be said that the sleighing was good for the thin coating of snow was worn or blown off the pavements in soots but those who enjoy the ex-hilarating pastime of skimming along on steel runners behind a fleet-footed norse could not resist the temptation of embracing such opportunity as was

forded them. The small boy coaster was much in evidence on the hillsides during the afternoon and at night his big brother took his place and kept the sleds skip ping over the snow and ice coated de

WILL BE ARGUED TODAY.

All of the Testimony in the Fell Equity Proceedings Is In.

The closing testimony was heard yes-The closing testimony was heard yes-terday in the equity proceedings insti-tuted by John D. Conely, of Detroit, Mich., against Asher M. Fell, of Wilkes-Barre, who was joint executor with Mr. Conely in the estate of J. G. Fell, late of Waverly, this county, father of Asher M. Fell

In the morning Mr. Conely was on the stand under cross-examination, and when his testimony was heard Mr. Fell was called to the stand in his own be-half. He denied that he had mismanaged the estate, and said that he was ready and willing to give bonds for the faithful performance of his duties as executor. Attorney R. H. Holgate and Mr. stall, of Wayerly, were also called to the stand and gave testimony n behalf of Mr. Fell.

This morning the attorneys will present their briefs to the court and make their arguments.

DEATH OF MR. M'MILLAN.

Neuralgia of the Heart Carried Him Away Yesterday Morning.

William McMillan, who was 50 years old, and for many years foreman at the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western blacksmith shops, died from neuralgia of the heart after a sudden illness yes-terday morning at his home, corner of Madison avenue and Mulberry street. He was at work Tuesday, but not feel-ing well went home in the afternoon. The end came yesterday morning with-out pain. The funeral will be held from the late residence Saturday afternoon

MURDERERS HANGED. An Execution in Mississippi Witnessed

by 3,000 People. Hattlesburg, Miss., Jan. 8.—F. D. Hat-horn, white, and Thompson Wade, cof-ored, were hanged at Augusta at noon today, both men dropping simultane-ously from the same scaffold. The exeously from the same scaffold. The exe-cution was witnessed by 3,600 people. The men were hanged for the murder of Mrs. Hathorn on the evening of Oc-tober 7 last, the negro shooting the woman at the instigation and compul-sion of the husband. Hathorn had be-come infatuated with a young woman.

TWO NEGROES LYNCHED,

Harrison Futler and Frank Simpson Die for an Assault.

Memphis, Tenn., Jan. 8.—Harrison Fuller and Frank Simpson, two negroes who were to have been placed on trial at Lexington, Tenn., today, for an assault upon Mrs. Pomeroy and her 16-year-old daughter, white, were lynched there last night.

The assault upon Mrs. Pomeroy and daughter occurred last August.

MEN AND APPARATUS NEEDED

Total Cost of a Paid Service for the Year He Estimates Would Be \$65,841.-68-Details of the Figures That He Gives.

Belleving that Scranton ought to have a paid fire department and convinced that the growth of the city demands it, while there is not the intention or his part in any degree to underrate the efficiency of the present volunteer sys-tem, Chief Engineer H. F. Ferber, in his estimate presented to City Con-troller Widmayer yesterday, for the fiscal year 1896, has included an item of \$18,000 salary for thirty permanent men, in addition to the force now oper-ating.

His estimate for the volunteer depart ment amounts to \$40,320; the \$18,000 sal-ary for thirty men and the purchase of two additional chemical engines, one for the West Side and the other for the North End, and also the purchase of other appliances which would be necessary if a paid service were inaugurated, would amount to \$25,521.68. This added to the sum that is required to run the department as it now exists, woud bring the cost of paid service up to \$65,841.68. The various items set forth in Chief Ferber's estimate for the fiscal year 1896 are as follows: Salary of chief engineer, \$1,200; five engineers, \$200 each, \$1,000; five stokers, \$150 each. \$200 each, \$1,000; five stokers, \$150 each, \$750; two permanent men for Neptune Engine company, \$1,200; two for Nay Aug Engine company, \$1,200; two for Franklin Engine company, \$1,200; two for Crystal company, \$1,200; two for the Hook and Ladder company, \$1,200; two for the General Phinney company, \$1,200; one for the Eagle company, \$600; one for the Phoenix, \$600; one chemical engineer, \$720; one man for Relief Hose company, \$600; one for Liberty Hose engineer, \$7:20; one man for Relief Hose company, \$600; one for Liberty Hose company, \$600; one for the Columbia Hose company, \$600; one for Excelsior Hose company, \$600; one for Century Hose company, \$600; one for William Connell Hose company, \$600; and one for Niagara Hose company, \$600.

Maintenance of Quarters. The items for the expense of the maintenance of the companies' quar-ters and incidentals are as follows: Light and heat, \$1,800; rent of fire alarm, \$1,100; maintenance of 77 fire alarm boxes, \$2,150; parade and inspection, \$300 repairs of apparatus and harness, \$1,000; supplies, \$800; repairs on engine houses, \$1,000; printing and stationery, \$250; rent of engine houses, \$3,900; purchase of fire hydrants, \$1,500; repairs and erection of hydrants, \$1,500; incidentals, \$300; veterinary expenses and medi-cine for horses, \$300; purchase of hose \$2,000; telephone for chief, \$50; substi-tutes for vacation and sickness, \$500 pulling apparatus to fires, \$100; keeping of 35 horses at \$140 each, \$4,900; repairing of hose, \$100. Total, \$40,320.

Chief Ferber recommends the following and states positively that they would be of incalculable benefit to the

department. They are: Purchase of horses \$1,000; purchase of a combination wagon, hose chemical and hook and ladder arrangement for the Columbia Hose company, \$1,800; and a double drop harness for the same company, \$125; combination wagon, hose, chemi-cal and hook and ladder for the Excel-sior hose company, \$1,800; fire alarm box for First ward, \$125; one for Twentieth ward, \$125; one at the corner of Gibson street and Clay avenue, \$125; one at Vine street and Prescott avenue, \$125; one at Penn avenue and Mulberry street, \$125; one at Washington avenue and New street, \$125: for glass boxes for fire alarm keys, \$100; maintenance of six boxes, \$166.68; team of horses for Niagara company, \$400; shut off nozzles, pipes, relief valves, etc., \$300 six district engineers at \$150 each, \$900; six bell strikers for district engineers, \$30 each, \$180; thirty permanent each, \$18,000. Total, \$25.521.68.

Only Objection Is Expense. The argument in favor of a paid department are manifold, and the only one against it is that the taxpayers cannot stand the expense of it.

The estimates of the several depart-ments were expected to be presented at the meeting of the councils tomorrow night, but City Clerk Martin T. Lavelle stated yesterday that the estimates are not yet ready. They will be presented at the following meeting.

WILL APPLY THE LAW.

few Department Rule for Mutual Pire Insurance Companies.

Harrisburg, Pa., Jan. 8.-Insurance Commissioner Lambert has made a new fire insurance companies that issue cash policies or paid-up policies. Some of these companies do not hold a reserve fund according to the reports made to the department, but hereafter, under the new rule, they will be compelled to do so as other companies and hold a re-serve fund of 50 per cent. It was found in the report of one mutual fire insur-ance companies that it had received \$6,000 in cash for pald-up policies and yet at the end of the year it had but \$226 cash on hand and there had been no loss on the policies.

If there had been a loss on these poli-

cles there would not have been money on hand to pay the loss unless an assessment were made on the holders of strictly mutual policies; either that or the company would have defaulted. The insurance commissioner has the law on his side and is determined to

JABEZ PHILLPS DECLINES.

he Witkes-Barre Warrior Cannot Be Tempted to Fight for Cubs. Wilkes-Barre, Jan. 8.—Cuban agents from New York in the interest of the revolutionary cause in Cuba are in this city endeavoring to secure officers of the Ninth regiment to drill their soldiers in Cuba. Lieutenant Jabez Phillips has been offered \$100 a month and

free transportation, but he, like others, refused the offer.

It is learned that two officers from Scranton and five from Binghamton have accepted the position and will leave for Cuba some time this week to become instructors in the insurgent

BOND BLANKS OUT.

Forms on Which to Submit Bids Are Being Distributed.

Washington, Jan. 8.—The treasury has begun the distribution of blank forms on which to submit bids for the new bonds. These blank forms will be obtainable at any sub-treasury by those wishing to submit bids. All national banks and others making application by mail to the treasury here or to subtreasuries will be supplied with these blank forms.

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They are not actually essential to the integrity of the bids, but are the most convenient manner of submitting them.

CLAIMS THE NEY ESTATE.

Grandson of the Great Field Marshal

CHIEF FERBER'S ESTIMATE summons to proceed to Paris in person, that he may properly lay his claims before the French department of justice. Ney has been gathering evidence to establish his right to the property, and as far back as 1882 ... wrote his first appeal to the French government.

TRAIN WRECKER SHOT.

W. G. Hogan, While Resisting Arrest. Huntington, W. Va., Jan. 8.—Four months ago a train was wrecked in Illinois and W. G. Hogan, formerly of this state, was alleged to be one of the robbers and a reward offered for his arrest. He returned to Lincoln county, this state recently and this worming.

arrest. He returned to Lincoin county, this state, recently, and this morning Charles Berger and Harry Brumfield decide to arrest him.

They found Hogan in the house of a friend. He refused to surrender, and began firing on Berger and Frumfield, who also consider the surrender and the surrender. who also opened fire, and Hogan wa shot through and through, dying in stantly. Berger was shot in the arrand head by Hogan but not fatally.

AN ANECDOTE OF FOREST.

Forrest, the great Confederate caval ry commander, was not without a sense of humor, although a stern man in the saddle at the head of his troopers. Here is a story which was current in his corps and always brought a cert. orps and always brought a smile to his handsome, dark face.

One day after his raid toward Memphis some of his cavalrymen overtook a Jew, with a one-horse wagon full of all sorts of goods, which he was peddling. They halted him. "Hello, Sheeny; what have you go in that wagon?"

The cavalrymen proceeded to go through that wagon and fit themselves out with boots, shoes, shirts, hats, blank-ets, tin cups, pipes, tobacco, and Ten-nessee whiskey. The peddler begged, wept, and pleaded to no purpose. Then the worm turned: "I report you every one. The general will make business mit you for dis". mit you for dis."

The cavalrymen rode off loaded with

their plunder, laughing and joking. The Jew followed on up to headquarters. "General," said he, choking with wrath and cut down to the bone by his loss, "does sojer mens vas shtop my vagin on de rote and one sojer man, he say, 'Moses dot hat on you hed vas too big for you, we will swap even,' and he takes off my bran new hat, vat I vas pay five dollars in greenbacks for, wholesale, and he jam down on my head his old gray wool hat, full of holes. And den another sojer man he ride up and he say, 'Moses, dot coat don't fit you in the back, and dem boots is too tight for you; Ise afraid they give you corns.' And he pull 'em off and den they takes everything occept de mule and de vagiu. I vos ax dem sojer mans vat dey vas."

"Guerillas, Moses, guerillas,' and den takes off my bran new hat, vat I vas pay "'Guerillas, Moses, guerillas,' and den dey winked at me and laughed fit to kill

theyself.
"Pouf: Dey call demselves guerillas, but I tinks dey acts more like robbers."—Washington Post.

HE WAS EXCUSED.

In the mathematics class one day at Williams college Professor S-, who was farely made the subject of college jests, was excessively annoyed by some man "squeaking a small rubber blad-der. The noise seemed to come from near a certain Jack Hollis, and after querying each of his neighbors, and re ceiving a negative answer, Professor S—said sternly: "Hollis, do you know who is making that unbearable noise?" Hollis, who had been the guilty person all along, assumed an air of stoical bravery, and said calmly: "I know, sir, but prefer not to tell." Professor Sbut prefer not to tell. Professor S—s angry face grew calmer, and with evident pleasure he replied: "I respect your scruples, Hollis. They do you credit, and should shame the guilty man, sir."—Harper's Bazar,



the bloom of the rose is only known to the health y woman's cheeks. The nervous strain caused by the aliments and pains peculiar to the sex, and the labor and worry of rearing a family, can often be traced by the lines in the woman's face. Dull eyes, the sallow or wrinkled face and those "feelings of weakness" have their rise in the derangements and irregularities peculiar to women. The functional derangements, painful disorders, and chronic weaknesses of women, can be cured with Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. For the young girl just entering womanhood, for the mother and those about to become mothers, and later in "the change of life." the "Prescription" is just what they need; it aids nature in preparing the system for the change. It's a medicine prescribed for thirty years, in the diseases of women, by Dr. R. V. Pierce, chief consulting physician to the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, at Buffalo, N. Y. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription will cure the chronic inflammation of the lining membranes which cause such exhausting drains upon the system. It cures nervous prostration, sleeplessness, faintness, nervous debility and all disorders It cures nervous prostration, sleeplessness faintness, nervous debility and all disorders arising from derangement of the female organs and functions.

organs and functions.

Mrs. JENNE WILLIAMS, of Mohawk, Lane Co. Orgon, writes: "I was sick for over three years with blind dizzy spells, palpitation of the heart, pain in the back and head, and at times would have such a weak tired feeling when I first got up in the morning, and at times nervous chills.

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The physiciaus differed as to what my disease was, but none of them did me any good. As soon as I commenced taking Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, I began to get better; could sleep well nights, and that bad, nervous feeling and the pain in my back soon left me. I can walk several miles without getting tired. I took in all three bottles of 'Prescription' and two of 'Discovery.'"

THE DOCTOR'S ADVICE.

C. M., Roenester.—I am in an editorial office, am overworked, and, and feel nervous and thred most of the time. Please suggest treatment.

Take our Cerebrine, extract of me brain of the ox, three times daily.

M. A. X.—Have been annoyed for over a year with large pimples on my back. Can you suggest a cure?

Take our Thyroidine, extract of the you suggest a cure?

Take our Thyroidine, extract of the thyroid gland, together with Natrolithic Salts, three times daily.

J. E. R.—I am troubled with severe headaches anr have a very sallow skin. What is the best preparation for the derangment of the liver?

Take Thyroidine, three times daily, and Natrolithic Salts, each morning.

R. J. W.—Take Cerebrine, extract of of the brain of the ox, for the nervousness.

Columbia Chemical Co., Washington, D. C. OWNERS OF THE ANIMAL EXTRACTS. Letters answered free and in confidence. Preparations at all druggists. Sold by Matthews Bros., 329 Lack'a ave.

San Francisco, Jan. 8.—Emil Ney, grandson and only living descendant of Marshal Ney, duke of Eichengen and prince of Moskwa, has for years lived among the people of this city without making public his identity.

Through Henry E. Highton, a lawyer here, Ney has been pressing his claims against Marshal Ney's estate for a portion of the \$15,000,000 worth of that property, and he has at last received a property.

## The Fashion

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\$3.98 for a Double Beaver Cape, special value for \$6.50. "Oh. gentlemens, gentlemens, I svear by my father's grave I have nothings but some little threads and needles and dings for de ladies."

\$3.98 for Ladies' Coats, odd lot, sold for \$5 to \$20.

\$5.98 for Ladies' Boucle Jackets, all sizes, sold for \$10.

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