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Friday, Apr. 17

GLOBE WAREHOUSE.

NO FUSION IN CAROLINA

Populists and Republicans Cannot Agree on Terms.

HITCH ON SILVER QUESTION

Populist Proposition Regarding Free Sil ver is Declined and Republican Overtures Are Also Rejected. Broad Hints of Revolt.

Raleigh, N. C., April 17.—The Populist state executive committee was again in session today and appointed a com-mittee of five, with Senator Marion Butler as chairman to confer with the Republican sub-committee, of which Senator Pritchard, Congressman Settle and State Chairman Holton are memand State Chairman Holton are mem-bers. The Populist committee submit-ted its demand as a pre-requisite to fu-sion; this demand being that co-opera-tion be solely upon the preamble and resolutions signed by Henry M. Teller and seventeen other United States senators, including Mr. Pritchard, de-claring for free and unlimited coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1, by the independent action of the United States Dresses of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1, by the independent action of the United States and in favor of a tariff sufficient to equalize the cost of production in the United States and in European and Asiatic countries.

The Republican sub-committee declined this proposition, saying it would not abandon the Republican organization in North Carolina and submitted

tion in North Carolina and submitted one dividing states offices, the Republi-cans to name the candidate for governor and providing for complete con-gressional and legislative fusion; rati-fying and confirming the agreement heretofore made according the senator-ship to the Republican party, the Populists to support such nominees; each party to run its own electoral ticket. The Populist state committee spent this afternoon considering this Republican demand. Senator Pritchard refuses to support independent free silver elector-al ticket and intends to abide by the action of the national Republican convention when it meets at St. Louis. It is understood that all opposition by Republicans to Senator Pritchard is to be withdrawn and that he will be unani-

POPULISTS DECLINE ALSO. The Populist state committee, without a dissenting vote, declined to accept the Republican proposition for fusion upon the basis of a division of state officers and pledge to vote for a Republican senator. This ends all pros-pects of fusion so far as committees

The state convention of the two part-The state convention of the two partles can of course review their action.
There are broad hints tonight of revolt of part of the Populists against
their committee decision not to fuse
with Republicans. The Populist state
committee adjourned this afternoon, after appointing Senator Butler, Congressman Shuford, W. A. Cuthrie and
ex-Congressman W. H. Ketchen a committee to prepare an address to the
public. The Republican leaders met public. The Republican leaders met here tonight and will make an official statement of their position. Senator Pritchard and Congressman Pearson will attend the meeting.

SKNATOR QUAY IS SOLID.

Will Have a United Delegation to the Convention at St. Louis-Allegheny Alone Unreconciled.

Phfladelphia, April 17.-Appearance: would seem to indicate that the war-ring Republican factions of Pennsylvania have buried the hatchet and that peace will once more reign. Mayor Warwick and Governor Hastings and Warwick and Governor Hastings and David Martin, the local Republican leader, and the principal opponent of Senator Quay at this end of the state, held a conference this morning in the mayor's office. Upon the conclusion of the talk Governor Hastings and Mayor Warwick went to Harrisburg. There they met Senator Quay and the three leaders held a long conference at Governor Hastings' executive residence.

Though nothing authoritative could be learned of the result of these conferences it is believed to foreshadow an amicable settlement between the two factions and that an agreement has been reached by which Senator Quay will have a practically solid delegation to the St. Louis convention. Mr. Ma-gee in the western end of the state, still remains unreconciled to Senator Quay, and as far as can be learned Allegheny county two delegates to the National convention may be the only ones who will not be out and out for

SENATOR QUAY ENDORSED. His Candidacy Pleasantly Received in the 28th District.

Ridgway, Pa., April 17.-The conferees from the five counties compris-ing the Twenty-eighth congressional district met here last night for the purpose of electing two national dele-gates and one presidential elector. The conference from Center and Clarfield counties, however, withdrew from the conference claiming that the conferees of the other three counties had formed a combination to name the national del-

egates.

The conferees from Elk, Clarion and Forest continued their conference after the withdrawal of the two other delegations and elected J. H. McEwen, of Elk and H. R. Wilson, of Clarion, na-tional delegates: S. S. Crissman, of Center, and A. H. Woodward, of Clearfield, as alternates. Joseph Campbell, of Forest, was chosen presidential elec-

Resolutions heartily indorsing the candidacy of Senator Quay for president, were unanimously passed.

MR. HARRISON DISSENTS.

Has No Further Desire to Be Connected

Has No Further Desire to Be Connected with Politics.

Hartford, Conn., April 17.—William Harrison Taylor, of Putnam, telegraphed congratulations on his marriage to ex-President Harrison, after whom he was named. Mr. Taylor said in his telegram: "May, 'at home,' means white house in November?"

In his autograph reply, General Harrison said: "I thank you for your telegram of congratulations and good wishes so far as they relate to my domestic concerns; but I beg to enter a dissent from your political suggestion."

SAVED BY HIS SON.

Timely Help for a Whiting Railway
Agent Attacked by Robbers.

Whiting, Ind., April 17.—Earl, the 6-year-old son of J. K. Van Sickle, agent here of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, is the hero of the hour. As Mr. Van Sickle was about to lock up the depot last night he was attacked and Van Sickle was about to lock up the denot last night he was attacked and overpowered by three masked men, who took from him \$100 in cash and his overcoat and revolver. Seeing his father helpless, the little fellow ran up the tracks to where the Sandard Oil

company's employes were switching They returned with him to the depot and captured two of the men as they were searching the office for more booty. The third escaped with the overcoat and revolver, but the money was recovered.

THE FIRST DEFENDERS.

Grizzled Veterans Greeted with Applause

in Congress.

Washington, April 17.—The First Defenders who came to Washington last night from their homes in Eastern Pennsylvania, via Harrisburg and Baltimore, visited the capitol this morning. As they marched into the hall of the house of representatives, a round of applause greeted them from the floor and galleries, which was repeated more vigorously a few moments later, as their flag, labelled "The First flag of the war" was brought in view.

The veterans lined up in front of the in Congress. The veterans lined up in front of the desk as if expecting to be formally re-ceived bu: no one appeared, and after a few minutes they separated and visited other parts of the capitol, in groups.

WILL WELCOME LEE.

Americans on the Island of Cuba Will liail the Arrival of a New Consul-Genoral -Business for the New Official.

Havana, April 15, via Tampa, Fla. April 17.—The appointment of General Fitzhugh Lee to succeed Consul Gen-eral Williams is understood by Amerieral Williams is understood by Ameri-cans here as well as by the authorities at the palace as an adroit way of send-ing a military commissioner from the United States to Cuba. When there was an intimation a fortnight ago that Mr. Cleveland contemplated sending a Mr. Cleveland contemplated sending a commission here to learn officially what was going on, the officials at Madrid said very plainly that no military or other commission would be accepted by them or permitted to pry into affairs in Cuba. There is therefore some curiosity as to how General Lee will be received and as to what facilities will be accorded him for learning what is transpiring outside of the city of Havana. The Spanish officials with whom transpiring outside of the city of Havana. The Spanish officials with whom I have talked will not discuss any other mission he may be supposed to have. They have got along smoothly with Ramon O. Williams, who has devoted himself so assiduously to viewing bills of laden and allowed Americans in jail to rot there and others to be shot down and their property destroyed that there may be trouble when a live American comes here to represent Uncle Sam.

It goes without saying that American residents will welcome General Lee with open arms. He will not be long in discovering that a state of war exists in Cuba, that life is respected on one side and prisoners set free; while on the other a war of extermination against all Cubans is waged prisoners of war are shot, unarmed peasants are

of war are shot, unarmed peasants are shot and cut to pieces and political suspects are imprisoned by thousands.

SPAIN POWERLESS. He will learn that Spain is powerless to protect American property through-out the island; that millions of dollars out the island; that millions of dollars worth of property belonging to our citizens has been destroyed, and the prospect of recompense is as shadowy as castles in Spain. He will hear, of Americans who have been shot down by Spanish troops, and will find others imprisoned in dungeons, with no prospect of trial or release. He will learn in short what the newspaper leaders of the United States have known for months, but of which the administra-tion at Washington is still apparently officially ignorant. His eyes will be opened to that which has stirred the art of mankind for the truth has been heart of mankind for the truth has been told by all American correspondents here with one exception. They have got the news out in spite of the Spanish censor and of all the barriers to truth that the narrow mindedness of the middle ages has endeavored to erect around the island of Cuba. Corre-spondents have been thrown into morro Others have been expelled, who remain know what fate awaits them. But the truth gets out just the same. If the appointment of General Lee means that the administration seeks light in view of all the misrepresentation that has gone and is going through official channels, it is a

step in the right direction, and had it been taken months ago thousands of lives would have been saved. Spath made one conquest of the island of Cuba and exterminated the native Indians. The extreme Spaniards urge Weyler to clean up the island on the same old lines. General Lee will discover for himself what is being done.

DIAMOND ROBBERS CAUGHT. The Mystery of the Burden Burglary

The second cable despatch practically to the same effect as that from the Morgan's was received from Mr. Buchanan Winthrop, of New York, a friend of Mr. Burden.

Altogether it is sald one hundred and fifty thousand dollars' worth of jewelry and diamonds have been recovered.

CIGAR MAKER'S CRIME.

oseph Daugherty Kills His Wife and Commits Suicide. Lititz, Pa., April 17.—Shortly after 6 o'clock this evening Joseph Daugherty, aged 25. a cigarmaker of this place, shot and fatally wounded his young wife. He then placed the revolver to his own head and sent a bullet into his brain. It is said Daugherty was jeal-

ous of his wife.

The couple resided with Mrs. Daugh erty's parents. Mr. and Mrs. Carpenter. at Warwick, near here. The shooting occurred in the bed room. Daugherty is from Philadelphia and had been living here about eighteen months. He was employed at the cigar factory of Bricker & Co. Mrs. Daugherty died at 9.10.

ENGINES FOR RUSSIA.

An Important Contract Awarded the Baldwin Works. Philadelphia, April 17.—The Baldwin Locomotive works of this city have just closed another important contract with the Russian government for sixty large freight engines, to be completed by

July 1. With the completion of this contract the firm will have constructed since October, 1895, 134 engines for the Rus-sians. The previous orders have all been filled.

Beer and Tobacco Tax.

SESSIONS

Congressional Tempers Rise with the Temperature.

SENATE AND HOUSE DEBATES

Mr. IIII Makes Stump Speeches - Senators Gears and Allen Clash-Old-Time Wrangle in the House Over War Claims.

Washington, April 17.—Mr. Hill continued without concluding this afternoon the speech he commenced yesterday against the passage of the Peffer resolution to investigate the bond sale of the present administration. Mr. Hill saved his strength for a protracted fight by having read at the clerk's desk the various laws relative to the redemption of greenbacks and quotations demption of greenbacks and quotations from President Cleveland's message on the financial question. He still has much material in reserve and will edi-tinue for two or three days, especially if he secures the assistance he did this

As Mr. Hill was about to yield to a motion for an executive session. Mr. Gear reported the bill for the refunding of the Pacific bond aided railroads. This led to an altercation between Mr. Gear, chairman of the committee and Mr. Allen, the Populist senator from Nebraska, in which warm words were Nebraska, in which warm words were used on both sides. Mr. Gear's statements were characterized by Mr. Allen as false. Mr. Allen was called to order and his words read from the clerk's desk, after which he was permitted to proceed in order. Mr. Allen's subsequent remarks consisted of a tribute to the recent candidate of his party for the presidency. James H. party for the presidency, James B. Weaver, and a defense of the princi-ples of the party which Gear had atples of the party which Gear had at-tacked. Mr. Hoar (Rep., Mass.) who expects to leave the city immediately, spoke briefly in favor of the investigat-ing resolutions and criticised the re-marks of Mr. Hill as being more in place on the stump than in the senate chamber.

LIVELY DAY IN HOUSE.

This was an old-fashioned field-day in the house of representatives, with radical variations. It was private bill day, under the rules. When bills to day, under the rules. When bills to pay claims arising out of the war, which in the past affored opportunity and excuse for lighting the battles of the rebellion over again, were under consideration. Today, however, the contest was waged, largely by Repub-lican members who advocated the pay-ment of the bills reported by the com-mittee on way claims and those who mittee on war claims and those who favored postponing action, and some of the statements were startling in their bitterness. Mr. Mahon, of Pennsyl-vania, chairman of the committee, was asked by Mr. Dingley (Rep., Maine) if the committee was satisfied of the justice and correctness of a claim for the payment of which a bill had been re-ported. Replying, Mr. Mahon reviewed the action of congress on these claims, their reference to the court of claims for examination and finding of facts and passionately declared that congress either ought to pay the colaims recom-mended by the court ar abolish the court, so that the people might know what to expect. He declared that the private citizens, and he asserted that he would rather have a pauper owe him a thousand dollars than to be a

creditor of the United States for that Mr. Walker (Rep., Mass.) was almost violent in his denunciation of the polthese claims. Dramatically he declared that no robber baron has ever equalled the government of the Uunited States in its robbery of honest credit-ors. He attacked the leaders of the house, charging them with purposely preventing the consideration of bills for the payment of just claims, assert-ing that extraordinary rulings of the chair (in committee of the whole) were resorted to to aid in carrying that pol-

Messrs. McCall (Rep., Tenn.) and Evans (Rep., Ky.) appealed to the house to pay the claims of loyal men from the south, and Mr. Ray (Rep., N. Y.) charged that to enter upon the payment of them would compel the next admin-istration to issue bonds from beginning

Messrs. Dockery (Dem., Mo.- and Grosvenor (Rep., O.) made political speeches in connection with their common opposition to the payment of the claims, the former asserting that Re-New York, April 17.—Two cablegrams received by Mr. Burden leave no doubt that the mystery surrounding the robbery is at last cleared up. The first was from J. S. Morgan and company his London bankers, and notified him that Robert Dunlop, formerly his butler, and William Turner, formerly his second man, had been arrested with the diamonds in their possession.

Mr. Burden was requested to come at once to London. He will probably sail tomorrow.

Claims, the former asserting that Republican legislation in the past, and the latter that Democratic administration was responsible for the present condition of the treasury. The net result of the day's discussion was the rejection of one bill and the passage of another. Mr. Pickier (Rep., S. D.) reported the general pension bill prepared by the committee on invalid pensions, and it was re-committee.

MYSTERIOUS SUICIDE.

The Witness to the Pittsburg Tragedy is Released from Jail.

Pittsburg, Pa., April 17.—The police investigation of the mysterious suicide from the Smithfield street bridge last night resulted this afternoon in the release from custody and suspicion of William Bailey, who first reported the tragedy to the bridge watchman. Bailey had no connection with the matter beyond being a witness to the desperation of a demonted woman bent ter beyond being a witness to the des-peration of a demented woman bent upon self-destruction. The woman who jumped from the bridge railing into the Monongahela river, 75 feet below, was Mrs. George White, of Monongahela City. Her husband is a coal miner in the Black Diamond mines. Mrs. White had been in Pittsburg two weeks, visit-ing her mother, Mrs. Foster, on Chat-ham street and Mrs. Mason, a sister, residing on Ross street.

residing on Ross street.

Mrs. White was 30 years of age and of fine appearance. She had frequently threatened to drown herself, being the victim of an illness which caused temporary aberration. She made this threat last evening and at a late hour left her mother's home, and carried her threat to successful execution. Her hat was picked up on the bridge and led to the identification. The body has not yet been found.

TRIES TO ROB EUCHRE PARTY. Thief at Rock Island, Ill., Demands

Collection of the Guests. Rock Island, Ill., April 17 .- While a progressive euchre party was ir ver-gress at a private residence here asterday evening, a ring at the door was answerd by the hostess, who encount-ered a masked man, who with two irawn revolvers forced his way in and asked that a contribution be imme-diately taken up for him.

diately taken up for him.

The gentlemen guests overpowered him until the police arrived, a lady present having climbed through a window and summoned them from a neighboring house by telephone. The robber is in jail. This is the second of his bold capers. At the first one, two weeks ago, he received ?

THE NEWS THIS MORNING.

Weather Indications Today: Generally Fair ; Cooler.

No Fusion in North Carolina. More Funds Needed for Armenia. The Political Situation. Dun's Weekly Review of Trade. Washington Capitol News.

2 Arch-Druid of Wales on Flower Sun

day. The Business World. 3 (Local)—Bateman on the Stand. Small-Pox Scare. The City is Sued.

Editorial. The Creed of Despair.

(Local)—Meeting of the Poor Board, Baptist Young People. Captured After Nine Months, Robbed in Daylight.

Society Gossippings. News of the Churches.

News of the Suburbs. Market and Stock Reports.

(Sports)—Yesterday's Base Ball Game Louisville Is After Power. Youngsters in the Big League. (Travel)-Uncle Sam's Big Iceland, How Roads Are Made in France.

10 (Story)-"The Cost of His Head." Il The World of Letters.

12 News Up and Down the Valley. Dramatic and Musical Gossip.

DUN'S WEEKLY REVIEW.

Glimpse at Trade Throughout the Country-Large Orders for Steel Come from Towns in the West.

New York, April 17.-R. G. Dun & Co. will say tomorrow in their weekly review of trade: Failures for the past week have been 223 in the United States against 241 last year and 35 in Canada against 34

The sudden change from sleighing to midsummer heat has tested the preval-ent idea that good weather only was needed to bring general improvement of business. Everywhere there has been more retail buying, and in some branches better demand at wholesale and at the works has resulted, but not as yet in most lines. There is no abatement of the almost universal disposi-tion to deal with unusual conservatism. and not to anticipate future wants, and this has been especially conspicuous where combinations have been formed

or prices advanced.

To many interested in iron, ore and coke, steel billets, bessemer pig and various forms of steel, it may be dis-appointing that the forming of combinations and fixing of prices have not started again the rush to buy ahead of needs, which made last year so memor-able. But it is not easy to forget the lesson which the past year taught. Instead of increasing, purchases have on the whole rather slackened, though a little better in tank plates at the east, and in sheets at Chicago. Bes-semer pig and grey forge are a shade lower at Pittsburg, as is the average of all iron and steel quotations, and obstacles to some attempted combina-tions have not yet been overcome. The greatest consumers of lake ore have not hastened to make contracts at advanced prices, and the output of coke is satisfactory. Tin plate makers are meeting, and some propose to produce steel for their trade at plants of their Their unsold stocks increased in th 18,588 tons more than was reported last week. At the west almos every town seems to want steel for some building, and good orders have been placed for bars by implement and

SOUTH BUYS FREELY.

The boot and shoe makers have put The boot and shoe makers have put some quotations a shade lower since leather has fallen below the average a year ago, and hides to the lowest aver-age since November, 1894, having de-clined 3 per cent. this week. The north-ern and northwestern demand is backward though the south has bought freely. The slik association states that 40 per cent. of the machinery and hands in the country are idle, partly because of increasing Japanese competition. Several more woolen mills have shut down and some have reduced wages 1 cent. while many are working only half time, but recent advanced by ap-praisers not only disclose heavy under-valuations in the past, but tend to check future imports. The demand for goods does not improve. Somewhat more demand for staple cottons has been aroused by bargain prices, but the closing of many mills for a time is urged as a necessary.

Wheat rose about 5 cents last week, met some reaction, but is a shade high-

er than a week ago.
Partly because of low prices, which are again the lowest ever known, the volume of business represented by clearing house exchanges 5.5 per cent. larger than last year, is 20.4 per cent. smaller than in April, 1893. Railroad earnings for April thus far show a gain of only 2.6 per cent. over last year. The stock market has grown stronger on stories about things done abroad, a few stories about things done abroad, a few foreign purchases helping, though trusts weakened on the signing of an anti-trust law by Governor Morton. March imports were \$3,912,455 smaller and exports \$10,366,107 larger than last and the excess of exports was

FIVE ARE SUFFOCATED.

Fragedy in a Tenement House at Turner's Falls, Mass. Turner's Falls, Mass., April 17.-This

morning five children of French na-tionality were suffocated in a tenement house on "L" street. The names of the dead are Aime Du-bois, 4 years old; Lena Dubois, 7, both children of Joseph Dubois; Rosie Rouchildren of Joseph Dubols; Rosie Rou-mier, his step-daughter, a girl of 13, and Josephine Coumartin, a girl of 12, and Edward Coumartin, 10, the chil-dren of Charles Coumartin. The fire started in the basement of a market oc-cupled by Roberts & Son, in a four-story brick tenement house owned by the elder Roberts.

Steamship Arrivals.

New York, April 17.—Arrived: Steamer Persia, from Hamburg; Augusta Victoria, from Hamburg; Southampton and Cherbourg; Campania, from Liverpool and Queenstown. Sailed: Halle, for Bremen. Arrived out: Steamers Spree, at Bremerhaven; Fuerst Hismarck, at Hamburg; Sailed for New York: Steamers Norge, from Copenhagen, April 14; Ethiopia, from Moville; Ems, from Naples; H. H. Meier, from Bremerhaven.

Herald's Weather Report.

New York, April 18.—Herald's weather forecast: In the Middle states today fair and partly cloudy weather will prevail, with slightly lower temperature and fresh and light southeasterly to northeasterly winds. On Sunday fair to partly cloudy weather and slightly lower temperature will prevail with fresh southerly winds.

John Stetson Dead. Boston, April 18.—John Stetson, the well-known theatrical manager, died shortly after 1 o'clock this (Saturday) morning.

MORE FUNDS ARE NEEDED

Clara Barton's Appeal for Money to Carry on Her Work.

STARVATION IS THREATENED

hree Thousand Slok of Typhus-Money Must be Forthcoming at Once in Order That Sufferers May Be Relieved.

New York, April 17.—Miss Clara Barton, president of the Red Cross society, cables to the National Relief committee as follows:
Constantinople, April 17.—Trask-New York-Hubbell in charge of the Red Cross relief expedition at Marash, respects April 12.

ports April 13: "Three thousand sick of typhus, in-cluding the English consul."
On the 15th he reports: "Sickness at Zeitoun increasing with forty to fifty

deaths daily. Great and immediate need for funds. General condition for relief work favorable. The National Armenian Relief com-The National Armentan Relief committee is giving out this appeal from Clara Barton cannot refrain from reminding the American people of all classes and sections, that Miss Barton undertook this sacred work of relief only in response to the urgent request of the public and assurances that the work would be generously maintained to the end.

Not one fifth of the \$500,000 needed to carry on the relief work on the smallest calculation made, has yet been given, and yet the need and facilities for carrying on the relief are greater now than ever. In fact unless the people are aided the various agencies will be practically thrown away and thousands will inevitable perish of pestilence and

starvation.
The Christianity and honor of the American people is at stake as well as the lives of the survivors of the massacres, most of whom are helpless and innocent women and children. It should be remembered that by

showing a lively interest in the suf-ferers by liberally supporting the agencies at work for their relief is the best and most efficient way of secur-ing for them more considerate treatment at the hands of the Turkish gov

Individuals, churches and clubs should at once send large gifts to Brown Brothers & Co., 59 Wall street, New York, who are the authorized treas-

(Signed Spencer Trask, Chairman executive committee, AN OLD SCANDAL REVIVED.

The Vickery-Albertson Affair Is Aired in Court. Baltimore, April 17.—The Vickery-libertson scandan had a further airing in the city court today, but the effort on the part of Mrs. Albertson to get \$30,000 from the wealthy banker was unsuccessful. The jury was out twenty minutes and returned a verdict of not

guilty.

Mr. Vickery was on the stand in the morning and testified that his liaison with the woman terminated ten years ago, although he had continued up to When she demanded a large lump sum last winter, the banker dissented and

the widow then sued for \$30,000. WORK OF THE RED CROSS. Every Permit Asked Has Been Granted

Them by the Porte. Washington, April 17.—Private advices received here from Constantinople state that the Red Cross is doing a great work in Armenia. No one is in-terfering with them and the Porte has declared in writing both to the English

declared in writing both to the English and American legations that no one shall interfere with this great charitable undertaking.

Every permit that has been asked for has been granted. The Red Cross agents are in the heart of the recently disturbed districts and special protection is given them.

tion is given them. RAILROAD SENSATION.

Officials of the Beach Creek Road Ar rested for Slander. Williamsport, Pa., April 17.—War-rants for the arrest of Superintendent A. G. Palmer, of the Beech Cteek rail-A. G. Palmer, of the Beech Creek Tailroad, and several other employes of that company, were issued here today which produced a sensation. Those implicated with Palmer are W. A. Selts,

trainmaster of the road, and Jesse Ed sell, a conductor. They are charged with having con-spired to defame the good name of L Ames, formerly master mechanic of the Beech Creek company. Trainmaster Selts said tonight that there was no

ground for the charge. WOMAN DIES OF GRIEF.

Crazed by Her Sister's Donth, Miss Helen

Carleton Expires. St. Clair, Mich., April 17.—While en-route from St. Clair to Chicago Miss Olive Carleton mysteriously disap-peared last fall in Detroit. Her body was recovered, but whether she was murdered or committed suicide has never been ascertained.

Because of this mysterious death an aged sister, Miss Helen Carleton, of Chicago, lost her mind. She was taken to a retreat, where she died Sunday. Her remains will be brought to St.

Clair for burial tomorrow. MINISTER'S MISTAKE.

Put His Foot in It Trying to Discredit Findlay, O., April 17.—The trial of Rev. Joseph Ebben Powell, rector of Trinity Episcopal church, upon the charge of false and fraudulent registration, was begun in common pleas court this morning. this morning.

The case has attracted widespread interest, the rector being a British sub ject and registering at last fall's elec

tion to show how easy it was to violate American laws without any punish-

THE HEATED TERM. Several Cases of Sunstroke Reported in New York, April 17.—April has set up new record for herself in the way of broiling weather. Today the tem-perature, according to official thermometer, reached 85 degrees, which is one

degree higher than any April day since

the weather bureau was established, a

quarter of a century ago.

Several cases of sunstroke were reported, one of which resulted fatally. For Protection of an American.

Washington, April 17.—The case of Al-bert Jesup Diaz, an American citizen, who was reported as being arrested at Havan-na for alleged connection with the insur-gents, came before the department of state today. The department immediately ca-bled the consul general at Havana to take the usual steps for his protection and fair trial.

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15 pairs, 31/2 yards long, \$1.88. 12 pairs, 31/2 yards long,

36 pairs Irish Point Curtains, 3 1-2 yards long, at \$4.00, \$4.95, \$5.85,

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READY-MIXED TINTED
CARRIAGE PAINTS
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Stains and Varnish with one application, producing perfect initation of expensive woods.
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