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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 28, 1905.

DIVINE SARAH PROTESTS. Appeals to French Ambassador For

Protection Against Trust. WASHINGTON, Dec. 28. - Through her managers, Sam. S. and Lee Shubert, Sarah Bernhardt, the actress who is on a farewell tour of this country. has appealed to Mr. Jusserand, the French ambassador, to protest against what she terms a discrimination of the so called theatrical syndicate against

her as a citizen of France.

Charles W. Strine, general representative of Mme. Bernhardt, who came to this city from New York for the purpose, has had a conference with the ambassador. He represented that commercial interests were against the actress because of the opposition of her managers to the so called syndicate and that the alleged discrimination barring ber from theaters in Texas and Louisiana not only affected her, but a large number of French people in New Orleans.

Mr. Jusserand was asked to voice a protest at the John Doe proceedings now being brought against the so called syndicate in New York by District Attorney Jerome. Mr. Strine alleged that the actress was orginally booked in syndicate theaters, but that the latter recently withdrew those bookings, and urged that the French authorities pro-

test against such action. Ambassador Jusserand asked for complete record of the case and stated that be will then review the matter with a view to possible instructions to the French consul in New York to take any action the latter may deem expe-

English Auto Scouts. The British Automobile association maintains a corps of "scouts" on the most frequented roads, to warn automo-

bilists of "police traps." Incidentally, they are also stalwart witnesses in time to New York last evening. Best Hogs in France. In France the best breed of hogs is

in 15 to 18 months. A prize pig weighed

763 pounds at the age of ten months and

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1906 Diaries at Strong's.

Leo Getlfin of Corning is

James Orcutt of Chemung was n town today.

New Year's Post Cards at Strongs.

Joseph Freedman is in Nichols oday on business.

Try Strong's Congh Syrup.

Mrs. C. T. Hull of Athens was calling on E. J. Neaves this after-

The K. of C. will give a dance in their lodge rooms New Year's

E. C. French and wife left last evening for Moravia and Dryden, for a few days' visit.

representative of the Sayre Times, Co. has returned from New York.

Miss Minnie Freedman, together with her cousin, Jennie Freedman,

went to Meshoppen last evening. Mrs. E. Barton Hall and son, accompanied by her nurse, Miss True Johnson, left for Elmira last

to her home in Binghamton yes- Home cemetery.

Thad A. Sager, who has been spending a few days in town, returned to his home in Sufferin last

Miss Helen Morgan, who has been visiting her parents on Lincoln street for a few days, returned

Mrs. Wade Everett, Florence street, gave a party last evening in considered to be the Craonnals, which honor of her sister, Mrs. Harry Waverly. often attain the weight of 550 pounds Lawlor of Plainfield, N. J.

> W. H. Freedman of New York who has been visiting his parents on Park place, went to Wyalusing last evening to visit his brother.

Tioga Center today to attend the present. funeral of Mrs. Nicholas Schoon-

Night Officer Corcoran received a very fine oak chair as a Christmas present. The donors were C. E. Brooks and Night Officer C. E. Gridley.

contains several Sunday school mottoes, one of which reads: "As are thy days so shall thy strength be." Under this motto stand sev Waverly, N. Y. al bottles of wine.

a sonewhat misleading

Waverly-Many people became interested when they see an old at the battle of Valley Forge." barred by a number of ushers, who inmediately cease.

STORE BURGLARIZED

Waverly-When W. E. Simmon's store at Newark Valley was opened Wednesday morning it was found to have been burglarized. on by the courts defining 'bids' and 'offers.' The action taken does not W. H. Denslow of Waverly mill, and these were used in gainstreet went to Wellsburg today on ing an entrance. About 30 razors and a stag handled hunting knife

were stolen. done by hoboes. Most of the raz- searcely be injured by rifle fire. Two ors were marked Cattaragus Cut-Judge E. N. Dawson, the local lery Co. and some of them Case powers of ascension, while its exceed

MRS. MATILDA BROOKS

The remains of Mrs. Matilda Brooks were brought to Waverly last evening from New York city The funeral service took place this morning at 10 o'clock at the residence of her sister, Mrs. W. E. Moore on Park avenue. The Rev. Miss Clara Lewis, who has been Peter Ross conducted the service visiting friends in town, returned and burial was made at Forest

NELLIE R. HANNON

Waverly-Miss Nellie R. Hannon died last night at 10 o'clock at of bravery and steadfastness. her home on Warren street, South let your imagination wander in delight from St. John's church, South about the martyr runs over your self-indulgence.—Detroit Free Press.

CAYUTA HOSE BANQUET

Waverly-The Cayuta Hose company held a meeting last evening to make final preparations for the banquet and housewarming to Miss Alberta Poole of North be held at their new rooms on the Chemung street and Miss Mattie east side New Year's evening. It Lum of Waverly street went to is expected that about 150 will be

GAVE STAG PARTY

place. About forty of his friends were present and played pedro, after which a luncheon was served. This is the second of a series of A show window in Waverly stag parties given by Mr. Atwater.

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BAR "BIDS" AND "OFFERS."

Chicago Board of Trade Oust Broker From Their Building.

CHICAGO, Dec. 28.-The board of trade frowned upon the trading in "blds" and "offers," which have been adopted as substitutes for "puts" and "calls" since those privileges were abolished. The trading in "bids" and "offers" has been conducted in the smokcavalry sabre in a window on ing room of the board of trade build-Broad street with a card attached, ing after the close of the regular mar-

on which is written "This sword When a crowd of brokers attempted used by Gen. George Washington to enter the room they found their way Some express doubt about the ver- mittee of the board had decided that acity of the statement, but when there will be no more trading in "bids" the presence of a knot of express building. A large crowd of brokers twine that is fastened between the immediately went to the rear of the words "sword" and "used" is called building, where the trade was begun to their attention their doubts im- foor. The usbers again compelled them to move, and finally the deglers in "bids" and "offers" hastened across the street and rented a vacant room on La Salle street, within a few minutes' walk of the board of trade building where they resumed their trading.

President Jackson of the board of trade said: "We simply deemed it advisable to discontinue the trading in this building until action has been tak-Some tools had been stolen at a mean that the board has definitely de-

Bullets and Ballooms.

In the course of an interview with a representative of the Paris Matin, M. Julliot, the engineer of M. Lebaudy's It is thought that the deed was balloon, declared that a balloon could only slightly diminish the balloon's ingly mobile properties would render the possibility of disablement by shell fire exceedingly problematical. But should it be seriously rent the aeronauts would probably be able to reach friendly territory in safety before the final collapse.

Farmer's Invention. A Canadian farmer has rigged up a novel device to keep his cows out of the MATINEE AND NIGHT corn. A framework of light poles is strapped over the cow's nose, muzzle fashion, and studded with large nails. When the cow tries to get through the fence the pails catch against the barbs and effectually keep her out of the grain. The device has been widely copied by the farmers in that section of Canada where the fences are at best but poor, and travelers can see scores of cattle carrying these novel headgears, often with birds roosting on them.

Little Duties. You picture to yourself the beauty Waverly. She is survived by her over the memory of martyrs who have died for truth. And then some father John Hannon, a brother, little, wretched, disagreeable duty John Hannon, Jr., and a sister comes, which is your martyrdom, the Alice. The funeral will take place not do it, how your oil is splited! How next Saturday morning at 9 o'clock flat and untilluminated your sentiment

Same Trouble Here.

The American in England affords matter for much perplexity and astonishment to his English kinsmen. One of them was being shown an old church wherein hundreds of people were buried. "A great many people sleep beneath this roof," said the guide, indicating the inscription-covered floor with a sweep of his hand. "So?" said the American; "same way over in our country. Why don't you get a more interesting preach-

Oyster's Growth.

The oyster is not much larger than the heau of a fair-sized pin at the end of a fortnight, and at three months about equal to a split pea. At the end L. C. Atwater gave a stag party of four years' growth it is fit for the market. Oysters live to the age of last evening at his home on Park from 12 to 15 years. According to one naturalist, these bivalves feed on moands-the most minute form of marine

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