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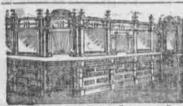
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Mulatto Blackmailers Caught at New Haven.

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But it Did Not Work on James Dewell. a Prominent Citizen.

The Blackmaflers Man and Wife, Who Have Plucked Wealthy Mon for Thousands of Bellurs -- A Detective Person ated Mr. Dewell, Went to the Woman's Apartments, and When the Came Had Reached its Climux Arrested Them.

New HAVES, Conn., Dec. 11 .- A sensational blackmail case has been detected by the police of this cicy. The intended victim was James D. Dawell, a wholesale grocer, and Republican candidate for Mayor at the recent election. He is one of the richest men in the State and one of the best known Repub-Mr. Dewell is a man of family, and moves in the highest circle of soci ety. The affair has created a decided

Withiu the past two weeks Mr. Deweil has received a number of letters from Mrs. Sidney Coe, a colored woman, living at No. 282 Davenport avenue. At first she requested Mr. Dawell to sid her financially, as she was in great distress. He paid no attention to these letters but vertedly received an these letters, but yesterday received another. This was of a different nature and earnestly requested Mr. Dewell to call at her house last night, as she would be alone and could see him pri-

vately.

The letter was given to the police, and Detective Cowelos, disguissi as Mr. Dewell, went to the house. Mrs. Commer him and escorted him to a chamber. She failed to see through his disguise. If we minutes later the husband reshed into the room and demanded \$1,500, and threatened, if payment was refused to shoot "Mr. Dewell." The detective gave a signal, two officers rushed in, and the blackmallers were arrested. The couple have succeeded in getting several thousand dollars out of

getting several thousand dollars out of prominent citizens by this scheme. Coe and his wife are mulattoes.

The man is about 55 years old. He is bright and shrewd. The woman is 25 and good-looking. They were married a mouth ago. Coe has been married twice before, and one of his wives was white. Not long ago a sister died in California and left him \$15,000, which he squandered in riotous living.

#### A MIXED-UP FAMILY.

Complications in Relationship Caused by the Slater-liuut Marriage.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11 -A most fashionable and romantic wedding took place in St. John's Church last night, when Miss Entd Hunt was led to the altar by Mr. Samuel Stater, son of the Providence, R. I., millionaire. The ceremony was performed by Bishop ceremony was performed by Bishop Doane, of Albany, a relative of the bride. There were 14 ushers and a maid of honor, Miss Brailey, of Bostom. By the wedding there arises some curious complications in the relationship of members of the two families. Scarcely three months ago the groom's father, Horatio Nelson Slater, who is over 70 years old, was married to the bride's younger sister, not yet our of her teens, at Bar Harbor. The father and son thus become brother-in-law. and son thus become brother-in-law, while the younger sister becomes her sider sister's mother-in-law.

Washington, Dec. 11.—Gen. Charles H. Collis, chairman of the executive H. Collis, chairman of the executive committee of the Grant Monument Association, is here trying to head off the resolution about to be introduced by Senator Plumb of Kansas, looking to the removal of Gen. Grant's remains to this city. Gen. Collis has interviewed Senators Plumb, Hitchcock and others, and finds the sentiment very unanimous in favor of the change. Senator Plumb are copied is strong evidence that they are THE STANDARD, and every buyer should see that specially reflecting upon the prople of New York city, he will introduce the resolution, because he believes it expresses the will of the American people.

> Kit Carson's Relative Has a Rumpus. Kit Carson's Relative Has a Rampus.
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> PUEBLO, Col., Dec. II.—Billy Carson, a descendant of the old scoat, Kit Carson, some years ago married a daughter of William Russell, a ranch man living on the Purgatory Creek. The marriage proved an unhappy one and Mrs. Carson returned to her parents' home. Yesterday Carson went over to the Russell ranch and a quarrel ensued. The mother in-law, who is of Mexican blood, went for Carson with an ex. The latter drew a revolver, killed her, wounded Russell and then fiel.

Escape of Elevan Prisoners.

GALESBURG, III., Dec. 11 .- None of the prisoners who escaped from the jail here early yesteriay morning have been re-captured. The prisoners cut off three from hars, an inch thick, guarding one of the windows, made a rope of the bed-ticks and descended in safety. Of the sleven who escaped three were sent here from Princeton for safekeeping. It is thought there was outside assistance. The saws were found on the ground.

Athlete Ford Will Not Coulout the Will. BROOKLYN, N. Y., Dec. 11 - Malcoim W. Ford, the well-known athloto, will not contest the will of his father, tior-don I. Ford, which cuts him off with a shilling because he refused to obey hi father's com nand to abandon athletics he having effected a settlement with the other heirs. The estate is valued at several millions.

Value of Parnell's Estate. LONDON, Dec. 11.—Letters of administration have been granted to Mrs. Parnell on the estate of the late Charles Stewart Parnell. The gross personal estate is 11.774 pounds; net. 6,232 pounds. The surstles for Mrs. Parnell were given by Messes. Rochfort Magnire and Henry Harrison, M. P.

End of a Wilkesbarre Notable. WILEPSHARIE, Pa., Dec. 11.—Evan Rowlen I, a prominent citizen of this place, was found dead in bed in a house of questionable character yesterday. It is supposed that he committed suicide, Aighest of all in Leavening Power .- U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 17, 1889



ABSOLUTELY PURE

MILLS MAY BE SENATOR.

His Defeat for the Speakership Has Aided His Efforts to Texas.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11 .- A special from Galveston, Tex., says:

The defeat of Goger Q. Mills for the Speakership has given widespread sup-port to the efforts of his admirers to elect him to the United States Senate. Gov. Hogg has stated that a special session of the Legislature will be called in March or April. The election of a suc-cessor to John M. Reagan will be one of the duties of that boly. Senator Chilten holds his appointment

from the Governor, and although a cau-didgte for election by the Legislature, the friends of Mr. Mills are confident of electing the tariff reform champion. Expressions from all parts of the State favor Mills, and his election is confidently predicted.

Italy Satisfied With the Message.

Rosts, Dec. 11 .- The tene of President ROUS, Dec. 11.—The tene of President Harrison's message of the New Orleans lynching gives general satisfaction here. Premier Rudint, replying in the Chamber to Signor Clampi, said that he had noted the friendly expressions in the message of President Harrison, and was consident that the overlane at the was conflient that the questions at is-sue would soon be settled; that if Amer-ics would semi-officially promise Italy to modify the Constitution so as to ensure absolute protection for foreigners living in the United States, the Italian government would be willing thereafter to regard the lynching case as closed.

Buston Press Club's Dinner

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Boston, Dec. 11.—The Boston Press Club held its annual dinner at Hotel Abbottsford last evening. President Haskell, of the "Herald," presided, Among the guests were W. T. Adams (Oliver Optic), M. Paul Bionet (Mix O Heil), H. A. McGlenan, Rev. M. J. Savare, and Gen. P. A. Collins. Max O'Rell made, a brief address, in the course, of which he said the people of America cared more for news than for opinions in newspapers, and paid a opinions in newspapers, and paid a handaome tribute to the energy and en-terprise of the reporter, characterizing him as the king of journists.

A Colored Catholic Pricat.

BALTIMORE, Md., Dec. 11.-Charles R. Uncles, a young colored man, will be or lained a press of the Cathol c Church or lained a priest of the Catholic Church on Dec. 19. The ceremony will be performed by Cardinal Gibbons, and it will be a particularly interesting one to Catholics generally, from the fact that Uncles will be the first colored man to be ordained to the priesthood in the United States. A colored man was ordained by Bishop England, the first Branch of Charleston, S. C., who held office from 1820 until he died in 1842, but the colored man was not ordained in this country. in this country.



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Glass Company Reduces Stock.

STRACUSE, N. Y., Dec. 11.—The stock-holders of the United Glass Company at a mosting here yesterday voted to reduce the capital stock of the concern from \$1,583,500 to \$1,399,600. This acfrom \$1,583,500 to \$1,393,600. This ac-tion foreshadows the abandonment of the company's New York charter and a transfer to Illinois, the ground taken being that recent legislation in this State regarding corporations embar-rasses the company in the transaction of its business.

Liverpool's Boy Murdarers.

Livenroot, Dec. 11.—Shearon and Crawford, the two lads who were fund guilty of murdering Dawson, and her boy, have been sent to the Cathol & Reformatory, their ages precluding infliction of capital punishment tiem. Shearon is only eight years of age and Crawford nine. Their victim was about eight years of age.

What a Vote of Thanks

Would be passed if babies could speak o Dr. Hand's Colic Cure. Thousands have been cured by it. Absolutely safe. J. M. Hillan and C. J. McCarthy, the druggists give away samples to those who doub

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The helding of the World's Fair in a city sea cety fity to retail will be a remarkable event, but whether if win recity benefit him although as much as the discovery of the Restrative Nervine by Dr. Franklin Miles is doubtful. This is just what the American poorle meet to cure their excessive norwais ness, dyspepsia, headache, diskness, steep lessness, iscurated, nervous debility, dullness, confusico of mind, etc. It acts i ke a charm. Trial bottles and fine book on "Nervous and Reart Dr. excess," with unequal-d testimo this, free at C. H. Hagenbicth a firig store. It is unremarked to confusion option, morphine or dailyerous trupt.

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Heart disease is ususly susposed to be incursole, but when property treated a large proportion of cases san becared. Thus Mass. Imirs Haten, of Ethant, Ind., and Mrs. Mary L. Baker, of Ovid, Mich., were cared after suffering 20 years, S. C. Lindur er, druggist at San Jose, Bl., says that Dr. Miles' New Heart Care, which cared the forner, worked wonders for his wife." Lev! ogan, of Bact-ana, Mich., who had beart dwasse for 50 years, says two bottles made him "foel like a new man." Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure is said and goaranteen by C. H. Hageaouch the druggist. Book of wonderful testimonulas free.

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FRAUD OF LONG AGO

Deeds of the Astors and Vanderbilts to be Contested.

ALLEGED INVALID TITLES.

The Heirs of Governor Dongan Will Sue for Millions of Dollars in Beal Estate-

Dougan was Governor of the Colony of Now York in 1690, and it is Claimer that he Was Defrauded Out of Proper ty by the Makers of the Famous "Shoe Makers' " Deed-Portunes for the Ligigants of the Sait is Successful.

NEW YORK, Dec. 11. - The heirs of Thomas Dongan, Governor of the colony of New York in 1690, are preparing to bring a sensational suit to test the title to millions of dollars' worth of real extate located in this city and now in the possession of some of the wealthiest and most influential men in the city The property involved includes many lots in the lower part of the city, between Whitehall street and the City Hall, and the majority of the lots touch Broadway, making them the most valuable pieces of real estate in the city.

Thomas Dongan was a confirmed bachelor when he received his appointment as Governor of the colony or New York, and he remained a bachelor until the day of his death in 1715. He had relatives in England, but none of them seems to have followed. his fortunes in America, nor to have known whether he had amassed a fortune or not at the time of his death.

Years after the death of Governor Thomas Dongan many of the descrid-ants of his relatives left England and came to America in the hopes of better

ing their fortunes.

The descendants of these, in turn, have scattered all over the country, and can be found in various States from New York to California. In this section of the country, however, the majority of them are located, and some 30 of the beirs in this city and Brooklyn have combining together to content the discombined together to contest the dis-puted titles. Many lawyers regard their chances as very slim.

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Prominent among those who claim to be the heirs of Inomas Dongan are George H. Jackson, Atwood B. Jackson, Charles B. Jackson, Henry P. Toombs, Gilbert E. Stevenson, William E. Gilbert E Stevenson, William E. Toombe ... Walter Dongan of Brook-

The proper with the possession of the translation translation of the translation of the translation translation and others. been referred to in historical sketches, and gained its name from the fact that the majority of the men who signed it were shoemakers. The signers of this deed were four men and one woman. All the signers owned property ad-joining that claimed as the Dongau property. The Dongau heirs now claim that in executing that deed those who were parties to it conspired together to commit a gross fraud upon the rights of Governor Dougan and those who might

Governor Dougan and those who might be entitled to inherit his property.

The alleged heirs will attempt to prove that the signers of the deed waited un-til 1715 to record it, although it was drawn up in 1696, in order to divide up Dongan's land among themselves. Don-gan died in 1715, and the deed was re-corded shortly afterward.

It is alleged that the conspiracy suc-corded so wall that for nearly 200 years

ceeded so well that for nearly 200 years the titles have remained undisputed. Now for the first time, it is claimed, has the fraudulent conspiracy been un earthed.

Paule on the Bourse.

Rio Jankino, Dec. 11.—A punic co-curred on the Bourse yesterday in con-sequence of a heavy decline in the shares of the Leapoldina & Minas-Geraed and the Rio Janeiro railways. Considerable excitement prevalled, and

Rose, Dec. 11 .- A local committee is at work preparing for the representation of Italian industries at the Uniongo World's Fair. Notwithstanding the a nouncement of the government the Italy would take no part in the fair, the committee proposes to call for govern-ment aid to the enterprise, and it is be lieved that the application will not be without success.

Sawtelle Expected a Different Decision. Concorn, N. H., Dec. 11.—Warden Colby handed Murderer Sawtelle yesterday afternoon the official document from the Supreme Court informing him that his petition for a trial had been denied. Sawtelie read the paper and then said: "I hardly expected this. Did you, warden?" The warden replied: "No, I did not."

Bynamilers in Boston

Bostos, Dec. II.—Some unknown mi-creant, on nursier bent, put dyna-mite in the pipe of Angelo Marino, an Italian laborer, and when the latter lit the pipe yesterday a terrific explosion enumed. Three fluggers and a thrumb on one of the bands of Marino were blown off and his other hand was also injured. He has no idea who perpetrated the

A Burglar Who Settled His Case,

Johnstown, Pa., Dec. 11-J. Gray, the New York crook, arrested a few days ago for playing the "film dam" game on Johnstown merchants, and in whose possession was found papers which proved him to be a burglar, has settled his case by paying about \$2.00 of the \$500 he had in his possession, and has been released.

Run on a Lowell Bank.

Lowett, Mass, Dec. 11.—A run was commenced on the Lowell Institution for Savings Vesterday, caused by the rumor that the tank was not safe. The bank is paying all demands promptly.

The slarm is looked upon as entirely needless, the bank being considered one of the soundest in the State.

Reduction in Paumsylvanta's Debt. Hannandra, Pa., Dec. 11.—The Governor last evening issued a proclamation announcing a reduction of the State debt during the year of \$2,358,352.

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