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Representative Fellows, of New York, is chairman of the committee the constitution.

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Delaware is able to meet all her state debts and has more than \$347,000 len over. Now let Delaware go in for good roads and first class country

FREELAND TRIBUNE. CLIFFORD ACQUITTED

IN THE HOMESTEAD RIOTS PINKER TONS WERE LAWFUL.

The Convicted Grand Master Works Hugh Dempsey—Judge Stowe Holds the Lawyers Down to His Decision That the Pinkertons Were Lawfully Employed.

Pinkertons Were Lawfully Employed.

PITTSBURG, Feb. 8.—Jack Clifford, the
Homestead strike leader, charged with the
unlawful killing of P. J. Connors during
the famous barge battle on July 6, was
acquitted last evening.

Attorney Erwin asked to submit an offer
as to the line of policy in cross examination
with regard to Pinkertonism.

The Pinkertons Were Justified.

sentiments, and I will allow no one to advance such ideas here."

Strikers Fired First.

Captain Rodgers, who was in charge of the steamer Little Bill, related the story of the trip. During the cross examination the court again overruled the questions asked by Mr. Brennan, and an objection was filed. Witness said that Captain Hines and others on the barges had revolvers in their hands. Then the firing became general on both sides, lasting 15 minutes. After the battle a dozen wounded men were taken from the barges to Port Perry. Pinkerton Captain W. H. Burt graphically described the battle at Homestead, and declared that the men on the barges did no firing until after 15 shots had come from the crowd on shore.

After this the detectives sent two volleys of shot at those on the mill property, scattering them right and left. The witness then described the wounding of Conners. He saw Clifford just before he started to run out the gangplank. The defendant came in through a break in the fence. Clifford had a pistol in his pocket.

Several other witnesses reviewed the scenes of the riot and identified Clifford as a participant.

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The Old Colony Rumor Confirmed.

BOSTON, Feb. 8.—The Old Colony railmitting the offer of the Nev Haven and Hartford railroad.

Governor Foraker Declines a Trustee CINCINNATI, Feb. 8.—Ex-Governor aker will not accept the appointment of fered him by Governor McKinley as trutee of the Ohio State university to success. ex-President Hayes, deceased.

Not Any For Boles.

DUBUQUE, Ia., Feb. 4.—Governor Boles has forwarded to President-elect Cleveland a letter declining the secretaryship of agri-

SENSATIONAL EVIDENCE

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Schanton, Pa., Feb. 3.—Evidence which it is believed will be of great importance in the case of Carlyle Harris, now under conviction in New York for the muriler of his wife, Helen Potts, has just been discovered here. Mrs. Harris, the young man's mother has been spending some days here, and it is principally through her efforts that the evidence was gathered.

The newly found evidence has been obtained from Helen Potts' friends and intimates while she was a visitor here at the home of her uncle, Dr. C. W. Treverton and from physicians of high standing in their profession. Some letters are held from young ladies in the Hyde Park section of the city who during Helen Potts' visit here associated with her, and who were spoken of as the "arsenic eating coteric," and who know more about the troubles of the dead girl than they have heretofore cared to reveal.

The evidence gathered shows that Miss Potts was a confirmed morphine eater. The claim is also made here that whatevet abortion was performed on the girl was done by Dr. Treverton while she was at his home. Treverton's while being an anut of Miss Potts.

Traverton left this city some time ago and is now, it is believed, living in Chicago. Trevertor's house burned a short time after the conviction of Harris, and nothing was savel from it but his diploma, showing that he graduated from the University of New York. Treverton received over \$2,000 insurance and soon afterward left for the west. There is also some evidence that Dr. Treverton encouraged his niece in the use of morphine, and it is stated that prescriptions that he gave her have been procured from a Hyde Park drug store and are certified to as being filled for the girl.

OUR PANAMA CANAL FRAUDS.

Colonel Ingersoil Received \$5,000 and Other Lawyers \$25,000 in Fees.
WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—After many delays the Panama investigation was begun by the special committee appointed by the house for the purpose. Charles Coine of Brooklyn, secretary of the American committee of the Panama company since its formation in 1881 testified that Mr. Thomps. Brooklyn, secretary of the American committee of the Panama company since its formation in 1881, testified that Mr. Thompson was not at the office much, and most of the business done there was transacted through witness. He has disbursed about \$3,000,000. After 1883 the principal business of the American committee was to seek for subscriptions to loans and to act as a go between for the Panama Canal company and the Panama Railroad company, the canal company owning nearly all the capital stock of the railroad company.

pany.

Mr. Colne testified in substance that the Mr. Coine testified in substance that the American company purchased the Panama railroad stock at \$250 per share, although the market price was \$140, because it was necessary to obtain control of the road. Attorneys' fees paid were: To R. J. Inger-soll, \$5,000, and Shellabarger & Wilson, \$50,000.

\$25,000.

The committee decided to meet again on Wednesday and if possible have Messrs. Thompson and Appleton present. Mr. Ellis is now traveling in his yacht "for his health," as Mr. Colne expressed it. The books of the American company will be brought from New York by Mr. Colne and placed before the committee for inspection.

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A Texas Mob Takes the Execution of the Law Into its Own Hands.

Parts. Tex., Feb. 2.—Henry Smith, a negro, who murdered the 4-year old daughter of Henry Vance, a white man, was captured by a mob. The country roads were alive with people coming in with wagons and on horseback. It is estimated that the crowd surrounding the depot numbered nearly 20,000 people. When the train arrived a rush was made for the coach in which the negro was confined. The deputy sheriffs and the guard of Paris citizens who accompanied the negro from Texarkana drew their revolvers and attempted to prevent the mob from taking their pria-ner. The guard was quickly overpowered, however, and a rope was thrown about Smith's neck. He was dragged from the train and hurrled to the scene of his crime. All along the route he was pelted with missiles, struck by fists and otherwise maltreated. He was tied to a stake, and after being subjected to every conceivable torture he was cremated amid the howling of the mob.

AUSTIN, Feb. 8.—Governor Hogg sent a message to the legislature concerning the lynching of the negro Smith at Paris by a mob. The governor strongly denounces the torturing and burning and wishes to have laws made to punish those who participate in lynching. He denounces Smith's slayers as murderers.

Donoghue Anxious to Meet Hagen.

Newburg, N. Y., Feb. 8.—The Newburg
Skuting association will give a purse of
\$300 as a bonus for Hagen to meet Joe Donoghue in a 5-mile race at this city within
20 days. Donoghue says that, as chances
of a race between himself and Hagen for a
purse are very slim as it stands at present,
he will meet Hagen in an exhibition race
of five miles as stated for honors only. If
sucha race can be arranged, Newburg sporting men stand ready to back Donoghue in
bets for \$25,000.

Murderer McDowell Confesses.

BENNINGTON, Vt., Feb. 4.—Officers here have been notified by authorities in Norwalk, Coun, of the arrest and confession in that place of Henry McDowell, who killed John Crowley at Glastonbury, near here, in April, 1892. One night he coolly walked into town and told what he had done. He as coolly walked away and has not been seen since.

A Cabinet Rumor From Boston.

Boston, Feb. 7.—There is a rumor current that the portfolio of state has been offered to John Quincy Adams by the president-elect. At his residence on Commonwealth avenue today Mr. Adams could not be seen. His secretary refused to say if there was any truth in the report.

West Point Appointments.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—The following appointments have been made to the Military academy at West Point: H. E. Cloke of Trenton, with W. S. Fennimore of Beverly as alternate.

ANNA E. DICKINSON SUES.

The Doctors Who Committed Her to the

brothe United States directed against eight persons, two of whom are physicians, asking damages in the aggregate sum of \$125,000. These suits are against the persons who were instrumental in lodging her in the Danville Asylum for the Insane in February, 1891.

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ANNA E. DICKINSON.
Courtwright, G. B.
Thompson, Allen
Eggleston, John B. Hellman, George Underwood and Henry Bryden. In this 80,
000 damages are asked. In the second suit
Dr. George Underwood of Pittsburg is
made defendant, and damages are placed
at \$50,000. The third suit is against Dr.
James Oglesby of Danville, from whom
damages are asked in the sum of \$25,000.
Miss Dickinson, after referring to her alleged forcible removal to an asylum, de
clares that the examination the physicians
made as to her condition was hastily, improperly, negligently and insufficiently
done. In consequence of her imprisonment
she suffered mental and physical agony
was subjected to indignities and pain from
wounds and from exposure and for five
weeks was kept in the asylum, during
which time she was prevented from pursu
ing her vocation as a lecturer. For these
reasons she believes that she is entitled to
damages in the aggregate sum of \$125,000,
which she now claims. The case will probably be tried at the March term of court.

FOY PRONOUNCED GUILTY.

He Receives the Jury's Verdict With

He Receives the Jury's Verdict With an Air of Bravado.

BALISTON, N. Y. Feb. 2.—The jury in the Foy murder case came into court and asked that the evidence given by eye witnesses of the shooting be read to them. The testimony showed clearly that the second shot, which struck Miss Wilson in the back of the neck, nearly severing the spinal cord, was the fatal one, and not the third one, which was fired after Foy had shot himself twice in the forchead. The jury retired, and Judge Holmes, who had been standing out alone that the third shot was the one which caused death and which was fired after Foy had been crazed by bullets striking his skull, now became convinced of the prisoner's guilt and agreed with the other 11 jurymen.

Foreman Sickler announced that they had agreed and that their verdict was guilty of murder in the first degree. Foy took his fate nonchalantly and walked back to his cell with the same air of bravado that has distinguished him in jail. His aged father sat by his side and seemed to realize that the verdict was the inevitable result of the evidence.

pileity in Poisoning.

PITTSBURG, Feb. 3.—A verdict of guilty as indicted was rendered in the case of Robert J. Beatty, charged with complicity in the poisoning at Homestead. It was just nine minutes from the time the jury retired until they reported their verdict ready. When the verdict was rendered Beatty was taken back to jail. He looked very much worried, the very noticeable change in his countenance indicating his great disappointment.

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Another Island Seeks Admission.

SAN FIRACISCO, Feb. 7.—Colonel Charles

E. Dailey, the American commissioner for
King Teburiemo of Butaritari, one of the
Gilbert islands, has forwarded to the state
department at Washington a protest from
the king against the forcible seizure of his
islands by the British government while
legotiations were progressing with the
United States. He asks the protection of
the United States or amexation. Advices
from Butaritari state that Captain Davis
of the British navy, who seized the islands,
was very arbitrary in his conduct. He was
insulting to Americans on the island and
abusive to the king. Representatives of the
British made haste to seize the islands some
months ago on receipt of the information
from Sydney that the king had gone to the
United States to ask protection.

To Connect Fonda and Fultonville.

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FONDA, N. Y., Feb. 3.—A company with
a capital of \$100,000 has been organized to
build an electric railway between Fonda
and Fultonville. The road will be operated in connection with the one being built
from Fonda to Gloversville. Ex-Comptroller Wemple and Ex-Superintendent of Public Works Shanahan are among the directors.

Phillips Brooks' Estate.

Boston, Feb. 8.—Bishop Brooks' estate
is barely sufficient to cover the amounts
named in his will, aggregating \$10,500. Dr.
Brooks never permitted himself to receive
any emoluments outside his salary either
as rector or bishop, and he gave from his
income with an open handed but wise
charity.

A Yellow Covered Tale.

ROCKVILLE CENTER, L. I., Feb. 4.—This town is stirred by the attempted elopement of pretty Miss Stella Brightman with Deerfoot, the head medicine man of the Kickapoo medicine tribe. Stella was locked up her mother. She wore a bright red Kickapoo squaw's costume when captured.

Port Royal Mines Ablaze.

there was any truth in the report.

The Haytian Minister Arrives.

New York, Feb. 4.—Among the passengers arriving on the Dutch steamer Prince
Wilhelm II, from Amsterdam via Port au
Prince, was Mr. C. Heantjens, minister
plenipotentiary of the Haytian government
to the United States.

Neille Grant's Husband Dead.

LONDON, Feb. 7.—Algernon Sartoris, who married Nellie Grant, died on Friday at Capri, Italy. He had not lived with his wife for some years.

Mrs. Whitney Dead.

New Yolk, Feb. 6.—Mrs. William C. Whitney, wife of the ex-secretary of the navy, died at her home, 2 West Fifty-seventh street, at 3 o'clock Sunday morning of heart disease.

THE DEAGON DIVORCE.

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PARIS, Feb. 3.—About a month ago Mr. Deacon offered to his wife the following conditions: That the custody of the three elder children should be given to him; that his wife should acknowledge that the charges of cruelty made against him in the Paris proceeding were false; that she should consent to a decree in the Paris proceeding granting him adivorce, and that she should relinquish the name of Deacon and resume her maiden name of Baldwin. Mr. Deacon, on the other hand, was to abandon the proceedings in Grasse and in New York.

Mrs. Deacon after consideration agreed to these terms and gave evidence of her consent in writing. Therefore the divor was granted. It is understood that M Deacon will shortly return to America with Gladys.

DR. GRAVES OUT ON BAIL.

Once Sentenced to B&Hung, Now Free U: der \$5,000 Bonds.

DENVER, Feb. 6.—Dr. T. Thatcher Grave
who a little over a year, are year. DENVER, Feb. 6.—Dr. T. Thatcher Graves who a little over a year ago was convicted of poisoning Mrs. Josephine Barnaby of Providence and was sentenced to be hanged, but subsequently granted a new trial, was released from the penitent tary and came immediately to Denver. He came here for the purpose of furnishing bail pending a rehearing of his case. Upon his arrival the formality of furnishing bonds was gone through with, and the doctor was allowed his freedom. The amount of bail given was \$5,000. Dr. Graves is hale and hearty and does not show any traces of his long imprisonment. He retains his old time courtesy and pleasant manner. The doctor is of course happy at being free again, as there is no probability of his ever being tried the second time because of the great expense attached to the trial and the absence of witnesses.

TO TELEPHONE HANDWRITING.

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CHICAGO AND INAUGURATION RATES

Alaska Wants Home Rule.

SEATTLE, Wash., Feb. 4.—Late advices from Alaska are to the effect that the citizens of that territory are carnestly working for home rule. A convention will meet in Junsau this month to elect a delegate in Junsau this month to elect a delegate who will carry to Washington a petition asking the following legislation: A delegation in congress, home rule, modification of the present prohibitory law and a law by which the public lands may be taken up by actual settlers.

Major Pond's Daughter Seeks Divorce.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 7.—There was much surprise in theatrical and musical circles of this city when it became known that Edith Hand, nee Pond, daughter of Major J. B. Pond, the manager of lecturing tours, had begun suit in this city for an absolute divorce from her husband, Elmer E. Hand, Edith is a singer of ability and has a reputation in musical circles both in this city and New York.

New Jersey Repeaters.

JERSEY CITY, Feb. 4.—The argument in the Riddle-Hoffman contested senatorial election case from Atlantic county was continued before the senate committee. The evidence went to show that some men had voted in Philadelphia and Camden and then went to Atlantic City and voted there. The hearing will be continued at Trenton on Tuesday.

FRANKLIN, Pa., Feb. 4.—The reception tendered Governor Pattison and staff by General Wylie and staff of the Second Brigade, N. G. P., in this city last evening

Lamar's Successor Appointed.
WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—Howell E. Jackson of Tennessee was appointed by the president to be associate justice of the supreme court of the United States, vice L. Q. C. Lamar, deceased.

Hon. Joseph P. Comegys Dead.

Doyen, Del., Feb. 2.—Joseph P. Comgys, exchief justice of this state, died his residence. He was born near Doyer 1813.

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ANOTHER HOMESTEADER GUILTY.

Robert J. Beatty Found Guilty of Complicity In Poisoning.

CHICAGO AND INAUGURATION RATES

The Trunk Line Agents Establish High
Tariff For the Events of 1893.

New York, Feb. 4.—At a meeting of the
executive committee of the Trunk Line association it was agreed to sell tickets to and
from the World's fair at Chicago at a
20 per cent reduction from present rates,
with one stop over in each direction. It was
also agreed to sell unlimited tickets at the
fares now charged for limited tickets. This
arrangement will take effect April 15 and
continue until Oct. 30.

Rates to Mr. Cleveland's inauguration
at Washington will be made on a basis of
2 cents a mile each way.

Populist Senator From Nebraska.
Lincoln, Neb., Feb. 8.—Judge W. B. Allen, Populist, was elected United States senator today, receiving 70 votes, 4 more than necessary to a choice. The vote for Paddock, Republican, was 57. All the independents and Democrats voted for Allen. His election was then made unanimous.

Egyptian Affairs Serious.

LONDON, Feb. 4.—Lord Cromer, the British minister to Egypt, says that the condition of affairs in Egypt may compel the landing of all the British troops who have been ordered to that country.

BRIEFITEMS OF NEWS

INTERESTING HAPPENINGS OF THE WORLD FROM FAR AND NEAR.

the Week Caught Fresh From the Busy Wires and Carefully Edited and Con densed For Our Readers

Thursday, Feb. 2.
Stephen Decatur Johnston, the veteran hotel keeper of the Thousand Islands and proprietor of the Isaak Walton House, died of paralysis.

An explosion of firedamp occurred in the General von Blumenthal coal pit at Recklinghausen, Westphalia. Eighteen miners were killed instantly and 17 were injured.

Hon. George C. Shearer died at Watkins, N. Y., aged 75 years. In 1862 be was elected judge of Schuyler county and served one term.

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Miss Ethel Rogers and Miss Elizabeth Reeves, pupils of Linden Hall seminary, Lancaster, Pa., have died of diphtheria at that place.

A record of accidents in and around Boston caused by the electric street cars in 1892 shows that 10 persons were killed and 265 injured.

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In the Tennessee senate Tuesday a resolution advocating the amendment of the United States constitution so as to elect United States senators by direct vote of the people was adopted.

Ex-Governor Robinson of Massachusetts has been retained as counsel for Lizzie Borden.

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Maurice Moriarty of Ware, Mass., overseer of mason work on the Central Massachusetts railroad, was killed by a milk train at Weston. A colored man was killed at the same time.

The First National bank of Little Rock has failed for \$500,000.

George M. Pullman intends to present Chicago with a children's hospital.
Four negroes suspected of having killed two country merchants were lynched at Richlands, Va.

Powell, Partridge & Storer's brick and terra cotta works at Rocky Hill, N.J., were destroyed by fire.

It is said Mrs. Blaine and her sister, Gall

destroyed by fire.

It is said Mrs. Blaine and her sister, Gail Hamilton, intend to write the life of James G. Blaine.

Dr. Lancaster Drew, secretary and treasurer of the Central Savings Fund, Trust and Safe Deposit company, Philadelphia, has disappeared, and his accounts are said to be \$40,000 short.

At Xenia, O., a paper mill was completely destroyed by fire. Two hundred men are thrown out of employment.

TO TELEPHONE HANDWRITING.

A New Company Which Will Do Away, With the Telephone Girl.
CHICAGO, Feb. 2.—A new telephone company is chartered here with \$80,000,000 capital to work under the Harrison patent. The Harrison patent was some time again involved in a lawsnit with the Bell Telephone company. The case was hotly controlled the state of the Laws of

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Saturday, Feb. 4.

Ex-Secretary Thomas F. Bayard and Mrs. Bayard arrived at Niagara Falls and are quartered at the Prospect House.

At Schenectady Margaret Thurber, aged 32, and her 5-year-old daughter Josephine were fatally burned. The little girl's clothes caught fire, and the mother tried to extinguish them.

John McAdams of the firm of McAdams Brothers, Penn Yan, N. Y., was run over by the cars at Dresden last night, crushing both legs. He died this morning.

General John F. Ballier died at his residence in Fhiladelphia. He was born in Wurtemburg in 1815 and came to Philadelphia in 1839.

The president sent to the senate the nomination of J. Rice Winchell to be collector of customs for the district of New Haven.

John Cooper, the tramp indicted for the murder of George L. Cottle, a reputable citizen of Skancateles Junction, N. Y., was declared guilty of murder in the second degree.

Monday, Feb. 6.

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Dr. Horace Lathrop, a prominent physician of Cooperstown and a member of the State Medical society, has been stricken with apoplexy. It is feared that he will not recover.

Miss Sallie C. Koop, 28 years old, committed suicide in Brooklyn by taking chloroform, and then she fired four shots into her left breast. Miss Koop was the daughter of Herman II. Koop, a wealthy retired merchant, who died suddenly four years ago.

ago.

Judge L. C. Lincoln, a prominent attorney of Conway, Ark., is dead. He was a third cousin to ex-President Abraham Lin-

olm.

Dr. Spencer C. Devan, past assistant surgeon of the United States Marine hospital service, died at Philadelphia.

Stephen A. Walker, who was United States district attorney in New York in the latter part of President Cleveland's term and who was for seven successive terms president of the board of education, died of pneumonia.

Stephen Vanderpool, a wealth farmer living near Clyde, N. Y., cut his throat.

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Chancellor McGill granted a writ of ertor in the case of Wesley Warner, sentencetor in the case of Wesley Warner, sentencetor be hung at Mount Holly, N. J., on
March 15 for the marder of Lizzie Peak.
A train from New London on the Consolidated road struck a woman named Armstrong and her infant child at Shannock,
R. I., instantly killing the child and Injuring the woman so severely that she will
probably die. The woman became bewildered on the track. Bell's Telephone Patents Expiring.

ELIZABETH, N. J., Feb. 3.— The old Mucci
Telephone company, of which J. R. English
of this city is president, is about to revive
its charter and begin active operations here
and in other cities of this state. The Mucci
company had a regular system in operation
some years ago, but had to suspend business on account of infringing the Bell company's patents, which are now expiring.

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Sherman Weldon, a bachelor, 35 years old, was frozen to death on the road between Charleston and Rural Grove, N. Y. Charles W. Walworth, president of the New York Walworth Business college, is dead. He conducted commercial colleges in Utica, Philadelphia, Washington and Detroit.

Professor J. H. Worcester, Jr., D. D., professor of systematic theology at the Union Theological seminary, New York, died of heart failure.

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C. J. Hamilin of Buffalo sold the famous

Wednesday, Feb. 8.
C. J. Hamlin of Buffalo sold the famous pacer Jocko to A. E. Perren. Jocko has a record of 2:16% over a mile track. He is one of the Hal Pointer type and went a trial mile in 2:14.

Fell Into a Boiling Vat.

NEWARK, N. J., Feb. 7.—Peter Reilly, an employee of the Newark Licorice works, fell into a vat of boiling iscorice. He was frightfully scalded and died in a few hours.

Frank Madden, a Rochester bookkeeper, jumped from the Genesee river bridge to the river bed, a distance of 125 feet.

Augustus Jost, who shot his wife at their home at Glen Cove, N. Y., on Oct. 16 last, was convicted of murder in the second degree, and Judge Brown sentenced him to Sing Sing at hard labor for the remainder of his natural life.

C. BERNER

Largest Store

in town. Bargains are prevailing this week in all depart ments.

Ladies' Coats.

Newmarkets at half price. An \$8 coat for \$5. A \$10 coat for \$5; etc.

Special Bargains In Woolen Blankets.

Have them from 79 cents a

pair up.
Remember, men's gum boots,

Candee, \$2.25 Muffs, 40 cents up to any price you want. Ladies' woolen mitts, 2 pair

25 cents; worth 25 cents a pair. Some 50-cent dress goods at 25 cents.

All-wool plaid, which was 60 cents, now 39 cents.

Some Special Things In Furniture.

A good carpet-covered lounge,

A good bedstead, \$2.25. Fancy rocking chairs, \$3.50. Ingrain carpet for 25 cents a yard.

Groceries & Provisions.

Flour, \$2.15.
Chop, \$1.10 and \$1.15.
Bran, 50 cents.
Bologna, 8 cents.
Cheese, N. Y., 13 cents.
Tub butter, 28 cents
18 pounds sugar \$1.00.
5 pounds Lima beans, 25 cents.
5 pounds currants, 25 cents.
5 pounds raisins, 25 cents.
6 bars Lenox soap, 25 cents.
6 bars Octagon soap, 25 cents.
8 packages pearline, 10 cents. 3 packages pearline, 10 cents. Best coal oil, 12 cents. Vinegar, cider, 15 cents gal. Cider, 20 cents a gallon. Syrup, No. 1, 35 cents gal. No. 1 mince meat, 10 cents. 3 pounds macaroni 25 cents. 3 quarts beans. 25 cents 6 pourds oat meal, 25 cents.

FREELAND READY PAY.

J. C. Berner, Spot Cash.

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Dr. Benjamin S. Van Zile was found guilty by a Brooklyn jury of manslaughter in causing the death of Lillian Cook through malpractice.

Henry Kamm, a young man who figured prominently in the George manslaughter case at Leeds, N. Y., about two years ago, has been declared insane and taken to the Hudson River Insane hospital at Pough.

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