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OUR CIRCULATION.

For the information of advertisers and others who may be interested in knowing, we will state that the present circulation of THE TIMES is eighteen hundred and five (1805) copies,

CORNELIUS VANDERBILT died in New York on Thursday last. His death had been long expected, and had but little effect on the Stock market.

THE Grand Trunk Railroad in Canada has been having great trouble with a strike by the engineers. The strike began on Friday night, Dec., 29th, when trains were left and the passengers were compelled to seek a continuance of their journeys in such manner as they could. Even the mails were not permitted to be carried. The military had to be placed on duty to prevent destruction of property. The strike was ended on the 3rd inst., by the men taking what had been offered.

THESTATE LEGISLATURE is now in session. Both Houses organized on Tuesday last, and are strongly republi-

snow, but he took no heed, and then some one shouted to those near him to knock him down. He was shoved down, but rising instantly, turned his face toward the burning wreek, plunged into it and was lost. It was a case of utter frenzy.

Daniel McGuire, engineer of the leading locomotive, the Socrates, which broke loose from the train and escaped the fate of the other engine and cars, is the only unhurt man who saw the whole of the affair and under the most favorable circumstances. McGuire states, he felt the bridge give way when two car lengths from the bridge end; he felt it settle down. He had his hand on the throttle and pulled it wide open. The links connecting the engines were snapped by the sudden jerk ; the trucks of his water-tank did not clear and settled down, but the opening wide of the throttle saved the engine, and the trucks were pulled on. He ran up the track 100 yards and gave the alarm by repeated whistles and ringing of the bell. He saw the engine Columbia sink with the bridge and turn bottom upward. The express, baggage and passenger cars followed in a heap, the passenger cars landing on the express cars.

The engineer of the Columbia, says his engine turned bottom upward. He was thrown violently through the window of the cab, and was badly cut.--McGuire helped to pick him up, bruised and bleeding. His first words were, " Another Angola horror, Dan." Passenger train No. 8, with two engines, had passed safely over it about seven o'clock. His train struck the bridge at 7:32. He thinks frost and weather and the heavy trains snapped the bridge. At the time of the accident the storm was at its height. He could not see two carlengths ahead of his engine, and this rendered it next to impossible to give immediate assistance. Mr. McGuire thinks none would have escaped from the doomed train had not his engine been saved, thus enabling him to give the alarm. Had the Socrates gone over in the blinding, furious snow, no one would have known of the disaster, and the next train due at Ashtabula would have perhaps share the same fate and been thrown into the river. He has been in the service of the company since 1859, and never saw such a strom before.

Masked Burglars Captured.

On Thursday Superintendent Mc-Kenna of the Troy police, received information of an intended burglary on the premises of Mr. Boyle in East Schodack that same night. The Superintendent made preprations for the capture of the thieves. At 1:30 o'clock Friday morning a sleigh containing two persons was discerned approaching the house, and the officers disposed themselves so as to completely surprise the thieves. The two men came to the front door, which was locked, and, forcing it open, entered. The door swinging back covered the form of Superintendent Mc-Kenna and the burglars filed past in easy reach without perceiving him .--James Snyder led the way with an axe unlifted, and George Smith followed. By the time Smith had fairly entered the room, so as to render escape impossible, the five Trojans sprang from their places of concealment and demanded their surrender. McKenna's pistol levelled at the head . of Smith convinced him that resistance was impracticable, and he accordingly succumbed without remonstrance. Synder was not disposed to yield, and submitted only after a struggle. The ruffians captured, their sleigh was investigated, wherein were found all the appurtenances of the profession, masks, gags, robes, and various other burglarious implements. The prisoners were conveyed to Troy and locked up.

The Night-gowne they wear in Springfield.

The Springfield Republican says :- One of the luxuries of a bridal trousseau, made at one of our furnishing establishments, is a night robe, made in the form, and with all the elaborateness of a morning gown. The material is the sheerest linen lawn, cut in the princesse form and bordered with a straightway flounce, edged on both aldes with German lace. The sleeves are coat-shaped, and on the upper sides are made open by diagonal insertions of lace and wrought muslin. Upon the body, from the shoulder to the waist-line, is a similar arrangement of insertions and lace, simulating lapels. About the neck is a standing collarette formed of a full ruffle of lace, a broad insertion and a lace edge. In such diaphanous attire one might well be taken for Venus veiled by the morning mist.

A Novel Burglar Trap.

Two burglars were captured in a New York store on Sunday morning, in a neat manner, which suggests a very complete burglar alarm system. They had packed up \$30,000 worth of pearl buttons, and were astonished to find themselves confronted by policemen before they could remove their plunder. It seems that the pearl buttons were contained in boxes placed upon the counters on the first floor of the store, and by a mechanical arrangement a single ounce in weight of goods added to or withdrawn from the counters operated an alarm through wires connected with the under side of the tables, running through the legs and concealed by the flooring. The thieves were unconscious that their operations had been discovered until they heard the breaking of doors and glass below.

Grasshoppers Sown Broadcast by a Gale.

The Hamilton, Iowa, Freeman says: Going across a plowed field, just after the gale of Friday, our attention was at-tracted to something that had much the appearance of bran from corn-meal scattered over the ground. On examining a little more closely the substance proved to be grasshopper eggs and the material within which the are inclosed. The wind had unearthed them by the thousands and had scattered them far and wide. There are " millions" of them in every plowed field, but such treatment as they are getting will no doubt destroy their vitality.

A Good Winter Wife.

The Raleigh Sentinel says : A negro man has just applied to a Milton magistrate to know how to get his wife back. Milton is only separated from the Virginia, line by a small creek, and it seems the woman's brother had run her off from her husband and taken her across the creek. "How can I get her, boss, un what's de law in Virginny?" asked the negro. "The cheapest way," said the magistrate, " is to have no law about it; just go across the creek and overpower her and bring her home." "I'll sho do it, boss," said the negro; " a hard winter sett'n in, no wood and no nuffin; but dat gal weighs 200, and she gibs out heat like a stove, d'only time a wife's a comfort." He waded the creek with a steer whip in one hand and a long rope in the other.

brighter and fairer than all these, and eclipsing every lady present, shone Miss Julia Grant, Fred Grant's infant daughter, six months old, who assisted at the recep-tion in a robe of white French lawn with ace insertings over blue silk, blue ribbon bows down the back, gold necklace and bracelets with turquoise guard ring, &c.--This little lady monopolized the attantion of the guests and fairly threw her mama, aunt Nellie, and even grandmama Grant berself completely in the shade. Extensive preparations are already being

berself completely in the shade. Extensive proparations are already being made for the inauguration ball. It is pro-posed to construct a hall in the Northern Liberty Market building, for the purpose, by placing an iron floor just above the stalls, twenty-five feet from the ground floor, and if this project is carried out, it will give a hall three times as large as any other mean in the cits. Much perplayits other room in the city. Much perplexity and no little trouble has been experienced. and no little trouble has been experienced, in times past, concering the place of hold-ing these balls. At the time of Grant's first inauguration, the then unfinished north wing of the Treasury building was used and the jam was intolerable. Four years ago an immense frame building was erected for the purpose and subsequently removed. These every fourth year balls are getting to be considered by many as nuisances, there being in the gigantic joi-lity, no visible good either politically or socially.

socially. Both Houses of Congress were in session yesterday, and serious business attended to for the first time for nearly a fortnight. Little was done in the Senate besides the presentation and referring of numerous bills, petitions, &., of small interest to the general public. The House was without a quorum but before this fact was developed, Mr. Barnes, the telegraph operator at New Orleans was brought to the bar, but at the request of his counsel, was granted until Friday at 2 o'clock to make his answer.

There have been several meetings of the House committee on the electoral count and House committee on the electoral count and also of the Senate committee but no joint meeting as yet. It is understood that this committee are determined upon devising some plan for counting the electoral vote that will be so perfect and satisfactory as to need little if any consideration or revis-ion by Congress. It is to be hoped that their efforts will be successful. The case of the contested electoral vote of Oregon was considered yesterday by the Senate committee on Privileges and Elections. E. A. Cronin, the elector who received the highest number of votes on the Democratic ticket and to whom Gov.

the Democratic ticket and to whom Gov. Grover issued a certificate of Election, was Crover issued a certificate of Election, was called and examined and, afterwards, W. C. Turner, manager of the Western Tele-graph at Jacksonville, Oregon, was placed on the stand and closely questioned about his knowledge of certain dispatches being received at his office from New York rela-tion the stand and closely questioned about tive to the counting of the electoral vote and of the election in that State, but, firmly vote declining to answer, the committee went into private session to consider his contu-macy. M. M. W.

Miscellaneous News Items.

to The Sheriff of Tunica county, Ark., is accused not only of stealing public money, but of murder.

tor A sixty-year-old woman in Lees-burg, Ohio, dressed herself in a man's clothes, and committed a daring burglary.

CHATTANNOOGA, Tenn., January 1 .-The heaviest snow storm ever known here is now prevailing. The snow is eighteen inches deep, and the railroads are blocked.

13 Two men were killed by a snow slide in Little Cottonwood cannon, Utah, on Friday a week. Several hundred feet of the snow sheds on the Pacific railroad were demolished by the same avalanch.

A Cincinnati woman saw a boy slide into a sewer opening. She did not faint, or scream ; but she hastily took off her shawl, lowered it so that the lad could catch hold of one end, and in that way kept him afloat until assistance came.

"to the Sunday schools of America," sug-gesting that a penny collection be taken on Sunday, January 14, for the benefit of the childron of Mr. Blins, author of "Hold the Fort," and wife, who were among the Ashtabula victims.

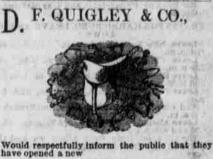
127 The election for Congressman in the Seventh New York district, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Smith Ely, Jr., on his accession to the Mayoralty, was held Mooday. David Dudly Field, the Tammany candidate, was elected over Goetz, the Republican candidate, by 3449 majority.

18,000 bail, at Pittsfield, Mass., to answer the charge of shipping giant powder over the charge of shipping giant powder over the Boston and Albany Railway. This is the first case under the State law passed in 1871, prohibiting the shipment of nitro-glycerine or similar explosives by rail. The defence claim that giant powder is not such an explosive. an explosive.

137" A Salt Lake dispatch states that a snowslide occured near Alta on December 28, which destroyed the Wellington Mine Boarding-house, and buried the inmates. Their loss was not discovered until Monday evening. Two men have been taken from the wreck in an exhausted condition. Four more persons were buried and rice supposed to be dead.

Supposed to be dead. (3) A short time ago Fred Huntzinger entered a cave near Elk Mound, Wis., and killed three lynx. The animals were smugly esconsed for the winfer. Farmers in that vicinity had several times tried to smoke them out of the den, but all efforts in that direction signally failed. Mr. Huntzinger boldly entered the place, revolver in hand, and by a series of well-directed shots, put an end to their career. He obtained \$21 bounty^{*} for the three scalps, and sold the hides for several dollars more.

137 Ou Friday night a week, while the blinding storm was at its height, John Ehoe of Elizabeth heard cries of distress Ence of Elizabeth heard cries of distrass near the sewing machine factory in Eliza-bethport. He distinctly heard some one cry "Save me! I'm lost !" but he could not tell from what direction the words came. He searched until he was benumbed by cold and bewildered by the anow and wind, and then went home. On Sunday the frozen body of Michael O'Neill was found near the factory, and almost within sight of his home. of his home.



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can, having a republican majority of 37 in the house and 12 in the senate-49 on joint ballot. Hon. John C. Newmyer, of Allegheny, was elected president pro tem. of the senate, receiving the full republican vote, the democrats voting for Harman Yerkes, of Bucks. Thomas B. Cochran, of Lancaster, was elected chief clerk, Lucius Rodgers, journal clerk and E. W. Smily, reading clerk. In the house Hon. E. Reed Myer of Bradford, was elected speaker, Dr. W. C. Shurlock of Beaver, chief clerk, John A. Smull of Dauphin, resident clerk and W. H. Bradley of Montour, reading elerk.

THE RAILROAD DISASTER near Ashtabula, O., turns out to be one of the most horrible railroad wreeks on record. It is not known positively how many passengers were on the train, but from all accounts there were probably one hundred and sixty at least. Of these only seven escaped injury, while the list of those known to be killed reaches the appalling number of over one hundred. Many, too, are burned up entirely, so that the total loss will never be known.

Many incidents occurred, which are recorded to show the terrible ordeal through which the unfortunate passengers went. One is that of a young lady who was fastened in the wrecked timbers up to her waist. Half a dozen stalwart men had responded to her appeal for help, but their joint efforts for some moments promised to be unavailing; the fire, that was rapidly advancing towards her, rendered her atmost frantic, and she screamed to the men to persist in their efforts to rescue her. She was finally dragged forth, her clothing from her waist down, and her shoes and stockings being torn from her, and in this way she waded, knee deep in snow, for nearly a half mile to a place of safety. Another incident was that of a man who had escaped from the wreck with his clothes all ablaze and | cific express.

Steamer Victoria Encounters Balls of Fire.

Steamer Victoria, at New York from Glassgow, reports violent gales until reaching Halifax; Dec. 18, during the height of the gale there appeared on the trunks, yards and stays large balls of fire or phosphorus, strung on the stays and yards at intervals of a foot or two, giving the ship the appearance of being decorated with Chinese lanterns, only more brilliant; they settled on the vessel like a shower of meteors, and disappeared almost as suddenly as they appeared, an occasional one dropping from the yards, bursting with a loud report. Capt. Hedderwick states that he has known no such weather for 11 years.

Sad Fate of a Newly Married Pair

CINCINNATI, Ohio, January 1.-The Enquirer's Springfield, Ohio, special says: Professor Henry G. Rodgers, principal of the high school of that city and wife, are believed to be among the lost at Ashtabula. Prof. Rodgers was married last Tuesday, went to Niagara, and expected to return to Springfield on Saturday night or Sunday morning. Not returning their friends made inquiry and learned that the newly married pair left Buffalo on the ill-fated Pa-

TA very singular and distressing accident occurred at Palmyra on the 20th, which resulted in the death of a little child of Mr. Hickman. It had been left on a bed by itself, and in trying to get off slid between the rail and footboard, the chin catching on the footboard while the body hung down .--When found it was entirely dead, having been strangled by its unatural position.

OUR WASHINGTON LETTER.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 4th, 1877. New Year's day was a disappointment to many of our citizens. The morning dawn-ed, gray and dismal; snow soon began to fall and before evening Washington saw the fiercest snow-storm that has visited this region for many years. From twelve to fifteen inches of snow fell before the next morning. Receptions and other festivities occurred as usual ; but, excepting those in the very highest classes of society, were thinly attended ; callers were few and the fair ladies were obliged to make the most of their prettily prepared entertainment by themselves. But the way Washing-tonians appreciate the snow! Sleighs, without horse or harness let for ten or fifteen dollars and hour, and such sleighs! Pedestrians, if they chaoce to be Northern-ers, enjoy the sleigh-riding as much as the participants themselves. The most numerous, among the various styles of ve-hicles to be seen, are those of willow, look-ing precisely like great clothes-baskets on runners. The bottoms of these grotesque af-fairs are filled with straw and so are those on the avenue. Old Crockery crates are placed upon rude sleds and this converted into a carriage for two, and even a hogshead, we saw the other day, hoisted upon runners and occupied by a commodity-sweeter than treacle-if we may judge by her rosy

cheeks and smiling face. The usual New Year's reception took place at the White House, and was, of course, fully attended. Foreign Ministers, Army and Navy officers and other notables shone in gold lace and bright buttons ; but

127 A building in West street, New York, occupied as a hotel by J. D. Gastray, was partially burned Tuesday morning and the occupants, who fortunately were few in number, narrowly escaped, most of them in their night clothing.

A Philadelphia policeman, convicted of murder, is to have a new trial because at the time of the deed, in the language of the Judge, "his reason had been torn up by the roots and judgement jostled from her throne."

177" It is understood at New Orleans that the military authorities have orders to transfer three million pounds of ordnance and ordnance stores from Baton Rouge to New York, including four hundred barrels of powder, guns, shot, shell, &c.

Thomas Driscoll, one of a party of workmen who were clearing snow from the tracks of the Pennsylvania Railroad in Jersey City Wednesday, was run over by an engine and his head severed completefrom his body so that they lay on opposite sides of tracks.

BENNINGTON, Vt., January 1.-A terri-ble wind storm here on Saturday caused damage amounting to \$25,000. The spire of the Baptist church was blown over and the greater portion of the knitting mill of A. B. Valentine was demolished by the falling of a large chimney.

City, on Wednesday, in a fit of jealousy, City, on wednesday, is a nit of jemousy, seized Martha Shuttle (colored), threw her across a stove and poured a kettle of boll-ing water over her body. He then beat her dreadfully, and again placed her on the stove. Her injuries, of course, are fatal. Hudson was arrested.

137" A milkman at Easton, while scoop-ig water from the Delaware into his cans, just before daylight the other morning, tumbled in and would have been drowned but for a policeman. It leaked out-the story-and his customers now understand why the lacteal fluid furnished them was so very thin.

A Spiritualist in Athens, Ga., has had the body of his little girl dug up to be examined for poison, on account of pre-tended messages from the spirit lard. Just before death she ate some red berries, which are supposed to be strong mineral poison. Several doctors have determined to make a thorough test, though the body is much decompos

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