

**A Perfect Fiend.**

Franz Scharnagel, of Newark, had a grudge against a fellow-workman in a brewery and the other night while his victim was asleep, he poured coal oil over him, and then set the saturated clothing on fire. The result was death, poor Stahl being horribly burned, while his fiendish tormentor looked on and thought it a good joke, and was so inclined to consider it when put on the witness stand before the coroner. A more revolting and cruel case of murder has not come under our notice for a long time, and it shows to what a depth of villainy a man may be capable of descending. Scharnagel seems to have had a penchant for exercising his cruel and barbarous proclivities upon his fellow-workmen, and in one instance dropped the elevator with a rush from the fifth story to the basement when two or three persons were on it, just for "the fun of the thing," when the probability was that they would either be killed or maimed for life. The

**A Sudden Wreck.**

In the last issue of the London Court Circular is narrated a queer social tragedy. Among the guests who were assembled at a dinner party was a lady of exquisite form, whose delicate plumpness was the theme of unusual admiration. To her was presented a small bunch of flowers by an admirer whose duty it was to escort her to dinner.

She gracefully accepted the gift, and in a thoughtless moment fastened it to her bosom with a pin searching, and far-reaching. By the time she reached the dinner table she was a mere wreck. The pin had perforated her bosom, not wisely, but too well, and that bosom was merely a part of the outer India-rubber woman which concealed the real residue from the gaze of deceived society.

Of course, there was nothing left for her to do but to faint, and she promptly did so. Her friends gathered her once exuberant charms into a narrow but compact bundle, and removed her to her carriage. And this, we are left to infer, is the way in which the beauty and fashion of England is constructed.

**Singular Burial.**

The Smyrna (Delaware) Times has some remarks on the death of a Mrs. Morris, who died at Smyrna Landing a short time since, and amongst other peculiar notions she gave directions concerning her burial. No sewers were allowed to go into the coffin; the lid was merely held in place by small nails stuck in holes bored for the purpose, to keep it from slipping off whilst being carried to the grave. And the grave, just deep enough to set the coffin cleverly beneath the surface of the ground, is on the premises, within twenty yards of the house, along the fence-row on the road to Rothwell's Landing, where it may soon be hid from sight by the tall weeds of the roadside, unless they be kept down by the hoe of the husband in his tillage of garden vegetables.

**A Wooden Watch.**

We were shown, by Enginer Matt Franklin, a wooden watch made by Victor Doriot, of Bristol. The case is made of Brier root, and the inside works, all except three of the wheels and the springs (which are metal), are of box-wood, while the face is made from a piece of the shoulder-blade of a cow which was run over and killed some time ago. It is an open-faced watch with a glass crystal, and is an elegant piece of workmanship, displaying great talent in the maker. It does not weigh more than an ounce. Matt says he has carried the watch a day or two, and it keeps as good time as any watch he ever carried.—Knoxville Chronicle.

**Thousands of Affidavits.**

Many having used "patent" and prepared medicines and failed in finding the relief promised, are thereby prejudiced against all medicines. Is this right? Would you condemn all physicians because one failed in giving the relief promised? Some go to California in search of gold, and after working hard for months and finding none, return home and say there is no gold there. Does that prove it? Many suffering with Catarrh and pulmonary affections have used the worthless preparations that crowd the market, and in their disappointment say there is no cure for Catarrh. Does that prove it? Does it not rather prove that they have failed to employ the proper remedy? There are thousands of people in the United States who can make an affidavit that Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy and Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery have effected their entire cure. Many had lost all sense of smell for months, and pieces of bone had repeatedly been removed from the nasal cavities.

About half-past one o'clock Tuesday morning, a widow in the rear of Charles Brook's residence, in Christian street, Philada. was jimmied open, and one of the burglars, candle in hand, proceeded up stairs.

A daughter of Mr. Brooks was awakened, and seeing the light made an outcry, whereupon the burglar seized her by the throat. A "pal" down stairs then gave a whistle and they both escaped. Mr. Brooks sprang a rattle, and five or six policemen responded, but the burglars were out of sight.

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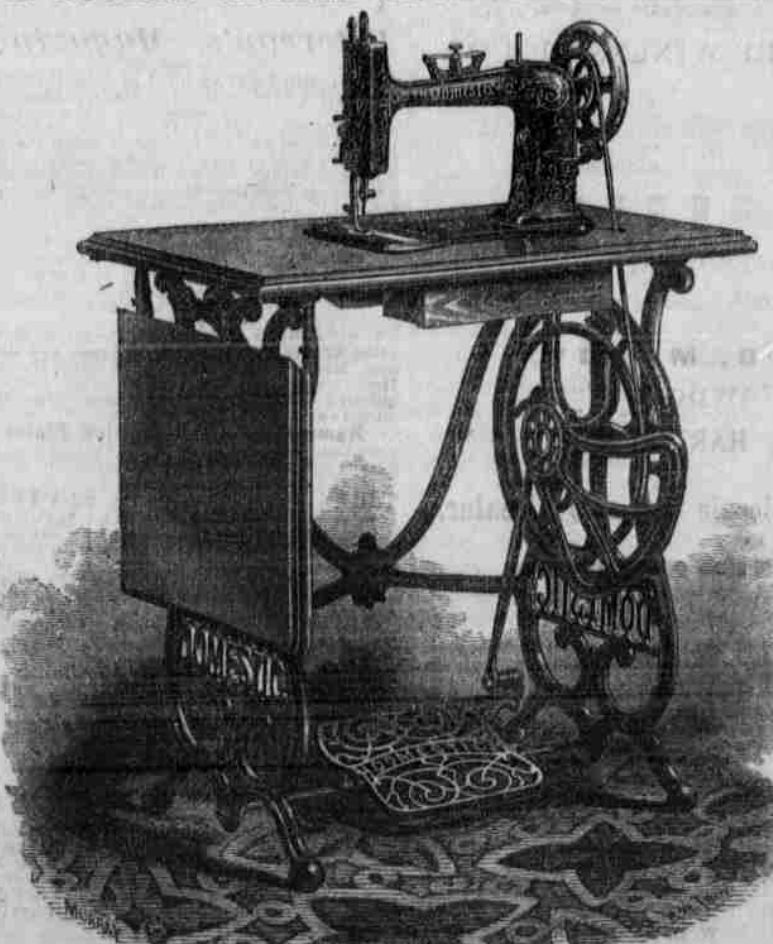
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**ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.**

Notice is hereby given that John Yohn of Carroll township, Perry county, Penn'a., by deed of voluntary deed of assignment has assigned all the estate, real and personal of the said John Yohn to A. M. Fleck, of Shermansdale, county and state aforesaid, in trust for the benefit of the creditors of the said John Yohn. All persons therefore indebted to the said John Yohn, will make payment to the said assignee, and those having claims or demands will file known the same without delay.

January 20, 1877. A. M. FLECK, Assignee.

**ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.**

NOTICE is hereby given that George Matchett and Leah M. Matchett, his wife, of Miller township, Perry county, have assigned their property and effects to the undersigned, of Wheelfield township, Perry county, for the benefit of creditors. All persons therefore indebted to said assignors are requested to make payment, and those having claims, will please present them duly authenticated to the undersigned for settlement without delay.

SOLOMON BIGHAM, Assignee, Lewis Potter, Atty. feb. 20

**ESTATE NOTICE.**—Notice is hereby given that Letters of Administration on the estate of Jacob Rice, late of Saville township, Perry county, deceased, have been granted to the subscribers residing in the same township. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims to present them duly authenticated for settlement to

CHARLOTTE N. RICE,  
JONATHAN RICE, Administrators.  
A. M. MARKEL, Attorney. February 13, 1877—6tpd

**ESTATE NOTICE.**—Notice is hereby given that Letters of Administration on the estate of John S. McElroy, late of New Buffalo borough, Perry Pa., deceased, have been granted to the undersigned residing in the same borough. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment and those having claims will present them duly authenticated for settlement to

JOHN BASKIN, Administrator.  
February 13, 1877. jpd

**INCORPORATION NOTICE.**

NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made at the April term of the Court of Quarter Sessions, for a decree incorporating the town of Blair and vicinity into a Borough, under the general borough laws of this State.

W. D. MESSERMAN, Sec. March 6th, 1877.

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