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A DISPATCH from Berlin dated on Thursday last, says Hon. Bayard Taylor, Minister from the U. S. at the German court, died at 4 o'clock this afternoon.

"JIM" KEEN is very rich, but is now in a fair way to get poorer. He claims to wish to benefit the farmer, and so has purchased and paid for three million bushels of wheat which he says he means to hold till it will bring him \$1 per bushel.

National Campmeeting to be Held in York County.

The National Association for the "Promotion of Holiness" recently held a meeting in Philadelphia, arranging the work for the ensuing year.

Deaths from Fires.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., December 10.—A 3-year old daughter of Mrs. Ellen Cronin was burned to death here to day.

ALLENTOWN, Pa., December 19.—At Trexler's, Pa., to-day the clothing of a child of Mrs. Minich took fire during her temporary absence.

COHOKS, N. Y., December 19.—At half-past 10 o'clock last evening a fire was discovered in the tenement No. 42 Bowers street, in the Fifth ward.

When a board of eminent physicians and chemists announced the discovery that by combining some well known valuable remedies, the most wonderful medicine was produced, which would cure a wide range of diseases.

ground. A defective alarm caused a delay in reaching the fire.

Murder in Franklin County.

On Tuesday a colored man named John Anderson and Sarah his wife, moved into a new log house at Wolfstown, a negro settlement near Chambersburg.

The murder was perpetrated about midnight. The charge of heavy shot from the musket tore open the abdomen of Anderson, allowing the bowels to protrude.

Joseph Lane (colored), another of the parties, was caught soon after the affair occurred, and held for a hearing.

Neatly Done.

A Boston paper tells the following:—"Are you the saleswoman of whom I bought the handkerchief of yesterday?"

"I am the sales-lady who served you, madam," responded the reduced empress in banged hair, long watch-chain and ringed fingers, who presided at the counter.

"Well," said the customer, "I will take a dozen more, and as I wish to get them to my washer-lady at once I will get you to send them to my carriage around the corner.

Jumped from a Train into the River.

EASTON, Pa., December 17.—On Monday evening a brakeman on an east-bound coal train on the Easton and Amboy road told the switch-tender at the east end of the Delaware bridge that a man had jumped from the train while it was on the bridge.

Costly Barks.

The Iowa Supreme Court has decided that a man is liable for the bark of his dog. The case was one in which a man's dog barked and frightened a team, whereupon the team ran away and broke the driver's leg.

The dog of Mr. William Lannon, a miner living at Clinton, Ind., ran in front of a locomotive. His master ran to the rescue and saved the dog, but lost his leg.

A Dealer in Counterfeit Money Convicted.

NEW YORK, Dec. 17.—Michael Conners, wholesale dealer in counterfeit National bank notes and trade dollars, was convicted in the United States circuit court this afternoon, and remanded for sentence.

Benefactors.

When a board of eminent physicians and chemists announced the discovery that by combining some well known valuable remedies, the most wonderful medicine was produced, which would cure a wide range of diseases.

Served Him Right.

Twice already had the marriage of a young doctor and a rich belle of Mount Sterling, Ill., been postponed, when the cards were issued for a grand wedding party.

Cooking a Tramp.

Near Freeport, Ill., a tramp entered a farm-house, and finding no one at home but the lady of the house, seated himself at the table, remarking in an insolent tone:

"I'm a rutabaga, and here's where I plant myself."

The lady, who was standing by the stove, picked up a dish-pan, about half full of boiling water, and dashed it over Mr. Tramp, remarking:

"We always cook ours before we eat them."

Miscellaneous News Items.

The Detroit News says: One of the State Grange members walked through an \$80 pane of plate glass at the new capitol yesterday. Never mind! He is of those whose motto is, "The farmer pays it all."

TAMAQUA, Dec. 20.—The body of Jack Kehoe, who was hanged at Pottsville on Wednesday, was brought here for burial this afternoon from Girardville. The funeral was largely attended.

The body of Christianna Herman, who was murdered at York, Pa., on the 7th inst., was exhumed Monday by the coroner. A bullet-hole through the head was discovered, and bones of the head were crushed.

Tuesday morning William Brown Sr., aged seventy-six years, a well known citizen of Rockdale, Delaware county, Pa., drank two ounces of tincture of aconite in mistake for whisky, and died immediately.

A San Francisco sausage-maker was convicted the other day of cruelty to cats. Evidence was given that he bought large numbers of cats and cut off their tails, but what became of the cats remains a mystery.

An Illinois justice's jury found a verdict, but the jurors refused to make it known till their fees were paid. The cash was not forthcoming, and as there was no way to force them to disclose their secret they were discharged.

It is said that an effort will be made in the Legislature of Illinois to secure the submission to the vote of the people of an amendment repealing the minority representation clause in the Constitution of the State as practically a failure.

Mr. Jacob Wertz, of Stonycreek twp., Cambria county, last week killed a 4-year old cow, and found in the center of its heart a bone one and a half inches long and about the thickness of a chicken bone. This is extremely strange.

In one of the Assembly districts of Wisconsin there was no choice at the November election, each candidate receiving 607 votes. A second election has just been held, and the Republican was elected, he receiving 773 votes to 740 for the Democratic candidate.

Mrs. B. S. Baker, of Columbus, Louisa county, Ia., lost her teeth, and supposing, of course, that two sets of teeth were all that nature would provide her with, got a false outfit. Now, to her surprise, her store teeth are being crowded out by new teeth. She is about 50 years of age.

Two residents of Hillville, Va., disputed about a young lady's age—one holding that she was twenty, the other that she was eighteen—and fought about it, one being killed. If they had only asked her they would have discovered that she will be seventeen next March.

A Columbus, Ohio, court has rendered a decision establishing the right of a girl to two \$50 bills which she found in old rags which she was sorting in a paper mill. The Supreme Court held that the purchasers of waste paper were not entitled to valuables found in it as against the finder.

The meeting of clergymen of the evangelical churches in Cleveland, Ohio, last week, endorsed the proposal lately made by Mr. Moody and the clergy of Baltimore, that a united effort be made by all the churches in the United States, in the month of January, following the week of prayer, toward a general religious revival throughout the land.

As the suspected Manhattan Bank robbers were taken from Jefferson Market Police Court in New York, a desperate attempt was made to rescue one of them, "Red Leary." Pistols were drawn, and but for the plucky resistance of the detect-

ives, the attempt would have succeeded. A man named Reilly was arrested for participation.

Nonvols, Va., December 17.—Moses Ford, a negro section hand working on the railroad near Franklin, was tried before a magistrate yesterday for stealing \$10. He was found guilty and sentenced to be whipped. After receiving the punishment he went to his mother's door and blew his brains out with a double barreled gun, discharging the second barrel before he succeeded in his purpose, the first shot having missed him.

At South Killingly, Conn., the other day, as Mrs. Gilbert Graves was going down the cellar stairs with a kettle of hot water in her hand, a step broke and she fell and was badly scalded and bruised. Mr. S. W. Franklin, a neighbor, hearing her cries, rushed to her assistance, tripped on the broken step and was seriously hurt internally, and then her son fell through the opening and hurt them both and himself.

Titusville has had a sensation in the corpse-raising line. The body of a young man buried in the cemetery at that place was resurrected in order to permit a photograph to be taken for the mother, who was unconsolable by reason of the death, and who wanted to preserve the features of her son. Although the remains were greatly decomposed, a successful photograph was taken.

CHAMBERSBURG, Dec. 20.—The police authorities have arrested Peter Swingler, the colored murderer, who shot John Anderson during a quarrel at a dance. He was found concealed under a bed in the house of Nelson Stewart, also colored. Swingler claims that he acted in self-defense. He was committed to jail for trial.

A. B. Sayre, who was convicted at Philadelphia several months since for murdering his wife in one of the Philadelphia churches, was respited Tuesday by Governor Hartranft, until the 14th of January, 1879, the day designated for the execution of Charles Sharpe and James McDonnell, the two Mollie Maguires, reprieved by the governor last Saturday.

Sayre's respite was granted by the governor in consequence of a legal muddle springing up, which has created no little sensation in the city of Philadelphia, and which, perhaps, has no parallel in this State.

HARRISBURG, Dec. 20.—Allen C. Larce, the Pennsylvania parricide, who escaped from the Insane Asylum some months ago, has been recaptured in Arkansas, and will be returned here at once. He killed his father and mother, and a man named Schurz, by poisoning them, at a place near Easton, Pa., in 1876. He was sentenced to be hanged for the crime, but was subsequently pronounced insane, and confined in the State hospital in this city, from which place he escaped.

A bad penny always returns, it is said, but one instance is recorded where a good silver half dollar returned to its possessor after a circulation of twenty years. A man living in Canton, Ohio, had in his possession about twenty-five years ago, a silver half dollar with the date 1822, and that being his natal year he cut his name on it and thought to retain it as a relic. But a few years after he paid it out by mistake, and for twenty years it took its course in the general circulation. A few days ago he sent his little daughter to a neighboring town on an errand, and upon her return she gave him some change, and with it was the identical half dollar with his name cut on it.

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snow white apron and cap, and gives us cordial welcome and information, showing us, amongst other things, that his refrigerator and larder are boxes adroitly arranged beneath the car. The tables are laid for two each, with dainty linen and the finest of glass and china. Our repast is Deimonian in its nature and style, consisting of soup, entrees, roast meats, and vegetables, followed by the conventional dessert and the essential French coffee.

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- 1 Catharine Miller et al vs. J. H. Irvine. 2 S. & W. C. Thompson vs. S. S. Charles. 3 Same vs. Same. 4 F. W. Gibson vs. D. M. Rinesmith. 5 Lucian Page vs. Israel Bitting. 6 Sponser, Junkin & Co., vs. F. W. Gibson. 7 Jacob Wentz et al vs. C. A. Adams et al. 8 Matilda Freeman vs. David Bowers. 9 Newport Building Association vs. J. R. Dunbar et ux. 10 John P. Lutz vs. Lazarus Blust. 11 Myers & Hano vs. Joseph Mayall. 12 Jacob W. Spangler vs. Bloomfield Borough. 13 Richard McConnell et al vs. Joseph Johnston, et al.

D. MICKEY, Proth'y. Prothonotary's Office, Bloomfield, Pa., December 17, 1878.

LIST OF JURORS FOR JANUARY TERM, 1879.

- GRAND JURORS. Millerstown—J. B. Lahr, Joseph Leiter. Spring—James Clearfield, Peter Bernheisel, Michael Foltz, Lewis Sweger. Liverpool T.—Elias Long, Levi Potter. Marysville—Z. F. Colyer. Sandy Hill—John Bernheisel, J. L. Evinger. Centre—David Treasler, Sol. Keeder, Jacob Young. Carroll—Henry Kitzer, Wilson Smeigh, Jno. Shearer, George Smiley. Duncannon—Theo. Miller. Jackson—William Owings. Tobyone—William Herrier. Bloomfield—John H. McKinzie. Sayville—S. J. Resinger. New Buffalo—J. O. Cumber.

TRAVELERS JURORS FOR JANUARY TERM, 1879.

- FIRST WEEK. Spring—W. R. Dum. Newport—A. F. Keim, Nelson Graham, Jno. Hartzell. Greenwood—Addison Uish, Michael Noll, Jonas Smith, Robert P. Cochran. Carroll—Keller Adams, W. T. Dewalt, Jacob Zeigler. Jackson—William M. Bower. Buffalo—I. E. Stephens, John Albright. Elye—Martin Souder, John E. Pierce, Wm. Leonard, Chas. Bersinger. Centre—Robert Moore, Abm. Clouser. Duncannon—Isalah Gamber, J. W. Young. Tuscarora—Isalah Campbell, T. S. Veltman. Marysville—Louis Bitting. Bloomfield—S. A. Peale, Edwin Clouser. Sayville—W. H. Boden. Penn—G. W. Wetzel, John H. Harper, Sam. Harris. Madison—Henry Trostle, Samuel Ernest. Oliver—Jacob Fleisher. Tobyone—F. H. Gutshall. Laidisburg—Wm. Burnett, Wm. H. Klee. New Buffalo—John McMorris.

TRAVELERS JURORS—SECOND WEEK.

- Centre—Andrew J. Clouser. Elye—W. W. Frymire, John Hippie. Newport—Arnold Wildie, James Wilson, J. V. Fikes. Wheeling—Isalah S. Holmes, Jos. Young. Greenwood—Ben. Crane, Lewis Mitchell, W. H. Rumbough. Marysville—Wm. Bangham, J. F. Mann. Sayville—John Roush. Tobyone—Josiah Eby. Carroll—A. H. Glenn. Miller—W. Hostetter, Josiah Bruner. Blain—James Magee. Sandy Hill—James S. Peck, Sam. Showers, Henry Kepner. Madison—Gresh Hench, D. Hohenstidt, Sr. Oliver—Jacob Linaeweaver. Liverpool T.—Jacob Arndt, Isaac Lutz. Penn—James White, Jr., Alex. White, Jr. Tyrone—H. C. Shearer, J. A. Stambaugh. Juniata—W. S. Blain.

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