## A ducer Case.

Mrn, Eng, of New Albany, Ind. ( 00 relation of Mrr. Eag of the late Siamene firm
of Chang and Eng), recently lout har turn band, aud temporarily put hin body in the eity vautl, till sho bonght a loti $A$ woek anorwari everything wan ready, and want.
ing to take another look at the late Mr. ing to take nuother look nt the late Mr. Sug, she had the coflin-lid unsorewed. It she deelares right up and down that it wasn't her husbaud's face that she saw. She told her danglter, who ania athe had
noticod the same thing, and reoognized the notioed the same thing, and reoognized the
Gace as that of Sam Boroff, a drunkard, who died hast nummer and was buried in the Potters' Field at Jeffersonville. Slie hired a cotored man who knew her husband lo dig up the body rgain, and he anya: "I
triew Mr Eng well. His hair was then know Mr Eng well. His hair was thick, whiskera. The head in that sotho is not Mr. Eug'a head. But I know whose bead it is. It is the head of Mr. Sam Borof: knew Mr. Boroff as well as I over know any man. The hair ou the head in the
coffin is only a nmall patection the back of the head, aud it in gruy, and tho whiskers are also gray." The body was buried again, and itio going to to dug up onco more, to prove that nome more of the res-

## Tremendous Explosion.

Two hounen on Pourteenth, Atrcet, be-
ween Eleventh and twelfth avenues, wero adly torn up hat evening by an explosion of gas accumminted betweon the hoors, belongn to Mr. Jolin B. Wesley, Mr, Hiles Jones had but a fow dayn provious noved into the eastern dwelling. It was yesterday being arranged and bad Just roceived a freah coat of varuish. During the
afernoon the gas was turned ou and it oon become evident the pipes bad not beea tried thoroughly. Mr. Wileg, the plumber, had Just been called in and he feotive pipe. A matoli was truek and demoment it was applied to a bole in the toor there wasa terrifo explosion and to whole room seemed to be enveloped in
hames. The gas lad escaped botween the lloors and mixing with the air formed an explosive.
Persous a
Persons a square off said the noise sound endeed miraculous that no oue was badly injored.-Altoona Tribune.

Wholesale Grave Robbery
Rtcrsond, Va., January 4.-It transrork eshuming dead bodies by the wholeale from Oak wood Cemetery, situated in he enstern sububs of this cily. It in known now that over forty bodies have
been stolen since the cold sot in, and it is apposed that they have beon shipped to medieal institutions in different portions of the country. Nearly all the exhamed orpses are supposed to be those of colored people, though several of them may have
beeu white. The attention of the Coun eeu white. The attention of the Coun-
il Committee on Cemeteries was called to his matter some time ago by the keeper Oakwood cemetry, but no hotion was taken to prevent the work of the ghouls. The affair creates great excitement among the people living in tho vieinity of the generally kuown it will creato the greatest indignation against the Council.

## A Surprised Darkey.

A Jersey negro was surprised the other rson by a photograph along a street of Patfrom the root struek a wooden frame canding in the third-story window and amo down. It struck, and knocked the and the frame fell around his neck. wasn't hurt, bat thought somebody was rying to rob him from behind, and tarned around and began to light the man walk-
ing nearest behind tim. It was some time before ho could be made to understand the
en Oa Christmas day Robert Mitehell, one of the foremost businuess men and capp-
italists of Cincinuzti, consisting of sons, daughters and grand children, twenty-six in all, for a christma. dinner. velope for cach member of the company Opeuling thene the astonisbed relative cound gifts or houses and lots and money rangivg from $\$ 50,0 \times 0$ down, and aggregating
faily half a million dollars, the buik of Mr. Mitellils eatate. Ha, the bulk of Mr. Mitchoirs eatato. His two nons and
two danghters received $\$ 50,060$ each; the daughters-in-law gifs of valuable real astate, and the grandehildree sums of mondistribution of property that has taken distribution of property that has taken
place in Cinelinati. Mr. Mitchell's desife was to keep the matter guiet, but the peculiar manner of distribution soon led to rumors which he found necessary to correct by givivg the eomplete atory.
es Two persons perisked by the burn
ing of Turoer ball in New York on Mon ing of

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