THE EVENING REGISTER.

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NEW HAVEN, THURSDAY, DEC. 12.

New Advertisements To-day.

Autograph Albums—At Coan's.
Don't Give Up—Dr. R. V. Pierce.
Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup—All druggists.
Local Notices—F. & L. Lyons.
Local Notices—41. A & C S Shaw.
Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York.
Notice—Olive Branch Lodge, No. 84, F. & A. M.
Rubber Christmas Goods—74 Church street.

Indications.

WASHINGTON, December 12.

For New England, clear or partly cloudy weather; local northwesterly winds, and higher pressure.

For Middle Atlantic states colder, clear or partly cloudy weather; westerly winds, veering to northerly, and higher pressure.

NEW HAVEN AND VICINITY.

Various Matters.

The police commissioners meet this evening.

Clerk Cables, of the city court, paid into the city treasury, for the month of October, his surplus receipts of $1,074.77.

An analysis of Schalk brothers' table beer has been made by Professor Moore of Newark, state chemist, and the result transmitted to New London parties. He finds 3.50 per cent. of alcohol.

During the holiday season, Malley's emporium will be kept open every evening until 9 o'clock, and on Saturday evening until 10 o'clock, such a course being rendered necessary by the throngs of customers that overrun his store to secure the bargains offered.

The new lodging room for tramps opened by the Associated Charities, in Artisan street, was visited and inspected yesterday afternoon by a party including Mayor-elect Bigelow, Chief Allen, Professor Francis Wayland, Hon. N. D. Sperry and others. The room has a bath room and twenty eight bunks.

The selectmen have recommended the following persons for licenses: Frank H. Lucas, 123 Union; George E. Somers, 104 Church; George Bassman for New England Bottling company, 89 Crown; Hemingway & Smith, 76 State; Henry J. Byrne, 173 Saltonstall avenue; Andrew Treitlein 34 Hoadle. Mrs. H. L. Spencer whose application has been rejected, petitions that the action of the board in her case be reversed.

Election of Officers.

At the annual convocation of Pulaski chapter No. 26, R. A. M., held at Masonic hall, Fair Haven, last evening, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

M. E. H. P.—Isaac Mallory.
E. King—Orton A. Rose.
E. Scribe—S. W. F. Andrews.
Treasurer—John T. Sloan.
Secretary—William H. Shannon.
C. of H.—Edward B. Knowles.
P. S.—Samuel Bauer.
R. A. C.—George Gale.
M. of 3d V.—John Wood.
M. of 2d V.—Joel H. Bradley.
M. of 1st V.—Lewis F. Dudley.
S. S.—John E. Bassett.
J. S.—Augustus R. Barnes.
Tyler—Ralph Warren.

The Late F. C. Dayton, Jr.

At a meeting of the employes at the carriage factory of Henry Hooker & Co., held December 11, 1878, the following resolutions were offered, and, after appropriate remarks by several of the workmen, were adopted:

WHEREAS, it has pleased divine Providence to call from earth our patron and friend F. C. Dayton, Jr., Esq., and as we deplore his loss as a benefactor, as well as an employer, we desire to express our heartfelt grief at this affliction to his family, to us and his numerous friends.

Resolved, That in the death of F. C. Dayton, Jr., we mourn the loss of our superintendent, whose sympathies were always in our behalf, whose genial disposition, hearty co-operation and upright and generous impulses always imparted a feeling of happiness to us in our work; and we tender to his bereaved family and friends that condolence which springs from our appreciation of the unselfish kindness which we have experienced at his hands.

Resolved, That we attend his funeral in a body as the last mark of respect to a man whom we loved on earth and whose memory we shall always cherish.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be respectfully conveyed to his family.

At the City Court.

In the city court this morning Peter A. Meeks, 192 State street; Max Thalheimer, 41 Temple street; John Schanzenback, corner of Goffe and Webster streets; John Donovan, corner of Orchard and Charles streets; James Painter, 87 Whalley avenue; and William Crowley, 455 State street, were arraigned by Prosecuting Agent Hugh Dailey, charged with actual sale during the month of November. The liquor in each case is whiskey. The cases were continued to next Wednesday, when Judge Peck will devote the day to the cases.

Matthew Pagan is one of the young men who thinks he has a right to beat his mother whenever she does not do as he wishes her to. His ideas in relation to this matter were somewhat changed when Judge Peck, after hearing that he had abused his mother, ordered him to pay a fine of $50 and costs and go to jail for three months. Judge Peck's wise course will tend to learn undutiful sons that their amusement of beating their mothers will have to be stopped.

The Charter Oak Life Cases.

The principal witness in the Charter Oak trial at Hartford yesterday, (Dec. 11) was Nelson Hollister, who was a director in the company and also treasurer of the Valley road, whose second mortgages the company held. He didn't seem to have a very clear recollection of the road's indebtedness to the company, though he signed the bonds as treasurer, but said he passed them over to Walkley, who was president of both corporations, and held never seen them since. He sold his stock—340 shares—to Furber for $115 a share, and got a check for something over $22,000, which was the balance due after Furber had assumed an indebtedness of his to the insurance company. There was a long examination as to the check, the state seeking to show that it was paid by the company's money. Hollister admitted that the body of it was written by S. H. White, secretary of the company; it was made by Furber, payable to White, and by the latter endorsed to the witness, who made it payable to William A. Stephens & Co. of New York, though he had not kept an account before with the Stephens' banking house. During the afternoon there was a long discussion on the admissibility of newspaper advertisements of the company's 1876 statement to show false representations, and the court reserved its decision. Then began the reading of Furber's ledger account with the company, but only a part of the debit side was got in when the court adjourned.

Amusements.

MR. KEESHIN'S BENEFIT.

One of the best minstrel performances ever given in this city was that of Duprez & Benedict's company at the Opera House, last evening, it being the benefit to Charles H. Keeshin, the advance agent. The company is a large one, and without a superior on the road. The program was new and without any weak points. Warfield makes one of the best "darkies" we have seen. Fox and Ward were exceedingly good in their songs and dances, the former proving himself a most expert handler of the tambourine. Towards the close of the performance a gold-headed ebony cane, suitably inscribed, was presented to Mr. Keeshin by Mr. Warfield in behalf of the troupe. A very large audience was present.

WALKS AND TALKS IN FRANCE AND ITALY.

The fourth lecture in the entertaining and instructive course now in progress at the First Methodist E. church, will be given this evening, on the above topic, by the pastor, the Rev. B. M. Adams. History, incident, humor, and a keen appreciation of the salient points of travel, pervaded by a cheerful religious tone, give these lectures a peculiar attraction and charm. The last of the course will be given next week.

DARWINISM ATTACKED.

We learn that Mr. R. W. Wright, well and favorably known to our citizens, will deliver a lecture some time next week, at the Athenæum, on the "Bible Genesis versus the Scientific Genesis," in which he will attack Darwinianism from a scientific standpoint, and show that the phenomenal facts of nature are more in harmony with the Bible genesis than the "Scientific genesis," so-called. The subject is one of deep and pervading interest in the public mind, and we have no doubt it will be ably handled by Mr. Wright. The time of the lecture will be public announced.

THE APOLLO CLUB CONCERT.

The first concert of the Apollo club given to its honorary members last evening was a brilliant success. The audience was a cultivated and appreciative one, and the house was well filled. The different numbers which fell to the club were given in a manner that showed some excellent voices, a fine appreciation of light and shade and the careful training to which they have been subjected. In the smooth and flowing passages the many voices blended at times with beautiful effect and some of the pianissimos were particularly noticeable. The full strength and power of the club was called into play at several points and the contrasts were marked and effective. The club is well balanced and is under excellent control. The program presented them in a variety of selections, varying from Schubert's 23d Psalm to Zollner's "Bill of Fare." "The Evening," by Lachner, brings out the second bases in a stately melody, while the jovial "Drinking song" by Benedict showed the club in all the vigor and power of male part song. Perhaps their best effort was the 23d Psalm by Shchubert, which was sung with fine effect, and which established the fact that the club is destined to be one of the best in the country. The songs of Mr. Love were given in a very chaste and cultivated style, and Mr. Manross's "I fear no foe" was a noble effort and received a hearty encore. The male quartette "Deserted" was finely rendered by Messrs. Love, Smith, Bushnell and Parmelee. It is a dainty composition and was daintily sung. The club were assisted by Dr. Damrosch, the leader of the famous Symphony concerts in New York, and his strong quartet, and it is unexceptionably to say that their performances were of the character which have won for them the wide reputation they have, and that they held the audience in wrapt attention. The 'cello playing of Mr. Werner was wonderful and was hardly second to the violin performance of Dr. Damrosch in the favor with which it was received. Altogether the concert was one to be remembered and we are glad to know that the club intend to form a permanent organization, and that we are likely to have more of these excellent entertainments as a result of their organized and disciplined effort. The plan, which is new in this city, does credit to those who have conceived and developed it, and should have the hearty support of all our citizens who love music of a high order, and who appreciate so intelligent and satisfactory a way of elevating the standard in our community.

MISS CAYVAN'S READINGS.

Miss Georgie E. Cayvan is to read at the Davenport church this evening, being assisted by H. R. Shelly, who will give an organ recital. Miss Cayvan read in Hartford last evening, and the *Courant* speaks of her as an artistic, intelligent and sympathetic reader, and says: "Miss Cayvan showed her admirable and varied gifts, perfect ease of manner, a delightful distinctness of enunciation, a voice always musical, and playing over a wide range and pitch, the middle register like a silver flute, and a fitting and winning dignity throughout.

AT THE CITY HALL.

The Estimates Approved by the Board of Aldermen.

The board of aldermen approved the estimates last evening and laid a nine-mill tax. Alderman Flannagan wanted a precinct station down town, and wanted $5,000 appropriated for the purpose. A petition for such a station was referred to the police commissioners, with instructions to report as soon as possible. Alderman Wright objected to the cutting down of the appropriation for the health department from $8,200 to $2,700. Alderman Baldwin thought the garbage contract a sham; the collector did not do the work.

David Lewis, Arthur Hinsh, Jeremiah Kennedy, Andrew Flanagan, Andrew J. Carpenter and Abram Krauss were appointed special constables.

Petitions were referred as follows:

The lamps on the corner of Nicoll and Canner streets and on Mechanic street; of Philip Roller for appointment as special constable; of C. C. Miller for $30 damages for the loss of a memorandum book taken from him by the police when he was arrested unlawfully, as the petitioner alleged, April 20, 1877, with a letter to the board of police commissioners from Mr. Miller concerning his loss.

Orders were passed as follows:

Granting James and Mary Hartery $125 and Mrs. Elisha Tibbets as compensation for injuries by being thrown from a carriage on West Chapel street, because the horse was frightened by the road roller; refusing from $10 to $15 a free fee for wholesale kerosene oil dealers; paying William H. Law, Jr., $75 for extra clerical services, for a curb on the east side of Haven street, the time for the completion of the work being extended to September 1; granting John E. Sturrup et ux. $250 for land damages.

The report of the completion of the sewer in Greene street, at a cost of $316.46, was referred for assessment.

Order raising a special committee to investigate the affairs of the Derby railroad was referred, in concurrence, to the next court of common council; the same course was taken with the report concerning repairs to the old State House.

Report with orders for walks on Chestnut street came from the board of councilmen passed. It was voted to adhere in concurrence to the next court of common council.

The veto of his honor upon the order directing what shall be presented in the Year Book (excluding the mayor's inaugural message) was read by title and tabled on motion of Colonel Wright.

Report of the investigating committee was taken up. Pending a vote on a motion to recommit, the board adjourned.

Military.

The new company of the First regiment, located at Windsor Locks, is called the Dexter Guard.

The new armory of the Putnam Phalanx, of Hartford, was dedicated last evening, the ceremonies being of an informal nature, consisting of dancing, sociability and a banquet. Governor Hubbard, Governor-elect Andrews, and a number of prominent civil and military gentlemen were present.

The Hartford City Guard is to be presented next week with an elegant testimonial prepared by the First Light Infantry of Providence, R. I., which contains the company pin of the two organizations and the state coat of arms of Connecticut and Rhode Island. The inscription is as follows: "From the First Light Infantry regiment of Providence, R. I., to the Hartford City Guard and Veteran City Guard of Hartford, Conn., in grateful recognition of generous hospitalities of soldierly welcome extended to them June 12 and 13, 1878."

Among the military guests at the encampment of the Connecticut brigade at Niantic, last summer, were Colonel H. C. Ward, and a number of officers of the Twenty-third regiment, N. G. S. N. Y. of Brooklyn, who were the guests of Colonel Barbour, of the First regiment. During their stay in camp, General Smith tendered Colonel Ward a review of the brigade which he accepted. In acknowledgement of this courtesy, the colonel tendered a review of his regiment to General Smith, which took place last Tuesday evening at the regimental armory in Brooklyn. There were present from Connecticut Brigade-General R. Smith, commanding the Connecticut National Guard; Lieut. Colonel L. L. Morgan, Major J. B. Clapp, Major C. E. Doty, Major S. C. Waldron, all of the brigade staff; Colonel L. A. Barbour and Major A. L. Goodrich of the First regiment; Colonel C. P. Graham and Major C. G. Lengel of the Second regiment; Colonel George S. Crofut and Adjutant Hubbell of the Fourth regiment. There was a review, dress parade and rifle match for a gold badge by the members of the team for 1878. After the ceremonies the Connecticut visitors were handsomely entertained by Major Barnes, a brother in-law of Colonel Barbour, at his residence. After this entertainment the visitors inspected the regiment's handsome armory and the company rooms, some of which are furnished in a luxurious manner.

Personal.

Gotleib Beck, who was so badly burned in the Barclay street bakery, is in a fair way to recover. The burns are on the forehead, face and legs, and are covered with flour and cotton batting.

Tom Carpenter, a well-known driver and trainer of fast trotting horses, died in Providence last Sunday. He once drove the famous trotting stallion Thomas Jefferson, owned in Hartford.

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Robert Hotchkiss of Derby got dead drunk yesterday and at the corner of Church and George streets fell out of his wagon, one wheel getting caught in the horse car track. He was picked up unconscious, but beyond a contusion on the side of the head was uninjured. He was taken to the lockup and kept until sober. His father died not long ago and his brother came into possession of a farm. Yesterday this brother lay dead at the homestead.

The funeral of the late Henry C. Davis occurred in Nashua, N. H., Tuesday, and was attended by Ariel Parish, superintendent of the schools of this city, George C. Burton of Washington school, Miss Sarah E. Tucker, who was assistant principal under Mr. Davis, and Mr. Loper of the Skinner school. Rev. R. P. Hibbard, of the East Congregational church, made an address, in which he said the ruling desire of Mr. Davis' life was expressed in the sentiment which he wrote in a friend's album: "Be useful. Usefulness is the coin that pays for happiness."

SCHENCK BEER AGAIN.

BUCKHOLZ'S SAMPLE INTOXICATING

Judge Peck Decides that a Beer Containing 9.86 Per Cent of Alcohol Must be an Intoxicant—Buckholz Fined $50 and Costs—He Appeals to the Superior Court

The case against Frederick Buckholz, charging him with the sale of spirituous and intoxicating liquors on November 6, which has been in the city court for over a month, was decided by Judge Peck this morning. His decision was as follows:

I think in the case of the state against Frederick Buckholz, charged with the sale of spirituous and intoxicating liquors on the 6th of November last, I am as well prepared to announced my decision at this time as I ever shall be. The information against the accused stands on the statute of the state concerning the sale of spirituous and intoxicating liquors, and that statute, as it stands on the books, reads:

"Any person, without a license therefor, who shall sell or exchange, or offer or expose for sale or exchange, any intoxicating liquor; and any person licensed to sell ale, lager beer, and Rhine wine, only, who shall keep, sell, or give away in the saloon, store, or room where he is so licensed, any other intoxicating liquor, shall be fined not less than fifty dollars, nor more than five hundred dollars, or imprisoned not more than six months, or both."

That is the penalty. It is not necessary to refer to the law as it stood between November 1st and December 5th, when it was voted that liquor dealers should be licensed, for every person in the community knows that no one was licensed between those dates. The The question is whether Mr. Buckholz, between those dates, sold intoxicating liquor. That is the sole question to be considered in this case. When the present case was brought, the attention of the court was directed to the statutes, which provides, under part 14 of chapter 1, relating to state chemists:

"One or more state chemists shall be appointed by the Governor, who shall hold office for two years, unless sooner removed by him."

Section 3d of the same chapter and part provides:

"When any prosecution shall be pending for manufacturing, selling, or keeping any intoxicating liquor, with intent to sell the same, and a sample of such liquor shall be presented in court, it may order such sample to be conveyed to a state chemist for analysis, and may adjourn the trial of such prosecution a reasonable time for such purpose."

In this case I deemed it proper to adjourn the court, and have one of the state chemists examine the sample of liquor alleged to have been bought of Buckholz. In order that there should be no mistake, I directed the chief of police to take the package containing the sample to Hartford, and there have it analyzed by Prof. Hall, one of the state chemists. The court was adjourned for ten days, a proper time, to await the result. The analysis was made by the proper officer appointed by the governor, and the sample was returned to this court with the analysis which had been ordered. On page 429 of the statutes of this state, section 22, it is provided

"Copies of record of any analysis of liquors made by a state chemist, certified by him, shall be legal evidence of the facts stated in such records."

In the course of the trial there was a constitutional proposition raised by the defense in relation to this statute, in accordance with the provision of section 9, article 1, of the declaration of rights in the constitution of the state, which reads as follows:

"In all criminal prosecutions the accused shall have a right to be heard by himself and by counsel; to demand the nature and cause of the accusation; to be confronted by the witnesses against him."

The present case was a criminal prosecution, and the court suggested to the state's attorney that it would be best to have the state chemist in the court so that the prisoner might be confronted by him. He came During the trial when the record of the state chemist was introduced, counsel for the defense raised a question as to the admissibility of the record of the state chemist, as testimony against the accused unless the defense was allowed to confront the state chemist in person. This question was considered by the court, and sustained as this or any other court, on matter how small or insignificant, should do. The court recognized that the statute objected to was unconstitutional. The trial then proceeded, the state chemist, Prof. Hall, appearing in person to testify to the results of his analysis. In the trial the testimony of Mr. Hall was at first objected to as he had no record of his appointment as state chemist at the time, and the court asked Professor Hall how long he had been engaged in the making of analyses. He testified that he had been doing such work for 17 years, and this establishing the fact that he was a qualified expert, the trial proceeded. Professor Hall afterward established the fact of his appointment as state chemist. He testified that he recognized the package containing the alleged intoxicating liquor purchased of Buckholz, had analyzed it and found it to contain 9.86 per cent. of alcohol.

The defense set up fraud, giving notice that they should do so, and claiming it later in the trial. It was a proper defense, if they could prove the contents of the bottle had been tampered with. This was not proven however. This court is not prepared to say that the state chemist, Professor Hall, committed any fraud in making an analysis of the contents of the bottle. In order to offset this very claim, the court ordered the bottle with its contents to be taken to the state chemist by the chief of police, after it had been delivered to be proper prosecuting officers provided by the state, by Ewing who purchased it. I do not think that Mr. Ewing did any fraud. He did not know when the liquor was delivered to the prosecuting agent what steps would be taken by this court in relation to the trial. He did not think far enough ahead to know that the court would order a chemical analysis of the contents of the bottle. I shall not find therefore, that either Professor Hall, Chief of Police Allen, or Mr. Ewing, committed any fraud, by adulterating or misrepresenting the contents of the bottle. That settles that par of the question.

Now comes the most important portion of the question that I am to decide; in fact, the all-important portion. The statute provides that ale, wine and lager beer are intoxicating liquors. Now comes the question as to a new beverage, and this is a portion over which I have spent much time and study and thought. We have, introduced by the defense, the clear, crystalized statements of one well-known as an expert, and whose statements are entitled to the highest belief—Professor Johnson; the candid and careful statements of Dr. Lindsley of the Yale Medical school, and also of Dr. Jewett of the same institution, who say that since the passage of the statute now on the books, a beer manufactured by the aid of chemical science which contains even less alcohol than the cider of Connecticut, which has, as a rule, 6 per cent. of alcohol. This really new beverage is one that may call for new legislative action. Then we have the testimony of that remarkable man, Mr. Fresenius, who is well known here, having been a brewer for twenty-six years, and a perfectly honest and upright man, who testified that no beer brewed could contain such an amount of alcohol as was found in this sample, and that it is not an intoxicating liquor. The testimony showed that from six to ten per cent. of alcohol was found in the cider made from the apples of Connecticut, and that the beer which is now made contains a smaller per centage of alcohol than this drink of our farmers. This fact was adduced, not only from testimony, but from the text-books that were laid before us. But despite this fact, we have the analysis of Prof. Hall, which shows 9.86 per cent. of alcohol in the sample under consideration.

Mr. Buckholz says that he has bought beer but one brewer in New York city, and that from the middle of the month of October last he had used but one kind of beer, and that beer containing but from 3 to 5 per cent. of alcohol. Nevertheless there is the analysis made by the state chemist and what ever the result of this analysis, no matter if it does seem to be wrong, I must abide by it and not find either Messrs. Hall, Allen or Ewing guilty of fraud. I must therefore find with this analysis, showing 9.86 per cent. of alcohol in the sample, that Mr. Buckholz did sell, on the 6th day of November, spirituous and intoxicating liquor, and I must therefore find him guilty and order him to pay a fine of $50 and the costs of prosecution.

After the decision Judge Bloodgood took occasion to say that he did not wish to be understood by the court or the public to intimate that the sample had been tampered with either by Professor Hall or Chief Allen as he did not make any such charges.

Mr. Buckholz appealed from the decision of the court, and the case goes up on an appeal, the $200 bonds necessary being furnished by Mr. David Strouse.

STATE CORRESPONDENCE.

Oxford,

December 11.—Monday we had the first snow storm that permitted the use of sleighs this winter, but the severe rain which followed on Tuesday not only made swift work of removing the [illegible] also made sad, havoc with roads [illegible] parts of town. It was one of the most violent rains that has been here in a number of years.

Rev. Mr. Colton, of Bethany, occupied the pulpit of the Episcopal church last Sunday, Rev. Mr. Torrence, the pastor, going to Bethany.

On Tuesday evening, December 17, the young people of the Congregational society give an entertainment in the Town hall, consisting of music, tableaux, readings and recitations. They are to be assisted by talented artists from out of town and no doubt an interesting time [illegible]d. A supper is to be served after the entertainment closes. The proceeds are for the benefit of the church. If stormy it will be held the next fair evening.

We wish to rectify the statement in last week's WEEKLY REGISTER, which appeared under the head of the correspondence from Oxford, in relation to the death and burial of George Stoddard, in order to vindicate ourselves and correct a misstatement. We did not write that part of the Oxford news, well knowing that Mr. Stoddard was not to be buried from the Congregational church, nor do we know the source from which the misinformation was obtained. We never intend to send any item for publication unless we have previously found out the reliability of the source from which the news comes.

State News.

In the superior court in Bridgeport December 11 a decree was granted in the foreclosure suit of the Bridgeport Savings bank against Charles Hough, Henry N. Beardsley and Alonzo Beardsley. The amount of the judgment is $27,000, with interest and costs. The property covered by the mortgage is in West Stratford. The respondents are given until April 1 to redeem.

The board of agents of the Bronson library, Waterbury, have been compelled to rescind their vote to change its location.

Eagle Rock chapel, in the Thomaston knife-shop village, was dedicated Sunday afternoon. The ground was given by the American Knife company, the frame of the building by Henry Reynolds, and by assistance of the people of Thomaston, the First Congregational church of Waterbury, the amount raised by the people of the village and the amount pledged, it was possible to dedicate the chapel free from debt. The cost was about $2,000.

THE COURTS.

Common Pleas—Judge Harrison.

A nonsuit has been granted in the case of Payne vs. Naugatuck, and the plaintiff will take the case to the superior court.

Common Pleas—Judge Peck.

The case of George and Elia Davidson of Newhallville vs. Enesa Gorham of Hamden, an action of replevin of a cow and calf, is on trial. The defendant claims that the animals were sold to him.

City Court—Judge Peck.

Frederick Buckholz, for violation of the license law, $50 fine, appealed under $300 bonds; John Schanzenback, William Crowley, Max Thalheimer, Peter A. Meeks, James Painter, John Donovan, breach of the license law, continued to December 18; Andrew Smith, drunk, $5 fine and $6.06 costs; fast driving, $5 fine and $6.06 costs; Matthew Pagan, assault on Ann Fagan, $50 fine, $6.06 costs, three months in jail.

JOHN LOVEJOY'S REVIVAL.

An Embezzler who Comes Back to Break Up a Wedding Party.

The yearning of the human heart for the possession of filthy lucre is so common that the recital of any ordinary "steal" is only interesting for a few days, and then is forgotten entirely. But history chronicles an act of this sort which has a rather romantic sequel. It appears that some six or seven years ago, an enterprising young treasury clerk, known to his friends and the department roll as John Lovejoy, vegetated in Washington, and made home happy for a charging wife and two small children. Not content to be known as his fathers were, he mounted the pedestal of hereditary fame, and took a desperate leap for notoriety, by constituting himself an appropriation committee of one, and pocketing about $1,000 of Uncle Sam's money, and immediately afterward vanished. Soon afterward a modern Izaak Walton fished out of the broad Potomac such portions of a human form divine as the fishes had left, and weeping friends identified the fragments as all that was mortal of John Lovejoy. It was, therefore, thus labeled, "sat on" and buried. The widow wept for the loved and lost, wore mourning and cared for her babes, while the government kindly charged up the $1,000 to profit and loss. Time passed, however, and the fair widow was comforted by the balm that heals all wounds, and was at length persuaded to wed. The guests were bidden and the wedding-cake made, to say nothing of the triumphs of the dressmaker and milliner, and the little cherubs were about to "adopt a pa," when, a few days since, a letter from Chicago, signed John Lovejoy, declares that individual to be still in the body, and likely to swoop down upon the pretty chickens and their dam and adopted sire at one fell swoop. Thus were the hopes of two fond hearts dashed to the ground, when a panacea was suggested in the form of a divorce suit, which is to be put on the stocks at once, and the direct result of this quasi resurrection is a divorce and trial of the identity of the man who was decently buried six years ago! Perhaps some doting mother yet waits for her boy, or some old sweetheart far away is murmuring, "he cometh not." At any rate, the story is a true one.—*Washington Post.*

How They Fixed Matters.

David and Jessie loved, but David was wild, and Jessie Hunt's parents naturally hesitated about trusting the daughter's happiness to Mr. Risley's wild young man.—or Widow Risley's, since he became the head of the Risley house died last August. The young man says, however, that when the event occurred he breed right up, his uncle set him up with a milk route, and, having proved his capacity to earn support for a family, he again sought Jessie's hand; they two having been playmates since childhood. It was in New York, about 151st street, we guess. David dragged Jessie around to Rev. Mr. Virgin's, and before the young thing could say her mind she put her own she had said it was another man's. Mr. Virgin didn't see anything unusual in the couple either; the girl never peeped, or made a dash; but when it was all over with she just went to her own minister, and the next morning a gory story appeared in the papers of how the albo-lactic youth had forced the marriage with dire threats of murder and a razor. David, for whom a raging brother sought with an armory of pistols, walked into court the next day, and wanted to know what was up. He says the razor story is a fabrication, and that the girl cried, and said: "Dave, I'll do anything you say. I'll go with you wherever you wish me. I'll get married now, if you wish it." So, what could Dave could do? As there is $30,000 waiting for Dave, we still hope for the best, and that Judge Kasmire will be able to make it all right for Dave and Jessie.—*Springfield Republican.*

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Black and Colored Silk and Satin Ribbons, in all widths, sold at popular prices at F. & L. Lyons'.

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Very fine Black All Wool Cashmeres, $1 goods, sold at 75c., at F. & L. Lyons'.

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A No. 1 first quality goods. Gave excellent satisfaction last season and warranted not to crack, only $3.50 at Cosgrove's. n26tf

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Mrs. Sarah A. Eliott,

authoress of "Mrs. Eliott's Housewife," Oxford, N. C., writes: "I was among the first that used the "London Hair Color Restorer" in this section, and recommended it to M. A. & C. A. Santos, Norfolk, Va., as the most beautiful hair dresser and preserver I had ever seen. I was advised by an eminent physician to use it. Since doing so it has proved so satisfactory in restoring and beautifying my hair, as well as strengthening my eyesight, that I have recommended it to the druggists here in Oxford, Raleigh, and a great many of my friends, and believe I have, from what others say, caused it to have a wide and extended sale, and deservedly so, as it certainly is the most cleanly and effective Hair Restorer now before the American people. The "London Hair Color Restorer" can be obtained at all the leading druggists, at 75 cents a bottle, or $4 for six bottles. Richardson & Co., wholesale agents.

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An Astonishing Fact.

A large proportion of the American people are troubled with the effects of Dyspepsia or disordered liver. The result of these diseases upon the masses of intelligent and valuable people is most alarming, making life actually a burden instead of a pleasant existence of enjoyment and usefulness, as it ought to be. Here is no good reason for this, if you will only throw aside prejudice and skepticism, take the advice of druggists and your friends, and try one bottle of Green's August Flower. Your speedy relief is certain. Millions of bottles of this medicine have been given away to try its virtues, with satisfactory results in every case. You can buy a sample bottle for 10 cents to try. Three doses will relieve the worst case. Positively sold by all druggists on the Western Continent. o2 eod&w

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An old physician, retired from practice, having had placed in his hand by an old East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy, for the speedy and permanent cure for consumption, bronchitis, catarrh, asthma, and all throat and lung affections, also a positive and radical cure for nervous debility and all nervous complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it known to his suffering fellows. Actuated by this motive, and a desire to relieve human suffering, I will send, free of charge, to all who desire it, this recipe, with full directions for preparing and using, in German, French, or English. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper, W. W. Sherar, 149 Powers' Block, Rochester, New York. d2 4w&w

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

STREET COMMITTEE MEETING.

THE Committee on Streets will meet FRIDAY EVENING, December 13th, 1878, at 7:30 o'clock, in Room No. 11, City Hall, to consider the following matters:

Edgar street—Petition for grading and curbing of walk on east side, between Putnam and Spring streets.

West Bridge—Recommendation of Board of Road Commissioners de extending of retaining walls.

Goffe street—Petition for curbing of walk on north side, from Orchard to County street.

Chapel street—Petition and Recommendation of Board of Road Commissioners de lamps, and protection of public travel.

James street—Petition for a concrete sidewalk on east side, from Chapel to River street, and on south side of River street, from James street, east.

Lloyd street—Petition for a crosswalk, across Saltonstall avenue and Lloyd street.

State street—Petition for curbing of walk and removal of encroachment, between Rock and Albert streets, on easterly side.

All persons interested in the above matters are hereby notified to appear and be heard without further notice.

Per order,
J. H. TUTTLE, Clerk.

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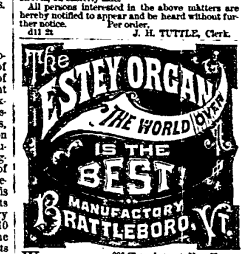

Warerooms, 836 Chapel street, New Haven. Hull's Block, Birmingham.

N. W. HINE, Agent.

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NOTICE.

NEW HAVEN, CONN., December 10, 1878.

THE annual meeting of the stockholders of the National Tradesmen's Bank, for the election of Directors for the ensuing year, will be held at their banking house, on TUESDAY, January 14th, 1879, between the hours of 10 a. m. to 12 m.

d11 ow&w GEO. A. BUTLER, Cashier.

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WE have shipments of Oranges: From Louisiana in bbls., to arrive here the 15th; from Florida in cases, to arrive here the 16th. The trade supplied on very liberal terms.

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As Good as there is Made, and Warranted in Every Respect.

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SITUATED in the village of Sandy Hook, town of Newtown, Conn., on the Housatonic Railroad, 19 miles from tide water. Said property has been used as a woolen mill, but is suitably arranged for any other business where water power never failing. Will be sold with or without machinery. For further inquire of

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House and Lot near Fair Haven for $350.

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$200 will buy a farm of about six acres good land—with close by a good house. Finely located in East Haven, overlooking the city.

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A valuable LOT on Irving Place—will be sold at a very low price for cash, your own offer.

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Also TWO LOFTS in building corner of State and Wooster streets. Very light and accessible. Central location. Rent very low.

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Corner State and Wooster streets.

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A HOUSE located on Grafton, near Atwater street, fitted for two families. Neighborhood excellent. Will rent for $3 and $7 per month. If taken by one party, at $14 per month. Lot is 40x150, with a good well and cistern carried into both stories. Apply to A. WHEELER,

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