DYNAMITE FOR POLICEMEN

Burglars Planted Explosives in a Safe They Had Failed to Enter.

An Expert Safe Opener, Roundsman and Detective Slightly Hurt by the Explosion.

THERE WAS NO MONEY TO GET.

A Patrolman Heard the First Charge Go Off, but Attributed the Sound to the Wind—Later He Found a Store Open and Locked the Door.

Burglars made an unsuccessful attempt to blow open the safe in the bottling store of George L. Bartholf & Co., at No. 2261 Second avenue, on Friday night. Dynamite was used.

Patrolman Weidecke, of the East One Hundred and Twenty-sixth Street Station, tried the door of the store shortly before 5 a. m. yesterday and found it open. He found that the lock had been removed. He went into the store and looked about, but noticed no evidence of burglary. Then he put a "police lock" on the door. The lock is made by nailing a cleat to the floor and placing a board against it and under the doorknob.

At 7 a. m., when Mr. Bartholf went to the store, he found the door fastened in such a way that he could not open it. He reported the matter to the police, and Roundsman Burke and Detective Meehan were sent to the store. The only way to open a door after a "police lock" has been put on it is to break it open, and this the policemen did. An investigation showed that an effort had been made to blow open the safe, which stood in a corner in the front of the store. As there are no blinds on the window it could easily have been seen from the street had it not been for a big canvas sign in front of the window.

The door of the safe was split and the sill under the door was badly sprung. The door had not been forced open. Mr. Bartholf sent for John Harrington, a safe expert, and he began work on the safe, to open it. Roundsman Burke and Detective Meehan stood near by.

The expert tapped the safe door sharply with a hammer, and a loud explosion followed. Part of the safe door was blown off, and Harrington, Burke and Meehan were knocked down by the concussion.

When the three slightly injured and very much surprised men regained their feet it was found that Harrington's left eye had been badly bruised and Burke's left hand had been cut and bruised. Meehan was not cut or bruised, but it took him a long time to recover from the shock he received.

The door was easily opened after the explosion. The interior mechanism of the safe was found badly wrecked, but the contents of the safe were intact. They consisted of books and papers, but there was not a cent of money.

It is supposed that the burglars made one attempt to blow the safe open and did not succeed. Then they placed some more dynamite in the safe, intending to make a second trial, but were frightened away before they could do so. When Harrington struck the safe door with the hammer he exploded the second charge of dynamite.

Widow Mary Bing, who lives over the store, says she heard the sound of an explosion about 1 a. m., but attributed it to the noise of the wind. Patrolman Weidecke says he heard the same noise and attributed it to the same cause.

This is the second attempt at safe blowing with dynamite in this precinct within a week. The other was successful. It was in a grocery store at One Hundred and Sixteenth street and Fifth avenue, and the burglars got about $80 and escaped.

EX-JUDGE MOORE DEAD.

Had Been Sick for Several Weeks and His Death Was Not Unexpected.

Henry A. Moore, ex-Judge of the County Court of Kings County, died yesterday morning at the Clarendon Hotel, Washington street, Brooklyn. His death had been expected for several weeks, his lungs and kidneys being in very bad condition.

Mr. Moore was a thorough Brooklynite, having been born there on March 3, 1826.

The Late Henry A. Moore.

For twenty-eight years Presiding Judge of the Court of General Sessions of Kings County. He died yesterday after a lingering illness.

After a public school education he entered the law office of Lott, Murphy & Vanderbilt, in Front street. In 1848 he was admitted to the Bar, and the following year General Duryea, the District-Attorney, selected him as his assistant. In that capacity he acquired the thorough knowledge of criminal law which placed him for years at the head of that branch of the profession in Brooklyn.

In 1845 he joined the old Volunteer Fire Department and became assistant foreman of Engine No. 17. In 1851 he was elected County Judge and held the office for four years, then the limit of the term. He married a Miss Elwell in 1852 and three sons were born to them.

Mr. Moore was again elected County Judge for six years in 1871, and for the three following terms of six years each he was re-elected to that office by both Democrats and Republicans. He served twenty-eight years as County Judge, being retired on December 31, on account of the age limit.

In addition to his extensive knowledge of criminal law he had a remarkable memory for criminals. He never failed to recognize an offender who had once been before him. He was, taken all in all, a merciful judge.

On Christmas Eve he was presented with a check for $10,000, voted to him by the Board of Supervisors for services during his term as Judge.

Mr. Moore was a stanch Democrat and when twenty-two years old was chairman of the Democratic General Committee. He was a member of the Brooklyn, Hamilton and Varuna clubs.

The funeral will take place on Monday from the Protestant Episcopal Church at Lafayette avenue and St. James's place.

LALOR'S MOTHER IN JAIL.

Police Think They Have Additional Evidence That She Is a Murderess.

Insured Her Son's Life, and Is Known to Have Quarrelled with Him Lately.

REARRESTED AND HELD WITHOUT BAIL

Her Daughter Explains Some Discrepancies as to Time in Mrs. Lalor's Statement and the Blood Stains on an Apron.

The District-Attorney, Coroner and police of Long Island City have narrowed down their suspects of the Lalor murder to two persons—Mrs. Minnie Lalor, the mother, and John Fleischauer, the intimate friend of the murdered man. The doings and whereabouts of all the others concerned at the time William Lalor was hacked to death have been accounted for to the satisfaction of the police.

Mrs. Minnie Lalor was the first to discover her murdered son's body, Thursday morning, in the house at No. 400 Jackson avenue. She says she found the body at 8:15 a. m., but it was after 11 a. m. before she notified the police. In the meantime she went to her daughter's house, according to the only story she has told so far. She fails utterly to account for the rest of the intervening time.

One of her aprons, with blood stains on it, was found Friday in the house of her daughter, Mrs. Anthony Fostell. On the strength of that Mrs. Lalor was arrested, but was subsequently released on bail by Judge Ingram.

She was rearrested yesterday because of new and important evidence secured by the detectives. The latter claim that this evidence not only strengthens the presumption that she committed the murder, but indicates the motive for the deed. She was committed without bail by Judge Ingram.

Fresh stains of white lead were found on Mrs. Lalor's apron, corresponding to the substance found on the back of the axe with which the horrible butchery was committed. A can of white lead was found in the house. This was taken by Coroner Strong. He submitted it, with the apron, to the chemist at Carnegie Laboratory, in this city, yesterday afternoon for a microscopic examination. On his return to Long Island City he had a private interview with Mrs. Lalor.

While Fleischauer is still detained in jail, the police do not incline to the belief that he was responsible for William Lalor's death. They seem to believe that Mrs. Minnie Lalor is the guilty one. Fleischauer slept with William Lalor on the night of January 1, or rather during the early morning hours of January 2. He says he arose early and left Lalor sleeping in the house at No. 400 Jackson avenue at 7:15 a. m. Thursday. He says further that he went direct to his place of business, at Carlton and Flushing avenues, Brooklyn, and arrived there shortly after 8.

The persons he worked with say it was after 9 a. m. when he arrived for work. The police said yesterday that this discrepancy is easily explained and that they are satisfied he got to the factory before 9 a. m.

Detective James Marston had an interview with Fleischauer in the jail. He is confident that Fleischauer knows something about the murder, although he is not believed to have committed it himself.

"I asked Fleischauer," said Detective Marston, "if Lalor had had any trouble with his mother. He told me that he had, and that several times recently she had ordered William out of the house. His mother had called him a nuisance, and said she was tired of having him around.

"I asked Fleischauer why she had taken out an insurance policy on William's life since the death of the father, six weeks ago, and he could not tell.

"Mrs. Lalor's interest was centred in her son-in-law, Fostell, who practically supported her. He is a car cleaner in the employ of the Long Island Railroad. He did not intend to work Thursday, and William Lalor had promised his mother to go down to the yard early that morning and report that fact. When she found him in bed it is likely that her temper got the better of her."

Such is the reasoning of the officials. Mrs. Fostell, Mrs. Lalor's daughter, made a statement yesterday which in a measure explains the lapse of time from the discovery of the murder to the notification of the police. She said:

"My mother feared that William had overslept, and went to awaken him. She returned in five or ten minutes and was very much excited, crying that some one had killed Willie. My husband dressed and went back with her to the house where Willie lay dead. Then they went to Fleischauer's house and came back to see me before going to the police. As to the bloodstains on my mother's apron, they were made when we killed a couple of chickens for dinner on New Year's Day."

Late yesterday afternoon Coroner Strong notified Judge Ingram to hold court this morning, when a hearing will be given to Mrs. Lalor on the charge of murdering her son.

The body of William Lalor was placed in a plain wooden casket by Undertaker Boch, of Greenpoint, yesterday afternoon. It was then taken to Calvary Cemetery, where it was interred. The Coroner's inquest will be held Tuesday.

Cause and Effect.

[St. Louis Globe-Democrat.]

The isolation of England, concerning which English journals have much to say in a pathetic vein, looks to a person outside like the natural result of a settled policy of absolute selfishness.

BERNHARDT HAS SET SAIL.

To Appear at Abbey's Theatre This Month, with a Company of Forty Artists.

She Will Be Seen in Characters New to Our Stage, but Made Famous by Her in Europe.

ATTRACTIONS FOR THIS WEEK.

John Drew in "The Bauble Shop" at Palmer's—Carmen's Wonderful Kisses to Be Continued at the Empire. Other Bills of All Sorts.

Mme. Sarah Bernhardt sailed yesterday from Havre on the steamship La Bretagne for this country. She comes here to play an engagement in this city at Abbey's Theatre, beginning January 20, and after five weeks will enter upon a tour of the principal cities throughout the country under the direction of Abbey, Schoeffel & Grau. She will be seen not only in the great classic and romantic roles with which her fame is associated, but in three or four great characters she has not heretofore been seen in in this country, and which have attracted considerable comment abroad.

Mme. Berhardt brings with her a company of forty artists, none of whom have been with her on her last visit to America. Great care has been exercised in its selection, as the repertory she will play is much more varied than any she has yet appeared in in this country. It is now over four years since Mme. Bernhardt was here, and in that interval she has travelled much, created a number of new parts and become the possessor and directrice of her own theatre, the Renaissance, in Paris. "Yzeyl," the play in which she will begin her engagement at Abbey's Theatre, was brought out at the Renaissance Theatre. In this Sarah was the central figure, and the play attracted much attention in the French capital.

Following is a list of the plays which Mme. Bernhardt will be seen in during her brief visit in this country: "Yzeyl," a work that has never been seen in this country; "La Tosca," "La Dame aux Camellias," "La Femme de Claude," "Magda" (Heimath), "Phedre," "L'Arlesienne" and "Gismonda," which will be played for the first time in French, and it is also probable that "La Duchesse Catharine," a play written by the great Sarah herself, will be produced here for the first time on any stage.

OLD PLAYS IN NEW PLACES.

Drew in "The Bauble Shop" at Palmer's. "The Masqueraders" at the Grand Opera House.

John Drew appears at Palmer's Theatre to-morrow night in "The Bauble Shop," which was such a success at the Empire last season. He will have the assistance of Maud Adams, whose hit as the toy-maker's daughter was second only to his own in the part of Lord Clivebrook. Others who shared in the original triumph and who will be seen to-morrow are Elsie De Wolfe, Agnes Miller, J. E. Dodson and Messrs. Byron, Harwood, Lamb and Allen. "The Masked Ball" will be played next week, and it will be followed by a new play in which Mr. Drew will appear for a short time.

One of the best of Henry Arthur Jones's plays is "The Masqueraders," which goes to the Grand Opera House this week. The kiss auction and card scenes always excite the greatest enthusiasm, while the story of the play itself is of intense interest. The spectacle of a man staking his wife and child on the turn of a card is a novel feature and never fails to win most marked approval. The various parts are taken by Forrest Robinson, Charles Bowson, Cecil York, J. C. Paget, Mabel Bert, Carrie Ewald, Lizzie Recheelle and Mae Fowler.

Sutton Vane's realistic melodrama, "The Cotton King," will be seen at the People's Theatre this week, a competent company interpreting the various parts. The play has been very successful not only in this but other cities. A prominent feature is the cotton mill scene, with machinery turning out cotton fabrics same as in reality. The story contains an interesting plot, in which love, romance and comedy are excellently blended. There have been many changes in the play, which has strengthened it materially.

There is to be a double attraction at the Harlem Opera House this week. In addition to "The Gay Parisians," the merry French farce, a new comedietta entitled "Too Happy by Half," will have its first American presentation. It will precede each performance of "The Gay Parisians," and Charles Wells, Elaine Erison and W. R. Shirley will appear in it. Odette Tyler and W. J. Ferguson remain with the French play and are the principal funmakers.

THESE BILLS UNCHANGED.

Running Attractions Which Enjoy Popular Favor and Warrant the Management in Continuing Them.

This is the last week of Olga Nethersole and her wonderful kisses in "Carmen" at the Empire. Her interpretation of the wild, passionate cigarette girl has been one of the dramatic sensations of the year.

Cheerful music and pretty girls are always attractive, and "An Artist's Model," at the Broadway, has both. Mr. Parkoa's laughing and Tribby songs have made decided hits. Marie Studholme, the English beauty, has won hosts of admirers.

"The Sporting Duchess" is entering upon its sixth month at the Academy of Music. It was one of the first plays produced in New York this season, and has outlived all others. The race scene is particularly realistic, and the cast, headed by Agnes Booth, J. H. Stoddart, E. J. Ratcliffe and Cora Tanner, is a guarantee of good acting.

Frank Daniels and his merry company repeat "The Wizard of the Nile" nightly at the Casino, with no sign of abatement in favor. Leonard Walker, the new member of the opera company, has made a success of his part.

"Ferdinand's Marriage Contract" has been one of the most successful plays yet produced at the Irving Place Theatre. The complications caused by the hero's love affair are extremely funny. On Friday night Schiller's drama, "Don Carlos; or, The Infant of Spain;" will be produced.

The cast of "The Strange Adventures of Miss Brown" will be changed to-morrow night, Robert E. Graham succeeding Mr. Sullivan in the dual role of Captain Courtenay and Miss Brown. Clara Lipman will succeed Ellen Berg as the schoolgirl bride. A new scene has been introduced, which adds materially to the fun. To-morrow a delegation of Elks, from this and adjacent cities, will see the play.

The Herald Square Theatre managers are preparing a handsome souvenir to mark the one hundredth performance of "The Heart of Maryland" a week from to-morrow. It seems to be a favorite play for theatre parties. This week 300 Marylanders will visit the theatre in a body.

The many novel features in "Northern Lights" have commanded more than usual attention, and its popularity is undiminished at the American Theatre. An Indian for a hero, and a scientist as a villain are extraordinary things in their way. There are many picturesque scenes, and patriotism is strongly appealed to in the drama.

The Empire City Quartet is a pleasing addition to "The County Fair," which is booming along merrily at the Star Theatre. The revival of Nell Burgess's play has met the popular fancy, and it promises to run for an indefinite length of time.

A cartoon group is the latest novelty at the Eden Musee. It represents Venezuela as a small boy, trying to escape from John Bull, while Uncle Sam obstructs his way with a copy of the Monroe doctrine in his hand. The facial expression of each figure is wonderfully natural. C. de Grimm designed the group, which is one of the best things yet seen in this house.

Amusement Notes.

Max O'Rell will begin a series of six tri-weekly lectures at the Lyceum Theatre to-morrow afternoon. "Little Foibles of John Bull" is the title of his first talk. His season will be followed by Sydney Woollett in a series of dramatic readings.

Next Monday Charles H. Hopper will appear at the Garden Theatre in "Chimmie Fadden," dramatized by E. W. Townsend and Augustus Thomas. The Bowery, with its variegated characters, will be the scene of the play.

Arrangements are being made for a tournament of athletic associations of the Seventh Regiment at the Ice Palace Skating Rink, Lexington avenue and One Hundred and Seventh street. Tuesday afternoon there will be a "professional matinee" on the ice.

Curtis Holcombe, the baritone, has a new musical specialty which is attracting great attention. Dressed as a soldier, he sings while on picket duty. Dozing, he is awakened by a noise, and falls before a volley of shots. The scenery accompanying his song is excellent.

"Twelfth Night" will be played at Daly's next Monday afternoon for the benefit of the Seton Sanitarium and Home for Convalescents. This institution is on the heights above Spuyten Duyvil Parkway, and its building is arranged for the advantage of persons in a curable stage of consumption, or convalescing after treatment in hospitals. It is managed by the Sisters of Charity, but patients are received without regard to creed or race. A few beds in it are endowed, but in the main it is sustained by the contributions of the charitable. The benefit to be given at Daly's is to supply the Sisters with a fund which will enable them to extend the advantages of the Sanitarium.

Throughout the coming week Mme. Marie Rauke, the reader, who has hitherto appeared at Carnegie Music Hall and the Waldorf, will give a series of subscription recitals at the Berkeley Lyceum. They are to be illustrated by specially designed colored stereopticon views. The recitals on Monday afternoon at 4 and on Wednesday morning at 11 will include stories, poems and ballads, notably "Lilliput Shakespeare—Romeo and Juliet" and "The Pied Piper of Hamelin." The recitals on Tuesday afternoon at 4 and on Friday morning at 11 will be sketches of travel, the first being on the subject of Balmoral Castle, the Queen's Highland home. The recitals on Friday afternoon at 4 and Saturday morning at 11 will be of especial interest to children, as they will concern stories, fairy tales and nursery rhymes—"Cinderella," "Mother Goose" and "David Copperfield" being the subjects. The course is under the patronage of Mrs. William Astor, Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt, Mrs. J. Townsend Burden, Mrs. Richard Irwin, Mrs. Elliot F. Shepard, Mrs. George Gould, Mrs. Butler Duncan, Mrs. Robert W. Taylor, Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt and numerous other ladies prominent in New York society.

Flynn & Sheridan's double show makes its initial appearance at Miner's Bowery Theatre to-morrow. There are twenty white and fifteen creole artists in the company, who give an interesting performance. The members include Mlle. Zittella, burlesque queen; Julietta Nelson, wire performer; Flatow, contortionist; Snyder and Buckley, Misses Dunn and Mack, Omenga and Gordon, Billy Farrell, Eaton and Weathers and a ballet of creole girls.

M. Guibal and Mlle. Orniitz, whose mystical act was such a great feature of the opening week at Imperial Music Hall, will return to that house to-morrow with new feats of hypnotic power. Delaur and Debrimont are among other attractions, including Mae Lowery, Van Auken, McPhee and Hill, in a triple bar act; Grevine and Murrie, McBride and Goodrich, George H. Wood, Charles Wayne and Lillie Laurel. "The Prisoner of Sunday" has made such a hit that it will be repeated indefinitely. New songs and jokes have been added. The Sunday night concert will be made a special object of interest.

In Brooklyn Theatres.

"A Modern Mephisto," Robert J. Donnelly's dramatic comedy, which has been successful in all the large cities, returns to-morrow night to the Grand Opera House, Brooklyn, where it was originally produced. Helene Mora is revealed as an actress as well as a singer in the role of a New Woman, and is credited with effective work in her new line of endeavor. A company of well-known players interpret the piece.

The Empire Theatre Stock Company will remain another week at the Columbia Theatre, presenting to-morrow night and for the entire six evenings and two matinees Haddon Chambers's modern drama, "John A'Dreams," which ran with great success for 100 nights at the Empire Theatre last season. The cast will include Henry Miller, William Faversham, J. E. Dodson, Robert Edeson, E. Y. Backus, J. Whitman, James Lee Finney, John Sorrentz, Viola Allen, Ida Conquest, Genevieve Reynolds, Ella Gail and others. The attraction for the week of January 13 will be Mlle. Jane May, in the musical pantomime, "Miss Pygmalion," last Winter's sensation in London and Paris, introduced to this country by Mr. Augustin Daly.

Mr. Chauncey Olcott, whose success for the past two seasons has been most flattering, will give his latest play, "The Irish Artist," a creation of Messrs. Augustus Pitou and George H. Jessop, at the Amphion Theatre. Both the star and the play are new, yet the triumphs of both have been recorded by the press from one end of the country to the other, and the general verdict is that his laurels were well won. Mr. Olcott is a tenor singer of rare powers and international fame.

Mr. Peter F. Dailey, the favorite comedian, will follow Seabrooke at the Park Theatre, where he will produce his latest farce comedy, "The Night Clerk," next week. Mr. Dailey is a comedian possessing a talent that gives him a field entirely his own, and each year makes him a more permanent fixture as a star attraction. His new play was written for him by Mr. John J. McNally, and the critics pronounce it the best comedy that has yet emanated from the pen of this very prolific author. Mr. Dailey is surrounded with a competent company, including that favorite character actress, Jennie Yeamans.

Croton Water Will Be Clear Soon.

Public Works Commissioner Charles H. T. Collis said yesterday that he had received numerous complaints during the past few days concerning the color and condition of the Croton water. To these complaints he has been answering that the trouble is owing to the fact that there has been a freshet in the Croton River, and that for the first time in ten months the water has been running over the dam. He is of the opinion that the water will be perfectly clear in two or three days.

A CALL TO BROOKLYN MEN.

Invited to Meet on Tuesday Evening to Discuss Greater New York.

The proposed legislation for the establishment of Greater New York will be considered at a meeting in Brooklyn called for Tuesday evening next by the issuance of the following letter, which was sent to residents of the city prominent in business and public affairs:

Dear Sirs—Governor Morton, in his annual message to the Legislature, has recommended that earnest and careful consideration be given to the subject of the proposed incorporation of a Greater New York, and several bills have been prepared for introduction in the Legislature having for the purpose the consolidation of the cities of New York and Brooklyn. In view of the fact that interests of the greatest importance to the city of Brooklyn and to all its citizens are involved in questions likely to be brought before the Legislature, you are respectfully requested to attend a meeting of a few citizens in the directors' room of the Art building, 174 Montague street, on Tuesday evening, January 7, at 8 o'clock. Very truly yours,

RICHARD S. STORRS,
CHARLES A. SCHIEREN,
CHARLES A. MOORE,
HENRY HENTZ.

Brooklyn, N. Y., January 3, 1896.

Among those invited to attend the conference are Benjamin D. Silliman, Alfred T. White, E. H. R. Lyman, Henry K. Sheldon, Henry W. Maxwell, the Hon. William J. Coombs, J. Rogers Maxwell, George A. Price, Adam Wheelock, Henry Sanger Snow, Robert D. Benedict, Isaac H. Cary, William H. H. Childs, David A. Boody, H. D. Atwater, General William C. Wallace, Richard P. Merritt, Jackson Wallace, Andrew D. Baird, William Dick, John H. Schumann, Millard F. Smith, the Hon. James D. Bell, George H. Southard, Edward M. Shepard, George Foster Peabody, William H. Nichols and William Augustus White.

HAD PLUNDER IN HIS BAG.

Brown, Arrested on Suspicion, Confessed He Was a Burglar.

Roundsman Doran, of the Thirteenth Precinct, Williamsburg, early yesterday morning arrested Edward Thomas Brown, a negro, twenty-four years old, of No. 84 Bartlett street, at Lewis and Vernon avenues on suspicion of burglary. Brown was carrying a bag across his shoulders which was found to contain silverware, a suit of clothes, two dresses and two cans of condensed milk, which were later found to have been taken from the apartments of Francis Fitzgerald, at No. 152 Atlantic avenue. The prisoner admitted the burglary and said he had been implicated in the burglary of Nixon C. Kerr's house, at No. 470 Bradford street, on New Year's Eve, when more than $200 worth of property had been stolen.

Brown told the police that he had disposed of his plunder at No. 791 Flushing avenue, which place is conducted by Louis Freund. A detective there found some of the property taken from Kerr's house. Freund was arrested, but denied that he knew that the property was stolen. Brown was held for the action of the Grand Jury and Freund in $1,000 for trial.

Blames Schieren for the "Cut."

In explaining the proposed reduction of wages on the De Kalb Avenue Railroad, Brooklyn, from $2.16 to $2 a day, the president, Colonel John N. Partridge, who is a prominent Republican, said:

"I regret to be forced to reduce wages. The company is not to blame. The reduction is due to Mayor Schieren's administration. Wherever possible he favored the elevated railroads, and they took advantage of his generosity to them. The result has been a falling off in our receipts from $3,000 to $5,000 a month. This condition of our affairs has driven us to the very disagreeable task of reducing the wages of our motormen and conductors. I hope that before long we may pay them the old rate."

Three Maimed in an Elevator.

Chicago, Ill., Jan. 4.—Late yesterday afternoon as a freight elevator in the store of B. Lowenthal & Co., at No. 515 Canal street, was being loaded by four men the ropes gave way and the elevator dropped fifty feet, carrying three of the men with it, fatally injuring two. P. Linde had three ribs broken and lived only an hour after being taken to the County Hospital. P. Shapiro was seriously wounded on the head. Sam Breit suffered internal injury and cannot live.

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$1.50 Silk and Wool Novelty Dress Goods, marked to.....$1.00 per yard
$1.25 Silk-Finish Henrietta, marked to.....59c. per yard
$2.75 Silk and Wool Novelty Dress Goods, marked to.....$1.25 per yard
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MR. WURSTER TIRED ALREADY.

Brooklyn's Mayor Sat for Hours Listening to Office Seekers.

Office-seekers swarmed like locusts around the City Hall, Brooklyn, yesterday, until Mayor Wurster began to regret that he had ever entered public life.

Register Granville W. Harmon raised his brawny hand toward the ceiling and declared that the safety of the country depended upon the reappointment of Police Commissioner Welles. Following came delegations representing five Republican clubs. Their leader spoke in eloquent terms of their choice for Police Commissioner, Emil J. Kaltenbach, of the Twenty-eighth Ward. Mr. Kaltenbach's friends were followed by a delegation headed by Charles F. Wehr, who protested against Mr. Kaltenbach's appointment. They intimated that if he were appointed ruin, disaster, chaos and several kinds of dire calamity would overwhelm the Republican party.

An East New York delegation trooped in and urged the Mayor to appoint Congressman Israel F. Fischer as Excise Commissioner. Mr. Fischer, they said, would sacrifice his place in Congress and accept a seat on the Excise Board.

Mr. Wurster listened patiently, but several times he gave evidence that he was suffering from that tired feeling. He said to one of his friends that no man had any idea as to how many famous men there were on earth until he was elected Mayor of a big city.

CUT SHORT THE HONEYMOON.

Louisa Albert's Father Had Her Young Husband Arrested.

Albion Collender, of No. 99 Grand street, Williamsburg, and Paul Jaeger, his boarder, nineteen years old, were arraigned yesterday before Justice Laimbeer, in the Ewen Street Police Court, charged with abduction. A month ago pretty Louisa Albert, fifteen years old, who lived with her parents at No. 1 Broome street, Greenpoint, disappeared, and took refuge with Collender and his wife. Jaeger, the boarder, at once began to make love to her, and it is charged that at the suggestion of Collender the two were married at the residence of Rev. Mr. Walenta, No. 396 Graham avenue, Williamsburg, on Monday last.

When Louisa's father learned her whereabouts and of her marriage to Jaeger, he secured warrants for both Collender's and Jaeger's arrest. Justice Laimbeer held both men for trial, and the young bride was turned over to the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children.

GLEASON NAMES HIS MEN

He Appoints a New Police Board and Says Chief Woods Must Wake Up.

Mayor Gleason had a busy time of it in Long Island City yesterday. He announced the appointment of three important Boards as soon as he reached his office. The new Police Board consists of William Fitzgibbons, John Grady and John Lawlor. The Commissioners met and organized last night by making William Fitzgibbons president. The Mayor says Chief of Police Woods is not to be removed at present. "We will wake him out of his Rip Van Winkle sleep," says he, "and make him attend to business."

The three new Excise Commissioners appointed are James W. Greer, John Hipple and Peter Bagley. The first named is a Republican-Prohibitionist. He was chosen in accordance with Mayor Gleason's announced policy to reduce the number of saloons and increase the cost of licenses in Long Island City.

The Board of Education, as appointed by Mayor Gleason, consists of John Pohley, First Ward; Francis McNena, Second Ward; John O'Day, Third Ward; William McMahon, Fourth Ward, and Cornelius Jordan, Fifth Ward.

Dr. Henry Batterman, who was appointed Register of Vital Statistics by the old Sandford Board of Health, had another encounter with the new administration yesterday morning. He had been ordered to keep out of the department, but ignored the order and got into trouble in consequence. Mayor Gleason saw him leaving the office yesterday, and commanded Policeman Bushman to arrest him and search him for any papers belonging to the Health Department. The policeman took Dr. Batterman into the Mayor's office and searched him there. Several documents and records of the department were taken from him. The Mayor then ordered him again to keep out of the office, except as a private citizen, and to keep his hands off the mail of the department. Dr. Batterman's first official trouble was on the morning of New Year's Day, when he was refused admission to the City Hall.

Mayor Gleason's correspondence is so large that he has engaged an amanuensis, and the young lady began her work yesterday.

Publishing House Changes Hands.

A change of ownership of the Fowler & Wells Co., the well-known New York phrenologists and publishers, controlled by the Fowler family for sixty years, has just been announced. The controlling stock has been purchased by the editor of the Phrenological Journal, Dr. Edgar C. Beall, and Colonel Nathan Ward Fitz-Gerald, late of West Virginia. Colonel Fitz-Gerald is a lawyer and journalist by profession, and will be remembered as the Populist candidate for Congress against Professor Wilson. Dr. Beall stands at the head of his profession.