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DAILY HOME NEWS

WEATHER. Snow to-night; Friday fair. Temp. at noon, 36.

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BLIZZARD BIDS TEDDY GOOD-BYE

Storm Prevents Outdoor Ceremonies---Washington Isolated---Communications Opened in the Afternoon by Way of Cincinnati.

To reach the White House once it seemed
That Teddy's chance was tenuous,
But Fortune's smile upon him beamed,
And Teddy's rule was strenuous.

Now wires are down, and ticker still,
And while with breath that's bated.
We long for news of Ted and Will,
We hear they're icy-lated.

For that's the way we bid goodby,
To Theodore, our Wizard,
Who entered with a soothing sigh,
And left upon a blizzard.

(Special Despatch to the Home News)

NEW YORK, March 4.—Up to noon there had been no communication with Washington, which was isolated by the blizzard of last night, which tore down wires and poles everywhere.

All forenoon efforts were made in every way to reach Washington by telegraph, long distance telephone and wireless, but all failed. Washington was as completely isolated as if it were beleaguered by a hostile army.

It was presumed that the regular program was being carried out at Washington. This was as follows:

Ten o'clock—Presidential party goes to capitol.

Eleven—Inaugural ceremonies begin.

Noon—Vice-President takes oath of office.

One p. m.—President takes oath.

One-thirty—Parade starts, review by President, lasts till five-thirty.

Telegraphic communication with Washington was at last established by way of Philadelphia, which had received dispatches from Cincinnati.

These dispatches said that the storm in Washington had been so severe that most of the outdoor features of the inaugural ceremonies had to be declared off on account of the snow and wind.

The blizzard started here at midnight and raged through the morning hours. There is deep snow, and traffic is held up, trains delayed and maritime traffic paralyzed. The biggest street cleaning force of the winter is at work.

OYSTER BAY, March 4.—The people of this place plan to meet Mr. Roosevelt and family to-night despite the blizzard. All the brass bands in Nassau county have been engaged for the occasion. There is a bad storm of snow and wind to-day. Sagamore Hill has been opened.

DISPENSARY IS STARTED

The Visiting Nurses' Association has supplied a long felt want in this city—that of a dispensary. The Association opened the place this noon in the old offices of Dr. E. Irving Cronk, Schureman street, and will have the office open, in charge of Miss Overholser, the visiting nurse, every day from twelve to one o'clock.

The front room will be used as a reception room for patients and the inner room has been fitted up with everything that will be needed in the treatment of burns, bruises, abscess, skin diseases, etc. The nurse has a good supply of every kind of bandage needed, medicated cotton, lotions, in fact everything needed in an up-to-date dispensary.

All the pupils of the school in need of treatment will be sent to the dispensary, patients of the city physician, also patients in poor circumstances that the physicians of the city will send.

Miss Overholser is very enthusiastic over the dispensary.

JAILED FOR EMBEZZLEMENT

William F. Acker, a driver on one of Conrad Sebolt's furniture vans was committed to jail to-day by Justice C. W. Seaman, on a charge of embezzlement preferred by Mr. Sebolt.

Mr. Sebolt's charge is that Acker took a load of furniture to Newark, and was to collect $40 for it. He turned in $1.50, Mr. Sebolt alleges, and said he lost the other $38.50.

Mr. Sebolt wasn't satisfied with the explanation so he made the embezzlement charge.

INCORPORATION OF BAPTIST SOCIETY.

Papers were filed in the County Clerk's office this afternoon for the incorporation of the St. John's, "The Baptist" Benevolent Society, of Perth Amboy.

GREAT BARGAIN.

Horses and Harness, single and double heavy and light buggy, runabouts, spring wagons, ships, blankets, hay rack, mowing machine, hay rake, Planet Jr. cultivator, drag harrow. All good as new. On Sale at City Hotel Stables at Great Reduction. ALVIN A. HASTINGS, Trustee. f. 27-1w*

ABE JELIN SUES RAHWAY

Abraham Jelin, contractor, of this city, has brought suit, through Senator G. S. Silzer, against the city of Rahway to recover $600 he claims to be due on a contract for macadamizing Campbell and Cherry streets of that city.

The contract was given in 1907. Between the time of giving the contract and the time of completing the contract there was a change of government in Rahway and the new regime objected to some extras in Jelin's bill.

DEMOCRAT ON MONEY MUDDLE

Senator Silzer Explains the Financial Situation of the State and Suggests the Only Practicable Remedy.

The peculiar financial muddle in which the legislators are floundering at Trenton has aroused so much interest throughout the State that a brief explanation of the present situation is of interest.

Senator Silzer, who has devoted much time and thought to the problems, was asked to-day to give his opinion of the matter. He consented to do so and makes clear in his interview several important points.

"What do you think of the report of the Financial Investigating Committee, Senator?" he was asked.

"There are two points that stand out most strongly in that report," was the reply.

"First, that nearly half a million dollars is taken away from the public schools, and

"Second, there is no permanent solution of our present difficulties.

"Of the $471,000 taken away from the schools, at least $240,000 will be permanent and will be taken away each year. This is something well worthy of consideration, as there is a strong senti-

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BLIZZARD CAUSES HAVOC

(Special Despatch to the Home News.)

NEW YORK, March 4—The storm here this morning was of phenomenal nature, and was accompanied by thunder and lightning, which terrorized the residents of the city.

An unknown schooner went ashore off Spectacle Island, near Boston. The life savers were driven back by the storm.

The four masted schooner Miles Merry is being pounded to pieces near Eastport, Long Island. Captain Farrow and the crew of twenty-two were rescued.

A steam lighter went ashore off Coney Island last night while the blizzard was at its height. The crew of ten men were rescued by life savers, but the boat went to pieces.

The coal barge George Bates was swept away by the storm and the captain and Mrs. William Ferguson were drowned.

SHORT COURSE PUPILS TO BANQUET

Will Enjoy a Dinner at Schussler's To-Night—Dr. E. B. Voorhees to Be Toastmaster.

The faculty and members of the Short Course College will enjoy a banquet to-night at Schusslers. Covers will be laid for ninety. Dr. Edward B. Voorhees, Director of the New Jersey Experiment Station, will be toastmaster.

To-morrow afternoon the graduating exercises of the class will be held at the Short Course Building.

JUDGMENTS IN THE DISTRICT COURT.

The following judgments for plaintiffs in contract cases were granted in the District Court this morning:

Max Ams vs. Henry Holthausen, $9.80 and costs.

John Taylor vs. Henry C. Drost, $27.35 and costs.

H. G. Miles & Co. vs. Henry C. Drost, $38.41 and costs.

M. J. Beck Co. vs. Henry Holthausen, $3.95 and costs.

John Egan vs. Bridget and Henry Webber, $85.37 and costs.

S. M. Hess & Bros. vs. Antonia Szelezesky, administratrix, $25.50 and costs.

HORSE THIEVES GO TO TRENTON IN CHAINS.

William and James Howard, the colored boys caught here Tuesday night with a horse and rig they confessed to taking from a hotel stable near Trenton, were taken to the Mercer county jail this morning by Detective Sergeant Lofgrim of the Trenton police. The boys were taken from the local lock-up shackled together.

Charles Tindell, owner of the rig, also came here this morning and drove it back home.

SELLING OUT TALKING MACHINES AND SHEET MUSIC.

The building having been sold we are compelled to close our COLUMBIA MUSIC HOUSE, 374 George street, and now offer entire stock of sheet music for 12 1-2 cents a copy. We will also sell talking machines, cabinets, horns, record cases, musical instruments, music rolls and our entire stock of other goods at greatly reduced prices for cash only. Counters, show cases, National cash register and other fixtures for sale. New piano $165.00 cash. Call early to secure best bargains. COLUMBIA MUSIC HOUSE, 374 George street. mr4-tf

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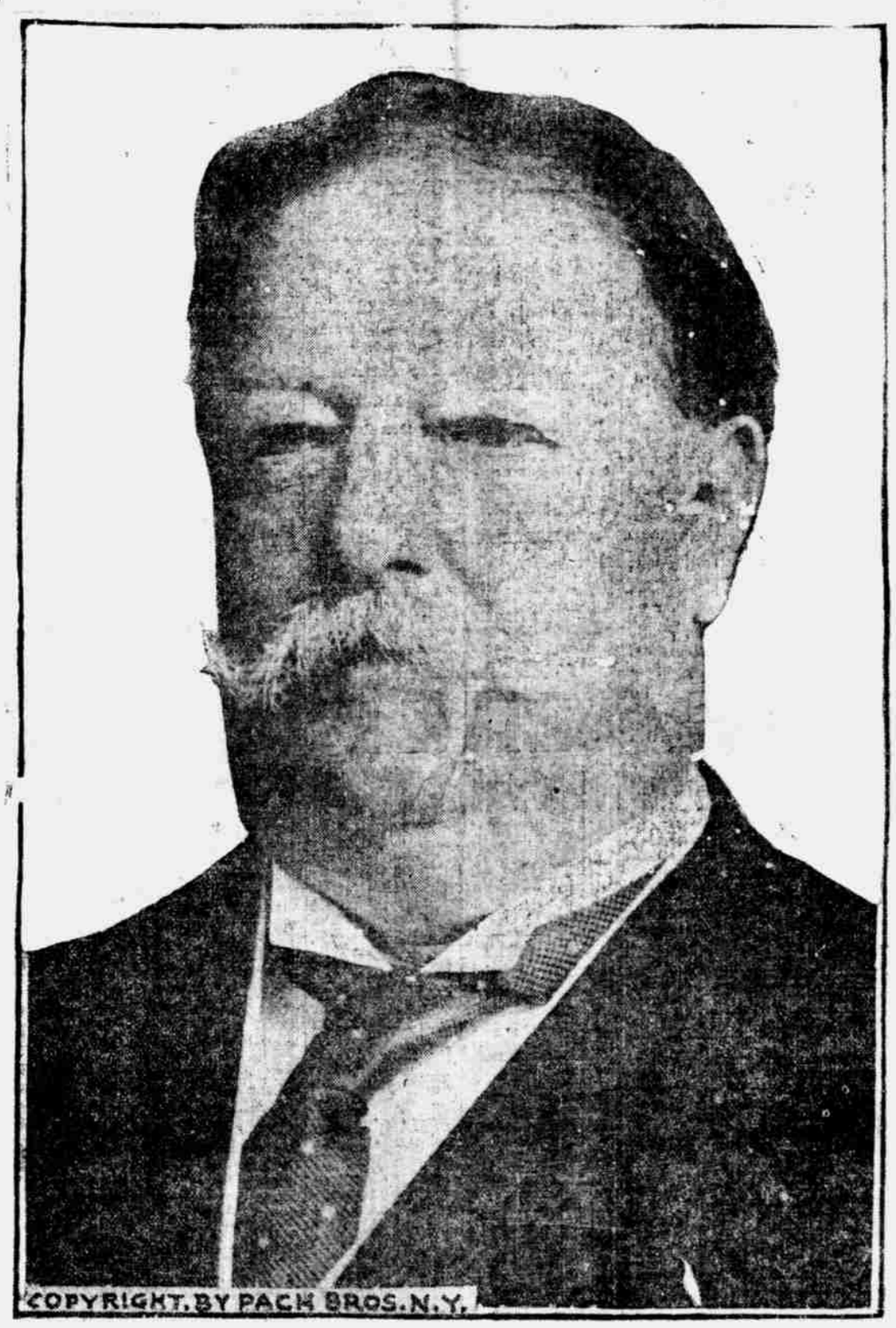
TAFT IN THE WHITE HOUSE

Succeeds Roosevelt as Incumbent of Nation's Highest Office—Oath Administered at the Capitol—Congressman Sherman Becomes Vice President—Ceremonies of Inauguration.



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PRESIDENT TAFT.

Washington, March 4.—He is William Howard Taft, president of the United States, now. The Ohio man whom the voters elected last November took the oath of office today as prescribed by the constitution and will be the nation's chief executive until March 4, 1913. Before he was inducted into office his colleague, James Schoolcraft Sherman of New York, was sworn in as vice president and is now qualified to act as president in case of President Taft's removal by death, disability by illness or other cause or resignation.

The simple ceremonies of inauguration were carried out without a hitch

VICE PRESIDENT SHERMAN.

according to the prearranged program. Mr. Taft took the oath on the stand erected at the east portico of the capitol in the presence of a crowd of many thousands. Assembled on the grand itself was a gathering of unprecedented size, completely filling the spacious seating capacity to the utmost. It contained the highest officials of the outgoing government, including the retiring president and members of his cabinet, the diplomatic representatives of foreign countries and high officers of the army and navy, with members of their families and their invited guests. Mr. Taft's inaugural address, which he delivered immediately after the administration of the oath of office, received the most earnest attention of his listeners.

The prominent features of inauguration day, few in number, began with the procession of the incoming president from the White House, where h

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MAN KILLED AT METUCHEN

An unknown man was killed at Metuchen last night about 8 o'clock. Coroner Hubbard went there this afternoon to make an investigation. The body was brought to this city on the 1040 train this morning, and taken to the Hubbard morgue.

CUT PRICE SPECIAL.

We will offer to-morrow 2 lbs of our home made Sausage, regular price 15c lb, Special sale 2 lbs for 25c. 3 lbs Mince Meat 25c. 2 lbs Kidneys 25c. 3 lbs livers 25c. A nice lot of fine cut lean Smoked Shoulders 8c lb. Good cooking potatoes 40c a basket.

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GAS FOR MILLTOWN

The Public Service Corporation, it is understood on good authority, will extend its gas mains to Milltown next Spring, and light the homes of that borough. Milltown already gets light from the P. S. C., though not in the same manner as do New Brunswick residents. The light is bought in bulk by the borough and sold by the municipal corporation.

It is now planned by the P. S. C. to deal directly with the Milltown people in the sale of gas light. A lot of pipe has been distributed along the road to Milltown, which, it was thought, were to be used for gas mains. Several

vice-men said to-day that as far as they knew this was not the case, and that they had not heard of the gas extension plans going forward this early. It can be almost positively stated, however, that in 1910 Milltown gas will be burning.

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"AMEN CORNER" IS NO MORE

Excise Board Made Bryan Hammell Chop Down the Partition Back of His Barroom.

New Brunswick's "Amen Corner" is no more. Every Democratic politician knows where it was. It was "back of" Bryan Hammell's Cafe on George street, screened by a partition and swinging doors. For years and years and years in the halcyon days of New Brunswick Democracy the politicians of the party foregathered there and discussed what was best for the party and the city the party governed.

It was a sort of a sacred custom that when the powers assembled on the other side of the swinging doors, there should be no disturbance. Indeed, no one wanted to disturb them, for they took up all the room there was. The independent telephone, the Pennsylvania elevation, the trolley, all owe something of their existence to discussions that occurred in Bryan's back room.

But now has come along an unsympathetic excise board that says that partition is a violation of the Bishop's law and that Bryan must hew it down. Mr. Hammell has only a couple of months more to stay in his present quarters, but he is law-abiding and down the wall went to-day, leaving the back room one with the bar room.

No more will gladsome political plans be laid in the "Club Cafe." Mr. Hammell is in considerable doubt whether he will ever open his place elsewhere. But it is quit certain that New Brunswick will never see anything like that unofficial caucus room of the old Democratic Aldermen and Freeholders which was abolished to-day by Judge Boorem's Excise Commission.

WIRE FLASHES.

BODIES WASHED ASHORE.

NEW YORK, March 4.—The bodies of two unidentified men were washed ashore at the Batimore & Ohio Railroad freight docks at St. George, Staten Island, this morning.

KILLED IN FIRE.

NEW YORK, March 4.—A woman and a twelve-year-old boy, Mrs. Nathan Rabinowitz and her son Harry, were killed in a fire at 345 Seventh street, Brooklyn, this morning.

1,000 LIVES LOST.

VICTORIA, B. C., March 4.—A Chinese ship which arrived to-day brought the news of a calamity in the Canton River, near Hong Kong, China, in which 1,000 lives were lost by a fire following the explosion of a lamp on a flower boat.

MILLIONS UNITED.

LIVERPOOL, March 4.—George Westinghouse, Jr., of Pittsburg, and Violet Brockettbank, daughter of Sir Thomas Brockettback, were married to-day. The wedding unites families worth millions. The ceremonies were regal. The couple will live in Pittsburg.

PREP. SCHOOL BOYS OBSERVE INAUGURATION

At 12:40 to-day recitations at the Preparatory School were suspended for five minutes in order that all the boys might picture themselves at the inauguration of President Taft, and in a sense, participate in the ceremony. Just prior to twelve o'clock, a few words were said about the inauguration exercises, the significance of the occasion and why they are held on March 4th, and precisely at 12:40, Prof. Scudder read the Oath of Office, presumably at the very moment it was being administered to the President-elect by Chief Justice Fuller. The boys then sang a stanza of "My Country 'Tis of Thee," and their brief inauguration excises were over.

FUNERAL OF WILLIAM CARY.

The funeral of William Cary took place this morning from the residence of Mrs. Henry Webber, of 75 Richardson street, at 8:30 and from St. Peter's church at 9 o'clock. The members of Hibernia Engine Company, No. 6, of which he was a member, attended the funeral in a body.

At the church high mass was celebrated by Rev. Father Quinn. As the remains were being borne up the aisle, Miss Katherine McCormick sang very sweetly, "Rest, Spirit Rest." Interment was in St. Peter's cemetery, under direction of W. J. McDede.

The pallbearers were William Davis, James Hannon, Frank Masterson, who have been his life long friends, Philip Davis, George Wycoff and John Roth, of Hibernia Engine.

SALE OF RUNYON PROPERTY GOES THROUGH

Edward T. Runyon's sale of his house and lot on Jones avenue to John L. Suydam, was completed to-day, and papers were passed. The purchase price was about $4,000. The sale contract was told of exclusively in last Saturday's Home News.

Mr. Suydam has also bought the lot adjoining the Runyon property, from Christiana Shumway. Both the Runyon and Shumway properties were among those upon which objection to the Jones avenue grading assessment was based.

Both sales were made through Hullfish & Whitfield.

BUSINESS PROPERTY DEAL.

Parker & Watson, the Church street real estate dealers, say they have a fine business property in first class order and suitable for any kind of business, all improvements, ideal location, 100 feet from George street, right in the centre of the recent real estate activity in business properties, which they will sell to a quick buyer for $5,000. This is the first time this property has been in the market. Consult them at once as it will be sold within a few days. mr.4-tf*

NO ARRANGEMENTS YET FOR KING FUNERAL.

Word has been received in this city that the body of John C. King will be shipped from Aitken, S. C., to-night and will arrive here on a late train to-morrow night. No arrangements have yet been made for the funeral.

ALL LOVELY IN RANKS OF DEMOCRACY

Democratic City Committee Held Harmony Meeting With Seven Aldermen Present---Is Peter F. Daly the "Big Man?"

The New Brunswick members of the Democratic county committee held a "harmony" meeting last night, at which, it is understood, all the Democratic Aldermen of the city were present. And, according to repute, the most strenuous efforts were made by the committeemen to bring the warring factions together. After the meeting it was declared that everything was once more lovely in Democratic city ranks, though it was also stated that no city slate had been agreed upon.

It was also reported that Surrogate Peter F. Daly, at whose offices the conference was held, would henceforth be the "big man" in Democratic affairs of this city. This would seem to be a victory for Alderman-at-large Weigel, whose faction in council has been closer to Daly than has that of his rival, Alderman Oliver. But there is reason to believe that if Mr. Oliver gave in, he had some important concessions granted first. And it can be stated as a fact that no line of policy has been agreed upon for the future operations of the council majority. The sum and substance of the agreement seems to be that the seven majority Democrats will caucus together, something which has not been done since the new regime took hold.

Members of the city committee were very reticent to-day about what took place last night. "One thing is certain," said one, "we are not going to interfere with council in any respect. There isn't going to be any 'lobby' committee like that the Republican State Committee appointed to look after the legislature, and which aroused Governor Fort's ire so much."

The Democratic city committee is as follows, though not all were present last night:

Millard F. Ross, George A. Viehmann, Frederick Weigel, Abram Jelin, R. F. Barnwell, Geo. J. Litterstfi, John V. Puerschner, Peter F. Daly, Chas. A. Oliver, Freeman Woodbridge, A. T. Landmesser, Thomas H. Hagerty, Joseph Ridgeway, James A. O'Connell, F. F. Houghton, John J. Welsh, P. H. S. Hendricks, John Francis.

Police Cases Ended.

As already stated in the Home News, any possible agreement of the council majority cannot affect the re-instatement of Policemen Lyons and Wright. A local newspaper stating that the exoneration of Policeman Lyons might be reconsidered, gave the impression that the cases might be bandied about indefinitely. But council's "not guilty" disposed of them just the same as a jury's declaration of the same kind does in a criminal case.

IMPROVEMENT SOCIETY MEETS

The regular monthly meeting of the City Improvement Society was held at the home of Mrs. Peter Kaltenssen, College avenue at 11 o'clock this morning with fifteen members of the organization present. Mrs. Drury W. Cooper, first vice president, in the absence of Mrs. Alan H. Strong, president, presided.

The committee appointed to go over to Plainfield to look at the streets there and get information as to their methods of keeping the thoroughfares free from litter and dirt, also of planting trees and beautifying streets, consisting of Mrs. Kaltenssen, Mrs. H. Raymond Groves, Mrs. Jennie Rowland, Mrs. S. S. Ross and Mrs. Peter F. Daly, reported the result of their observations.

Many plans were talked over but nothing definite arrived at.

The members are much pleased over the newly organized boy's league and reported that nearly 100 boys were enrolled as members.

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