

# CRISP NEWS BREVITIES.

## A Condensed History of the Week's Events.

### BULKY DETAILS BOILED DOWN.

Interesting and Important News From All Parts of the Globe—Press Dispatches Shorn of Superfluous Words For the Benefit of the Busy Public.

**William Badenoch, grand treasurer of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, died at Toronto.**

**Amel Lennquist, a teamster employed by Axel, Swenson & Co. was stabbed by Fred Carlson at the general store in Jamestown, N. Y. One ear was nearly cut off, and four wounds were inflicted in the back. One of the cuts penetrated the lung tissues and will probably result in death. Carlson was intoxicated. He was arrested.**

**Ten city lots worth \$300,000 have been given under conditions to St. James' Protestant Episcopal mission in New York city by Miss Saraa Rhineclauder. The conditions are that in five years the mission must accomplish enough tangible good to satisfy the donor.**

**The county infirmary at Canfield, O., burned. Loss over \$500,000. The 380 inmates were all rescued. William Harwell, an insane inmate, escaped from the attendants, ran into the fire and was cremated.**

**Secretary Herbert and party, who have been on a visit to Charleston witnessing the squadron maneuvers, have returned to Washington.**

**Lea's news from Tazewell, Ky. states that James Chadwell, wife and children were drowned in Powell's river. The flood burst over the bank and caught them in their house, which was swept away.**

**William McKay and his children, arrested at Ransomville, N. Y., charged with robbing the mails at Brooklyn, appeared in the police court. Before any evidence was offered McKay broke down and confessed his guilt. He consented to return to Brooklyn at once with Postoffice Inspector Ryan.**

**Mayor Bingham of Ottawa has issued instructions to her 800 police of the city to inspect at the Russell on Thursday. This mayor will be the only gentleman.**

**Luis Peterson, a Norwegian, 30 years old, a tailor by occupation, committed suicide by shooting at his boarding house in Ropeter.**

**The grand jury of Duluth indicted Registrar Deeds Bergstrom for misappropriation of funds and Auditor Halden for similar offenses.**

**Mrs. E. B. Graves, 83 years old, one of the pioneers of Lookport, N. Y., died at her home in that city.**

**The worst blizzard and heaviest snow storm in many years prevails at Plainfield, Wis. From one to two feet of snow has fallen, drifting badly. Many drifts are six feet deep in the highways and business is suspended.**

**Lord Sandhurst, governor of Bombay, cables to London that the deaths in Bombay for the week ending Feb. 16 were 1,732. It is reported that the deaths in Bombay as a result of Bubonic plague were 945 as compared with 847 for the previous week.**

**The Lokai Anzeiger of Berlin is authority for the statement that the King of Greece has sent a telegram to Christian IX, king of Denmark, in which he has decided to call for Creta to be returned to the Greek forces there.**

**Fire almost completely gutted the wholesale grocery house of Wills, Briggs & Co. at Madison, Wis.; loss, \$50,000; fully covered by insurance.**

**The sanitary conference in session at Venice, Italy, adopted a motion calling upon all powers with Mussulman subjects to take measures to prevent, or as far as possible restrict, the pilgrimages to Mecca this year.**

**Emperor William is confined to his room by reason of an abscess on his right knee. He will probably be unable to leave the palace for some days.**

**The senate confirmed the nomination of O. H. Schillingman of New York to be consul at Otago, Haytian, Haiti.**

**J. Beach, the Buffalo man who was arrested last Friday night on a charge of assaulting Mrs. Miller of Tonawanda, was arraigned before Judge Kohler in the third city police court. He was convicted and sentenced to 30 days in Niagara county jail.**

**Governor Black has approved a resolution adopted by the state health commission placing the position of private secretary to Capitol Commissioner Perry in the exempt schedule.**

**A man, who says he is Jerome Parsons of Poughkeepsie, N. Y., was surprised in the act of plundering the general store of C. O. O'Connor, at Norfolk, Conn. Parsons was arraigned and held for trial under bonds of \$500.**

**The Penn Yan, Keuka Park and Brantford Railway company has incorporated with a capital stock of \$100,000 to operate street surface road from Penn Yan to Brantford, Yates county, N. Y.**

**J. H. Haines, proprietor of the Havana Hotel at Canfield, N. Y., died of heart failure. He was a brother-in-law of Judge W. E. B. B. Brown, and is known throughout the northern part of New York.**

**Charles F. Brown, one of the oldest and best known lawyers in the southern tier of New York state, died at 85 years. He had a wife and several children. He was a collector of internal revenue under President Johnson.**

**James Fry, who murdered J. P. Shaw, shot himself through the heart with a .44 calibre, Colt's. He had declared he would never be captured alive.**

**Hon. Joseph Marie Loyaule, fifth president of St. Xavier's college, New York city, died at Holy Cross college, Worcester, Mass., of paralysis, aged 77 years.**

**The Canadian silver plate firms have sent a memorial to the Canadian Pacific railway calling upon the latter to discharge their inspectors of employes' watches because they claim to have proof that the latter are agents for American silver plate and watch case companies.**

**The Power City Lumber company has made an assignment. Liabilities are about \$148,000 and assets \$85,000.**

**Richard C. Foster called for Europe on the 10th inst.**

# CONGRESSIONAL NEWS.

## Brief Notes Chronological All Events of Interest at the Capitol.

**Representative Gibson of Tennessee introduced a joint resolution directing the president to demand of the Spanish authorities in Cuba the immediate restoration to liberty of every American citizen, native born or naturalized, now imprisoned by them in the island of Cuba, and that in support of that demand the president is authorized and directed to accompany it by the presence of a sufficient number of United States ships of war to make that demand good; and if it is not granted within 30 hours that the city of Havana and, if need be, other parts of Cuba be bombarded until it is fully complied with, and all American citizens be delivered to the commander of our warships.**

**The president sent the following nomination to the senate: W. W. Follett, of the state of Ohio, an "old" "water" boundary commissioner provided for in the convention with Mexico on March 1, 1889. First Lieutenant Elton F. Wilcox, Sixth cavalry, to be captain. Second Lieutenant Milton F. Davis, Fourth cavalry, to be first lieutenant.**

**Senator White of California gave notice of an amendment he proposes to offer to the amendment to the appropriation bill making an appropriation of \$150,000 for a survey of the line of the Nicaragua canal. The amendment provides for the appointment of a commission of five engineers one from the army, one from the navy and three from civil life under whose direction the survey is to be made.**

**The attempt of Mr. Grosvenor to secure an amendment to restrain commissioners on the rail after March 1 until March 10, when the extra session will begin, drew from him, when pressed as to whether he was "authorized" to officially proclaim an extra session, the good natured admission that he was "authorized to assume" there would be an extra session.**

**Senator Chandler reported from the committee on postoffices and postroads the amendment to the postoffice appropriation bill proposed by Senator Hill, appropriating \$25,000 for carrying mail on electric and cable cars.**

**The house committee on commerce presented a favorable report on a bill authorizing the construction of a bridge across the St. Lawrence river, on the line of the Northern New York railroad.**

### DEATH AT A CROSSING.

**Seven Killed and Three Injured—Severe Shock to the Train.**

**CHATTAHOOGA, Feb. 25.—Seven out of a family of 11 were killed on a railroad crossing near Sherman Heights, a suburb of Chatanooga.**

**Ten members of the family, whose names were Woodward, the mother and nine children, were in the wagon. The mother and six of the children were killed instantly and the other three children are dangerously—two perhaps fatally—hurt. They lived eight miles out in the country and were coming to Chatanooga. The father, W. J. Woodward, was already in town.**

**They failed to notice the signals given by the train men and death came to them before they were aware of their danger. Both horses were killed and the wagon utterly demolished. The shock to the train was so severe that all the window glass in it was jarred to fragments. The bodies of the dead family were brought to an undertaking establishment in Chattanooga soon after the accident.**

### THEIR NEW HOME.

**Mrs. Cleveland and Children at Princeton Return For Inauguration.**

**PRINCETON, N. J., Feb. 24.—Mrs. Cleveland, accompanied by her three children and her mother, Mrs. Perrine, arrived in a special car at the Pennsylvania railroad in Princeton. The party were met by Professor Andrew J. West of Princeton university and were driven immediately to President Cleveland's new home on Bay and avenue. Fire servants were in attendance on the party.**

**Furnishers have been busily engaged during the last few weeks preparing the residence for occupancy, and the house was opened Tuesday for the first time. Mrs. Cleveland will devote the next week to becoming settled in her new home. She will return to Washington to attend the inaugural ceremonies.**

### Unemployed Did Not Parade.

**ST. LOUIS, Feb. 25.—The demonstration of the unemployed, suggested by General Coxy for Washington's birthday, did not take place in St. Louis. Arrangements were made and a call issued by the committee of the unemployed of the Knights of Labor for all men out of work to meet yesterday morning. There was to be a parade followed by speaking. The outlook for the weather was so gloomy, however, that the demonstration was called off early. The idea was approved by some of the leaders, but the unemployed did not take kindly to the public parading of their misfortunes.**

### Died at a Ripe Old Age.

**NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—Mrs. Mary Newman died at Locust Valley, L. I. She was born in England on Dec. 28, 1794. In 1827 her family settled in Locust Valley. She was married twice, surviving both husbands. Up to a short time ago she was in possession of all of her faculties, being able to see without the use of glasses, and until she was stricken with her last illness had aided in the house work. She is survived by 13 children, the oldest of whom is 88 years old; 38 grandchildren; 63 great-grandchildren and 86 great-great-grandchildren.**

### Former in Washington.

**WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—Addison Porter of Hartford, who is to be private secretary to President McKinley, is in the city for rest and recreation. He called on Secretary Lamont with whom he had a friendly chat. During his few days' stay here he will avail himself of Secretary Thurber's invitation and be initiated into some of the duties of the office of which he is soon to assume charge.**

### Benjamin Harrison's Daughter.

**INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 25.—A baby girl weighing eight and a half pounds was born to Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Harrison, Dr. Henry Jameson being the attending physician. Mother and child are doing well. Mr. and Mrs. Harrison were married in St. Thomas church, New York, April 6, 1836. The ex-president is in his 64th year.**

### Death of George Irvine.

**MONTREAL, Feb. 25.—Hon. George Irvine, judge of the admiralty court and a great friend of John O. Rao during his exile, died in Quebec.**

# HANNA TO BE SENATOR.

## Governor Bushnell Makes a Public Statement.

### SAYS HE WILL APPOINT MARK.

**Had Not Intended to Make His Decision Public, but Owing to the Great Interest Manifested Decided to Settle the Question.**

**COLUMBUS, Feb. 25.—Governor Bushnell gave out the following statement to the press:**

**"It had been my intention to make no announcement in relation to the action I would take in the matter of an appointment to fill the prospective vacancy in the Ohio representation in the United States senate until the vacancy actually existed. But on account of the manifest interest of**



**MARK A. HANNA.**

**the people and their desire to know what will be done, I deem it best now to make the following statement:**

**When Senator Sherman resigns to enter the cabinet of President McKinley, I will appoint to succeed him Hon. Marcus A. Hanna of Cuyahoga county, to serve until his successor is chosen by the Seventy-third general assembly of the state. I trust this action will meet with the approval of the people."**

### GOES TO JAIL.

**E. K. Smith of Columbia, Pa., Robbed All Classes.**

**LANCASTER, Pa., Feb. 23.—E. K. Smith, the ex-banker of Columbia, Pa., who made a long and hard fight to keep out of jail, has been taken to the Eastern penitentiary at Philadelphia.**

**Smith ran a private bank at Columbia and attracted the savings of the working people of that place by paying 5 per cent interest on annual deposits. As a bait to business men he paid 8 per cent on daily balances, but the main loss were the working people and others who preferred 5 per cent interest to the uncertainty of investing their money.**

**One of the latter class, a farmer, had over \$25,000 on deposit when the bank failed in August, 1893.**

### HIGH WATER.

**Ohio River on a Rampage and Still Rising—Much Damage.**

**CINCINNATI, Feb. 25.—Specials show continued damage by flood in cities up the river. At Mayville, Ky., the river is rising two inches an hour. A portion of Front street, between Market and Limestone streets, has been washed away and water is pouring into the houses.**

**On East Second street the water is three feet deep and the ferry men are reaping a harvest, as the East Hitley people are compelled to cross in boats.**

**Two more feet will bring it up in the business portion of the town when the damage will be incalculable.**

**Over in Newport, Ky., the flood has stopped many manufacturing establishments and has flooded the houses of numerous families. Streetcar communication between it and Bellevue and Dayton has been stopped.**

**In Covington the low lying houses are being deserted. Below at the lagoon, a pleasure resort, the water is already overflowing.**

### Syracuse Papers Consolidate.

**SYRACUSE, Feb. 24.—The Syracuse Post announces that the Syracuse Standard is to be consolidated with it on March 1, and therefor will be issued from the present office of the Post, the paper to be known hereafter as the Syracuse Post-Standard. This consolidated paper will be a Republican in politics, following the general policy of the Post, and will be the only Republican morning paper in Syracuse.**

### Session on March 4.

**WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—The president has issued a proclamation in the usual form calling a session of the senate at noon on March 4 to receive communications from the executive. This is the usual senate extra session to consider nominations to important offices.**

### Glynn Gets Life.

**AMSTERDAM, N. Y., Feb. 24.—Justice Martin L. Stover at Ponda sentenced Thomas Glynn of Johnstown to Danemora prison for life for the murder of Lewis Erkenbrack. Glynn claims to be innocent of the crime.**

### Death of Mrs. Frances Johnston.

**BALTIMORE, Feb. 25.—Mrs. Frances Mansfield Johnston, wife of Colonel Richard Malcolm Johnston, the Southern author, is dead.**

### Married a German Baron.

**DETROIT, Feb. 25.—Mathilda Cass Ledward, daughter of the president of the Michigan Central railroad, was married to Baron Clemens August Von Kottler, German minister to Mexico.**

### Archbishop George Dead.

**ST. PAUL, Feb. 25.—The venerable Archbishop Geisler, who has been ill for some time, died at St. Jacob's hospital.**

# FOUND MONEY.

## Meeting of the National League in New York City.

### Withdrawn For the Present by Request.

**NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—The National Sound Money league held a conference in the rooms of the chamber of commerce. Business men from many cities were in attendance.**

**The organization is absolutely nonpartisan. Its intention is to conduct an active campaign for the next four years against the movement which favors free silver.**

**The committee on organization presented a draft of the constitution bylaws and plan of organization which had been prepared. Each state is to have its state league, and there are to be local leagues for counties, cities, towns and villages.**

**The constitution provides that on or before March 15, 1896, and annually thereafter the members of the league in each state shall elect one delegate to a central council which shall assume the management of the league on April 1, 1898, and shall then annually thereafter elect the executive officers and the executive committee.**

**The executive committee shall, after April 1, 1898, act under the direction of the central council, and shall, between the meetings of the central council, have full direction of the work of the league. The league will rely for its support on voluntary contributions.**

### SHORT IN HIS ACCOUNTS.

**Ex-State Treasurer of Nebraska Must Pay Over \$500,000.**

**LINCOLN, Neb., Feb. 20.—A statement of the financial condition of the state treasury of Nebraska shows that ex-State Treasurer J. S. Bartley, Republican, has a deficit starting him in the face of over \$500,000. Coupled with this is a little item of \$7,000 which ex-State Auditor Eugene W. Moore, also Republican, needs to account for in order to balance his books.**

**Mr. Bartley deposited large sums of money in various state banks to help them through the crisis. Several of these subsequently failed and others were closely pressed that it was impossible to discharge the obligations. Bartley says that in the course of time every cent will be paid.**

### CHEERED THE KING.

**Demonstrations of a Popular at Athens With Enthusiasm.**

**ATHENS, Feb. 25.—Over 40,000 persons participated in a demonstration Sunday afternoon on University square in favor of the union of Crete with Greece. The greatest enthusiasm prevailed.**

**His majesty, King George, Crown Prince Constantine, duke of Sparta, and other members of the royal family occupied places on the balcony. The king addressed the crowd as follows:**

**"You are executing the true mandate of the Hellenic people. I thank you for this imposing display of your feelings. Magnificent and beloved country, may I strengthen our common efforts. Long live the Hellenic nation!"**

### Revival of Lost Mysteries.

**SAN DIEGO, Cal., Feb. 25.—The cornerstone of the new school for the Revival of the Lost Mysteries of Antiquity was laid on Point Loma with imposing ceremonies. The theosophical crusaders, who have just returned from a trip around the world, were the central actors in the exercises. Mrs. Katherine A. Tingler, of New York, head of the Esoteric cult and successor of Mme. Blavatsky, officiated, assisted by E. T. Hargrove, president of the Theosophical society in America and Europe.**

### State Officers May Hide Free.

**ALBANY, Feb. 25.—The assembly railroad committee reported favorably Mr. Fitzgerald's bill providing for the issuance of certificates to state officers on the presentation of which they may ride free of charge on railroads in this state. No certificate shall be granted to a member of the legislature until he has filed with the secretary of state a certificate from the comptroller, stating such member has released the state from any mortgage for the term for which he is elected.**

### Arthur W. Palmer Incompetent.

**NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—The commissioner appointed to ascertain whether Arthur W. Palmer of White Plains, N. Y., charged with the murder of his mother, brother and sister, is of sound mind and competent to take care of his property, had the matter before a sheriff's jury, and they found that Palmer was incompetent. It is thought this will have quite a bearing on the murder case.**

### Koerner Found Guilty.

**NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—The jury in the case of William Jay Koerner, who for over a week has been on trial in the criminal branch of the supreme court for killing his sweetheart, Rosa Rodgate, on Sept. 23 last, returned a verdict of guilty of murder in the first degree. Koerner was remanded until Monday for sentence to give his counsel opportunity to prepare a motion for a new trial.**

### Killed in an Explosion.

**NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—Two men were killed by the explosion of a gas tank under the bridge across the new ship canal at Two Hundred and Second street and Kingsbridge road. The men were Richard McGee, 34 years old, and Thomas Dillmore, 30 years old, both of Long Island, and who were employed by the Continental Iron works at that place.**

### Aged Counterfeiter Sentenced.

**NEW HAVEN, Feb. 25.—In the United States court Elbridge H. Maltby, an aged counterfeiter, was found guilty and sentenced to three years in state prison. His wife, against whom a true bill was also found by the grand jury, was given three months in jail. The Maltbys changed their plea to guilty and their counsel asked for the mercy of the court.**

### Rocco Sentenced to Fifteen Years.

**ROCHESTER, Feb. 25.—Frederick Rocco, the horse and cattle thief who has been operating so extensively in the vicinity of Buffalo and this city since his release from Auburn, was sentenced on three out of seven indictments, to 15 years and 9 months in Auburn prison. The other four indictments will not be pressed.**

### Died by Gas Route.

**LAKE PRESTON, S. D., Feb. 25.—Mrs. August Hanson and four children are dead from gas from a straw burning heating stove, while Hanson himself is dying. Only one of the family, a young boy, is recovering.**

### Steinitz's Death Decried.

**MOSCOW, Feb. 25.—The report that Dr. William Steinitz, the champion, is dead is untrue. He is still in a hospital suffering from a serious mental malady.**

# RESIGNATION OF LEE.

## Withdrawn For the Present by Request.

### CLEVELAND AND OLNEY CONFER.

**Lee Was Warm at Olney's Indifference to His Requests for Power to Enforce His Demands Regarding American Prisoners in Cuba.**

**NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—Fitzhugh Lee, consul general of the United States at Havana, has resigned, but has been requested to remain at his post for a time at least.**

**The following telegram was received at the state department:**  
HAVANA, Feb. 22.  
Secretary of State.  
My resignation mailed per steamer. LEE  
Secretary Olney replied to this almost immediately, urging General Lee to withhold his resignation until something could be done, and declaring that his retirement at this time and in such a manner "would cause untold trouble."

**After sending his dispatch, Secretary Olney hurried over to the White House with General Lee's telegram in his pocket and talked over the situation with President Cleveland for nearly an hour before the other members of the cabinet arrived to attend the regular meeting.**

**The president fully approved of Mr. Olney's action in requesting General Lee to withdraw his resignation for the present. The matter was not laid before the cabinet.**

### PALACE BURNED.

**Wild Rush by Soldiers to Secure Treasures—Incendiarious Origin.**

**CANEA, Feb. 25.—The governor's palace, with all the archives, was destroyed by fire. As several fires broke out in different parts of the town simultaneously, it is believed to have been the work of incendiaries.**

**While the palace was burning, a strong box containing 47,000 fell into the ruins, whereupon there was a wild rush of Turkish soldiers and Mussulmans to secure the treasure.**

**Eventually the foreign marines were obliged to fire blank cartridges to restrain them and, for a time, a serious conflict between the Turks and Europeans was threatened.**

**The admirals are about to issue a proclamation in all the towns and villages, explaining the reason for the presence of the foreign fleets in Cretan waters and exhorting tranquillity.**

**This view is spreading with the population, who are so divided in opinion as to be almost ready to resort to arms. The suggestion of the consul that a foreign force be landed at Melissos in order to force the retreat of the beleaguered Mussulmans has not been adopted, owing to the available number of marines being insufficient. In view of the large force of the insurgent, the admirals have decided to confine their action to the dispatch of warships to Scio.**

**The attacks of the insurgents continue at various points. The insurance companies have descended into the plain behind the convent of Chrysophigi and have set fire to Mussulman houses.**

**Autonomy For Crete.**  
ROME, Feb. 24.—Austria and Russia have submitted to the powers a proposal looking to the autonomy of Crete, which, it is suggested, should be made subject to unanimous resolution to be communicated to Turkey and Greece.

### DEATH OF BLONDI.

**Completed Rope Walking at the Age of 4 Years—Never Drank or Smoked.**

**LONDON, Feb. 23.—Blondin, the rope walker, is dead.**

**Blondin was born in 1828. He was undoubtedly the greatest of the rope walkers of the world. His real name was Jean Francois de Gravelot. He commenced rope walking when only 4 years old and continued his wonderful exhibitions up to a few months ago.**

**Blondin crossed Niagara Falls on June 30, 1860, in the presence of nearly 50,000 people. It was the first time this feat had ever been attempted. The following year he made the trip across Niagara river just above the falls nearly fifty times, and on Sept. 14, 1860, he carried a man across on his back. The Prince of Wales witnessed this performance, and when Blondin was presented to him the prince exclaimed: "Thank God it's all over!"**

### Mary Forward Black Dead.

**NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—Mary Forward Black, widow of the late Judge Jeremiah S. Black, President Buchanan's attorney general, died suddenly at her home at Brookline, near here. Mrs. Black was the mother of Chauncey F. Black, ex-Attorney general of Pennsylvania. Mrs. Black was 77 years old. She was a daughter of Hon. Chauncey Forward, a lawyer and member of congress. She was married to Jeremiah S. Black in 1837, at the age of 17.**

### Caused by a Business Depression.

**PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 25.—Executions of judgments aggregating \$40,000 have been issued against E. P. & L. Easton, lithographers. The liabilities are estimated at \$20,000. The assets will scarcely more than cover the amount of the judgments. Depression in the trade, together with the maturing obligations, brought about the embarrassment.**

### No Wonder He is Rich.

**JOLIET, Ill., Feb. 24.—Russell Sage of New York has made a loan of \$50 to his brother, Eliza, of Channahon, and has taken as security a mortgage on Eliza's homestead, which was recorded. Eliza Sage has lived here for years with his wife and is in poor circumstances. The note draws 6 per cent interest and is due in May.**

### This Was Circumstantial Evidence.

**MIDDLESBORO, Ky., Feb. 23.—Joseph Murdock of Scott county, Va., who was supposed to have been murdered 25 years ago, and for which crime Bud Lindsay served 21 years in the Virginia penitentiary, has returned to his former home. Lindsay died recently.**

### Ex-Auditor Arrested.

**LINCOLN, Neb., Feb. 25.—Ex-Auditor of State Eugene Moore has surrendered himself to the sheriff. A Attorney General Smyth has filed an information charging Moore with embezzlement and reciting nine counts.**

# POSTOFFICE BOY.

## F. W. Turner Discharged From Custody at Turnersville, Conn.

**NEW HAVEN, Feb. 25.—An interesting case was settled in the United States court. F. W. Turner at Turnersville was charged several months ago with carrying letters over postal routes over which the government had exclusive control and with boycotting a postoffice.**

**Turner had been postmaster at Turnersville through several administrations. He was supplied by an appointee of President Cleveland. His friends gave him their mail to deliver and he left it in Colchester. The result was that the Turnersville postoffice and its postmaster could not see a living.**

**After a weary drag through the courts the case came up and went out of court on a nolle. It was decided that Turner had committed no offense in carrying his letters to Colchester, as it is a right of a citizen to post his letters where he pleases.**

### Mrs. Beecher Has a Relapse.

**STAMFORD, Conn., Feb. 23.—Mrs. Henry Ward**