

THE WEATHER.

The following record will show the changes in temperature for the past 24 hours, as indicated by the thermometer at Brown & Dawson's drug store:

Table with 3 columns: Therm., Bar., Wind. Rows for 7 A. M., 12 M., 7 P. M., and daily extremes for Dec 4 and 5, 1884.

Indications for To-day. For the Middle States: Fair and nearly stationary temperature.

For the Lower Lakes: Fair and nearly stationary temperature.

BRUFTIES.

Rose blanks at very low prices. G. C. Young & Brother. The Greenway Guard's annual masquerade will occur on January 19.

John Hyde was arrested last night for drunkenness and insulting women on the streets. A bunch of keys which was found in the Waverly block yesterday, awaits an owner at Police station.

The oil painting, "Niagara Falls in Winter," on exhibition here for several weeks, has been removed to Rochester. Father Moriarty will preach at the church of St. John the Baptist, this evening on "Qualities of True Repentance."

The weekly meeting of the Bureau of Labor and Charities and Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children will be held at 7:30 P. M. today at No. 21 the Montgomery.

The conclusion of the case of Moulter against the Metropolitan Grain and Stock Exchange of Chicago, heard by Referee Lynch, has been reached, and will be summed up on the 12th inst.

G. E. Schmiedle has removed his job printing office from the Granger block to the old County Clerk's building, where he has formed a partnership with his father, under the name of D. Schmiedle & Son.

Thomas Pursell, who lives at No. 15 Furnace street, Geddes, was thrown from a wagon near the Soda Ash works, yesterday, sustaining a fracture of the left leg. Mullin's ambulance removed him to his home.

A service of praise will be held in the conference room of the First Baptist church, West Genesee street, this evening at 7:30. A general invitation is extended, with the request that those attending bring gospel hymns and a text of praise to repeat.

At an election of the Turn Verein, Hulko Van Lengen was chosen president, William Doppelt, vice-president; H. Werner, recording secretary; F. Marty, corresponding secretary; Anthony Amin, treasurer; E. Brown, financial secretary; George Bausch, first turnward; E. Weiss, second turnward.

Mrs. Jennie Graves told a pitious tale of domestic trouble to Officer Morgan last Sunday. She said she had run away from her home in Rochester because her husband abused her.

AMONG THE BEST IN THE LAND

Syracuse Schools Pronounced Superior by the Commissioners.

A Stranger's Remark at Fairport Creates Indignation in the City Board of Education—A Comparison with the Schools in Other Cities.

The Board of Education had a lively and interesting meeting at the High School last evening, all the commissioners being present. Superintendent Smith gave an account of a five days' trip in visiting various schools, from which he had just returned.

Commissioner Duncan remarked that Professor Spring, of Chicago, had been engaged for three years in teaching clay modeling, and is now in New Orleans taking models of the Exhibition buildings for Chattanooga.

Superintendent Smith criticized a school room in this city which he had visited, where there is a departure by the teacher from the new method of instruction.

General indignation was expressed at the statement of the gentleman at Fairport. The Superintendent read from the annual report a statement of the attendance at the schools in this city during the year.

Mr. Peckard reported as chairman of a special committee respecting children from the country attending schools in the city, that the Board may admit such scholars, provided their parents have property in the city and the Board has the benefit of the taxation on that property.

Financial statement table with columns for Amount received from state appropriation, From city appropriation, From tuition, Total, and Amount expended for various items.

The balance remaining for each ward and the High school up to December 1, is: High School, \$40.71; First ward, \$1.63; Second ward, \$7.51; Third ward, \$27.63; Fourth ward, \$14.05; Fifth ward, \$4.25; Sixth ward, \$1.75; Seventh ward, \$9.61; Eighth ward, \$14.67.

MARTIN COONEY'S ASSIGNMENT.

Schedules of the Preferred Creditors with Amounts not Specified. Yesterday afternoon there was filed in the County Clerk's office in this city the general assignment of Martin Cooney, salt manufacturer, to Jeremiah E. Barnes, a retired trader, of Salina.

The assignment was undoubtedly the outcome of the attachments and levies made upon his salt blocks and other assets, by three creditors, for \$1,500 in all, last week.

Martin Cooney began in business for himself in 1859, and ever since he has met with more or less success. A few years ago he was considered worth about \$75,000, but the depression in the salt business of late has curtailed very much the value of his assets.

The following officers were elected: President, Howard G. White; first vice-president, Frank H. Hiseock; second vice-president, W. B. Rumlall; third vice president, E. P. Glass; recording secretary, C. W. Smith; financial secretary, George L. Smith; treasurer, Charles A. Triggman.

Executive committee—First ward, George A. Porter; second ward, George Schlosser; third ward, Charles Garver; fourth ward, George Larrabee; fifth ward, George B. Wood; sixth ward, Arthur Leobe; seventh ward, M. Whelan; eighth ward, Thomas Merriam; Danforth, William Brown; Geddes, Charles R. Hubbard.

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MRS. MARTHA A. BARTON ANNIOS.

A Failure in Which Syracuse Firms are Implicated. Yesterday Mrs. Martha A. Barton, keeper of a general store at Union Springs, Cayuga county, made a general assignment to Dr. Benjamin A. Fordyce, of the same place.

The entire stock and plant of the insolvent, Charles C. Woods, at Mulder's village, will be sold at auction next Monday morning at 10 o'clock.

Winters's is the only gallery in Syracuse where life size portraits are made direct with the camera. The portraits are toned with platinum and are permanent.

Locke Up Five Minutes. Late Wednesday afternoon District Attorney Lewis locked the west entrance door to the County Clerk's building, supposing the supervisors and all others in that part of the edifice had left.

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THE REPUBLICAN ESCORT.

Forming a Permanent Organization and Electing Officers. About sixty members attended the meeting of the Republican Escort in the City Hall last night. A permanent organization was effected.

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THE DOWNWARD PATH.

Story Told of Himself by a Fulton Young Man. Wrennie Nash, a youth of 21, was arrested yesterday by Detective Sheppard, for breaking into Cornelius Tracy's saloon, at the corner of Clinton and Jefferson streets, between 1 and A. M., and stealing therefrom 300 cigars, a revolver and a bottle of wine.

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CLEVERLY CAPTURED.

Coville Peacock Brought Back to the Penitentiary Yesterday. Jesse Peacock, who, in company with Charles Wilson, escaped from the penitentiary one week ago last night, was clearly captured yesterday at Oswego.

Overcome by Walking. "Take me home," gasped Mrs. Kate Schottelbauer, staggering into the furniture rooms of Wenz & Traugott, No. 223 North Salina street, at 3:30 P. M. yesterday.

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AT THE OPERA HOUSE.

"Lights of London" at the Wisting—Coming Attractions. The opportunity is seldom given to a provincial audience to witness a play so well placed upon the stage as "The Lights of London" at the Wisting Opera House.

An Innocent and His Partner. Samuel H. Clemens (Mark Twain) and George W. Cable, who appeared at the Grand last evening in readings, proved themselves a combination fully equal to entertaining an audience, each in his own particular way.

Harry Sargent's latest meter from foreign parts, Madame Janssch, is among next week's attractions at the Grand.

The variety entertainment at the Grand this evening is recommended by the press of neighboring cities as abounding with clever hits.

THE LUTHERAN FAIR.

Progress of the Evening and To-Night's Excellent Program. The Lutheran fair was well attended last night, and elicited frequent applause.

Following is to-night's programme: Vocal solo, Orchestra, Music, Vocal solo, Vocal solo, Vocal solo, Vocal solo, Vocal solo, Vocal solo, Vocal solo, Vocal solo, Vocal solo, Vocal solo.

Before the Police Justice. In the Police court yesterday Fred Jenkins was fined five dollars or thirty days for drunkenness, and William Agan ten dollars or ninety days.

Niece Not Upon. James Marr became a pugilistic turn of mind in the First ward on Wednesday afternoon, sauntering into the house of Josephine Wilson in North Salina street, and informed her that she was a thief and he could "lick her."

Base Ball Meeting To-night. All persons in the city interested in the formation of a professional base ball club are requested to attend a meeting at the Empire House at 8 o'clock this evening.

People are convinced that the place to buy the best clothes is at Palmer's. Events in East Syracuse. Eugene Partridge and Frank Gibson, brakemen, have been promoted.