

DEATHS.—Continued.

- Stroup Rev. Father, at Pittsburg, Pa.—Jan. 28.
 Trudel Senator, editor and proprietor of *L'Etendard*.—Jan. 16.
 Vallego Genl. G. M., prominent in history of California.—Jan. 19.
 Dueling, Neusatz, Hungary, editor of *Zustavoa*, kills editor of *Branik* in duel at.—Jan. 5.
 Earthquakes, Corinthia, Austria, several shocks felt at.—Jan. 18.
 ECCLESIASTICAL.—Boston, twenty-second annual meeting of Women's Board of Foreign Missions held at.—Jan. 15.
 Buffalo, N.Y., Polish turmoil over church troubles at.—Jan. 20.
 Chicago, 2,000 members of St. Albert's R. C. Church rebel against rector and archbishop.—Jan. 8.
 Cleveland, O., Ministerial Association of, expel J. T. Underwood from ministry.—Jan. 6.
 Derbyshire, Eng., clergy of, move abolition of marriage fees to check civil marriage.—Jan. 19.
 England, Talmage Rev. Dr., entertained at Hawarden by Mr. Gladstone.—Jan. 25.
 Fall River, Mass., French Canadians of, protest against late Catholic Congress at Baltimore.—Jan. 5.
 New York, N.Y. Presbytery, proposed revision of the "Confession of Faith".—Jan. 20.
 New York, "Church Association for Advancement of Interests of Labor" formed in.—Jan. 10.
 Philadelphia, Presbytery of, discuss "Confession of Faith".—Jan. 13.
 Rome, Peter's Pence for 1899, collection announced to be \$30,000 less than last year, legacies bequeathed to Pope during year \$800,600.—Jan. 8.
 Rome, British Minister, Genl. Simmonds, reported to have made unsatisfactory progress in negotiations with Pope regarding Malta.—Jan. 9.
 Rome, Peter's Pence from North America \$37,000, from South America \$62,000.—Jan. 14.
 Rome, Pope issues an encyclical to guide Catholics in their relation to the State.—Jan. 15.
 Rome, Papal encyclical issued, ordering Catholics to implicit obedience to Papal mandates.—Jan. 16.
 Rome, *Ossavatore*, Romano denies Vatican's attempt to meditate between England and Portugal.—Jan. 16.
 Rome, *Moniteur* of, announces settlement of Malta question between England and the Vatican.—Jan. 18.
 Youngstown, O., resolution against marrying divorced people by Ministerial Association.—Jan. 20.
 Educational, New Haven, Osborne Hall, Yale University, new recitation building dedicated.—Jan. 7.
 Egypt, Boulak, tomb of Cleopatra discovered.—Jan. 10.
 Egypt, Soudan, terrible famine amongst natives of, reported.—Jan. 16.
 ELECTIONS.—Addington, Ont., Conservatives of, nominate J. Reid to contest county.—Jan. 8.
 Berthier, P.Q., Mr. Sylvestre (Liberal), majority 221.—Jan. 15.
 Lanarkshire, Sir Mark Tennant nominated to contest vacancy in Liberal interests.—Jan. 22.
 Manch, France, M. Menel (Republican) elected senator for.—Jan. 28.
 Montreal, Mayor Grenier re-elected by acclamation.—Jan. 21.
 Montreal, City Council, Saturday.—Jan. 31.
 New Brunswick, Government gain 22 ? opposition 17 and Independents 2.—Jan. 20.
 Paris, to fill vacancies caused by invalidation of election of Boulangists.—Jan. 11.
 Paris, M. Leroyer elected president of the Senate.—Jan. 17.
 ELECTRICITY.—Accidents, Hartford, Conn., Oscar Williams killed by shock at.—Jan. 16.
 Accident, Newburg, N.Y., Dawson Thomas, killed in trying to raise a horse struck by an electric wire.—Jan. 20.
 New York, bill introduced in Senate creating Board of Electrical Control.—Jan. 16.
 New York Senate, Resolution introduced into, directing committee on general laws to investigate methods of lighting cities, towns, etc., and to report before April 1st.—Jan. 23.
 Executions, Auburn, N.Y., successful test made in Sing Sing prison on animals at.—Dec. 31.
 Invention, Havana, a tanner of, discovers electrical process to tan largest hides in 60 hours by.—Jan. 16.
 Lancaster, Penna., Street R.R. of, granted permission to run cars by electricity.—Jan. 8.
 Lighting by, Berlin, Herr Werner Von Werner, famous electrician of, says danger of lighting cities by, can be wholly done away with by underground low pressure conduits.—Jan. 13.
 Engineers Convention, American Society of Civil Engineers hold their thirty-seventh annual meeting at New York.—Jan. 15.

EPIDEMICS.—Cheat River, West Virginia, Phesians report "diphtheria and black tongue" in.—Jan. 6.

- Colborne, Ont., High schools closed owing to "La Grippe".—Jan. 25.
 Cholera raging at Mesopotamia, 300 deaths reported.—Jan. 22.
 Fordsville, Ky., black measles appears in.—Jan. 15.
 Hamburg, Germany, malignant typhus fever breaks out in.—Jan. 11.
 Influenza, bacillus of, discovered by Professor W. E. Ichselbaum.—Jan. 22.
 Influenza on American squadron in Mediterranean reported severe. 180 cases on "Chicago" alone.—Jan. 11.
 New York, 150,000 cases of "La Grippe" reported in city.—Jan. 7.
 Paris, influenza reported spreading daily, death rate for week 3:3.—Jan. 9.
 Rio Janeiro, yellow fever appears in.—Jan. 5.
 Saxony, thirty deaths from smallpox reported from.—Jan. 15.
 Executions, Fort Smith, Ark., six condemned murderers hanged at.—Jan. 16.
 Executions, Guayamas, Mexico, J. J. Taylor shot for robbing train, and murder.—Jan. 1.
 Extradition, London *Times* condemns saving political clause in new extradition treaty between U. S. and Canada.—Jan. 13.
 Extradition, Ottawa, confidential copy of proposed extradition treaty between U.S. and Great Britain received at.—Jan. 8.
 FAILURES.—Bellefonte, Pa., iron firm of Curlin & Co., liabilities \$125,000.—Jan. 2.
 Boston, Hobbs, Glidden & Co. of, liabilities \$150,000.—Jan. 8.
 Buenos Ayres, Nebeth, Palpaglioni & Co., liabilities \$6,000,000.—Jan. 25.
 Chicago, T. R. Lawlor, liabilities \$100,000.—Jan. 8.
 Hobbs, Glidden & Co. (building materials), liabilities \$208,000.—Jan. 16.
 London, Artola Bros., Bankers of London, Paris and Madrid, liabilities £400,000.—Jan. 15.
 Madison, Dakota, Bank of South Dakota at, liabilities not known.—Jan. 11.
 Montreal, A. W. Morris & Bros., cordage manufacturers, liabilities \$565,556.40.—Jan. 23.
 New York, De Cordova & Co., shipping merchants, liabilities \$200,000.—Jan. 20.
 New York, J. T. Camp & Co., dress trimmers of, liabilities \$102,948.—Jan. 3.
 Shamokin, Pa., work in Henry Clayshaft's, largest of Reading Coal Co. suspended, 1,800 men idle.—Jan. 15.
 Toledo, The National Bank go into liquidation.—Jan. 19.
 Toronto, Tait, Burch & Co., liabilities \$30,000.—Jan. 22.
 FIRES.—Aix LaChapelle, famous church of St. Michael, burnt.—Jan. 2.
 Baltimore, Northern Central Train Elevator, and number of vessels lying near; 3 men burned to death, loss over \$580,000.—Jan. 13.
 Boston, Mass., Congregational Church at Denver Centre destroyed loss \$35,000.—Jan. 29.
 Boston, Wm. Coburn & Co., dealers in leather, loss \$150,000.—Jan. 17.
 Erie, Pa., four children burned to death in bed, through a lit pipe being laid near them.—Jan. 14.
 Freemont, O., Clauss Shear Works, loss \$50,000.—Jan. 17.
 Hudson, O., Butter Tub Works of E. A. Osborn & Son, loss \$20,000.—Jan. 14.
 Kansas City, Industrial Iron Works destroyed at, loss \$30,000.—Jan. 6.
 Lewiston, Me., great blaze in, destroys many public buildings and records of, loss \$500,000.—Jan. 6.
 New York, shops of Edison Electric Illuminating Co., damage \$100,000.—Jan. 2.
 New York, several business houses burnt in, loss \$25,000.—Jan. 3.
 North Troy, Vt., Hardy's Mills with lumber, and thirteen houses destroyed.—Jan. 20.
 Nottingham, Eng., Sim's Lace Factory, loss £20,000.—Jan. 7.
 Paris, Pilan's silk factory at, loss 600,000 francs.—Jan. 10.
 Portsmouth, N.H., construction and repairing building in Navy yard, destroyed, loss \$100,000.—Jan. 27.
 Quebec, Beauport Church destroyed.—Jan. 24.
 St. John's, Newfoundland, John Farley and his three children burnt in their house.—Jan. 21.
 St. Louis, Western Union Tel. Co., building at, loss \$100,000.—Jan. 8.
 Sioux City, Iowa, Silver Horn Packing Plant smoke house destroyed.—Jan. 20.
 Park City, Utah, Hoisting Works of Crusher Wire Co., loss \$75,000.—Jan. 9.
 Utica, Ill., entire business portion of town burned.—Jan. 20.