PROTESTATIONS OF INNOCENCE nd his last words were, "I call the limighty God to witness that I am in-ocent of the murder for which I am about nocent of the murder for which I am about to be hung." From recent developments it almost seems certain that he was innocent, and while sincere pity must be felt that a man should have suffered unjustly, still he was to be blamed for being a member of a gang whose regular occupation was thieving and debauchery, and appearances were thus strongly against him. The moral to be deduced from this is apparent to law as well as to men, " a man is known by the company he keeps." RESURRECTIONISM EXTRAORDINARY.

A. T. Stewart's Body Stolen in New York.

n Inexplicable Theft-Cunning Robbers. at Work.

NEW YORK, Nov. 7.-Judge Hilton ushed into police headquarters this morning greatly excited, and held a consultation with Inspector Dilks. He stated that

the body of A. T. Stewart was missing. The vault in St. Mark's church had been broken open. The casket was found in the vault, but the body was gone. Dilks at once sent out a general order announcing the theft of the body. The decomposition of the remains is so offensive they could not be concealed. This is apparent from standing at the opening of the vault this morning. Geo. Hammill, sexton of St. Mark's t was

church, was Stewart's undertaker. Early this morning Francis Parker, assistant sexton, discovered that the vault had been tampered with. The stone slab at the head of the vault had been removed a foot away from its position, and earth dug several feet under the slab. As the slab was not over the opening of the vallt, however, the thieves had been disappoint. ed. Hammill reported the occurrence Judge Hilton, A consultation was held and At Hammill's suggestion the slab marking the vault was removed a few feet to the that south of its true position in order to de-Ellen

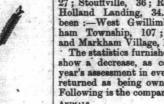
south of its true position in order to de-ceive persons who might wish to steal the body. A watchman was also engaged and he patrolled the ground every night-until a few days ago. Hammill was in the churchyard at 5 p.m. yesterday, and noticed nothing. When the assistant ser-ton came to the churchyard this morning, he saw that the valit had been distarbed Ellen he saw that the vault had been disturbed The thieves had not been deceived by the position of the slab, but had begun directly position of the slab, but had begun directly over the opening to the vault. He went after Hammill, who discovered that Stewart's body had been stolen. The thieves had pried over the strong outer box, and laid the top to one side. They had then cut open the lead box with a knife, wrenched off the silver plate of the inner casket, and taken off the top. The body had been removed with all the clothing. The boldness of the robbery is surprising. The thieves must have watched the movements of the police closely to bout. Ward. the Nard ed the with a the movements of the police closely to avoid being seen. They must have known also that the watchman had been dis-charged, and this surmise furnishes a clue and by which the thieves may yet be dis-covered. The family say the thieves evi-dently expected a reward for the return the of the body. Judge Hilton does not think professional thieves or burglars had anything to do with the deed. He is unwill ing to implicate the sexton and his assistant, but says that they are the only two persons besides himself who could ac-curately locate the opening of the vault and dig directly over it.

Mr. Libby, of the firm of A. T. Stewart & Co., states that \$100,000 will be given if need be for the detection and punishment * of the parties who stole Mr. Stewart's of the parties who stole Mr. Stewart's body, but not one cent will be paid to the latter for the return of the body. The sexton of St. Mark's church is of the opin-ion that the body retained much of its old form though certainly decomposed. The body at the time of death was embalmed. It was intended to place it in the crypt of a costly cathedral at Garden City. Up to midnight the police stated that no arrest had been made in connection with Six. partly of the arrest had been made in connection with the desceration of the Stewart vault and the abduction of the body. They appear utterly befogged as to who perpetrated the robbery. Detectives are scouring every precinct in the city since the alarm has been sent out, and all the approaches to the city are closely guarded, but so far soft at the been sent out, and all the approaches to the city are closely guarded, but so far without any result. New YORK, Nov. 8.—As the Stewart grave rob-bers took away the vestment of the body, they are liable to punishment if detected, although the law does not seem to provide a penalty for the stealing of a body for blackmailing purposes. Two years ago Mrs. Stewart received a letter demand-ing money, under the threat of the des-cration of her husband's grave. Mrs. Stewart is very ill, and sank slowly yesterday after having been toil of the shocking crime. Judge Hilton declares he is absolutely certain to recover the remains and arrect the yully partles within a short time. He thinks it would be impossible to deceive him about the body, as peculiar operations on the teeth will make identification easy. The robbers took away the cofin date and a piece of the coffin ling, doubles to possess proofs of correct identity in the case of a reward being offered. The police have act yet discovered any clue to the parties who robbed Stewart's grave. Judge Hilton offers \$25,000 reward for the robbers. Detectives were sent to day to search a number of vaults in St. Mark's churchyard, where it was runoured offensive odors had been perceived. The theory was that the thieres might have hidden the body in one of the neglected vaults or in the church. The missing body has not been found NEW YORE, Nov. 9.—Assistant District-Attorney Russell says that the statute deange in the the gang sports-fishing ing the or some arties it is rave of Attorney Russell says that the statute de-clares that the rifling of a grave for a sale inight : inght clares that the rilling of a grave for a sale for dissection or in mere wantonness shall be punishable with five years in State prison and five hundred dollarsfine, or with other punishment. It is suspected that the police have begun to arrest a number of thieves in the hope that some of them will implicate the real robbers. NEW YORK, Nov. 9 .- The police have NEW YORK, Nov. 9.—The police have made what they believe to be an important discovery in the Stewart robbery. To-day they found traces of decomposed flesh on the iron fence which bounds the 10th street side of the church-yard. Marks of a bag, which had evidently contained the body, were found on the ground near the fence. A thorough-bred bloodhound was em-ployed in St. Mark's church-yard to-day, to trace the exit of the Stewart grave rob-bers. It has been suggested that the body may have been carried to New Jersey, and detectives are scouring New York and are reported to have a sure clue. and from a one, reported to have a sure clue. reported to have a sure clue. ROANOKE, IND., Nov. 9. - Jno. Peyton, a prominent citizen, died on Saturday and was buried in the cemetery. The night be-fore last the Chief of Police found the body in the dissecting room of the Medical Col-lege at Fort Wayne. The faculty state that the body was brought there on Mon-day by an unknown man. They refused to Ward and ed she city day by an unknown man. They refused to work on a body received in such a myste-rious manner. The body was taken to Roanoke and re-interred. NEW YORK, Nov. 10.-The detectives Hogan ade an unsuccessful search to day in the outskirts of Jersey City for Stewart's body. A detective here thinks the body has been shipped to Havana. t he ne EPPS'S COCOA. -GRATEFUL AND COM FORTING-" By a thorough knowledge of the natural laws which govern the opera-8th day the natural laws which govern the open tions of digestion and nutrition, and by careful application of the fine properties well-selected cocoa, Mr. Epps has pr vided our breakfast tables with a delicate flavoured beverage which may save a many heavy doctors' bills. It is by th judicious use of such articles of diet that constitution may be gradually built until strong enough to resist every ten ency to disease. Hundreds of subt maladies are floating around us ready attack wherever there is a weak poin We may escape many a fatal shaft b hrough Just We may eccape many a fatal shaft by keeping ourselves well fortified with pure blood and a properly nourished frame."-*Civil Service Gazette.*....Sold only in packets labelled..." JAMES EPFS & Co., Homos-pathic Chemists, London, Eng." 343-33

AND STREET MADE TOPOLOGIES THE TOPOLOGIES IN THE TABLE THE WEEKLY MAIL, TORONTO, FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 15, 1878.

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Doctor, "and dump them into the pit?" "No," said I "we have sometimes done, so but we usually draw them on stone-boats, tops and all, and top them at the pit. We have a man to help the driver to pull and load the mangels. We have three teams. One is loading up all the time, another is going back and forth, and the other is at the pit. But you must recollect that this in going back and forth, and the other is at the pot. There is always a weak spot, and ind, "said the Doctor." It seems a very simple mat-ter." Charley laughed. He knows from ex-perience that it is not half so simple as it seems. If left to themselves the men will of concentrated sulphuric acid being added, and heated long enough to transform the starch into grape sugar. The sulphuric acid is to be neutralized by means of carbonates of lime; the gypsum or sulphate of lime thus produced allowed to settle, bonates of time; the gypsum or sulphate of lime thus produced allowed to settle, and the liquid is to be left for fermentation to take place, with or without the use of yeast. A liquid having 8 to 10 per cent, of sugar can easily be made to have 4 to 5 per cent, of alcohol after fermentation, which, by its subsequent acidification, will yield a vinegar of 5 to 6 per cent. of acetic acid





The culinary art forms a part of the education of the women in Germany. The well-to-do tradesman like the mechanic takes pride in seeing his daughters good housekeepers. To effect this object the girl on leaving school, which she does when about fourteen years of age, goes through the ceremony of confirmation and then is placed by her parents with a country gentleman, or in a large family, where she remains one or two years, filling what may also be termed the post of servant, or doing the work of one. This is looked upon as an apprenticeship in domestic economy. She differs from a servant, however, in this —she receives no wages ; on the contrary, her parents often pay for the care taken of her as well as her clothing. This is the first step in her education as housekeeper.

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INSECTS WHICH INJURE GRAIN

CROPS.

Conrad Kapp, a carpenter at Keokuk, Iowa, recently became possessed with the insane idea that he and his family were ined to starve to death. He grew de-dent, and refused to eat anything ex-coccasionally an apple. He finally de-ed that he would eat no more, and for



fifteen days not a morsel of food er a drop of water has passed his lips. He is also sleepless, not having taken off his clothes or gone to bed for over four weeks. He sits in his chair night and day, and when overcome from exhaustion, dozes for ten or fifteen minutes, but never longer. Every means has been used to induce him to take nourishment and medicine, but he stubbornly refuses. He has been constantly watched to see if he eats anything on the sly, but it is found that he does not. He is very much reduced, and, although a large man when well, now weighs less than 100 pounds. He was in very comfortable fifteen days not a morsel of food er

The St. Catharines Mechanics' Institute has a library of nearly 4,000 volumes. Four thousand dollars were raised in Hamilton for the Queen's College Endow-

