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AGED FIVE; SMOKES 12 GIGRAS A DAY

Mother Gives Him Weed As If It Was Candy

She Says the Boy is a Natural Born Smoker—Urchin Has Had No

Childish Allments.

NORTHUMBERLAND, N. H., April so up to the present age of anti-cigar so up to the present age of anti-cigar-ette and anti-tobacco leagues, there never has been a younger victim adict-ed to the use of the "weed" than Allen Johnson Dexter, better known as "Pete," the boy wonder of Northum-berland, N. H., and Guildhall, Vt. The is scarcely at home except for meals pany of the boys on the New Hamp-shire side of the Conecticut river, and the two towns are connected by a toll bridge, one of the 13 between the two

tim of the tobacco habit is only 5 years old. He has been smoking daily for about a year, and it is not an uncommon thing for him to use a dozen good cigars in a day. While his father, Lorenzo Dexter, declares he will break the boy of the habit, he does not apparent. ly intend to do so, for the present, at least, as he registered no objection when the anxious mother told her little son to show a Boston Herald man how he could get away with a good cigar. As Mrs. Dexter held a 10-cent cigar in her hand and asked "Pete," as she calls him, to light up, the little urchin ran to her side and grabbed the cigar.

BITES OFF END OF "LONG FILL-ER." MOTHER GIVES NEEDED

Man fashion and without any apparent signs of being a "smart" child, little "Pete" bit off the end and placed ther lighted a match and "Pete" began

wealthy sport, young "Pete" puffed, as small clouds of smoke rose heavenward. The boy apparently was not proud to exhibit his ability of a finished smoker, but he quietly sat down or walked through the house and into the street with complexent sold. or walked through the house and into the street with complacent self-possession, as though he were alone and not being gazed upon by strangers or even members of his own family. In a comparatively short time the boy had smoked the cigar down quite close to the end. Instead of being drowsy or sickly from the effects of a strong smoke, he was ready for another and select the was ready for another, and asked the mother for it. Were it not for the fact that he had been given his usual allowance during the day, and that he would fight against going to bed unless he had his regular after supper smoke, Mrs. Dexter would will not be the second of the second

tender age. Of the small boys in the vicinity of his home, young "Pete" is the only one who has successfully mastered smoking. From the very beginning he was successful, while boys twice and three times his age are still so greatly impressed by the aftereffects of their first attempt that they have no desire to repeat it. Once was enough, the young boys of Northumberland and Guildhall declare.

Young "Pete's" first attempt was more successful, and it was one day about a year ago that a lumberman at Northumberland gave him his first lesson. Who this man was the par-

little fellow to puff a cigar which he himself was smoking. The child made such progress that day that the same lumberman gave him a fresh one the next day, and after he had lighted it for little "Pete" he sent him home. In a few minutes he appeared at the home of his parents and walked into the house puffing away at his cigar. For a moment Mr. and Mrs. Dexter could not believe their eyes, and the father snatched the cigar from the child's lips and threw it into the kitchen stove. The little fellow caused such pandemonium for a few minutes that the parents decided to break him off at once, and they thought of no better scheme than to have him smoke a strong Havana and keep him at it until he was deathly sick. That was just what the child wanted, and ne asked for another when he finished that one. This angered the parents, but each time after that for several weeks they watched him closely and administered a whipping. This had no apparent effect, and finally the mother gave up, declaring that the child was a natural born smoke, Ever since that the ward, members of the Jockey Ci and the aristocracy of the reception be denied he will although he has turned ov tions of the government to dent Comez.

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GOOD BALL PLAYER CAN BEAT OTHERS ON LAND AND WATER.

he is a good baseball player, and he can run, swim and push a boat, faster than any child twice his own age in

than any child twice his own age in these two towns. The bright-eyed little youth will not be old enough to go to school until next September, and despite that fact he knows more than dozens of boys twice his own age.

Little "Pete" is a puzzle to many, and more especially to those who are acquainted with him sufficiently to study him. Many of these believe that tobacco is injurious to any one, especially those under 20 years. They believe that it any me under that age is addicted to the habit, he must be napessary nervous, weak, dull and physically a wreck. Such is not the cost tobacco is little boy, and the use of tobacco here. case with this little boy, and the use of tobacco has apparently no effect upon him. The more he smokes, the more he enjoys it. He generally smokes strong cigars, but occasionally takes a cigarette. He detests a pipe. In and outdoors he is very frequently seen with a cigar in the corner of his mouth.

When he has an audience he will inhale the smoke, blow it out through his nostrils and send rings of the smoke heavenward with the same ap-parent pleasure that an Egyptian would have with his cigarette or water

the street by strangers, who are awe-stricken at such a mite of humanity smoking a cigar. Often they threaten him with a whipping or that they will tell his parents, but that has no effect upon him, and unless they give him pennies to buy candy he will keep on the smoking. smoking. After they go away he gives the money to a larger boy, who buys a new supply of smoking ma-

NEIGHBORS THREATEN PAR-ENTS TO APPEAL TO AUTH-

While people generally about the two villages on either side of the river criticise the parents and threaten to bring the matter before the attention bring the matter before the attention of the authorities, it apparently has no seffect, and "Pete" keeps on smoking.

"Pete" was born at Guildhill Sept.
22, 1900. He is the son of Mrs. Lorenzo Dexter by her second husband. There are three children, each representing a marriage. The older brother, George Darby, is a model boy and never thinks of smoking.

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"Yes, of course, we know little 'Pete' smokes and that smoking is ordinarily injurious to small boys." said Mrs. Dexter to a Boston Herald reporter, "but as it apparently has no effect upon him I do not know whose business it is. He is a natural-born smoker, and he has never been sick a day, never had any of the aliments children often have, and people say that smoking is often times a preventive. I give him a cigar occasionally in the same way as mothers give their children candy, and I have never seen any ill results. My husband has objected time and again, but it would be necessary to keep the little fellow in a cage to prevent his smoking, as many men in the village see no better pleasure than to watch him puff away at a cigar."

AGED WOMAN BURNED.

While Fighting Prairie Fires Mr. Schalk Carried His Mother Out to a Ploughed Buildings Were Burned.

Mrs. Dexter would willingly have given him another. At her refusal the boy scowled and said he could get another in Northumberland at one of the stores.

NO SIGN OF EITHER MENTAL OR PHYSICAL WEAKNESS ABOUT HIM.

Quite out of the ordinary, this young victim of the tobacco habit is a good sized, healthy and bright youth. He has not the least apparent sign of mental and physical weaknesses which authorities on the tobacco habit say must hecessarily follow the use of the "weed," especially by children of a tender age. Of the small boys in the vicinity of his home, young "Pets" is the only one who has successfully mastered weaknesses.

WINNIPEG, April 17—Details of a Remby horrible fatality which occurred at Remby, hear Lacombe, Alta, have been received here, in which Mrs. Schalk, an aged invalid, was burned to death. A prairie fire threatened the destruction of her son's farm building, and he carried his paralyzed mother out upon some ploughed ground, where he left her is supposed safety, while he returned to battle against the fiames. However, a spark ignited her clothing, and she was so badly burned that she died ten hours afterwards in great agony. Schalk's buildings and their contents were also reduced to ashes, but neighbors have taken up a subscription to give him another start in life.

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CASTRO IS COMING TO THE UNITED STATES.

NEW YORK, April 19.-The World

dent Comez.

"The authority for this statement is Wm. S. Crandall, who is largely interested as a capitalist in mineral lands in the South American Republic."

TO THE JOCKEY CLUB

MONTREAL, April 20.-Colin Campturf racing up to the highest level. It is said by Mr. Hendrie that though, he has raced horses all his life he has never bet on a race.

It is not because of his ability to smoke that little "Pete" has become known as the boy wonder of Guildhali and Northumberland. For a small boy DR. CHASE'S OINTMENT.

COUNTRY MARKET.

The price of provisions generally on the increase, as the supply in Can-ada at present is not equal to the de-mand. This is especially true of grain and heavy feed.

Roll butter, per lb. ... 0 20 Tub butter, per lb 0 18 Eggs, case, per doz 0 18 Turkey, per lb. 0 20 Hides, per lb. 0 09 Calf hides, per lb. Lambskins, each 0 10 Sheepskins, each 1 00 Cabbage, per doz 1 00 " 1 50 Carrots, per bbl... ... 1 25 " 1 50 Beets, per bbl 1 25 " 0 00 " 0 00 " 0 00

Squash 0 02 " 0 00 Chickens, per pair ... 1 00 " 1 20 Mackerel 0 13
Codfish, large dry 4 60
Medium 4 50
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Beef, corned, per lb .. 0 09
Pork, fresh, per lb. .. 0 00
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FISH.

Smelt, per pound 0 10

Halibut 0 15

Fresh cod and haddeck, per lb 0 05

Firnan haddles 0 07 Sin'k'd bloaters, per doz 0 24 Boneless cod, per lb ... 0 12 Sm'k'd herring, per bx. 0 15

GROCERIES Cheese, per lb...... 0 00 " 0 15% Rice, per lb 0 03% " 0 03% Cream of tartar, pure.

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Beans, prime 1 80 " 1 85
Beans, yellow eye 1 95 " 2 10
Split pees 5 25 " 5 25
Pot barley 4 40 " 4 50

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Pratt's Astral 0 00 " 0 19%

"White Rese" and Chester 0 00 " 0 18%

"High Grade Sarnia"
and "Archlight" 0 00 " 0 18

"Silver Star" 0 00 " 0 50

Linseed oil, raw 0 00 " 0 60

Linseed oil, boiled 0 00 " 0 63

Turpentine 0 00 " 1 05 OILS. Turpentine 0 00 Seal oil (steam refined) 0 00 Olive oil.. 0 00 " 0 95

MANY NEEDY IMMIGRANTS.

Flocking to Toronto for Assistance

grants cost \$1,425.68, and aggregated \$2,289 nights' shelter and relief. Toronto's own homeless poor numbered 435, and had \$76 nights' shelter at a CIDCT TUDDINGS. cost of \$1,698.98. Only 87 women sought shelter, and they had an aggregate of sas nights' assistance. The total cost of the relief of homeless poor was \$4,247.48, and they had 69,558 meals at a total cost of \$2,057,11, or three cents per

QUEBEC WILL GLADLY WELCOME KING EDWARD

MONTREAL, April 20—Le Canada says editorially today: "The motion of Mr. Belcourt, addressing respectfully to their majesties an invitation to visit their royal subjects in Canada, was discussed Wednesday in the commons and adopted unanimously.

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"In the presence of the suspicions on the subject of the loyalty of French Canadians which are entertained by canadians which are entertained by unscrupious conservative politicians in the province of Quebee, it was gratifying that the initiative in this demonstration of loyalty to the English crown and of respectful devotion to their majesties should be taken by a French-Canadian.

"We can conceive of nothing that will cause to spring into existence in Quebec a more universally enthusi-astic joy than the promise of a visit to us for some days of the sovereign who reigns over Canada and the other parts of the British empire."

IN MEMORY OF LATE

RECENT DEATHS.

tandard granulated, yellow bright, of Wm. Tingley, Carmathen street,

19 years old.

The remains of John Mahoney, who died in Cambridge, Mass., arrived here Saturday on the C. P. R. Rev. A. B. Cohoe conducted services and burial was in Fernhill. Arthur Mahoney, son of the deceased, accompanied the

From his late residence, Blue Rock, the funeral of Joseph Wells took place Saturday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock to St. Jude's church, where Rev. G. F. Scovil conducted servie. Burial was in Cedar Hill.

WESTMORLAND CO. DEATHS,

SACKVILLE, N. B., April 21.—The seath of I. C. Armstrong occurred nuite suddenly on Wednesday at the nome of his sister, Mrs. James Patterson. Deceased was seventy years of age. Funeral took place yesterday. Rev. George Steel conducted the service. Interment at the rural cemetery.

CAIRO, Egypt, April 20.—The Brittish Government has decided to increase the strength of the British garrison in Egypt owing to the attitude of the Turkish Government in the Tabah boundry dispute and its possible effect on the Islamic population.

COLOMBO, Ceylon, April 20.—The Russian volunteer fleet steamer, Kazan, bound from Odessa for Vladivostok to bring home troops, is ashore on a reef near this port and it is expected will be a total wreck. The ey back.—Co. Geo. Merritt, in Textile American.

CHANGES IN THE GOVERNMENT STEAMERS

S. S. Princess Will Do Fishery Protective Work in Gulf and Labrador Walers.

CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I., April 22.-Dr. Wakeham, Ottawa, commander of the Gulf of St. Lawrence division of the Canadian fisheries, arrived here last night to complete arrange ments for the purchase by the dominion government of the str. Princes from the Steam Navigation Co. The Princess, built in 1896, has been plying between Pictou and Charlottetown for years, but owing to the building of th new steamer Empress, she will not be needed for the Island service. The That there had been a considerable increase in the number of immigrants relieved was one of the features of the report laid before the annual meeting.

The latter's gray and aguinment. relieved was one of the features of the report laid before the annual meeting of the House of Industry yesterday afternoon. During the year 1,308 homeless poor from places outside of Toronto were given shelter, an increase of 1304, but of this total number 729 were immigrants, an increase of 200 on 1904, and these immigrants cost \$1,425,68, and aggregated structured in fishery protection work in the Gulf of Labrador waters. The latter's crew and equipment will be transferred to the former. The La Canadienne in fishery protection work in the Gulf of Labrador waters. The latter's crew and equipment will be transferred to the former. The La Canadienne in fishery protection work in the Gulf of Labrador waters. The latter's crew and equipment will be transferred to the former. The La Canadienne in fishery protection work in the Gulf of Labrador waters. The latter's crew and equipment will be transferred to the former. The La Canadienne is now being fitted out at Sorel for hydrographic survey work in the Straits of Belleisie

FOR COASTING TRADE

Eastern S. S. Company Will Probably Place Her on Boston-St. John

BOSTON, April 21.—The launching today at Chester, Penn., of the steamer Governor Cobb for the Eastern Steamship Company will give the New England service the first turbine passenger boat for coastwise traffic.

It is expected that the new versel will be placed on the line between this city and St. John and will be ready for service within a few weeks.

The Governor Cobb recembles is been

The Governor Cobb resembles in her general appearance the two other steamers of the line, the Governor Dingley and the Calvin Austin. She is 300 feet long, 51 feet beam and 20 feet in depth. She is furnished with 200 staterooms and a dining room on the main deck aft. She has a double bottom and is equipmed. tom and is equipped with numerous bulkheads. It is expected that she will have a speed of twenty knots an hour.

DEAN PARTRIDGE

She had been in delicate health for a year, but a fatal result was not expected so soon. Miss Tingley was only 19 years old.

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Sub-Dean Street, who was with the late dean during the last hours of his illness, preached an eloquent sermon, taking his text from the last two clauses of the Nicene Creed. "I believe in the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come." As the congregation left the church Prof. Powell the organist, rendered Webster's fundary.

At the parish church the rector paid most touching tribute to the deceas-

At St. Mary's church a special mem-orial service was held, the preacher be-ing Rev. Mr. Duffy.

A BUSY WOMAN Can Do the Work of 3 or 4

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Crossman are mourning the loss of their little daughter Dorothy, whose death occurred on Tuesday after a short illness. Funeral took place Wednesday. Rev. B. N. Nobles conducted the service. Interment at Middle Sackville cemetery.

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The funeral of the late Dr. W. Hewson, Point de Bute, took place on Thursday and was largely attended. Rev. Chas. Flemington coducted the service. Interment at Point de Bute cemetery.

Interment at Point de Bute control of the latter) and all the energy and ability to do this I owe to Grape-Nuts food. "It was not always so, and a year

IN KENT CO.

HARCOURT, N. B., April 21.—Yesterday at West Branch, Rev. W. M.
Townsend conducted the funeral of the late John MacMichael, who died on the 17th, aged 73, leaving a widow and four sons, Alexander, William, Edward and MacKenzje.

On the 19th, the remains of Miss Besse, daughter of John Cail, were interred in the Presbyterian cemetery at West Branch, Rev. Mr. Townsend conducting the service. Miss Cail died in Somerville, Mass., on Monday, aged 20.

The funeral of the late Mrs. John Baldwin of Bass River, took place at Bass River on the 19th, Rev. R. Hensley Stavert officiating. Mrs. Baldwin, who leaves a husband and several children, died in Greenfield, Mass., at the residence of one of her sons. She was fifty-nine years old.

In was not always so, and a year ago when the shock of my nursing baby's death utterly prostrated me and deranged my stomach and nerves so that I could not assimilate as much as a mouthful of solid food, and was in even worse condition mentally, he would have predicted that it ever would be so.

"Prior to this great grief I had suffered for years with impaired digestion, insomnia, agonizing cramps in the stomach, pain in the side, constitution, and other bowel derangements, and in the stomach, pain in the side, constitution, and other bowel derangements, and in the stomach, pain in the side, constitution, and other bowel derangements, and in the stomach, pain in the side, constitution, and other bowel derangements, and there would be so.

"Today I am free from all the troubles I have enumerated. My digestion is simply perfect, I assimilate my food without the least distress, enjoy sweet, restful sleep, and have a buoyand four the stomach pain in the side of the stomach, pain in the side constitution, and other bowel derangements, and the stomach, pain in the side constitution, and other bowel derangements, and the stomach, pain in the side of the s sweet, restful sleep, and have a buoyant feeling of pleasure in my varied duties. In fact, I am a new woman, entierly made over, and I repeat, I owe it all to Grape-Nuts and Postum Coffee." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

There's a reason, Read the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs,

Duryea Stable Has Some Good Horses.



EARTHQUAKES IN AMERICA. (Mail and Empire.)

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The North American earthquake record dates back to 1638, when, in the afternoon of June I, all New England was violently shaken. The weather was clear and warm, and there was not the slightest atmospheric warning of the earthquake. Four minutes the shock lasted, and it was accompanied by a noise like thunder. People and houses were thrown down. For twenty days there was more or less disturb-FREDERICTON, N. B., April 22.—
In all the Episcopal churches today in his sith year. He was a native of Maine and the funeral will be held from the residence of his nephew in Houlton tomorrow.

Miss Lillian May Tingley, daughter of Wm. Tingley, Carmarthen street, died quite suddenly Saturday morning.

Mouses were thrown down. For twenty days there was more or less disturbance, and then the earth quieted down. On Jan. 26, 1662, there was a heavy shock felt in New England, New York and in eastern Canada. This earth-qual the lord bishop was the preacher in the morning and he referred to the great loss the church had sustained. At the evening service a very large condicted was present, the edifice be-

After this disastrous earthquake there were no more notable shocks until 1727, when New England was visited again by a tremer that lasted for two minutes. This earthquake, like a ripple on the sea, traveled a long distance, shocks being noticeable for a distance of seven hundred miles, and about as vicient as those of 1638. On the same day the Island of Martinique was threatened with destruction by a shock that lasted for eleven hours. A month later there was a more vicient trembling along the Atlantic coast from Halifax to Chesapeake Bay. Houses were thrown down, people huried to the earth, and much property destroyed. At the same time there was a great tidal wave in the West Indies.

HENRY G. FOWLER, Upham, K Co.

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FOR SALE—A Bargain.—A portion of the outfit of a Djamond Drill, consisting of a small double cylinder upright engine and boiler, with many other articles. Can be seen at the machine works of E. S. STEPHEN-SON & CO. St. John.

FARM FOR SALE

Situated on Millstream, near Berwick Corner, one-quarter mile from cheese factory, school, church, store and mill; balance in timber; good two-story house, barns and out buildings in good repair; well watered; 75 acres of intervale. For particulars apply to J. W. MACAFEE, Millstream, Kings Co.

San Francisco had a rather severe shock on March 26, 1872, when many fine public buildings were damaged by cracks in the walls. Two years earlier an earthquake was observed in several, parts of the United States and Canada. On this eccasion news of its approach was telegraphed from Quebec to Montreal in time to call attention to the wave's approach. Not much damage was done on this occasion, and it can truly be said that the earthquake in San Francisco is the most disastrous in loss of life and property that has ever occurred in the United States or Canada.

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(Senator Scott, secretary of state in the dominion government, gives us to understand that Canada need not contribute to the expense of the British navy, since Great Britain could not discard a single ship, even if she has no colonies to defend.)

Canadians need no bulwarks, no towers along the steep,

We've got Britannia's ample skirt,
And Uncle Sam's elastic shirt,
Both good as they are cheap.

BOSTON, April 22.—Stanley Clark University addressed a ladience in Potter Hall today on ferings of natives in the Comstate. Dr. Hall claimed that the population astimated at the control of the dominion government, gives us to understand that the dominion government, gives us to understand that Canada need not contribute to the expense of the British navy, since Great Britain could not discard a single ship, even if she has no colonies to defend.)

Canadians need no bulwarks, nor warlike implements;
John Bull, the kindly, patient ass,
Likes bearing burdens; we, en Prefer collecting cents.

Canadians need no bulwarks while J.B. floats above The briny deep; Heav'n send him

Our role will be - we won't be To pay him back with-love.

-Glasgow Herald.

Herman B. Duryea will be represented on the turf this season by a good stable of horses, most of which are two-year-olds and are sired by former star performers, such as Ethelbert, Sandingham, Ben Strome, Sir Dixon, Hamburg, Watercress, Handspring, Yankee, Lamplighter, Goodrich and Mazagan.

His colors were not often in front last season, but this year he has a likely looking lot of racers, and on appearance and breeding they seem sure to carry the "green, white bars on sleeves" of this well known turfman to the front many times.

The horses are now quartered at Sheepshead Bay and are in the care of the veteran trainer, John W. Huggins, who is getting them ready for the opening of the season at Aqueduct one week from Monday.

In the stable that will race this year year-olds and one four-year-old. Only three of the older horses have faced the barrier. They are McKittridge was a good colt last year and both owner and trainer expect to see him capture some of the big stakes in which he is entered.

"If you want work, or if you desire to increase your income during spare time, write us now, and we will give you profitable work in your vicinity. We pay well for services rendered. PELHAM NURSERY CO., Toronto, Cht."

WANTED—Two men to run dril machines. Must be temperate. THO SON MFG. CO., GRAND BAY, K

were spit.

ated and fell down. The fields put on the appearance of precipices, and the mountains seemed to be moving out of their places." Small rivers were dried up, and half-way between Quebec and Tadousac two mountains were shaken down and formed a point of land extending for some distance into the St. Lawrence.

The st. Lawrence.

The EIGHTEENTH CENTURY.

Gen. Ont.

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FOR SALE, at bargain, the plant for Cheese Factory, consisting of milk and curd vats, Babcock tester, scale, and the whole plant except boiler; all in good order, only used five seasons. HENRY G. FOWLER, Upham, K Co. 44-lim.

CONGO FREE STATE

BOSTON, April 22.—Stanley Hall of Clark University addressed a large audience in Potter Hall today on the sufferings of natives in the Congo Free State. Dr. Hall claimed that out of a population estimated at between thirty million and forty million there were yearly put to death three million by the laws of King Leopold. Many poor natives, he said, were flogged to death because of their inability to collect a sufficient amount of rubber. sufficient amount of rubber.

CASE SHOULD BE PRESSED

TORONTO, April 22 .- On Saturday Crown Attorney Curry stated that in his opinion the case against Joseph That advertising pays is a foregone conclusion.—Edwin Rose, Wm. Henger-er Co., Buffalo.

The case against Joseph Phillips of York county would be pressed. Mr. Curry also said that the attorney general was of the opinion of the case should be pressed.