Yet of pushing him on in the world. In the late election young Gillen, was an active worker, and while in the company of the different ward politicians he frequently became intoxicated. On several occasions he was seen staggering through the streets of the Thirteenth ward, and the news soon reached ake away Sigerson that his protege had turned out a It is said that this information came to Michael in such a way that it stung him to the core, and he therefore determined never to allow Gillen to enter his house again. his arms

to allow Gillen to enter his house again. When Sigerson met Gillen again he upbraided him for his conduct and informed him of his resolve. Gillen, ashamed of himself and his actions, slunk away, and entering the nearest saloon drowned his sorrows in drink. While a visitor and a friend at the house of the Sigersons, Gillen had become greatly attached to Mary. It is not known that she encouraged his aftentions, but, it is said that tached to Mary. It is not known that she encouraged his attentions, but it is said that they were on good terms. Mary, who was seven years older than her admirer, was a lady of education and refinement. She was a brunette, remarkably pretty, of medium height and shapely figure. No attention was paid to Gillen's conduct while he was a favourite of the household, but after he was banished from the place he often remarked to acquaintances that he loved the young woman. For hours he has watched for her to leave the house, and would ears old. with her 24th of the young woman. For hours he has watched for her to leave the house, and would follow her about town. Latterly the lady noticed his actions and frequently chastised him for "dogging" her from place to place. Her words were, however, of no avail, and a few days ago when she left the house she found him at her heels. Within a week the young lawyer had changed considerably. It young lawyer had changed considerably. It was plann from his appearance that he had become the slave of drink. People who were at one time interested in his welfare spurned him and he found but little sympathy with the professional bar-room lounger. He neglected his office, which was at No. 115 Broadway, and his clients deserted him. Yester-day morning he sat at a table in the rear of Hall's saloon, at the corner of Tompkins and Grand streets. He was half drunk, and was in a melancholy mood. It was noticed that Hall's saloon, at the corner of Tompkins and Grand streets. He was half drunk, and was in a melancholy mood. It was noticed that he was examining a pistol very carefully. Nothing was thought of it, however, as for several weeks past he had been frequently brandishing about the same weapon, and while in a drunken stupor had threatened to kill everybody because he was not nominated as the candidate for Assembly by the Democratic party. Between three and four o'clock he left the liquor store and retired to his room in the upper part of the same building. He did not sleep long, and before noon was noticed moving around the ward in company with a' barkeeper. His movements during the day are enknown as yet, but at half-past two o'clock he accosted James Van Raust, a boy of thirteen, at the corner of Lewis and Grand streets, and asked him to carry a letter to a lady at No. 38 Lewis street. The youth said that he would, and Gillen then handed him an open note which was addressed to Miss Mary Sigerson. When Van Raust was about starting for the place Gillen called him back and told him to be particular and not give the letter to any one but to the person addressed. The boy carried the note to Miss Sigerson, and after reading it she wrote an answer on the back of the paper, and pinning the envelope sent it ive with

carried the note to Miss Sigerson, and after reading it she wrote an answer on the back of the paper, and pinning the envelope, sent it back Gillen received the message, and without opening it, hurried away toward Brome street. It is supposed that in the note Gillen had requested an interview with Miss Siger-son, and her answer was a refusal to meet him. na like At a few minutes to five o'clock Wednesday evening, the door bell at No. 38 Lewis street was jerked violently by a man in a high state of nervous excitement. It was Gillen, and when the door was opened he rushed up stairs to the front parlour, where Mrs. Sigerson and her daughter were sitting. Without knocking at the door, the young lawyer entered the apartment, but at once excused himself for intruding upon their privacy. He was asked to sit down, and after talking on different matters, politely asked Miss Sigerson if she would give him a drink of water. She went into a rear room to get it for him, and as she was returning with the tumbler in her hand he met her at the threshold of the door, and whispered something in her ear. She shook her head, and then he threw his left arm around her neck, and at the same time he said in a loud tone, "Mary, will you marry me?" She replied, "No. Leave the house. Good night." The next Mrs. Sigerson, who was but a few feet away from the pair, heard was her daughter exclaim, "Mother, catch his arm." As the old lady was moving toward the door to ascertain the cause of the exclamation, she was startled by the report of a pistol, and a second after her daughter fell dead at her feet, the bullet having entered her brain and caused her instant death. Horrified at the sight, the aged lady was unable to raise an outcry.

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In the mean time the assassin pushed her aside and ran down stairs, and, jumping over a fence, made his way to the street. He went to No. 28, and, entering the rear tenement, jumped from one of the windows to the roof of a soap factory shed. He then passed through an alleyway to Goerck street, where he met a woman. He told her, when she asked him what was the matter, that he "had shot his girl, and would be dead before nine o'clock." He ran towards Broome street, into which he turned, and was lost eight of along the piers. When the police learned of the murder, they caused the neighbourhood to be scoured, but were unable to get any clue to the whereabouts of the murderer. The residence of Gillen's parents, at No. 720 East Ninth street, was also scarched, and as he could not be traced, the police are inclined to think that he has carried out his threat, and that his body is at present hidden in the waters of the East river. Goroner Brady has assumed charge of the case, and has examined the friends, whose statements substantiate the facts as narrated above. w cast

THE ASSASSIN'S ESCAPE.

A Young Woman Killed by a Rejected Suitor.

A LAPSE FROM VIRTUE.

SHOT DEAD IN HER DOORWAY. Andrew J. Giller, a young lawyer, shot and instantly killed Miss Mary Sigerson, a lady of thirty, on Wednesday night, because she refused his hand in marriage. The tragedy took place at the threshold of the door which

tural exports of the United States for 1880 have just been published, and the exhibit shows the remarkable progress of this department of commerce. The total is 8095, 283, 578, against \$558, 776.828 for the year previous. Breadstuffs form the largest item—including fruit and vegetables, the value was \$290, 970, 683 as compared with \$213, 089, 754 in 1879. The cattle expont, a comparatively new feature, amounted to \$13, 262, 280, an increase of over 50 per cent. In 1876 the export of live cattle was only a little over a million dollars. In sheep and mutton there was a slight falling off, the amount being a little over \$1,000,000. Hogs and their products amounted to \$35, 269, 331 as compared with \$79, 438, 936. Other items showed a satisfactory increase. of thirty, on Wednesday night, because she refused his hand in marriage. The tragedy took place at the threshold of the door which separates the parlour from a rear room on the second floor of the little house No. 38 Lewis street, New York. The deceased lady, who was the only daughter of the late Thomas Sigerson, lived with her aged mother and brother, Michael H. Sigerson, Assistant Corporation Attorney, at the above number. Her brother, John Sigerson, has represented that district several times in the Assembly. Michael, a lawyer and politician, is a staunch supporter of Tammany Hall. The family is well known to residents of the east side, and they have hosts of friends. Five years ago the latter introduced to the several members of the family the young man Gillen, who was at that time studying law in an office down town. Although but seventeen years of age the student looked much older. He was tail and slim. His features and hands were well formed, and from his appearance one would readily suppose that he had been well reared. He was poor, but ambitious, and because he was unfortunate Michael H. Sigerson pitied him. Gillen soon became a favourite in the household. Mrs. Sigerson looked upon him as a son, and Mary treated him as she would a brother. The him as she would a brother. The student undoubtedly appreciated their kindness, and frequently spoke to acquaintances of the good treatment he had received at their hands. He could come and go when he pleased, and the Assistant Corporation attorney was always willing to fully explain puzzling law questions to him. For years Gillen was a welcome visitor at the Lewis street dwelling, and when he was ad-Lewis street dwelling, and when he was admitted to the Bar three months ago he openly acknowledged that Mr. Sigerson was desirous of pushing him on in the world. In the late

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EDITORIAL NOTES.

The complete official returns of the agri-

succession of poor harvests and cheap American produce. Evidently matters cannot go on in this fashion much longer, and Parliament will speedily have to face an English as well as an Iriah land question.

HOME NOTES.

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The New Chicago Industry—How the Substitute for Oleomargarine is Manufactured.

Chicago, Nov. 14.—Some time ago the Elgin Board of Trade appointed Chas. Baltz, Joseph Tefft, and S. A. Dorgargonz a committee to investigate certain rumours about the wholesale adulteration of butter and cheese or the manufacture of spurious butter and cheese. These gentlemen have prepared a report stating that they have found in Chicago six or seven factories which are turning off from 25,600 to 30,000 pounds of lard and butter daily. This stuff is made of lard, soapstone, a little butter, and other substances, the entire mixture not costing more than a shilling, while it is sold a cent or two below the gennine butter, or at. 14, 23, and 27 cents, according to whether it is common dairy or creamery. Some is sold in Chicago, but the greater part of it is shipped east and south as genuine butter from the dairy districts of Illinois and Wisconsin. It is supposed to be better than oleomargine, which is made of lard. The committee finds also that cheese is being adulterated by the use of a composition of alkali sal-soda. It is called "antipuff," because it prevents cheese from puffing up and allowing plenty of buttermilk to the worker. It is used only in skimmed milk cheese."

price of potatoes in San Francisco is about 25 cents a bushel. Dried, they brought in England 45 shillings a hundredweight, or at the rate of \$1.50 a bushel for green potatoes. This year preparation has been made for drying and shipping large quantities. It is said that there are 300,000 acres of uncultivated that there are 300,000 acres of uncultivated that on the western slope of the Const range, near San Francisco, especially adapted to potato growing. The fogs and mist from the ocean supply sufficient moisture, and the soil yields bountifully. The only problem heretofore has been where to market the product.

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