

CITY AND SUBURBAN NEWS

NEW-YORK.

"J. J. T."—A wins the bet.

"Lex."—Either is correct, but "fulfill" is preferable.

The steamship Wieland, which sailed yesterday for Hamburg, took out, among other passengers, Dr. William T. Wallace, Gottfried Witt, and August Keppner.

Philip Becker, Mayor of Buffalo, visited the Tombs yesterday accompanied by Detective Sergeant Charles Heidelberg. Afterward he took a seat upon the bench in Special Sessions.

Among the passengers of the State Line steamship State of Nebraska, which sailed yesterday for Glasgow, were Arthur Christie, of Washington; A. L. Douglass, and Mr. Scouler.

The Executive Committee of the Henry George Association held an executive session at No. 141 Eighth-street last evening. They refused to tell the subject or result of their deliberations.

Edwards H. Goff said yesterday that the lighting of the statue of Liberty would probably take place on Monday. Arrangements are now making so that the event may occur as soon as possible.

The Aldermanic committee will present the engrossed resolutions of the Common Council on the late John Kelly to Mrs. Kelly on Wednesday next at 3 P. M., at Mrs. Kelly's residence, No. 34 East Sixty-ninth-street.

The White Star steamship Republic, which sailed yesterday for Liverpool, had as passengers Capt. E. Domenza, Dr. Frank M. Brown, the Rev. H. Blogg, George W. Churchley, the Rev. A. Matthews, the Rev. J. Dunlop, Frank G. Macomber, and R. Von der Sahl.

The fourteenth anniversary of the McAuley Mission will be celebrated on Sunday afternoon and evening at No. 316 Water-street. Among the speakers will be the Revs. C. H. Parkhurst, M. T. Bovard, and Henry T. Satterlee, Gen. Clinton B. Fisk, A. S. Hatch, R. F. Cutting, and James Talcott.

Delays on the elevated road between the hours of 6:30 and 7:15 A. M. have been numerous this past week, to the indignation of passengers. The difficulty seems to be on the steep grade at Ninety-second-street, as trains leaving the yard in Ninety-eighth-street at about that time find it hard to run up that grade.

Lizzie Clark, Mary Hallsey, Mary E. Stanton, and Catharine Conners, each about 18 years of age, were arrested early yesterday morning in an opium den at No. 11 Pell-street, where they were found with several Chinamen. Justice Duffy, in the Tombs Police Court, sentenced them to six months' imprisonment.

The Long Island Ferry Company having compromised with the Dock Board by paying \$450 as a fine for doing business without a permit and \$360 as wharfage fees, its boats were running again yesterday between East Ninety-ninth-street and College Point. Their permit is conditioned on the payment of \$5 a day wharfage from the 9th inst.

serve from Jan. 1, and will receive \$3,000 a year each.

A contest of the will of the late Mary O'Connor, a sister of Eugene F. O'Connor, who was defeated in the Fourth Congressional District at the last election, was begun yesterday before Surrogate Lott, in Brooklyn. The estate, valued at \$250,000, is left by the will to the testator's sister, Ruth, and another sister, Mrs. Josephine Slattery, of Dublin, Ireland, is the contestant. She alleges undue influence.

Frank McCaffery, a Brooklyn reporter, was set upon at 1 o'clock yesterday morning by William Callahan and beaten severely. His head was cut in several places, and one blow inflicted by Callahan's club may prove serious. Callahan was arrested and held for examination. The cause of the assault was the fact that Mr. McCaffery wrote an account of Callahan's trial and conviction of assault. Two days ago Callahan was discharged from the Penitentiary, and then declared his intention to kill McCaffery.

At yesterday's meeting of the Kings County Board of Supervisors a letter was received from the Charities Commissioners calling attention to the wretched condition of affairs at the Insane Asylum at Flatbush. With the communication was a report from Sanitary Engineer Powers stating that the plumbing, ventilating, and other sanitary arrangements of the asylum were of the primitive character in use 35 years ago. The estimated cost of the improvements will be about \$50,000. The letter was referred to a committee.

STATEN ISLAND.

Three candidates took the Royal Arch degree in Tyrian Chapter, No. 219, at West New-Brighton, last evening. Officers from the State Grand Lodge were present.

While a Mrs. Brasnon, of Washington, who is visiting friends at Tompkinsville, was walking along Sarah Ann-street, Tuesday evening, she met two young men, who knocked her down and robbed her of \$7 20. William Richardson and Cornelius O'Brien were arrested yesterday on suspicion of being the highwaymen.

Capt. Jacob Schmidt, of Tompkinsville, thinks his dog Sailor displayed a phenomenal amount of intelligence yesterday. One of the Captain's rowboats broke loose from the dock and was drifting out to sea, when the dog saw what was happening, and without a word of command from any one jumped into the water, swam to the boat, seized the painter with his teeth, and towed the boat ashore.

NEW-JERSEY.

The cornerstone of the new Second Presbyterian Church on Washington and James streets, Newark, was laid yesterday afternoon.

At the Catholic Synod in Newark yesterday Mrs. Doane, Seton, and Seney, and Fathers McNulty, Cody, and Mesmer were appointed as the Bishop's Council.

Max Idleheiser, a 13-year-old messenger boy employed in Mentz's furnishing store in Newark, was found dead in the cellarway of Tilton Brothers' stationery store yesterday morning. He had evidently fallen into the cellarway while running through the street.