

—The Middletown *Journal* says that diphtheria seems to have broken out again there, very many cases being reported, one family having four.

—Mark Twain, the humorist, and Geo. W. Cable, the eminent novelist, will appear in Hamilton on New Year's eve, in readings, under the management of J. B. Pond, of Boston.

—The costs in the inquest over the body of Mrs. Catharine Schneider amounted to \$142.65, divided as follows: Coroner's fees, \$50.75; constable's fees, \$17.95; witnesses' fees, \$54.95.

—Saturday the county commissioners allowed Judge Thomas and Jno. F. Neilan

bride's pa

—The  
firmly bu  
and direct  
late the

firmly l  
utilized in  
pleting th

—It wa  
Henry Sch  
deavoring  
by George  
aside. It  
ed the mo  
purport o  
mere agre