

Hoboken's Charity Ball.

The society people of Hoboken made a generous contribution to its principal charities last evening. Through the annual charity ball given in the German Club at Hudson and Sixth Streets, over \$2,000 was cleared for the Frauenthilfsverein, the Memorial Day Nursery, St. Mary's Hospital, and St. Katherine's Home.

Supper was served to the 1,500 patrons of the ball at small tables on the first floor. The two ballrooms on the second floor were devoted to dancing.

The ball was opened by Mrs. R. H. Himpler and Mr. Aaron Behrens, the President of the German Club.

The ladies on the Reception Committee were Mrs. Aaron Behrens, Mrs. P. Campbell, Mrs. F. G. Himpler, Mrs. W. R. Jenvey, Mrs. W. T. Kudelich, Mrs. W. Macy, Miss L. Pustkuchen, Mrs. L. J. Stiastrey, Mrs. A. Stein, and Mrs. F. W. Wetlaufer. Mrs. C. B. Alexander, Mrs. John Minturn, and Mrs. Duer of this city and Mrs. Stevens of Castle Point were much interested in the affair.

Greece's Freedom Celebrated.

The white and blue flag of Greece floated over the City Hall yesterday for the first time. It was placed there at the request of the Greek Society in honor of the sixty-sixth anniversary of the freedom of Greece.

Another Greek flag hung in front of Reimer's Hall, 475 Pearl Street, where nearly 300 Greeks met to celebrate the day. After a speech by the President of the society, S. J. Vlasto, the Greeks marched to Broadway by way of Chambers Street, up Broadway to Canal Street, and along Canal Street to South Fifth Avenue, where they took an elevated railway train and went up town to the Greek Church, in Fifty-third Street between Eighth and Ninth Avenues. Here a service of thanksgiving was held.

The Greeks returned to Reimer's Hall about 2 o'clock, leaving the elevated road at Park Place, and marching through Park Row, Roosevelt Street, Water Street, Oliver Street, Chatham Square, and Worth Street.

Getting Rid of the Bone Boilers.

Mayor Boody of Brooklyn received an answer to his letter to Edward M. Shepard about the Peter Cooper glue factory nuisance at Newtown Creek yesterday. Lawyer Shepard said that the bone-boiling part of the establishment should be removed by to-morrow. Mayor Boody had declared that if immediate steps for the abatement of the nuisance were not taken he should resort to the courts.

Mayor Boody said he should pursue the same policy toward all of the Newtown Creek nuisances and in no case allow an extension of time.

The owners of the Baker Fertilizing Works called on the Mayor yesterday and said that they were moving their plant.

Mrs. D. P. Bowers III.

Mrs. D. P. Bowers has not acted her part in "Lady Windermere's Fan," at Palmer's Theatre, for three or four nights. She has a bad cold and has temporarily lost the use of her voice, but her illness is not severe, and it is thought she will soon be able to return to the stage.

Meanwhile Miss Emily Seward (Mrs. E. M. Holland) appears as the voluble Duchess of Berwick.