

A SURPRISE PARTY WELL SPRUNG.

A most happy and complete surprise was consummated last evening upon Charles Denaple, the popular foreman of P. E. Werner's press rooms. He was invited to what he supposed to be merely a social in Germania Hall, Christy's new block. Upon arriving at the hall, he was greeted by a large number of personal friends, mostly composed of those associated with him in Mr. Werner's employ and their families. Dancing was the order of the evening from 8 to 10 o'clock, music being furnished by the Italian Orchestra, after which a very fine supper was served. During the evening Mr. P. E. Werner, in a neat little speech in behalf of his friends, presented Mr. Denaple with two nice rocking chairs and a beautiful mirror. Mr. D. responded as well as he was able under the circumstances, being greatly surprised. After the supper and presentation, dancing was again resumed and kept up until a late hour. The party was given in honor of the fifth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Denaple, and was gotten up by the ladies in so quiet a manner that no suspicion of it leaked out. Mr. D. wishes through THE BEACON to express his thanks to his friends, and especially the ladies, for their kindly remembrance of them.