Kelly Says He Will Get Pitcher John Clarkson

# TO JOIN THE BROTHERHOOD

Edward Hanlon Hustling in Rochester for Good Young Players.

# THE LEAGUE READY FOR COURT

It is stated that Mike Kelly has wired President Johnson to the effect that he (Kelly) is sure to sign Clarkson for the Brotherhood. Edward Hanlon is in Rochester trying to secure young players. The old League is ready with its case against the players.

PEPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCHA CLEVELAND, O., December 10 .- When President Johnson, of the Brotherhood, was called upon by your correspondent to-night, he was just opening a telegram from Mike Kelly. The dispatch read like this: "All rumors to the contrary. I shall sign Clarkson and Ganzell before I leave for home."

"I have telegraphed Kelly to sign Clarkson," said Mr. Johnson, "and I do not believe Kelly will leave the Pacific coast antil he can bring with him the great pitcher's "But it is rumored that the League has of-

fered him \$10,000 a year." said the correspon-"Ah," replied Mr. Johnson, "But the herhood is not bankrupt. We have sent Kelly certain assurances within the last 24 hours that ought to settle matters. We are no

HANLON'S CASE. "The ramor that Edward Hanlon, of the Pittsburg club, was offered three separate and distinct salaries to desert you is denied," re-

longer the under dog in the tight.

marked the correspondent.
"It is true, nevertheless," answered Mr. Johnson. "I, myself, heard Mr. Hanlon offered three salaries, one as player, another as manager, and a third as captain of the Pittsburg club. There is no speculation regarding this. I heard the conversation. Mr. Hanlon declined, but it took extraordinary self-possession to do it. His offer meant at least a thousand dollars more than the Brotherhood can pay him. Let me add," remarked Mr. Johnson that the Pittsburg Brotherhood club of next year will be a winner. We have signed all the big guns of last year, and shall have grounds centrally located."

# THE NEW YORK MEETING.

When will you go to New York?" was asked "Next Sunday," was the reply. "Our meet-ing next Monday may last for three or four days. The proposed consolidation with the American Association will be considered." "And the result will be?" interrupted your "I cannot tell, but I am not an advocate of

"I cannot tell, but I am not an advocate of the plan."
"Will the number of clubs composing the Players' League be enlarged?" was asked.
"I do not think so. We are in splendid trim now. None of our influential members have gone back on us."
"It is rumored that Tiernan is on the fence."
"Yes," replied the youthful President of the Brotherhood, "and I have his absolute word to play with our League. Up to this moment I have 120 players signed. We are in the best of trim, and are asking favors of nobody."

"Where is Jim McCormick to pitch?" was

asked.
"Maybe in Cleveland, maybe in Pittsburg, and maybe in Brooklyn," was the answer.
"Anyway, he will pitch with all his might to make the Brotherhood a big success."

# THEIR CASE READY.

League Maguates Prepare Their Argument for Injunctions Against Players.

SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATOR. NEW YORK, December 10 .- The first move on the part of the National League against the Players' League was made to-day, when the League Committee, consisting of Messrs, Day, Rogers and Byrne, with George F. Duysters, of counsel for the New York Baseball Club met the office of Evarts, Choate & Beaman, at 52 Wall street, and decided upon a plan of action against one or more players of the New York bub. It is very certain that John Ward will be selected for the test case. During the consultation it was decided to work on one of two plans-either to apply for a temporary injunction ge file a bill of complaint. The former plan would prove much the quicker, for in case a bill of complaint was filed it would take weeks, and probably months, for it to be reached on the calender.

The committee went over the League con-

The committee went over the League contract with Mr. Beaman, and after the meeting Mr. Beaman said that, as it was claimed that there were too many its in the former opinion, he was now ready to say that the League contract was well made and binding. The papers in the case will be prepared at once, and the matter will probably come before one of the Supreme Court judges. A complete history of the reserve rule and a report of the League Brotherhood conference was submitted to Mr. Beaman, to be incorporated in the evidence.

President Day said to-night that he felt very much encouraged over the result of the meet-President Lay said to hight that he felt very much encouraged over the result of the meeting. Colonel Rogers, however, was probably the happiest man at the meeting. He said that heretofore he had not declared that the League had a case against the contract breakers. Now, however, he was perfectly satisfied that the League had a good case. Colonel Rogers left for home after making the remark that he would prepare papers in a suit against one or

would prepare papers in a suit against one or more of the Philadelphia players at once. One cannot secure a temporary injunction in Phila-delphia, so that it will be necessary to file a bill President Robinson, of the Cleveland club, arrived in the city to-day. He says that he is perfectly satisfied with the progress that the

# THOSE CONFLICTING EUMORS.

Interesting Features About the Beckley

and Baulon Cases. The conflicting reports of the Brotherhood and League supporters really become more bewildering every day. One exceedingly interesting feature of the matter is that in many cases Brotherhood officials state that a certain player has signed with them; the League officials claim he has signed with them, and the player denies that he has signed with anybody. It was definitely stated last evening in this city that Beckley had signed with the Brotherhood, but President Nimick stated that he had reason for not believing the statement.

Hanlon will tikely be in the city to-day, when Hanlon will likely be in the city to-day, when he may be able to clear up the controversy regarding what the old clab affered him to remain with it next year. Local club officials claim emphatically that his own offer, \$8,800, was accepted. Prasident Johnson now states that Hanlon was offered \$1,000 more than the beatherhood on pay and that appearants. Brotherhood can pay, and that apparently means that Hanlon will get \$2,800 next year. However, it will be interesting to know, now that matters have gone so far, exactly what Hanlon did want, or what he was offered.

# POSTPONED THE MEETING.

Local League Magnutes Will Have Their Confab To-Night. The annual meeting of the local League club

which was to have been held last evening was adjourned until this evening, Mr. Palmer O'Nell being unable to be present last evening. A new manager will likely be elected this evening and there is a strong feeling in favor of Manager Leadley, of Detroit. Mr. Burnham is also a favorite, but Pitteburgers generally are strongly inclined toward the genial Mr. Leadley. Yesterday afternoon President Nimick stated that he could not tell who would be elected. "I favor a player," he said. He, however, refused to state who the player was. Their Money Un-

The parties interested in the bet relative to Sam Day's proposed effort to run 66 miles in 10 hours on Saturday, met yesterday, and each made good his 8100. Day was present, and each pressed his confidence of being able to accomplish the task. The track will be selected to day or to-morrow. It will either be at McKee's Rocks or the London Theater.

McKERSPOHT, December 10 .- John Teemer says that since Searle is dead it is necessary says that since Searle is dead it is necessary Divans, for he and O'Connor to row again in order to Desk Rockers, decide the claim on the world's championship actilier, and that he is ready to row O'Connor inspection.

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HANLON IN ROCHESTER. The Brotherhood Agent Hustling For Promlsing Young Pinyers.

REPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., December 10.—Baseball matters in this city have been given a new turn by the presence here of Edward Hanlon, the by the presence here of Edward Hanlon, the Brotherhood's chief agent. He arrived to-day, and has been hustling since his arrival. Joe Visner, "Stump" Weidman, Bob Barr and Pitcher Will Callahan are among the professionals wintering in Rochester, and it has been learned that Hanlon has made each man liberal inducements to join the Brotherhood.

Burns is a stockholder in the newly-organized local club, and is the king bee of the lot. Hanlon offered young Callahan \$1,200 the first season, \$1,800 the second, and \$2,450 the third, if he would sign a three-year contract. To-night it is stated that he has secured all the quartet by contract. Among others with whom Hanlon has been consulting are several stockholders in the newly-organized club, and it is an open secret that he wants to have it employ none but Brotherhood players.

# THE SCULLING CHAMPIONSHIP.

Nobody Can Lay a Just Claim to the Title.

The somewhat sudden death of Henry Searle, the champion sculler of the world, leaves the championship an open question. A similar occurrence has only happened once before, viz., when Renforth, the Englishman, died suddenly when Renforth, the Englishman, died suddenly in his boat. When that sad event took place Joseph H. Sadier claimed the title, but could not get it until he offered to row anybody in the world. His challenge was accepted by Robert Bagnall, and the former won.

Similar conditions exist now. Neither O'Connor nor Stansbury can lay just claim to the title. It must be rowed for, and Stansbury cannot compel an opponent to row on Australian waters. There is an opportunity for some enterprising sporting people to promote a gigantic sculler contest for the championship of the world.

Guttenburg Results. [SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.] NEW YORK, December 10.-The races at

Guttenburg to-day resulted as follows:
First race, Sve-eighths of a mile-Marty B first,
Bounie Lass second, Topeka third. Time, 1:08%,
Betting-Marty B, 5 to 2; Bonnie Lass, 6 to 1 first, Herman second, Rapine third. Time, 1:21. Betting—Elkton 7 to 5, Herman 15 to 1 straight, 1

to I piace.

Third race, three-quarters of a mile—Bine Rock first, Marie Lovell second, Watch'em third. Time, 1:21½, Betting—Bine Rock I to 4, Marie Lovell 4 to 1 straight, at 9 to 10 place.

Fourth race, one mile—Bradford first, Lemon second, Hamlet third, Time, 1:80½, Betting—Bradford 5 to 2; Lemon 50 to 1 straight, 20 to 1 place.

place.
Fifth race, six and one-balf furlongs—King Crab
first, Boodle second, Gloster third, Betting—
King Crab 7 to 10, Boodle 8 to 1 straight, 2 to 1 place.

Sixth race, seven-eighths of a mile—Landseer first, Arizona second, Bankerthird. Time, 1:88½. Betting—Landseer 5 to 1, Arizona 15 to 1 straight, 6 to 1 place.

# Elizabeth Entries.

PEPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCE A ELIZABETH RACE TRACK N. J., December First race, six furlongs-Jim Mulholland, Shot-

First race, six furlongs—Jim Mulholland, Shotover, Cambyses, St. Valentine, Richelieu, Janet
Murray gelding, Al Reed, Not Guilty 112 each,
Mabel, Winona 109 each, Maid of Woodland gelding, Bill Barnes, Jim Gates 107 each, Samaria 104,
Sophist St, Casper 84.
Second race, six furlongs—Ralph Black, Freedom 112 each, Denwer, Newburg, Frejols 107 each,
Buckatone 105, Louise 104, Arab 38, Little Barefoot 28, Hemet 30, Fast Time 81.
Third race, five furlougs—Wheeler T, Red Eim,
Taragon 122 each, Gloster, Oregon, Carnot 117
each, Village Maid 114, Mamie R 102, Lillie
Kinney 102.

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Fourth race, six and one-half furlongs—G W Cook, King idle, Dan Cloche 115 each, Zephyrus 110, Cupid 108, Battersby 108, Sam Morse, Benefit St each, Rainbow 94.

Fifth race, one mile—Oarsman 95, Santalene, Now or Never 118 each, Tipstan 107, Theodosius 100, Martin Russell 96, Glory 88.

Sixth race, one mile—Wilfred, Glenmound 112 each, Meriden 110, Amos, Barrister, Golden Reel, Lotion, Guy Gray 88 each.

# Clifton Winners.

PRPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.I New YORK, December 10 .- The races at Clifton to-day resulted as follows:

First race, six and a half furiones, selling—
Saluda first, Carrie & second, Redicaf third.

Time, 1:27%. Betting—Saluda 3 to 1 straight, Carrie G 3 to 1 place.

Second race, five furiones, special allowances—
Shotover first, Lady Archer second, Squando third. Time, 1:05%. Betting—Shotover 3 to 1 straight, Lady Archer 3 to 1 place.

Third race, for all arcs, one mile—Grimaldi first, Bellwood second, Raymond G third. Time, 1:47%. Betting—Grimaldi 13 to 5 straight, Bellwood 2 to 1 place. ton to-day resulted as follows:

place.
Fourth race, for all ages, welter weights, selling, two miles—Eleve first, Brac-a-Ban second, Refund third. Time, 2:45%. Betting—Eleve 10 to 7. Brac-a-Ban 2 to 1 place.
Fifth race, for 3-year-olds and upward, selling, one and a sixteenth miles—Grey Cloud first, Jennie McFarland second, Wild Cherry third. Time, 1:55%. Betting—Grev Cloud 5 to 1 straight, Jannie McFarland even place.
Sixth race, weiter handleap, for all ages, three-quarters of a mile—Offsice first, Young Duke second, Alveda third. Time, 1:21. Betting—Offsice even, Young Duke 5 to 2 place.

Sporting Notes. THERE is a letter at this office for Ed. OLLIE BEARD has signed with the Cincin-

WHERE is McGinty? is not half so perplexing as: Who has and who has not signed? LUDDEN-Your letter you speak of has not been received. Kilrain and Smith fought in

A LOCAL sporting man wants to back a chicken in a "shake" battle against any other in Western Pennsylvania for \$200 a side. The 30-hour go-as-you-please race closed at midnight on Saturday at Bangor. The time made by Guerrero created a sensation. He made the remarkable score of 180% miles in 30 hours, breaking the world's record. Another remarkable performance was that of "Scotty" Stevens, a Bangor man, who ran ten miles on a wager against Withey. Stevens made the ten miles in one hour.

# JAPANESE WARE BAZAAR.

Open for the Holidays Only. You will wonder at our fine display. Goods are going rapidly, and we would advise you to call early. Special discounts on large pieces.
Store open till 9 P. M. until Christmas,

WM. HASLAGE & SON, Select Family Grocers, 18 Diamond Square, Pittsburg.

Men's heavy rubber coats \$2, \$2 50, \$3 \$3 50 and up, and plenty of umbrellas 50c up to \$15 each. Boogs & Burl.

HOLIDAY handkerchiefs for ladies, gents

and children; immense choice; lowest prices, at Rosenbaum & Co.'s. CASH paid for old gold and silver, at Hauch's, No. 295 Fifth ave. WFSu

HOLIDAY neckwear. JAMES H. AIKEN & Co., 100 Fifth ave.

Christmas is Almost Here. If you have not made your selection, choose from the following list of desirable

Torkish Chairs, Euchre Tablea, Howard Chairs. Platform Rockers, Essy Chairs, Fancy Chairs, Gold Divans Colonial Rockers. Antique Bockers, Sesside Rockers, Hat Racks, Hall Glasses, Moorish Rockers, Adams Rockers, Hall Chests, Brockway Rockers, Bamboo Eusels, Music Cabinets, Oak Easels. Music Portfolios Cherry Easels, Reed Chairs. Revolving Chairs. Bric-a-Brac Tables Rotary Book Cases. s, Shell Chairs, Plush Chairs, Brocattelle Chairs, Plush Couches,

Toilet Stands, Cabinets,

Dining Tables,

Chairs,

Rug Couches, Tapestry Couches, Book Cases, Blacking Cases, Batler's Trays, China Closets,

Curtain Cases, Card Tables,

interfere with his Australian visit, for which he is now preparing. He has his new boat and oars and a good backer, and will leave San Francisco with the first boat in January, accompanied by Jake Weiskercher.

\*\*He expects to row Stansbury while on the other side of the water.\*\*

President Harrison's Indianapolis other side of the water.

SIT UPON THE SUPREME BENCH.

Several Appointments in That Court Ex-

pected Soon to be Handy. SILCOTT'S STEALINGS MUST BE PAID.

Two more Supreme Court Justices are among the possible appointments President court is overworked, and two more Justices are asked for, so the President's law partner, Mr. Miller, may yet sit on the Supreme Bench. It is now considered certain that the Government will have to repay Congressmen their salary, taken by Silcott.

ISPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.] WASHINGTON, December 10 .- President Harrison may yet have an opportunity, before the expiration of his term, to appoint his law partner, William Henry Miller, to seat upon the bench of the United States Supreme Court. It is understood that the Senators who are members of the Judiciary Committee have under consideration the plan of a bill providing for the appointment of two additional Supreme Court Justices. The request for the passage of such a bill comes from the members of the court, who say that owing to the increased amount of work to be thrown upon them, by the admission of the new States, additional Justices are required.

Of course, if the bill becomes a law, it will be necessary to make new assignments of the Justices to the various districts throughout the country, and it will also be necessary to create at least two additional districts. It would not do to divide this extra work among the nine members of the court, as they are already overworked and two or three years behind on the docket. In addition to these proposed two addi-tional Justices, it is said that the President will probably have the appointment of two or three more before the expiration of his term, as Justice Miller and one or two others will be ready to retire before that time, and they will certainly do so if Presi-dent Harrison should be succeeded by a

In connection with the plan for the enlargement of the membership of the court, the Justices are also seeking supporters for the bill, already introduced, providing for the erection of a separate building for the use of the court. It is said that the rooms now used are too small, inconvenient, and badly lighted. Senator Morrill has introduced the bill for the erection of the new building, and it is now before the Committee of Public Buildings and grounds for consideration. It is the intention of those interested in the matter to have the court building located, should the bill become a law, either in Judiciary Square, where the courts of the district are, or on a site to be selected in the neighborhood of the new library building, on Capitol Hill.

### MUST PAY THE FIDDLER. Uncle Sam Pretty Certain to Foot the Bill Run by Mr. Silcott.

SPECIAL TRUBGRAM TO THE DISPATCH. WASHINGTON, December 10 .- It is now foot the bill for whatever fun Mr. Silcott may have had out of the \$70,000 odd dollars shich he took out of the safe of the Sergeant-at-Arms. On the other hand, Congress is coming to the conclusion that Mr. Leedom, whose cashier Silcott was, acted as disbursing agent for the Government in the payment of Congressmen's salaries, and that interpret the law in this way, and the 215 Congressmen who are prospective losers may in Mr. McKelvey's hands, be expected to vote a liberal appropriation for their own reimbursement, and to put the political screws upon their friends at the other end of the Capitol, to induce them to join hands in this backpay grab. At the same time it is clear that Mr. Leedom's bond is not worth the paper

on which it is written.

Ex-Congressman Paige, now of New York, has engaged Lawyer Davidge to look up his liability as a signer of Leedom's bond, and the lawyer has found that, accordington to the express terms of the bend, the sureties are held for the faithful performance of Leedom's duties "during the Fiftieth Congress." As the Fiftieth Congress died last March, and as the unnaid salaries have accumulated since that date, neither Leedom nor his bondsmen can be held. And so Uncle Sam will have to pay the fiddler.

BUSTLING FOR HARRISON.

Hard Work Being Put in for the Mo-Kresport Postoffice.

(FROM A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.) WASHINGTON, December 10 .- A deputation of Congressman Ray's constituents called upon him to-day, in reference to the fight over the postoffice at McKeesport. They were Messrs. E. W. Harrison, W. C. Soles and A. Inskeep, of McKeesport; Mr. didate for the office in question, and the present his claims. Congressman Ray took them to see Postmaster General Wanamaker, and the delegation also called upon Representatives Bayne and Dalzell, in an endeavor to induce them to use their influ-

ence in Mr. Harrison's behalf. Congressman Ray, in whose district the office is situated, and whose recommendation will actually decide the contest, says he is as yet absolutely uncommitted to the support of any of the candidates.

"I am very sorry that any reports reflecting on the integrity of the gentlemen should have been published. Any such reports are untrue, and the reason for the changes are purely business ones. Mr. Kirtland has not kept pace with the development of his division, but if he wishes to remain in our

stays he will be transferred to some other It was learned that Superintendent J. B. Hutchinson, of the Altoona division, is siated for Mr. Kirtland's place, while Victor Weirman, Assistant Engineer of the Pittsburg division, will succeed Mr. Hutchinson, and G. L. Cummins, of the Monongahela division, will get Mr. Weirman's po-

employ he may do so. His resignation is

into effect on January 1, but if he

DIAMOND sears pins and stude, lowest prices, at Hauch's, No. 295 Fifth ave.

THE SUPPLY OF RIVER COAL

Miners Still Inactive-Cincinnati and South ers Markets Well Stocked. Mining affairs in the Monongahela Valley continue in an inactive condition and with Lawyer Partner May Yet the exception of one or two small operators who send down an occasional boatload, and one mine owner who is shipping flat coal

"I have reason to know," said a leading operator yesterday, "that the feeling among the majority of the diggers is in favor of a resumption of work at the old rates. They are acted upon, against their own interests, by haif a dozen leaders who seek to gain Uncle Sam in a Very Fair Way to Honor the Fiddler's their own ends and a living, at the expense of their fellows. I believe that a large sec tion of the men favor the idea of holding another convention and electing other and more temperate and intelligent delegates to among the possible appointments President meet a committee of the operators to discuss Harrison may soon have to make. The the present conditions of the trade, than those whom they lately sent here and who declined to listen to either facts or figures in the conference. You have already referred in THE DISPATCH to the growing increase in the Kanawha competition and the large quantities of coal stored at Cincinnati and

for the local market, business is at a stand-

other points. Now the Southern market is just as well supplied."
"Here," continued the gentleman, "are the official returns of the number of boats lying south of Memphis. Up to the end of November there were 238 of last year's boats and 212 of those recently sent down stored in the South. These include the shipments of 11 operators, and taking 24,000 bushels to a boat, there are now 10,800,000 bushels available for the use of the Southern markets council to supply the demand until kets; enough to supply the demand until

### BILLY RIDDLE'S FUNERAL. He Will be Buried in Washington County-

Newsles Want to Attend. The body of W. N. Riddle, ex-President of the defunct Penn Bank, of this city, who died in New York Monday, will arrive in the city this morning. The funeral services will take place from his mother's residence. near Canonsburg, in Washington county, to-morrow. The Knights Templar of this city will participate in the exercises and

have charge of the funeral. Three newsies about as dirty as an ordinary street arab can get in a month walked into General A. L. Pearson's office yester-day afternoon. After taking off their hats, which proceeding was caused by the leader giving one of the others a swipe over the head for his lack of manners, the tallest boy, who was not more than 13 years old,

"Say, where's de Genral?" "General Pearson at that moment appeared in the doorway and the urchin, ad-dressing him, said, after making an attempt at a courtesy: "Say, Genral, w'en does Billy Riddle's

funral our off. We wanter take it in. We knew Billy, we did, an' tink it's right to be at de burial. Billy was de newsies best friend and we're goin' t'do de square ting he's buried heer?" f he's buried here. The speech almost floored the General, but upon recovering from his astonishment he informed the boys what arrangements had been made. The action of the Arabs showed the spirit they possessed and their

# PRESIDENT YOUNG A POOR MAN. A Friend of His Says His Private Fortune

Has Been Sunk. President W. W. Young, of the Lawrence Bank, is a poor man. A friend of his stated that he has nothing except what kind associates have given him to help him along since the failure. He sold his home for \$50,000 and a lot in East Liberty for pretty certain that Congress will have to \$9,000, making \$59,000, all of which he put into the bank to try to save it. Last

the collapse of the bank as the failure of concluded this week. The meeting of the directors of the bank payment of Congressmen's salaries, and that all those salaries which have not been paid, though the money was drawn out of the Treasury for that purpose, can be collected from the Government. Of course it is not difficult for Congress to ing of directors was called, and he couldn't see for what purpose they would meet, be-cause the affairs of the bank were absolutely

good authority that the Love Manufactur-

It was said that Assignee McKelvey had resigned his position in favor of the Fidelity Title and Trust Company. This rumor has not the least foundation. The assignee could not be seen, but he was doing duly yesterday at the bank, and Mr. Allison said that he had no intention of

resigning.
Cashier Hoerr would like all depositors who still retain their bank books to send them in so that they can be balanced, because delay in sending in books mean delay in making up a statement.

# WANTED: MATRON AND SITE.

The Managers of the Bethesda Home Unable to Move at Present.

The managers of the new Bethesda Home, or home for unfortunate women, met yesterday in the reception room of the Hamilton building. Rev. J. T. McCrory occupied the chair and presided until Rev. J. H. Prugh had been elected Permanent Chairman. Miss B. M. Such was elected

The Committee on a Site reported that several available places had been proposed, but as yet nothing had been definitely done. The Committee on Matron reported that several persons had been corresponded with, but no selection had yet been made.

The Chairman appointed Samuel Hamilton, W. P. Brickel and Mrs. Wood as a

Richard G. Wood, of Pittsburg, and S. E. Finance Committee, and the entire Board Stewart, of Verona. Mr. Harrison is a can- of Managers were constituted a committee didate for the office in question, and the other gentlemen came along to help him first donation reported was from H. Samson-\$25. It was decided to hold weekly meetings

until the new home is fully established, and the Committees on Site and Matron were in-structed to be as speedy as possible in ac-complishing their work.

### MET WITH A PAINFUL ACCIDENT. The Genial Revenue Collector Suffers by

Gripman's Negligence. Mr. C. E. Pugh Outlines the Changes in the West Penn Officials.

General Manager Charles E. Pugh, of the Pennsylvania Railroad, was in the city yesterday, and when asked about the reported discharge of Superintendent Kirtland and other officials of the West Penn division, said:

Denta by Drowning.

Thomas McDermott, a young iron worker breads a starp edge of it products the glass, and a sharp edge of it products the condemnation of land in Mifflin township, belonging to the McIlhany heirs, which is desired for the McIlhany Collector S. D. Warmcastle met with

made a long cut on his nose, about an eighth of an inch deep. His hat was cut through in two places. He hurried to a drugstore and had the bleeding stopped, but not until he had probably lost three ounces of blood. The gripman received a blow on the leg by the grip, which disabled him. The dozen passengers in the car were thrown into a heap on the floor, but, with the exceptions mentioned, none were badly hurt.

just received to-day—blending of colors and exquisite embroidery; prices that are marvelous for such handsome goods—\$12 50 and \$15. See them at the dress goods department.

BOGGS & BUHL.

FINE bisque goods and artificial flowers, at Hauch's, No. 295 Fifth ave. WPSU

# ACCUSED OF PERJURY

Attorney Forrest Makes a Serious Charge Against a Leading

WITNESS FOR THE PROSECUTION.

Trying to Break the Force of the Finding of Cronin's Knives.

NEARING THE CLOSE OF THE TRIAL The Illness of One of the Counsel May Delay Matters a Little.

murdered doctor. But one more attorney will speak after Mr. Forrest concludes his

CHICAGO, December 10 .- Mr. Forrest resumed his argument to the jury at the opening of the Cronin trial this morning, condefense. To show how easily one might be mistaken, he cited the evidence of Policeman Lorch. Lorch was positive that the stains in the Carlson cottage were blood stains, yet the Court corrected him by saying that it had the appearance of blood, for the actual question could not be decided without a microscopic examination.

Lorch was also positive that the stains in the cotton batting found in the basement were not blood stains, yet the reporter who put that cotton batting there testified that they were blood stains, which he himself had put upon it, squeezing the blood from a

## BOGUS BLOOD STAINS.

Mr. Forrest continued by saying that this Mr. Forrest continued by saying that this bloody cotton batting was put into the cottage for the purpose of furnishing the basis for a newspaper sensation, and the stains in the parlor and the paint must have had a similar origin. In fact, when the cottage was entered on May 12 the paint on the floor was found to be quite fresh. It would not, he said, take eight days for paint to dry. Mr. Forrest then recurred to the expert testimony and the danger of putting faith in it. Mr. Forrest next went into an exhaustive analysis of the testimony of Milkman Mertes, Mrs. Hoertel and other witnesses for the prosecution to show that it was manufactured. The conclusion that he reached

ufactured. The conclusion that he reached was that the Cronin faction of the Cian-na-Gael had been drilling witnesses to give false testimony, and that all of the new evi-dence brought out since the sitting of the Coroner's jury had been so manufactured as to strengthen weak spots in the case of the State as they were developed during the course of the trial,

The speaker then reviewed Kunze's actious subsequently to the murder, and argued that they were only explainable on the theory of his innocence. Following this he took up the alibi evidence for O'Sullivan, Burke and Coughlin, and asserted that it was sufficiently strong to maintain the pre-sumption of innocence in their favor.

A CHARGE OF PERJURY. Mr. Forrest again went over the matter of Cronin. The court then adjourned till to-morrow. It is understood that Mr. Forrest

morrow. It is understood that Mr. Forrest will complete his address to-morrow, and the probabilities are that the court will then adjourn till Friday, as Thursday is election day.

Mr. Mills, who is to make the closing fiddress on behalf of the prosecution, has been quite ill, and it is not altogether certain that he will be able to deliver his argument that he will be able to deliver his arou what the liabilities will be. It is stated on on Friday. In that case a further adjourngood authority that the Love Manufacturing Company was as much responsible for to proceed, it is hoped that the trial may be

# MR COLLINS DENIES IT.

He Does Not Believe Consolidating the Orders Will Help Them. Concerning the report that State Vice

Councillor Stephen Cellins, of the Jr. O. U. SYSTEM. A. M., is opposed to the consolidation of the Senior and Junior Orders, because it might interfere with his chances for becoming State Councillor, Mr. Collins had this to say to a DISPATCH reporter before his departure for New York: "I have never opposed consolidation, I

attended the meeting in the hopes of hearing some reasons advanced why a consolidation would benefit the cause-or benefit the orders—nothing was shown to that effect. I have said that I did not believe a consolidation would come soon—and that I was not prepared as yet to favor it. I believe as much, if not more, can be accomplished by both orders working independently, but harmoniously.

"As to my opposing it because I am a State officer in the Jr. O. U. A. M., I have only to say that there is only one higher position that I can be elected to in the State, and will be elected to that next July, before a consolidation could possibly be effected as it must be done through the National Councils at or after their meetings next summer."

# HANDY WITH HIS KNIFE.

Italians Try to Wreck a Boarding House,

and One Uses His Knife. Three Italians named John Doyze, Joseph Poytz s ad David Shazes, armed themselves with kraives and pistols and entered a boarding house on Tustin street Monday night about 11 o'clock, and attempted to run things to suit themselves. A boarder, John Swozen, was cut on the head by David

Shazea. The police succeeded in arresting Doyze nd Poytz, and the prisoners were fined \$10 An information was made against Shazea for felonious cutting, but he has not yet

The McKeesport Bridge. The McKeesport and Duquesne Bridge Company has begun proceedings in the Court of Quarter Sessions for the condemnation of

and Sixth streets, was drowned in the Monongahela river near dam No. 1 last evenlug, His companion, Patrick Smith, narrowly escaped a similar fate. The acci-

Library Officers. The annual election of officers and directors for the Pittsburg Library Association was held yesterday. The ticket, as named by the two committees, was elected: President, T. Brent Swearingen; Treasurer, S. L. Fleishman; Directors, W. R. Thompson, Joseph Albree; Auditors, J. D. Lyon and A. J. Barr.

dent was caused by the overturning of a skiff. McDermott went down shouting, "Pray for my soul."

McKeesport School Bonds. The McKezsport School Board is prepar ing to refund its bonded debt. It has now Card Tables,
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# CASAR COULD NOT COME IT.

Lack of an Audience Drives the African Apostle to Despair-But He Will Yet Sonr in Triumph in Ethereni Air. Rev. Casar A. A. Taylor, M. U. D., etc.,

etc., the gentleman of African descent, who got himself into trouble with his landlady's laughter, last week, was booked for a ecture at Avery, Mission, Allegheny, last night. The ebony exponent of multitudinous omniscience contemplated lecturing on whatever his sudience wanted to hear explained and discussed; but, alas! there was no audience. At 8 o'clock the church was lighted and

everything put in readiness for the expected crowd, but no crowd materialized. The would-be lecturer, however, was on hand, Mr. Forrest again occupied the entire day in the Cronin case with his closing plea for the prisoners. He charged Conklin with perjury in swearing that the knives found in Coughliu's pocket had belonged to the murdered doctor. But one more attorney would-be lecturer, however, was on hand, as the moments flew by and no-expectant throng greeted his anxious gaze, he became more and more excited. Finally he abandoned hope and fled from the scene, but not, however, before he had expressed himself strongly about the non-appreciative-ness of the general public.

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since his late trouble and subsequent incar-ceration in the county jail he had not been able to advertise the lecture properly. He also reiterated his statement to the effect ing of the Cronin trial this morning, continuing his analysis of the evidence for the but declared that he could not be downed. "My persecutors are now on top, but wait. The time is coming when I shall soar above them; like the untrammeled eagle that cleaves the blue ether with his tireless pinions, looking down on the earth and its inhabitants with contempt," was what the dark divine said to one of the attaches of the church. One churchman, who wishes his name withheld, said that he considered the Rev. Cœsar very small potatoes and tew in a

# THEY ARE AFTER BLOOD.

Meeting of Greene County Members of the Dowlin & Rush Cattle Company. Stockholders of the Laramie Plains Land and Cattle Company to the number of 2 met yesterday in the office of William H. Dennison, and it seems to have been a very

earnest gathering. The meeting was mainly composed of Greene county farmers, who wished to find a way out of the complication which confronts them.

Committees were appointed to make sale of lands, cattle, hay, etc., proceeds to be ap-plied to indebtedness.

While the meeting was reticent while in session, some members expressed themselves plainly after adjournment. One said he was a Greene county farmer who, four years ago, was worth \$50,000, and now was ruined through the operations of the company. With an original capital of \$80,000, the amount was increased \$200,000, and in addition \$110,000 collected in assessments from Greene county people.

There was talk of all sorts of crookedness

having been indulged in and that a considerable number of people in this city were caught. Many law suits are threatened, and altogether it looked as though the Dowlin & Rush Cattle Company might hereafter navigate a very strong channel

LOOKING FORWARD TO 1890. The Exposition Society Has a Conference Upon Next Year's Expo.

The directors of the Exposition Society met in their rooms in the Hamilton Building yesterday afternoon. Only routine busithe knives found in Coughlin's pocket and declared that Conklin had committed perjury in swearing that they belonged to Dr. Cronin. The court then adjourned till to-

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