HE WILL GET HIS MEN Carroll Certain of Billy Robments of the Defense.

inson and Jack Brennan. THE CATCHER EXPLAINS.

Swartwood and Blair Make Affidavits for the National Arbitrators.

## THE SPORTING NEWS OF THE DAY

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Fred Carroll, as already stated, in THE DISPATCH, is in St. Louis. He is trying to sign Robinson, Brennan and Burns for the Brotherhood League. Ed Swartwood and Pitcher Blair made affidavits yesterday about the former's case. Jockey Stone is to be hanged next week.

PECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCE.1 ST. LOUIS, January 27 .- Fred Carroll, the Pittsburg catcher, arrived in the city to-day, and spent most of his time dodging reporters. It was rumored that Carroll was here for the purpose of investigating the Brotherhood boom, but this appears to be a mistake. The big blonde catcher was corralled in Banberger's saloon to-night, where he was discovered in a serious conference with "Billy" Robinson and "Jack" Brennan.

"I did not come out here to investigate the extent of the movement to place a Brotherhood club in St. Louis," said he, "because I think St. Louis will not get a Brotherhood club. That is unless some of the others quit, and they don't look much like quitting now. I am here as the agent of Al Johnson, of the Cleveland club, and my business is to sign Robinson and Brennan for Cleveland. I expect to leave in the morning, and when I leave I expect to have their names signed to Brotherhood contracts to play with the Cleveland club."

#### FRED'S FINE BLUFF.

Carroll, Robinson and Brennan had been in consultation the entire day. Brennan is of the opinion that the Athletics didn't give him an opportunity last year to show what he could do, and is ready and willing to sign with the hood. He has been in correspondence with Johnson, and has agreed upon terms. Robinson has made up his mind to sign a Brotherhood contract, but would rather play the sec Brotherhood contract, but would rather play with Ward's Brooklyn team than with Cleve-land. It is quite probable, however, that both men will sign the contracts presented to them by Carroll, which call for their services in Cleveland. From another source in this city, however, and what appears to be reliable. Carroll is try-ing to get Hobinson for the Pittsburg club.

Robinson has already pledged himself to some extent to go to Cleveland and he does not want to go there now. This fact has been known for some time, hence Carroll's appearnce

known for some time, hence Carrol's appearnce here to-day. He may get Brennan without much trouble, but Robinson is anzious to go to Brooklyn, except he gets good inducements from Pittsburg. It was further stated at Banberger's to-night that Carroll is after Jamos Burns, of last sea-son's Kansas City team. It is understead that Burns is disposed to join the Brotherhood League if he can get into a good team.

#### WANTS HIM FOR PITTSBURG.

Carroll however, is trying to get Robinson to play second base for Pittsburg. A friend of had representatives here to witness the openhis stated this in Banberger's saloon this even-

There is little hope in this city of having a constantly received to the effect that all the councantly receives will stay. St. Lonis' only hope now seems to be in Buffalo falling out of line. There is plenty of money here for a Brotherhood club, and were one to be organ-ized some of the very best players in the Association would become memb ITR of it

[Yesterday afternoon an official of the local Brotherhood Club stated that Carroll was in St. Louis trying to secure Robinson for the new club in this city and that the player would likely come here, as he did not want to go to Cleveland. This bears out the statement made Cleveland. This bears out the statement made in THE DISPATCH the other day to the effect that Carroll was after a "big player" of St. Louis.] McMuri The con

A REAL LIVE GHOST **GUILTY OF CRUELTY.** A Blow to Live Pigeou Shooting-Decisio of Judge Yerkes in a Famous Case-Its Mad Antics Have Driven Three He Brushes Aside All Argu-Families From the House. ISPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCE.] DOYLESTOWN, January 27 .- The somewhat ONE WOMAN IN A CRITICAL STATE famous case of the Commonwealth against A. Nelson Lewis, a member of the Philadelphia Gun Club, who was indicted for cruelty to animals for participating in a pigeon shooting match on the grounds of the club at Anda-Because of the Fright Occasioned by

lusia, Bucks county, on December 14, 1887, was concluded to day, when Judge Yerkes handed down an opinion in which he declared the de-fendant guilty as indicted. The indictment under which the trial was begun set forth the fact that Lewis, on the

begun set forth the fact that Lewis, on the date mentioned, fired with a gun upon certain pigeons liberated from a trap, killing one and wounding another. The bird so wounded alighted upon a tree, and as soon as its wounded condition was discovered it was killed by a member of said club, for and on be-half of said defendant, according to the cus-tom of said club in regard to wounded birds. The birds so killed were immediately sold for food, according to the rule and custom of said who positively assert that a ghost haunts a certain house. Three families have deserted the building in quick succession. The evicood, according to the rule and custom of said tions at Punxsutawney continue, but the In his opinion, which is quite lengthy, Judge Yerkes declares that the act of March, 1889, miners remain as determined as ever.

In his opinion, which is quite lengthy, Judge Yerkes declares that the act of March, 1889, under which the indictment was framed, is in-tended to bring all brute creation under the shelter of the law, and includes any animate being which is not human, endowed with the power of voluntary motion. "To make out the offense," said the Judge, "the Commonwealth must show, first, that the pigeon was ill-treated or alused; second, that the manner of the treat. ment was wanton or cruel. One of the pigeons was wounded and alighted upon a tree, and as soon as its wounded condition was discovered it was killed. Is it ill treatment or abuse to wound a living creature so that it lingers in that condition for a period long or short. "The natural mathed to continue its fight, had not the pain or exhaustion from the injury prevented. We are clear that this result amounted to ill-treatment and abuse in the meaning of the statute." The Judge brushed aside, as scarcely worthy of attention, the claim of the defense that pigeon shooting was an exercise that should be encouraged, as tending to promote strength and courage and the pine of the defense that pigeon shooting the claim of the defense that

house, August Rothermund, in September of attention, the claim of the defense that pigeon shooting was an exercise that should be encouraged, as tending to promote strength and courage, and to render the clitzens more efficient for those services which he may be called upon to render the State in time of war, and concluded by saying: "The offense is against the public morals, which the commis-sion of cruel and barbarous acts tends to cor-rupt." last, no person has been able to live in the house on account of the strange noises in the dead of night. The first person to notice the ghost was a daughter-in-law of the dead man. One night she was alone in the house when she One night she was alone in the house when she saw and heard the water pitcher in her room dance in the howi. A few nights later the ghost walked up the front stirway, through the hall and down the back stairs, the footsteps being distinctly heard. Since that time fre-quent visitations have been made, and the Rothermunds moved out of the house. Tho next family, that of John Morgan, a sheet roller at the Ætna mill, had the same experi-ence. Huon served occasions the covers were rupt.

#### FOR THE GIANTS. A Big Tournament Arranged for All the

#### Champion Wrestlers.

NEW YORK, January 27 .- An internati wrestling tournament will be held in this city during the third week in February. The conditions will be the best two in three falls, catch-as-catch-can, for the *Police Gazette* trophy and as-catch-can, for the Police Gazette trophy and the championship and 50 per cent of the gate money-25 per cent to the winner, 15 per cent to the second and 10 per cent to third. The en-trance fee will be \$25 and will be added to the gate money the winning contestants are to re-ceive. The entries close on Monday, February 10. Richard K. Fox will appoint the referee. The winner of the trophy will have to accept all challenges and win the trophy three times before it becomes his personal property. The following well-known wrestlers have an-nounced that they will compete: Sebastian Miller, the strong man of Germany Tom Con-nors, William Muldoon, Evan Lewis, Hugh Leonard, of Buffalo, N. Y.; Jack Carkeek, the champion Cornish wrestler: Drago, the Aus-tralian Hercules; Ajax, the Man of Jron; Greek George, of Peoria, III.; Ernest Roeber, the champion of New York; J. W. Kennedy, of Quincy, III.; Milo, the Greek champion; August Schmidt, the well-known German wrestler, and others.

### PREFERS BROOKLYN.

others

# THE DATTON'S SHOOT.

#### The Western Team Scored a Decided Victory Over the Eastern Club. DATTON, January 27 .- Every club in Ohio

had representatives here to witness the open-ing match in the series of championship con-tests between east and west teams of trap shooters, five men each team, 30 single blue dred people witnessed the shooting. Dimmick was referee, McDonald and Pratchell judges, Western team won by score 180 to 186. Statistic, 25 singles, 5 doubles, total 32. Statistic, 7 doubles, total 32. Endues, 10 doubles, 7 doubles, total 32. Hudle, 29 singles, 7 doubles, 10 doubles, 1 Brotherhood team here. Information is being rocks and five pairs to each man. Fifteen hun-

TUESDAY, JANUARY 28, 1890. DISPATCH, THE PITTSBURG

## THE EVICTIONS CONTINUE,

#### But the Miners Have Now Grown Accus tomed to the Ceremony.

SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.] PUNXSUTAWNEY, PA., January 27 .- The Sheriff evicted 19 families at Walston and Adrian to-day, and seven on Saturday. There was no excitement. The miners appear to be getting used to it. Eleven teams were kept was no excitement. The miners appear to be getting used to it. Eleven teams were kept busy all day hauling their goods away. The merry-go-round amphitheater and the fair-ground buildings here have been secured by the Knights of Labor to store the goods. The miners do not seem at all discouraged by the wholesale evictions, and accept the situation cheerfully. A number of Italians, whose goods had been thrown out, were to be seen to-day sitting around a stove which had been set up in the open air, playing accordeons, dancing and singing and enjoying themselves right royally. On Saturday it was thought the strike was broken, as a large number of Italians and Hun-garians at Adrian had asked for checks to go to work, but on Sunday their countrymen from Walstein, numbering about 300, marched over to Adrian playing bagpipes and frightened them out of it. The miners are holding out heroically for what they consider a principle-the right to belong to the Knights of Labor-and many of them say they would starve be-fore they would consent to abandon it. The strikers are receiving the support of their brother miners in other localities, and the pres-ent condition of the relief fund gives them from \$1.50 to \$5.0 per week, according to the size of their families. MORE EVICTIONS AT PUNXSUTAWNEY. All the Live News From Surrounding Communitie Martin's Ferry has a number of residents

PITTSBURG PARTIES

May Take Hold of the Plant of an Insol-

vent Glass Firm.

ISPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.1

BEAVER FALLS, PA., January 27 .- The clos-ing of the Whitla Glass Works this morning

the people here, as it was well known that the

concern has been struggling under financial

difficulties for some time. Owing to the failure

THE CLOSING ARGUMENT.

That Gabernatorial Contest is Now in the

Hands of the Legislature.

A NATURAL GAS FIGHT.

Trouble Between a Manufacturing Firm and

the Fuel Sapply Company.

FFFECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.

Midnight Apparition.

in Three States.

ISPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.1

MARTIN'S FERRY, O., January 27 .- This

number of persons are willing to stake their

place has a real ghost, or at least quite a

reputations on it. Within the past few

weeks several people have been badly

frightened by his or her ghostship, and one

of them, Mrs. Harry Ribold, is in a very

serious condition as a result of some of the

A large two-story brick house, corner of

the death of the former occupant of the

nce. Upon several occasions the covers were sulled off the bed in which Mrs. Morgan was

pulseo off the bed in which Mrs. Morgan was sleeping. Mrs. Morgan says the phost has played on the organ, the window shutters have swung open, the water pitcher has danced, looked doors opened and many other strange demonstations have taken place. The Morgans quit the house and a family named Riboid moved in. They had the same experience as their predecessors. Mrs. Riboid, who was in delicate health, was so badly frightened by the strange midnight visi-tor that she is now in a critical condition. Ser-

tor that she is now in a critical condition.

eral other persons say they are willing to restify to the above. All superstitious people in the neighborhood are very much agitated. A crowd of men are talking of lying in wait for the ghost and capturing it if possible.

VICTORY NOW ASSURED.

Pennsylvania Delegates Are Pleased With

the New Miners' Order.

ISPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATOR. !

SCOTTDALE, January 27 .- Messrs, Corrigan,

Keegan and Ball, of the coke regions delega-

tion to the Columbus convention, have arrived

home. Mr. Corrigan was seen by THE DIS-

PATCH correspondent to-day and is very well pleased at the outcome. He says: "It will be

of great good to the miners and cokers of the

Knights of Labor have had nearly 11,000

members in good standing in this district

Attract His Giri's Attention.

INFECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH. 1

ERIE, January 27 .- The supposed burglar

whom Select Councilman J. C. Williams found

at his window at a late hour Saturday night,

fired upon and captured, turns out to have been

F. L. Angier, a Lake Shore and Michigan

CRAWFORD COUNTY CATCHES IT.

The Grip Was a Little Slow, but Has

Finally Got There.

ISPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.]

Erie's Natural Gas War.

(SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCE.]

A Child Burned to Death.

PEPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCE.

hem to file an answer in 14 days.

nellsville coke region as, although the

ence.

terrifying manifestations of the ghost.

A pathetic story is told in a Washington paper of the hardships of 65 women who, for \$30 a month apiece, toil eight hours daily, mending torn mail bags. They have to mend 40 a day or give up the work. The task is described as a very difficult one. The Titusville postoffice muddle is no nearer solution because of Mr. Bloss' retirement.

> FROM A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.] WASHINGTON, January 27 .- The Evening Capital, which has been purchased by

WORSE THAN SLAVES.

The Hardships of Sixty-Five Women

Workers of Washington.

A TASK THAT TELLS ON THEM.

Each One Given Forty Badly Torn Mail

Sacks to Mend Every Day.

THE TITUSVILLE POSTOFFICE CASE

No Neaver a Settlement Because of the Retireman

of Bloss,

Only to Run Equarchy Against One of Senthree very clever young newspaper men, nter Sherman's Promises. ISPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH. who have changed its name back to the original one of the Critic, signalize their ad-COLUMBUS, O., January 27 .--- R. B.

purpose

ing to overrule the Superintendent of the

Census in the matter of selecting a super-

Denny will get the place. One of the Western Pennsylvania Con-

gressmen was so sure that Mr. George Oli-ver would not be appointed, and that action

was to be taken in the case early this week that he manifested surprise in not finding

Dr. Denny's name among the list of nomina-tions sent to the Senate to-day.

PITTSBURG CAPITAL IN 1T.

A Scheme to Build a Big Single Span Bridge

Over the Hudson.

FROM & STAFF CORRESPONDENT.]

WASHINGTON, January 27.-Messrs. James Andrews, Gustaf Lindenthal and

Samuel Rea, all of Pittsburg, are among

the incorporators named in a bill intro-

duced to-day in the Senate to form a com-

pany to bridge the Hudson river between

Jersey City and New York City. The bill

was introduced by Senator Cameron on be-

half of Mr. Quay, and is similar to the one

introduced in the last Congress for the same

The bridge is to consist of one single

HAYES BREAKS HIS RULE,

span, without center piers, and the

mated cost is \$60,000,000.

visor for the Pittsburg district, and that Dr.

vent by calling the attention of Postmaster Haves has broken the rule of his life since by the Sheriff was not much of a surprise to General Wanamaker, "the Christian advoretiring from the White House, and come cate and exponent of the golden rule," to from the seclusion of his chicken farm at the condition of the women who repair the Government mail bags. Its story is a long and pathetic one, and is not in the least overdrawn. The following extracts contain Second and Monroe streets, is the place in gas the furnace had to be changed to use where the strange apparition appears. Since coal, and this necessitated a big outlay of and pathetic one, and is not in the least money. Several assessments were made, and overdrawn. The following extracts contain whom, President Harrison and himself there is now a triangular quarrel over the appointment of a pension agent for Ohio to succeed Captain Gil Bar-ger, whose term shortly expires. Mr. Hayes has a nephew, General John G. Mitchell, in Columbus, whom he wants apfinally the small stockholders refused to pay the gist of the expose, which has created a good deal of gossip:

"In the third story of a building once used as a carriage repository on C street, between Four and a Half and Sixth, northwest, sit 65 women from 8 A. M. to 4 P. M., almost obscured in a blinding, stifling cloud of dust, plying their needles the livelong day, repairing torn and dilapidated mail

small rent in it, or whether it is rioped from top to bottom. It must be mended. If a woman gets slightly damaged bags to mend, and she can do 50 a day, it's her good TAPECIAL TELEGHAN TO THE DISPATOR.1 fortune. If she gets badly torn ones, and CHARLESTOWN, W. VA., January 27.-The finds it impossible to keep up the record of Gubernatorial Court met again this morning to listen to the continuation and conclusion of General J. W. St. Clair's argument, closing the presentation of the contest before the joint as- the women toil away, bending silently over sembly. Mr. St. Clair took the floor immedi-ately after the joint assembly had been called to order, and spoke until about 1 o'clock. The only too well that the stifling dust is affectfirst half of the speech was confined entirely to the consideration of the contested votes in the counties of Mercer and McDowell, he taking the consideration of the contested votes in the counties of Mercer and McDowell, he taking the consideration of the contested votes in the try pay of \$30 a month. If, by good for-tune, a woman can do more than 40 bags a day, she is allowed 3 cents additional for each bag. "The suffering that is caused sometimes is

hard to realize. The women bend in a strained position for hours over the dusty bags, with the dust going to their lungs, their hands torn by the ragged edges of the bags, and cut by the coarse twine used for thread, while they have to exert almost a

DRIVEN WORSE THAN SLAVES. "One worker was overcome by a hemorrhage, one day, while bending over her work, and had to be helped to the dressing-

ours duck, nailed on posts. It is cruel irony to call it a dressing-room. The women

BROWNSVILLE-River 6 feet 4 inches and stationary. Weather cloudy. Thermometer 39° at 7 P. M.

\*Trace

NEW ADVIRTISEMENTS.

## FIFTH AVENUE, PITTSBURG.

The PEOPLE'S STORE

# STOCK-TAKING SALE!

### Closing Out All Winter Cloaks and Furs at Sacrifice Prices,

200 CLOTH JACKETS.

Well made, tight fitting, in stripes, checks and dark cloths, at \$2 each. These were sold from \$3 to \$5.

### About 50 Fine Cloth Jackets,

Plain, braided, newest shapes, uniform price of \$5; previous prices from \$7 50 to \$10. About 75 FINE CLOTH JACKETS in short and three-quarter lengths, elegantly braided and embroidered; sold from \$10 to \$15. Take your choice of the lot for \$7 50.

At \$10-Over 70 fine all-woo! BEAVER CLOTH JACKETS, in black and colors-Persian vest fronts, lined with Satin Rhadames-the most popular Jacket we had-sold really at \$20. Now marked down to \$10 each-to be sold at once.

# Black Stockinette Jackets!

We have just received a full assortment of these popular goods, in all sizes and quall-is, and now are prepared to meet your wants. From \$2 to \$10 each. We have a small line of PLUSH JACKETS which we are closing out at \$8 50, \$8, \$12 and upward.

In PLUSH SACQUES we are offering the best bargains of the season. At \$15 a full line of best English SEAL PLUSH JACKETS. These would have been cheap at \$25 at the beginning of the season. We guarantee them to be the cheapest goods in this or any other market.

# PLUSH SACQUES

Up to the finest, at very great reductions. We have all sizes from 32 to 50-inch, bust

## TO-DAY WE OFFER 200 CHILDREN'S GARMENTS,

All sizes, from 3 to 12 years, at the uniform price of \$2. This is a regular give-away. If you don't want one for yourself buy it for your friend.

### SEAL SKIN JACKETS AND SACQUES

We are selling freely at our greatly reduced prices. We have still a few left. Come quick if you want a bargain. Big bargains in CHILDREN'S CLOAKS. LADIES AND CHILDREN'S SUITS-You know we are headquarters for all

kinds of Ladies and Misses' Made-up Suits, and the only store in Allegheny county where you can find a large and choice variety of made-up Suits of our own make all the



ARE MARKED ON EVERYTHING IN OUR STORES. We have cut them down for our own good as well as yours. We want to sell, and we know that the way to make goods go is to sell them at half-price. This is your chance to secure bargains, as the figures below will show: JACKETS-Tailor-made, \$1 50, \$2 50, \$3, \$4, \$5, \$6, reduced from \$4 to \$15; Plush Jackets, \$6, \$8 95, \$10 45, reduced from \$10 to \$18; Plush Sacques, \$12, \$16 75, \$18 75, reduced from \$20, \$25 and \$30. NEWMARKETS-Beaver Newmarkets, \$5, \$7, \$9, reduced from \$10 to \$20; Striped Newmarkets, \$5, \$7 50, reduced from \$12 to \$16. CHILDREN'S WRAPS-One lot Infants' Cloaks on table \$1, reduced from \$3 50; one lot \$2, reduced from \$5; all Misses' Cloaks and Wraps equally reduced. CORSETS-New 50c Corsets, elegant quality, 35c; new 75c Corsets, elegant quality, 42c; new \$1 25 Corsets, elegant quality, 75c; new \$1 50 Corsets, elegant quality, 98c. Over 100 styles of Corsets to select from. HOSIERY-Fine Wool Hose 19c, 25c, 33c, 38c, were 25 to 55c; Black Cotton Hose, full regular, split feet, 16c a pair; Ladies' Black and Fancy Cotton Hose 19c a pair; Ladies' Black and Fancy Cotton Hose 25c, reduced from 40c; Ladies' Black Lisle Hose 25c, reduced from 4oc. MUFFLERS AND HANDKERCHIEFS-Gents' Silk Mufflers 50c, reduced from \$1; Gents' Silk Mufflers \$1, reduced from \$2; Gents' Silk Mufflers \$2, reduced from \$4; Ladies' Colored Emb. Handkerchiefs 25c, reduced from 50c; Ladies' Colored Emb. Handkerchiefs 15c, reduced from 30c.

INPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCE.1 orounties of Mereor and McDowell, he taking up the cases individually, and explaining and defending the action of the majority of the committee. He was frequently interrupted by General Goff or Mr. Hubbard, and at times the debate was prior committee. He was requestiy interrupted by General Goff or Mr. Hubbard, and at times the debate was spicy. The concluding portion of his speech was of a political nature and designed apparently to justify the entire contest proceeding and at the same time thoroughly solidify the Demo-cratic members. The Democrats are enthu-sinstic in praising his effort, holding that his arguments were simply unanswerable, and that the stand taken by General Goff and his coun-sel was most successfully controverted. The Republicans go to the other extreme this even-ing and say the speech was simply an apology for a wrong.

man's strength to pull the needle through at times.

Time. 8:00 A. M. 1:00 M. 1:00 P. M. 2:00 P. M. 8:00 P. M. 8:00 P. M. room. This is a dark retreat, ventilated from the top by a trap-door, the walls coarse

FFFCTAL TELEGRAM TO THE DIRPATCH.' JOHNSTOWN, January 27.-A somewhat in-teresting contest has been going on for a little time between the Johnson Company, of Mox-ham, and the Westmoreland and Cambria

The next day she took to her

LIGHTNER.

dent that this is the only favor he has asked at the hands of this or any other administration since he left the Presidental chair. In that condition the matter stands, and no appointment is made It is evi dent that Captain Barger will serve over his time.

A POSITIVE STINT. It matters not whether the bag has a

finally the small stockholders refused to pay any more, and those who had advanged money to tide the concern over its difficulties issued on it to protect themselves. The names of the parties who issued are W. A. McCool, Dan H. Stowe, Simon Harrold, Henrici F. Woefal, John C. Whitla, J. P. Stowe, W. H. Broetenstine, H. C. Pattersou, J. L. B. Rewes, Robert M. Campbell, Heury Bloom and John M. Hughes. It is said the total amount of the failure is \$60,000. One hundred and seventy-five men and boys pointed to this position, while Mr. Sherman has promised State Senator Cole that he may have the place. Mr. Hayes indignantly reminds the Presifailure is \$60,000. One hundred and seventy-five men and boys are thrown out of employment. The works are in splendid running order, and have a number of large orders on hand. A meeting of the di-rectors will be held to-morrow, and the affairs of the concern will be put into the hands of three liquidating trustees. It is runored that Pittsburg parties will take the works, and that they will be running again inside of a month. A POSIT sacks. There is no conversation among them. There is no time to lose in talking. A task is imposed upon them which they must fulfill or get out. Each one must re-

#### THE ONLY KEL.

#### He Says That Nash and Richardson Are All

Right. BOSTON, January 27 .- Captain Mike Kelly, who arrived in Boston to-day, was seen by a re-porter this morning at the reading room, surrounded by several friends, who were enjoying his account of his trip to 'Frisco,

"How long are you going to stay in Boston?" asked the newspaper man, to which the "only" replied that he intended to leave for New York "What chance is there of Billy Nash return-

"What chance is there of Billy Nash return-ing to the League?, as well as your-self ?" "Why,"replied Kelly, "Nash and Bichardson are the strongest Brotherhood men in the new club, and you can bank that they will stay right where they are. As for myself, I see by a local paper that 'Mr. Billings didn't care to take me back, and President Soden is with them.' I don't believe the statement is true, but if it is they will change their mind before many games. It is one thing to get a lot of good play-ers on paper and still another thing to get out

games. It is one thing to get a thing to get out ers on paper and still another thing to get out and hit the ball. Why, this great player, Long, was given a chauce to show what he was made of with the Spaiding party last fall, but fell all

"What effect will the decision in the Ward case have on the boys?"

case have on the boys?" "It may bother a few of them if it goes against Ward, but how it will worry the League if it goes against Join B. Day. Ward's contract was an exceptional one, and I won't be sur-prised to see Judge O'Brien give a temporary inividue." 'Have you sigued with the Players' League?

Director Conant says you have not." "Why, my boy, I signed weeks ago, hefore go-ing to 'Frisco," was Kelly's ready answer.

#### MADE THE AFFIDAVITS.

### Swartwood and Blair Swear to Some Im-

portant Baseball Facts. Ed Swartwood, the local baseball player, means to push his case before the National Arhitration Committee. Yesterday he received a letter from President Phelps, of the Afferican Association, advising him to make out at once an affidavit and forward it to President Young. at the arbitration meeting, which convenes in New York to-morrow. Swartwood yesterday afternoon, accompa-

Swartwood yesterday afternoon, accompa-nied by Pitcher Blair, visited the office of Al-derman McMasters and cach made an afflicivit to the effect that Mr. Dickson, of the Hamilton club, agreed to give Swartwood his release if the latter would take \$400 in salary instead of \$500, which was due him. The afflicivits forther state that Dickson and Swartwood agreed that if the latter's release was not bought from the Hamilton club before or on December 1, 1889, Swartwood's name was to be stroken off the Swartwood's name was to be stricken off the club's reserve list. Mr. Dickson has not carried this arrangement out, hence trouble, Without doubt Swartwood is in the right.

The Hamilton club has been unable to sell his release, and against their own proposition they still try to hold him. Heretofore his word has always been as rood as his bond. The affidavits will arrive in New York to-day.

#### Going to the Meetings.

Secretary Scandrett, of the local League club, will leave for New York this evening to attend the League meetings. Yesterday he was not prepared to say what may be done at the meetings. He thinks that some important due meet-ings. He thinks that some important questions will be discussed, and said: "According to custom I think the Lengue will open its season on April 21, with the West vs. West and East vs. East. This will give Pittsburgers plenty of baseball to start with." atory: Sporting Editor of Dispatch:

Edgerly...0 J. H. Jones...0 Drawn. Edgerly...0 E. A. Brown...1 Drawn. Edgerly...2 P. J. Elley...1 Drawn. Edgerly.1 Harrison...2 Drawn. Edgerly.0 McAteer....1 Drawn. A Very Frank Statement. Ed Gumbert made quite a surprising statement yesterday, when talking about his differ-ence with Manager Hanlon. He said: "Wby, This religion how may contract wasn't acceptable. I signed to play only with the Pittsburg club, and the other contracts are all made out to mean Pittsburg or elsewhere. I don't think there will be a club here. from Rochester desires a match, h modated by some of the above get Sec'ty Pittsburg Checker Club, 430 Fifth ave. January 27, 1890.

#### Took the Ferfeit Down.

John Quinn vesterday took down the forfeit of \$250 which he put up for Fogarty to fight any 158-pound man in the world. The forfelt has 188-pound man in the world. The forfelt has been up a reasonable length of time and has been noticed all over the country. Nobody feels disposed to cover it, and that fact may be taken to mean that Jack Fogarty is considered a dangerous man among the puglists. Mr. Quinn says that Fogarty can be matched at any time against any of the middle weights.

10: W. E. Perry, 29 singles, 8 doubles, total 57: Quinby, 13 singles, 6 doubles, total 45; W. S. Perry, 35 singles, 36 doubles, total 34. Team total, 127 singles, 33 doubles, grand total 186. Western team winner by 14. In 25 live pigeon match between Heikes and McMurchy, Heikes killed 20, McMurchy 18. The combination left for Cincinnati this even-A LOVER, BUT A BURGLAR. That Erie Young Man Was Only Trying to

# DON'T WANT LOSERS.

# Paddy McBride Must Defeat O'Leary Before

ing.

He Meets Danforth. outhern fireman. Angler had met a young Southern Breman. Angler had blet a young lady at the skating rink and walked with her to what he supposed was h r home. The young woman slipped around the house to which she had escorted Angler and made her escape. It was while attempting to attract her atten-tion, as he supposed her to be in the house, that he worked at the window. The hoax not only came nigh costing Angler his life, but it The directors of the New Orleans Young Men's Gymnastic Club refuse to put up a purse for a battle between Danforth and McBride if the latter is beaten by O'Leary. McBride will, therefore, only get a fight with Danforth if he

is victorious at Buffalo. that he worked at the window. The hear het only came nigh costing Angier his life, but it required the kindly offices of Lake Shore officials to establish the young man's reputa-tion, thereby preventing his being convicted on a charge of attempted burglary as a sequel to If McBride fights Danforth the battle will take place on February 22, instead of the 26th, so that John Quinn will have plenty of time to return to this city and see the race between McCielland and Priddy on March L. The race his flirtation. in question will take on the date originally fixed.

Guttenburg Entries. INFECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCE.1

#### HUDSON COUNTY DRIVING PARK, GUTTEN, BURG, N. J., January 27 .- The following are the entries at Guttenburg to-morrow:

First race, six furlongs-Thad Rowe 117, Capstone, Carlos, Clatter, Gold Vase filly 113, Mile End Nentunns III, Ran Dance, Rass Viol Slasher 109, Velvet, Dizrie Brunette, Socks, Phil Thomp-

103, Veivet, Dizzle Branette, Socks, Phil Thompson, Miller 107. Second race, six furiongs-King William Bene-fit, Foisom 110. Hemot, Paradise, Virginia Coir S, Havti geiding 92, Perlwinkle 90. Third race, five furiongs-Cupid 116, Elmstone, Howe 116, Japhet 112, Herman 110, Marry B 100, Harry Fanstas, Lillie D, Faclal B 108, Golden Rod (formerity Contempt), Tom Kearns, Little Bare-foot 106, Pendemnis and Codfish 105, Skip 100. Fourthrace, seven furiongs-Redlight 112, Gen-darme, Battersby 110, Brait, Success (formerly Pat Donovan) 107, Irish Pat 104, Spalding 102, Ven-detta 104, Pelham 98. Fifth race, one nile-Lancaster, Vigilant 113, Amos 111, Trojan, Carrie G 110 Blossed 108, Steph-nalie 105, Sherwood, Queven Bess 104, Biscuit, Top, Sawyer, Frederick the First, Johnnie 0 100. Slith race, seven furiongs-Tyrone 116, Banker, Extra 107, Froducta 116, Mazumah, Belmont 102, My Own 169, Tony Pastor, Comus 97, Cheeney, Mamie Hay 98.

Results at Clifton.

#### INPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCILL

CLIFTON, N. J., January 27 .- It was a delightful day at Clifton and an excellent crowd took advantage of the fine weather. The track was sloppy from the heavy rain that fell early this

sloppy from the heavy rain that fell early this morning, causing many scratches. First race, five furiongs-Lomax first, 5 to 2 and, 4 to 5: Gypsy second, 4 to 1 and 8 to 5: Pocahontas third, 5 to 1 and 2 to 1. Thue, 12655. Second race, six and one-half turiongs-King Hazen first, 8 to 1 and even; Insight second, 20 to 1 and 8 to 1; Mabel Glein third, 4 to 1 and 7 to 5. Third, race, mile and a sixteenth-W Daly Jr first, even and 1 to 3: Gallatin second, 20 to 1 and 2 to 5: J McFarland third, 7 to 2 and 3 to 5. Time, 1:54.

2108: J McFariand third, 7 to 2 and 3 to 5. Time, 1:54. Fourth race, one mile-Golden Reel first, 9 to 10 and 1 to 3: Autocrat second, 5 to 1 and 8 to 5: Pullip D third, 6 to 1 and 2 to 1. Time, 1:85 Fifth race, seven and a half furiongs-Hair-spring first, 7 to 2 and even; Rőger second, even and 1 to 3: Remembrance third and last, 5 to 1 and 8 to 5. Time, 1:5:3. Sixth race-Kocelusko Kay (formerly Sae Finney gelding) first, Umpire second, Barnam third. Time, 1:205. Betting: Kosciusko Kay even. Umpire 6 to 1, Barnum 10 to 1.

Got Their Cash.

The pedestrians who won prizes in the 24

hour race at the East End last week received their money yesterday. McClelland got \$115;

A Challenge to Mr. Edgerly. \$40,000 Paid for a Uniontown Hotel. The following communication is self-explan-

#### ISPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCE.1

UNIONTOWN, January 27.-George F. Yitlow, ormerly proprietor of the Hotel Marietta, at Sporting Editor of Dispatch: The statement made in alocal paper this morn-ing to the effect that Mr. J. W. Edgerty, of Ecchester, N.Y., (not Pa., as stated), defeated all the members of the Pittsburg Checker Club whom he had met, is incorrect. The following are some of the latest scores: formerly proprietor the noter matrices, as Connelisville, this afternoon purchased the Jennings House, of this place. He will take possession on Wednesday. The price paid was \$40,000. This is the largest hotel property deal ever made in Fayette county. The house will be remodeled and refurnished.

Two Women Commit Suicide. (SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCE. ] WHEELING, January 27,-At Spring Creek, Roane county, to-day, Marie Friendly hanged

# herself with a rope halter in the klicher. Do-mestic trouble was the cause. In the Fayette jail Mary Connelly attempted to cut her throat with a lamp chimney. She will probably die.

the absconding tax collector of Columbia, was proved to be a forgery, and the alleged bonds-men were released. Canten to Have a Hospital. ISPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH. CANTON, O., January 27 .- The announce

ment is made to-day of the purchase of a fourd Stebert, \$75; McCafferty, \$56 80; McCaffrey, \$19. r. Efforts are being made to hold a three-hour t consolution nee on Saturday evening. If the race is held it will be a handicap.

Natural Gas Company. Friday last Superina dozen bags with great rents in them, it is tendent Carter telephoned out to the Johnson tendent Carter telephoned out to the Johnson company that he had received telegraphic or-half and even three-quarters of an hour to ders from Pittsburg to shut off the gas from mend one bag. It is a physical impossibiltheir works. On being asked for a reason he ity to keep up the average much time spent on a few bad ones.

was unable to give one, and as the contract for gas stipulated a five-days' written notice, the Johnson company refused to allow the gas to be abut off "Not long since a woman who has two be shut off. fatheriess children dependent on her was called up and told that her work was below

Joinson company retured to allow the gas to be shut off. Superintendent Carter, of the gas company, proceeded to the works and expressed his in-tion of shutting off the gas whether the com-pany liked it or not, and upon his proceeding to do so was forcibly ejected from the premises. Later in the evening Carter returned, and with the assistance of some one who has not yet been identified, got into the works and at the point of a pistol turned off the gas. Men had been placed at the gashouse, the company an-ticipating some such effort, but never dreamed of being confronted with pistols. Legal pro-ceedings will probably be commenced by both companies. the average. It was midday, on the last day of the month 'You are 32 bags behind your number,' she was told. She had half a day in which to make it up. If she failed

A THIEF TRIES SUICIDE.

the strain, the worry and the exertion were Another Man is Now in the Insane Asylum too much. Because of the Crime. bed, and has been lying at death's door in onsequence. Uncle Sam had obtained his

SPRCIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCE.I due, but it was almost at the cost of a human Youngsrown, January 27 .- This afternoon word was received at the Sheriff's office from

Coldwater, Mich., stating that Wm, W. Ninson MEADVILLE, January 27 .- La grippe has dehad shot himself and would probably die. Ninmeanbyline, shousy 21.---- a grippe has de-veloped in this city and vicinity to such an ex-tent as to cripple nearly every industry. Fully 30 per cent of the 1,800 pupils in the Meadville schools are sick, while the force of teachers is proportionately reduced from the same comson was formerly agent of the United States Express Company here. One night a package The Muddle in the Titusville Postoffice of \$7,500 was missing from the office. Dal. P. Mikesell, cashier in the office, was accused, but he protested his innocence, and he was not ar-In Cochranton, eight miles from here, all the rested. The accusation drove Mikesell insane, and he is now in the Ohio Insane Asylum, a hopeless lunatic. Ninson removed to Coldwa-ter, and recently confessed to the company that he was the thief and Mikesell was innocent.

schools were closed to-day for the week, most of the 175 pupils being affected. No other epidemic ever gained such a foothold in this section as has la grippe, although no fatal cases have yet been reported. e was the thief and Mikesell was the evenin Mikesell left the key in the safe one evenin impression, made Mikesell left the key in the safe one evening and Ninson, securing an impression, made a duplicate key, with which he opened the safe and secured the package. The money he sent to his brother in Michigan, sending it through the mails as old paper. Relatives of Mikesell caused an indictment to be found against Nin-son, charging him with emberzlement. The officials at Coldwater were notified to arrest Ninson. When captured Ninson became des-perate and concluded to abuffie off by the revolver route. At last accounts Ninson was still living. A Pastor Changes His Location. SEPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCE.] WASHINGTON, PA., January 27 .- The Baptist congregation of this place were very much ist congregation of this piace were very fauch surprised, as well as disappointed, yesterday morning, when their pastor, Rev. Alexander MacArthur, notified them that they would have to secure another preacher. He has ac-cepted a call from Scottdale, and will go there on March I. Rev. MacArthur came here from Pittsburg about three years ago, and has made many friends, who learned with regret of his leaving.

companies

#### MARRIED AND DESERTED.

Another Addition to the List of Victims of the Matrimonial Agencies.

(SPECIAL TELEGRAN TO THE DISFATCH.) ERIE, PA., January 27, — The city of Erie, by its attorneys, filed a bill in equity to-day against the Pennsylvania Natural Gas Company, in which they ask the Court to compet the com-pany to tear up their mains and pupes from the city because of violations of the terms under which they came into the city, The Court then granted a rule on the company compelling them to file an answer in 14 days. LIMA, O., January 27 .- This morning a very nice appearing young married lady arrived here from the West, on the Fort Wayne road, and going to the Hotel French, inquired if a man answering a certain description had breakfasted there several mornings since. She breakfasted there several mornings since. She was informed that he had. She said the man was her husband and his name was Gustav R. Wells. In explanation she said six months ago she answered a matrimonial advertisement in a Chicago paper from her home in Davenport, In, and made an engagement to meet Wells in that city, and in a few weeks they were mar-ried. NEW CASTLE, PA., January 27 .- Mrs. El-

That city, and orphan but had managed to save S1,200. Wells had got possession of this money, she alleged, and then deserted her. She went on East this afternoon in pursuit of dridge Yoho, of Newport, seven miles from this place, went out to milk yesterday, leaving ther 5-year-old daughter in the house. A mo-ment after the mother heard a scream and ran back to the bouse to find the little girl's cloth-ing in flames. The child was terribly burned, and suffered intense pain until death relieved her.

Shocking Affair at Steabeaville. the district, even for the Chairman of the committee, but if this be true, which is ISPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.1 STEUBENVILLE, January 27.-The police undoubtful, it is certainly very inconsistant, arthed a shocking affair to-night, and have as he has shown a similar courtesy to other caught the chief perpetrator and are in hot officials of State organizations, in spite of the claims of Congressmen, and his excuses pursuit of the other two. A little girl named Jordon, 18 years of age, was this evening gotten Gordon, is years of age, was this evening gotten under the influence of wine, which is thought to have been drugged, and then outrageously assaulted. The party under arrest gave the name of Kelly, and the Gordon girl says he is the right man. He and a man named Connelly came here from Pittaburg to day, and he and the girl's older sister are charged with being accessories to the orime. It was thought at first that the victim would die, but she is better and will recover. than the Congressman.

A Tax Collector's Bond Forged.

LANCASTER, January 27.-In court this morning, the bond of William G. Duttenhofer,

GEORGE MIDDLETON, of Chicago (owner of the sensational trotter Jack, 2.15), bas pur-chased from Waiter Clark, Battle Creek, Mich., the 4-year-old gray gelding Pilot H (8-year-old record 2295), by Pilot Medium, dam by Tom Hunter, son of Secor's Black Hawk, by Traveler.

MOBGANTOWN - River 5 feet and stationary. Weather cloudy. Thermometer 40° at 4 P. M. WARBEN-River 3 6-10 feet and stationary. Weather cloudy and cold. of 40 with so

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erly winds.

A pocket full of money amounts to little after health is gone. To enjoy life, a good ap-petite, sound digestion and elastic limbs, take Tutt's Pills. Then, if you are poor, you will be happy; if rich, you can enjoy your money. They dispel low spirits, and give buoyancy to mind and body.

River Telegrams.

Recommendation.

shall do it; I must do it or starve,' she cried in anguish. AIDED BY GOOD LUCK. "Doubtless some good angel stirred the heart of the distributor to favor her, for she succeeded in accomplishing the task. But

Tutt's Liver Pills GIVE GOOD DIGESTION.

No Fear of Grippe

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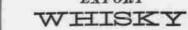
Need be felt by those who keep the blood pure and vigorous with Ayer's Sarsaparilla-it makes the weak strong. Prostration is the most characteristic and serious symptom of the prevailing disease. It is during this debilitated condition of the body that bronchitis, pneu-WASHINGTON. January 27 .- The contest monia, typhoid, and malaria fasten upon the patient. Be careful and not allow the system

> "Ayer's Sarsaparilla is just the thing for pa tients recovering from the grippe."-J. J. & M. Wilkinson, Druggists, Kerhonkson, N. Y.

# Ayer's Sarsaparilla,

cans here seem to think, should be accorded Prepared by Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass. Price \$1; six bottles, \$5. Worth \$5 a bottle. ja26-86 the courtesy of being permitted to have something to say about the appointment of

THE GOOD NAME The charge against Gilmor, or one of the charges, is that he is a Mugwump, of the kind that Mr. Culbertson seems determined AND REPUTATION THAT OUR to put into office wherever he can, to main-PURE EIGHT-YEAR-OLD



NOW ENJOYS IS TO US VERY GRATI-FYING. It is eagerly sought for by all who wish a good and pure whisky for family and medicinal purposes.

Mr. Wanamaker is quoted as having said IT IS ONE OF THE VERY FEW WHISKIES that he did not see how he could pass over the recommendation of the Congressman of THAT POSSESSES POSITIVE MERIT. Old Export is neatly put up in Full Quar Bottles, and securely packed in cases to insurtransportation in any quantity purchasers may

> Full Quarts \$1, or \$10 per doz. Our California Wines are Per-

for refusing to recognize Hon. John Daizell, in the Pittsburg contest, was that he thought the Chairman of the National Com-mittee should be heeded in the matter, rather fectly Pure, Free from injurious ingredients, pleasant and beneficial to take. Try them and you will be convinced of their merit.

The fight at Titusville rivals that at McKeesport, and is growing hotter every day. Major Shattuc's iriends are determined Full Quarts 50c, or \$5 per doz. to push him for all he is worth, and to leave

no stone unturned to defeat Gilmor. As Shattuc is an old soldier, with a fine record, and is personally very popular, it is possible Culbertson may yet be defeated.

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FROM & STAFF CORRESPONDENT. ]

PITTSBURG, PA. DE. DENNY CONSIDERED SLATED

Instead of George Oliver for the Pittsbury TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY. WANTED-A SITUATION BY A MABRIED

WASHINGTON, JANUARY 27.-It is re-ported here to-day that the President is go-Ford, Fayette Co., Pa.

#### A FEW OTHER REMARKABLE BARGAINS:

Colored Wide Embroideries 25c, reduced from 75c a yard; Misses 4-Button Kid Gloves 38c, reduced from 75c; Ladies' Pink and Blue Ribbed Vests 121/2c, reduced from 22c; Ladies' Pink and Blue Ribbed Vests 22c, reduced from 35c; Ladies' Natural Wool Vests 62c, reduced from 87c; Portmonaies 25c, reduced from 50c; 50c reduced from \$1; \$3 Black and Colored Jerseys at \$1 50; \$4 Black and Colored Jerseys at \$1 75. Buttons-A large lot 5c, reduced from 10c, 15c, 20c a dozen. Boys' Fine Waists 65c, reduced from \$1; Men's White Shirts 65c, reduced from \$1; Colored Percale Shirts 35c, reduced from \$1; 4-4 Turkish Table Covers 48c, reduced from 75c; extra fine 62c, reduced from \$1; Tapestry Table Covers 85c, reduced from \$1 25; Ladies' Collars and Cuffs 15c a set, reduced from 38c; Ladies' Chemisettes 10c a set, reduced from 25c; Boys' Sailor Collars 10c, reduced from 25c.

Prices cut down lower than you ever saw them before in every de-



over the Titusville postoffice is hardly made more favorable to Congressman Culbertson by the retirement of W. H. Bloss from the to run down. Prevention is better than cura.

the Chairman of the Republican State Com-

mittee, who, as most Pennsylvania Repub-

tain the organization of the William L

Scott Republicans, in the Northwest dis-

district. Protests are on file from many leading Republicans of Titusville, rehears-

ing Gilmor's disloyalty to the party, and his record as a "kicker" when he was a cit-

izen of McKean county is recited in unmis-takable terms for the benefit of the Post-

AT CROSS PURPOSES.

Matter No Clearer - Another Con-

gressman Who May be Slighted

for a Chairman's Sake.

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his home postmaster.

master General.