NOT QUITE ENOUGH.

Day and Byrne.

THE OFFER IS BONA FIDE.

Predmore Issues a Bold Challenge to

THE SPORTING NEWS OF THE DAY.

Local Horsemen.

F. E. Anderson states that the offer of \$1,000,000 for the National League clubs is bona fide. Messrs. Day and Byrne think the offer too small. The Inter-State Baseball League meets. C. F. Predmore issues an interesting challenge to

INPECIAL TELEGRAN TO THE DISPATCE. NEW YORK, February 24 .- "Mr. Day says that the offer of \$1,000,000 for the ten clubs in the National League is a bluff. Does he?" said Frederick E. Anderson, of the legal firm of Tracy, McFarland, Boadman Platt & Grinnell to a DISPATCH reporter to-day. "Well, I would like him to come down and tell us that offer is accepted, then he would quickly find out how much of a "Now, here are the entire facts in the case. On February 20 I wrote to Mr. Day, whom I thought was President of the National League, to the effect that clients of ours stood willing to purchase the ten clubs of the National League and would give \$1,000,000 for the same. A day or two afterward he replied in a very courteous manner, stating that Mr. Young, President of the League, was the proper person to communicate with. I have therefore written to Mr. Young relative to the offer.

A BONA PIDE OFFER. "This is a bona fide transaction, and our cli-

ents are gentiemen of unquestioned means and fully competent to carry out the proposed "Will you kindly give THE DISPATCH the

names of the gentlemen comprising the syndi-"I should like to do so very much, but I have not been authorized to promulgate their names, and therefore it would be quite contrary to 4egal custom to disclose anything without author-

"Does the offer of \$1,000,000 include the players as well as clubs.""
"It means everything. We want to put our-

selves in the National League's place?"
"Then you don't think that \$1,000,000 is an ex-"Not at all. We have gone over the ground

carefully and will give every penny that has "How about \$100,000 for the present Washing-

A CHANCE FOR RICHES.

"That goes. Now, Mr. Reporter, if you have an idea that that is a fabulous sum to give for the National League clubs, I'll make a propo sition to you. If you can purchase those clubs for \$750,000 I will give you \$1,000,000, and thus you will be in \$250,000. The firm of which I save the honor of being a member wishe- to

have the honor of being a member wishe to be placed right in this matter, and I think our names are a sufficient guarantee that the offer has been made in good faith."

President John B. Day was in rather better mood to-day, and he very willingly let all the reporters who asked him about the selling of the League franchise for \$1,000,000 to a syndicate know what he thought about the matter. "There may be a syndicate who made such an offer, but really I attach no inportance to it. Why, \$1,000,000 would not purchase the Boston Why, \$1,000,000 would not purchase the Boston club. As for the New York club, the franchise is not for sale. So you see how far \$1,000,000 will go toward buying the ten clubs in the National League.

MR. DAY'S SUGGESTION. suggested to the legal firm of Tracy, Mc

Farland & Co., who represent the syndicate, that they should submit their offer to President Young, of the League, I am confident that after they receive his reply they will be entirely satisfied to let the matter drop. "W hat do you think of the \$1,000,000 offer for

all the clubs of the National Learne?" was a DISPATCH reporter's inquiry of President Byrne, of the Brooklyn club,

Byrne, of the Brooklyn club,
"Oh it's a joke and nothing else. One million dollars, pooh; I will be willing to take that part of the million without the string attached to it. Count it up and you'll find it will be next to nothing. Suppose there were a bona fide offer of \$1,000,000 made, do you think for an instant that that would purchase the National League? Why, actually, it would not buy the weakest club."

THE INTER-STATE LEAGUE.

Al Reach Scores a Point and Other Interesting Business Done.

(SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.) EASTON, PA., February 24.-The Inter-State Baseball League meeting was held at the United States Hotel, W. H. Voltz, of Philadelphia, presiding. There were present: Dr. J. C. Meshler, representing Altoona, W. H. Reynolds, the President, Manager Rigby and J. E. Humes, of the Lebanon club, James Farrington, manager of the Harrisburg club, William Parks and Manager Carmen, of the Easter

Parks and Manager Carmen, of the Easten ciub. It was decided to continue the League with the clubs mentioned above and with York and Allentown. Six clubs in all.

The Reach ball was adopted. A committee consisting of Meshler, of Altoona, Hunsicker, of Altentown, and Rigby, of Lebanon, was appointed to form a schedule at Altoona March 17 and report next day to a League meeting to be held in Harrisburg. Telegrams were received from York and Allentown, stating that those cities would indorse whatever action the League took. Wilkesbarre and Scranton were not heard from.

THE SUIT AGAINST WARD.

A Strong Feeling Toward Pushing the Cuse to a Trial.

SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCEL NEW YORK, February 24.—The Law Committee of the National League held a very important meeting at the Sporting Times office to-day. There were present Messrs. Byrne, Duysters and Day. John L Rodgers was the only absentee. Presidents Spalding, of Chicago, and Robinson were also in the city. The cago, and the bollison were also in the city. The committee had but one matter under consideration, and that was the suit against Ward.

The feeling was strong toward pressing the case to trial as soon as possible, and Mr. Byrne was selected to act in conjunction with Mr. Duysters in bringing out fresh facts at the trial

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

A Schedule Arranged, but It Will Not be Made Public Until March.

PHILADELPHIA, February 24.—The Schedule Committee of the American Association me here to-day and arranged a schedule which will be submitted to the Association at their meetto the Association at their meeting at Syracuse on March 10. Until then it will not be made public.

The session will open May 17 and close October 12. The Eastern and Western clubs will first play a series in their territories and then the Western clubs will come East. Each club will make three trips around the circuit.

Power Will Manney SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATORS

NEW CASTLE, February 24.—This morning Charles B. Power placed his name to a con tract to manage the Galesburg, Ill., baseball tractso manage the Galesburg, III., basebali club. Power has managed and pitched for the Neshannocks, of New Castle, also umpired and pitched in the Western League. He is also an ex-umpure of the National League. The Galesburg club has secured a good man.

Crogny for Texas.

PEPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATUR. WHEELING, W. Va., February 24-Jack Crogan, the well-known baseball player of this city, will leave to-day for Houston, Tex. He caps: his backer, some caps: his backer, some context field, and will captain the team this

Calvin to Catch for St. Louis. PEPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCE.

St. Louis, February 25.-John Calvin, of Washington, signed to-day to catch for the Browns.

Priddy and McClelland. Inquiries about the Priddy-McClelland race

A Million Not Sufficient for side articles, will disquality the track, that is, it must at any given point be entirely covered with water. This is not likely to be. The track at best, however, will not be good, as there will be considerable mud on it. Both runners are in good condition.

SCOTHERN RUNNERS.

Some Good Sport on the 39th Day at Nev

NEW ORLEANS, February 24.-New Louisi ana Jockey Club, winter meeting, thirty-ninth day. Weather cloudy and warm; attendance good, track hard.

First race, selling, eleven-sixteenths-Starters:
Clara Moore 85, 10 to 1: Lady Blackburn 101, 6 to 1:

Marchburn 202, 2 to 1: Friendless 103, 7 to 5; Tommy E 109, 4 to 1. When the drum tapped Marchburn was in front, but Lady Blackburn went to the front before reaching the half, Friendless and

front before reaching the half, Friendless and Marchburn next. Lady Blackburn continued in the lead, winning by a length, Friendless second, Tommy R third, Clara Moore and Marchburn as named. Time. 1:09.

Second race, selling, five furiongs—Starters: Little Bess 101, 15 to 1: Rosetta 105, 20 to 1: Crispino 108, 5 to 1; Nickle Plate 108, 12 to 1; Frank Clapp 108, 30 to 1; Zeb Ward 105, 40 to 1; Vatican 108, 3 to 1; Ulymona 106, 11 to 5; Event 108 et al. Vatical 108, 3 to 1; Clympia 106, 11 to 5; Event 108 et al. Vatical 108, 3 to 1; Clympia 106, 11 to 5; Event 108 et al. Vatical 108, 3 to 1; Clympia 106, 11 to 5; Event 108 et al. Vatical 108, 3 to 1; Clympia 106, 11 to 5; Event 108 et al. Vatical 108, 3 to 1; Clympia 106, 11 to 5; Event 108 et al. Vatical 108, 3 to 1; Clympia 106, 41 to 5; Event 108 et al. Vatical 108, 3 to 1; Clympia 106, 41 to 5; Event 108 et al. Vatical 108, 3 to 1; Clympia 106, 41 to 1; Clym ies, 30 to 1: Zeb Ward 105, 40 to 1: Vatican 108, 31 or 1: Olympia 110, 11 to 5: Event 110, 5 to 1: Vaticil 110, 5 to 1. Nickle Plate led at the start, and at the thirlf it was Nickle Plate, Olympia and Vaticil, the others strung out. Coming bito the straight, Olympia and Nickle Plate were in front on even terms, Vaticil third, Just before the finish Vaticil come with a rush and won by a head, Olympia second, a neck before Vatican third, Event, Nickle Plate, Little Bess, Crispino, Frank Clapp, Bosette and Zeb Ward finished in the order named. Time 1:594.

Nickle Piate. Little Bess. Grispino, Frank Chapp. Rosette and Zeb Ward finished in the order named. Time 1:295.

Third race. selling, one-half mile—Stariers: Van Rensseiser 75, 15 to 1: Jim Jordan 85, 4 to 1: Mons P 96, 19 to 1. Mattle McHenry 96, 16 to 1: Jack Screw 91, 15 to 1: Miss Francis 91, 15 to 1: Bootjack 92, 5 to 1: Specie 94, 5 to 1: Lone Star 107, 7 to 5: Mons P led from the start to near the finish when Jim Jordan came to the front, and won by a half length, Mons P second, a head in front of Specie third, Lone Star, Jack Screw, Mattle McHenry, Bootjack and Van Rensealaer in the order named. Time, 150.

Fourth race, handicap: one mile—Stariers: Buckter III, 8 to 1; Got Aiong 109, 4 to 5: Church-lil Clark 108, 8 to 1: Harry Trehand 105, 8 to 1: Vice Regent 173, 15 to 1: Bonnie King 101, 6 to 1: Nice Regent 173, 15 to 1: Bonnie King 101, 6 to 1: Hecluse 95, 5 to 1. When the drum tapped the borses were in a well-dressed line. When they reached the fing they had not broken. Churchill Clark held the leading position at the quarter, the others somewhat strung out. At the half the positions were the same, Bucter took the lead going around the turn. Get Along then went up to second place but soon died away, leaving Sucketer 10 finish as he pleased; two lengths in front of Churchill Clark, second, the latter two lengths shead of Harry Ireland, third. Bonnie King, Vice Regent, Get Along and Reclause finished as named. Time, 1:42%. W. C. Vivell has purchased Get Along for \$2,500. Racing again Wednesday.

A CHANCE FOR GREEN ONES.

Charley Predmore Will Rack Rilly A in a

Race for \$1,000. C. F. Predmore, the well-known local trainer of trotting horses, was in the city yesterday from his suburban retreat. Mr. Predmore has some promising horses for the approaching record. The "green" horse is named Billy A, and Mr. Predmore has sufficient faith in his trotting abilities as to make the following offer: season, and particularly a 6-year-old without a

offer:
"Billy A will trot any horse in Allegheny county, whose record is not better than 2:40, for \$500 or \$1,000 a side on June 2, this year. If this offer is accepted, a time and place of meeting to make necessary arrangements can be fixed through The DISPATCH, as soon as possible."
Mr. Preumore has other good horses in his stable, all owned by local people.

Guttenburg Entries. PRPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.

RACE TRACE, GUTTENBURG N. J., February 24 .- The entries for Tuesday are as follows; First race, six furlongs-Benedict 117, Peachblow 116, Potico 115, Racquet 113, Tom Kearns 110, Baywidge 107, Easterbok 106, Alfred, Gracle 108, Pendennia, Little Mickey, 110 Grande 103, Brynwood 103, Nattot, Jim Irwin 102.

Second race, seven furiongs—Ralph Black 111, Boodle 103, Gend rame 108, Steve Jerome 107, Landseer, Neptunus 107, Marty B. 103, Esan 102, Eatontown, Howe 101, Sunahine 89, Pail Mah 90, Third race, five furiongs—Folsom, Pilgrim 118, lace Sophist 110, Lillle Kinney 103, Hemet 98, Algebra gelding, Dover, Hayti 25, Periwinkie, Heilen filly 84, Fourth race, one and one-sixteenth miles—Rapine 115, Wahoe 107, Success 105, Battersby 104, Vigilant 100, Carrie G 37, Fifth race, six and a half furiongs—Hearst 105, Swift, Telle Doe 103, Aftermath 107, Lady Pulsifer 100, Lady Agnes 88, Sixthrace, seven furiongs—Friar 127, Billy Crane 124, Bothwell, Tyrone 122, Pomery Sec 120, Wayward 119, Banker, Jim Mulholland, Rebel Scout 115, Vaniter 114, Monogram, Flush, Slasher 111, Mamie Hay 106, Tiburon 108. blow 116, Potico 115, Racquet 112, Tom Kearns 110,

Clifton Winners.

"FPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH. RACE TRACK, CLIFTON, N. J., February 24 .-The track was very sloppy, but not bad, and fair time was made in the several events. First race, six and one-half furiongs-Lakewoo first, 10 to 1 and 3 to 1; Avery second, 4 to 1 and 6 to 5; Blackthorn third, 8 to 1 and 5 to 2. Time,

Doe first, even and 1 to 2; Englewood second, 2 to 1 and 3 to 5; Calera third, 6 to 1 and 8 to 5. Time.

i and 3 to 5; Catera third, 5 to 1 and 8 to 8. Time, 13-18;

Third race, one mile—Mable Glenn first, 3 to 1 and even; Can't Tell second, 6 to 5 and 1 to 2; Buckstone third, 5 to 1 and 2 to 1. Time, 13-18;

Fourth race, one mile—Swift first 11 to 5 and 3 to 8; Juggier second, 8 to 5 and 3 to 5; Miss Cody third, 5 to 1 and 6 to 5. Time, 13-15;

Fifth race, 8 to furious—Guard first, 2 to 1 and 3 to 5; Sterling second, 2 to 1 and 3 to 5; Unadaga third, 4 to 1 and 8 to 5. Time, 13-18;

Sixth race, six furious—Autocrat first, Young Duke second, Golden Rod third. Time, 118.

Closed the Rooms

MEMPHIS, TENN., February 24 .- In conform ity with the recent decision of the Supreme Court, that the act legalizing the selling of pools on races run outside of the State was unconstitutional, the nool rooms of this city was constitutional, the pool rooms of this city we to-day closed by order of the Criminal Court,

MYERS SURPRISED.

He Wonders at Daly Claiming the Lightweight Championship.

NEW YORK, February 24.-Billy Myers, the Streator, Ill., pugilist, was considerably sur-prised to learn recently that Mike Daly, of Bangor, claimed the lightweight champion-ship of the world because he had tried unsuccessfully to get on a match with Myers. Lee Cheney, Myers' manager, said to-day: "This man Daly has twice positively declined to meet Billy Myers, and his claiming the lightweight championship is the veriest nonsense. If Daly will fight Myers the latter will agree to a stake of \$2,000-\$1,000 a side. The contest can take place in Texas, where there is no chance of interference. Myers has \$500 on deposit with Captain Cook, of the Boston Police News, and Daly can cover this sum any time he chooses, if the Bancor purilist is not willing to fight in If the Bangor pugilist is not willing to fight in the South Myers will meet him before some Eastern athletic club for \$500 a side, or more if desirable, and a purse of say \$1,000."

Myers will remain in New York until after Jack Fallon's benefit, which takes place March 4 in Brooklyn. Myers and Jack Hopper will spar on that occasion.

McAuliffe and Carroll.

SAN FRANCISCO, February 24.-There have been so many pugilistic contests in this city of late that the approaching fight to a finish between "Jack" McAuliffe and "Jimmy" Carroll is not as yet attracting much attention. Carroll, who is much older than his prospective opponent, is training for the event of his life, while McAuliffe has not been quite so faithful in his work. However, "Jack" is confident of in his work. However, "Jack" is confident of victory. His appearance belies the stories afloat that he is not taking good care of himself. His friends think that he will have no trouble in defeating Carroll, their faith being manifested in the betting, odds of 100 to 75 being freely offered in favor of McAuliffe. 'Dick" Roche is said to have \$5,000 wagered on McAuliffe. The backers of Carroll claim to have no fear that their man will be beaten and are accepting all bets offered, always providing that odds are given.

Another Man for Nikirk.

A communication was received in this office yesterday from S. C. Ward, Secretary of the Dayton Physical Culture Club, stating that there is a man weighing only 150 pounds at that place who will fight Harry Nikirk at the club named. The letter gives assurance that the man has been in Dayton for more than a year. Nikirk is requested to write Mr. Ward, 156 Ferry street, Dayton.

A Prominent Pugilist.

Jack Fogarty, the well-known pugilist, will be in the city this week and will stay for a few days. His backer, John Quinn, will make another effort to secure a match for him to fight any of the prominent middle weights in the

THE BILLIARD CONTEST.

Catton Wins From Heiser, Schnefer Defeats Catton and Daly Defeats Ives.

New York, February 24.-Catton and Heiser, each playing eight-inch balk lines, re-Priddy and McClelland.

sumed the billiard contest at noon to-day. It was a close game and a bitter one, Catton feeling the referee was wrongly against him on the

in the contest visited the track yesterday, and the probabilities are that the race will take place on the track mentioned in the articles. The Chicago man, Catton, playing Sinch balks at 3 P. M., stepped into a game with Schaefer, Slosson having declined to play a day game. Schaefer, 14-inch balks in the twenty-first fining, got the balls astride the balk line

first fining, got the balls astride the balk line and whispered them until 165 points were yielded. Catton enjoyed the Wizard's play as much as any spectator. The score was filled when Catton was 282. Schaefer's average, 20, 20-24; Catton, 10 16-24.

To-night Daly and Ives were pitted. Both played the eight-meh balk line. The boy Ives was "rattled," but the veteraus admire him, and say that when he learns to steady himself in public he will play great billiards. Daly played steadily and won when Ives was at 239. Averages—Daly, 20 20-24; Ives, 9 23-24.

Sporting Notes. THE Buffalo club has too many infielders.

CLEMENTS is about 25 pounds too heavy. HUTCHINSON is pitching a great game at St. HARRY WRIGHT is well satisfied with his

EWING again stated definitely yesterday that he is a Brotherhood member and will stay. Anson's colts and Harry Wright's team have displayed no batting ability down South. CONSTANT READER—Hanion's first race in England was with John Hawdon, on the Tyne. "DEACON" WHITE refuses to manage the Buffalo team, and so far Rowe declines. It is expected that the latter will assume the duties. Manager Hecker has booked Johnstown to play here on April 1. He has ordered 32 uni-forms from Spaiding & Co., 16 white and 16

PRESIDENT NINICK received official notice resterday to the effect that the adjourned meeting of the National League will be held at Cleveland on March 4.

SECRETARY BREWSTER, of the Washington Park Club, has been in New York during the past week urging the Eastern clubs to adopt a rule prohibiting the racing of horses 3 years old and upward at distances less than a mile. He does not seem to have met with the encour-

ALMOST LOST IN THE ICE.

The Narrow Escape of the Crew of a British Salt Bork.

PEPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH. NEW YORK, February 24. - Captain Smith and seven of the crew of the British bark Meteor got here to-day on the steamship Marengo from Hull, with a story of a tough struggle for life amid the ice fields of the North Atlantic. The Meteor left Cadiz with a cargo of salt for St. Johns, N. F., on December 24. She encountered the terrific January gales that sent the Erin down and escaped their fury with no other damage than breken bulwarks. But she lost two of her crew, Second Mate St. Clair Thomas, of Weymouth, and Sesman Canute Knudson, of Sweden. They were on the bowsprit furling the jib when a big wave struck the bark forward and tore them asunder. On February 8 the bark entered an 10e field from which she was unable to emerge for nine

The wave-tossed ice smashed in her bows and broke off her rudder. She began leaking badly. All hands worked at the pumps for three days but could not keep the water from gaining. Their boat had been washed away. They had given up hope and had sunk upon the deck from exhaustion when they sighted the steamship Marengo which steamed up to them in answer to their dis-tress signal. Captain Whetter took the sailors from the sinking bark in his lifebost. The bark measured 248 tons and was owned in St. Johns,

AFTER A STRIP OF BROADWAY.

Heirs of a Revolutionary Soldier Want Some Valuable Property.

PEPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH. NEW YORK, February 24.-Owners of property fronting upon the west side of Broadway, from Forty-seventh to Fiftythird streets, inclusive, are about to be sub-

They also propose to demand compensa-tion for their rights in three cart lanes, 13 chapter. feet wide, which are said once to have ex tended through the farm from Bloomingdale road to the river, but which have been obliterated from the maps for half a century or so. The value of the property involved is vaguely spoken of as "in the millions," but it is understood that from \$250,000 to \$500,-000 is about what the heirs expect to get out of it.

THINKS IT A CONSPIRACY.

A Receiver Asked for the International Construction Company.

CHICAGO, February 24 .- A receiver for the International Construction Company, which is said to have secured contracts for building several hundred miles of railroad in New Mexico, has been applied for here. Lawrence P. Boyle, lawyer, who claims to own ten shares of the total 500 issued is the dent of the company, B. C. Faurot, and his son-in-law, Secretary-Treasurer Baxter, have conspired to wreck the company, and have spread the report that it is insolvent.

It is further asserted that Faurot and Baxter have carried off the books and contracts from the company's elaborately furnished hendquarters in the Phoenix building here, and are keeping back all information from the other stockholders. Their object is alleged to be to cause the forfeiture of the company's contract for their own benefit. secret agreement having been arrived at with the sub-contractors, Eliott, Huss & Co. Faurot and Baxter are said to be in

A MODEST OFFICE-SEEKER.

A Tennessee Candidate Soliciting Aid in Connecticut. New Haven Palladium.

A letter bearing the postmark of a leading city in Tennessee was received at the of- Dolph, offered in secret session several days fice of Secretary of State in Hartford Monday. There was nothing remarkable about the method by which the newspapers sethe letter itseli: it related merely to a business matter. The curious thing about it was the letter head, which bore in large type the name of the writer, with these words: "Candidate for County Court Clerk, August, 1890," while in one corner was printed: 1890," while in one corner was printed:
"The office is very valuable and responsi

ble. I believe that I am competent to fill it. I know that the income from it would make me comfortable the remainder of my life. My work keeps me closely confined now, but I will see you all in the spring. To the peo-ple among whom I was born, among whom I have lived, and whose interests are mine, I appeal for assistance in this race. Very

Even the return stamp on the envelope bore the legend: "Candidate for County Court Clerk," after the sender's name.

Cant. Thompson Leaves for Washington. [SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.] McKersport, February 24.-Captain W. E. Thompson, candidate for postmaster left for Washington to-night. The Captain hopes to return this week with his commission, and is of the opinion that the matter will now be settled forthwith.

An Officer Assaulted.

While trying to stop a fight on Second avenue near Try street, early this morning Officer Archie Sharp was struck on the head with a brick and received a severe

DIED. "CRAIG-On Monday, February 24, 1890, at 11:20 P. M., ISAAC CRAIG, JR., in the 30th year

JONES-On Monday, February 24, at 10:45 P.
M., at the residence of his parents, Lafayette
street, Hazelwood, Theodork Cressly, son
of Joseph W. and Maggie Jones, agod 10 years,
7 months and 24 days.
Notice of funeral hereafter.

RIGHT TO REDISTRICT THE ARIZONA DISASTER.

Congressman McKinley Will Make No The Loss of Life in the Valley Attempt to Prevent the

OHIO DEMOCRATIC GERRYMANDER.

He Thinks Such Action Would be Unfair at the disaster has occurred the loss of lite This Time.

Another Effort to Keep the Proceedings From Becom ing Public Property.

McKinley, the leader of the Ohio Republicans in Congress, is opposed to the measares designed to prevent a Democratic gerrymander of the Buckeye State. He thinks it would be unjust in this contingency. The tariff bill is progressing satisfactorily.

ISPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH. WASHINGTON, February 24.-Major Mc-Kinley returned from Fort Monroe last night, almost completery restored from his recent attack of the grip and much invigor-ated by the change. McKinley gave some hard raps to those Republicans who are trying to force a bill through to nullify the

effect of the Ohio gerrymander. "I would not prevent the Ohio Democrats from gerrymandering the State if I could," said he. "It is their right. If a bill designed to prevent gerrymandering during the decennial period between the census appointment is to be passed, it is wrong in principle to pass it to meet a certain contingeney, and I am not sure that such a general law, stripped of its temporary aim, might not be grossly unjust.

THE MEANS FOR REDRESS. "The only redress accorded to a party suffering under a partisan gerrymander is

correct the monstrosity."

Referring to the work of the Ways and Means Committee, Msjor McKinley said: "I think we will report the tariff bill within two weeks. The general debate, in my opinion, will be brief, as it is merely threshing over old straw, and the people are very tired of it. What they want is a tariff bill enacted into law. However, I shall give the opposition all the latitude they desire. Of course under the five-minute rule the debate will be spirited."

"How much of a reduction does the bill make? "I am not prepared to say how much the bill will reduce the tariff, nor to indicate where the principal cuts will be, though doubtless the internal revenue will be

SLIGHTLY SENSATIONAL. The other end of the Capitol also furnished a political episode to-day. The scene in the Senate to-day when Senator Chandler, of New Hampshire, raked Senator Call, of Florida, over the coals for interpolating matter in a speech in the Record which was not delivered on the floor of the Senate, was not so exciting, but, neverthe-less, vividly recalled the scene of a few years ago when Senator Ingalls gave Sena-tor "Joe" Brown, of Georgis, a drubbing from which the latter never fully recovered. Ingalls had made a speech attacking the

South. Brown replied, but in his remarks as published in the Record he inserted abuse jected to a demand to stand and deliver of the Senate. In his attack upon Brown of Ingalls which was not uttered on the floor from a party of 25 or 30 heirs of General for this, Ingalls, to be parliamentary, made John Hopper, a Revolutionary soldier, who formerly owned a farm of 110 acres in that ured the "Senator from Alaska" guilty of region. These heirs believe they have discovered flaws in the tile of the present owners to a strip from three to ten feet wide that

Senator as having belonge! to all parties was left out when Bloomingdale road was straightened with Broadway and subsequently was occupied without authority by adjoining property owners.

Senator as naving belonge: to all parties and been false to all; a hypocrite in religion, a sniveling Pecksniff in political and social life, the Uriah Heep of the Senate, washing his hands with invisible soap in imaginary water, and so on to the extent of a long

> THE WORST ON BECORD. It is probable that such a severe personal castigation was never before administered in a parliamentary body, and it had the effect to prevent members from indulging in abuse of the privilege of revising speeches previ-ous to their appearance in the Record which had been growing for years. Senator Call's interpolations were more extensive, more personal and more insulting than those of Senator Brown but in Senator Chandler his act did not stir up so tremendous a com-

batant as Senator Ingalls.

Chandler introduced a resolution of censure. While Democratic Senators as well as Republican agree that Call richly deserves a formal vote of censure, it is probable the matter will be permitted to drop after the attention of the country is called to the sneaking manner of attacking an antagonist by secretly slipping insulting matter into the Record which would have demanded a complainant. Boyle alleges that the Presi- call to order from the President of the Senate if it had been uttered on the floor.

SECRET SESSIONS.

The Senntors Want to Know How Executive Business Becomes Public Property - A Report of This Very

Discussion Easily Secured. WASHINGTON, February 24 .- A brief executive session of the Senate was held this afternoon, at which the matter of the publication of the proceedings of the secret sessions was under consideration. The practice of discussing nominations behind closed doors was criticised by several Senators as unfair and un-American, and an appeal was made for at least a modification of the present rule concerning executive sessions.

It is understood, however, that in ac cordance with the resolution of Senator ago, it was decided to make an inquiry into cured their information concerning the proceedings in executive session. close of the special session of the Senate last spring, Senator Teller offered a resolution declaring that nominations by the President should be considered in Legislative sessions of the Senate. This was referred to the Committee on Rules, where it has since remained. A meeting of this committee has been called for Wednesday morning, at which the resolution will be discussed, in case a quorum is in attendance. It is expected that the majority, Senators Ingalls, Sher-man and Harris, will report adversely to the passage of the resolution, as they are op-posed to the policy of the Senate on the sub-ject of executive sessions. Chairman Aldrich will make a strong report in favor of the adoption of the resolution, and it is expected will be joined by Senator Blackburn, who has previously supported the proposition it

BORDER RAID CLAIMS,

Hall and Others at the Capital Looking After the Matter.

(FROM A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.) WASHINGTON, February 24.-It is expected that most of the members of the Border Raid Claims Commission of Pennsylvanis will be here to-morrow to do what they can to further the bill now in the Committee of the War Claims, making an appropriation for reimbursing the claimants. Hon. Henry Hall is here, and he and Mr. Skin-ner, or Huntingdon, have been working bird to get the commission on the ground to-morrow, as the bill will come up in the committee on Wednesday.

The aim of the members of the commission is to get the bill favorably reported this week it possible, and the prospect is good for their success.

A Courier Reports That Thirty-Four Lives Have Been Lost at the Lower Dam-World's Fair to Chicago is being celebrated

May Not be Known for Days. PHIENIX, ARIZ., February 24 -No information has yet been received here in regard to the break in Walnut Grove dam. If and damage to property must be very

great. The entire valley, from the dam to Wickenberg, is inhabited principally SECRET SESSIONS OF THE SENATE, by Mexican miners and ranchmen. The fall of rain and snow has been very heavy in the mountains, and the water here is very high. Salt river rose 17 feet in 14 hours on Saturday The railroad bridge across it is washed away for 200 teet, and a balf mile of track on the bank of the river is gone. Telegraphic communication was interrupted, but a wire was placed across the river last night.

A courier has just arrived from the lower

Hassayampa, and reports that a tremendous mountain of water came down the Hassayampa at about 2 o'clock Saturday morning, and that 34 men lost their lives at the lower dam, where they were at work. Thirty-one were whites and three Chinese. The courier reports the town of Wickenberg all right. The loss of life in the valley between Wickenberg and the dam may not be known for some days, but is without doubt con-siderable, and the number may possibly reach 30 or 40. The courier states that the upper dam had undoubtedly broken and arried the two dams below down with it. The loss of property in the dams alone will amount to about \$800,000.

THE WOMAN OF BUSINESS. The Reason of so Many Country Girls Being Disappointed.

I have heard country girls talk of coming to the city for employment, giving as one reason that they wanted more social life. Well, that is just what they will not get; the woman of business is not a woman of leisure, and she has no time for society. She will to appeal to the people, and if they rebuke
the party in power at the polls by electing a
Legislature from the opposition, the Legislature certainly ought to have the power to stranger in a crowd. Salaries are not large enough to permit of much relaxation in the way of entertainments, and after the day's work is over one is too tired to go in search of enjoyment. In the country home, in these days, the daily paper and the magasine come, so that one may keep in touch with the world, even it she be at one side of the bustle and confusion of city life. The fashion articles tell her how to dress her

hair and make her gown, and give the latest notions in small toilet details. No town is so small that it has not its public library, where all the new books come; and the lecture and concert are not infrequent in visits. Bailways and telegraphs have brought the corners of the earth together, so that one is never so very far away from the centers of things. There are occupations, too, for the girls who stay at home, and particularly those who stay in the country, and these will be talked about by and by. Do not throng to the cities in search of employment, for you will be doomed to bitter disappointment. The country stores employ women as well as the city stores, and many a girl makes a good beginning in them. I myself know country towns where a few years ago nearly all the positions in stores were held by young men which to-day are held by women. Everywhere it has come to be quite the ac cepted state of things that women shall sell

FOR AN EIGHT HOUR DAY.

President Gompers Outlines the Objects of the American Federation.

PEPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATOR. NEW YORK, February 24.-The big hall in Cooper Union was about two-thirds filled to-night with people who listened to speeches against those who failed to attend the meeting. It was mass meeting hour movement. Daniel Harris presided and Samuel Gompers was the first speaker. Mr. Gompers was applauded when he said: "We propose to make our movement aggressive. Don't think me eight hours a day, but I believe that a great many will get the reduction and many others will get nine in place of ten hours. We must concentrate our efforts first to get eight hours for those selected to demand is and then they can help us get it for others. P. J. Maguire referred to the absent fac-tion as hogs. John S. Krischner, of Phila-delphia, also spoke, and resolutions indorsing the proposition to demand eight hours

on May 1 were adopted. THE STORES DIVORCE CASE.

The Defendant Denies the Allegations Made by His Wife. NEW YORK, February 24 .- Judge Ingraham, in the Supreme Court to-day, began the trial of Mrs. Allen F. Storrs' suit for a limited divorce from George M. Storrs, the son of Emory Storrs, of Chicago, on the ground of cruelty and abandonment. Mrs. Storrs alleges that her husband has kicked and beaten her on several occasions, abandoned her while in the Catskills, and pawned her trinkets and presents for drink. Storrs denies these allegations and says that since their marriage his wife has been ill-tempered, violent and intoxicated. She has worked upon his nervousness with the

toxicated and that she had visited the resort known as the "Haymarket" several times.

object in view, he says, of causing his death

so that she might enjoy his estate. Mrs. Storrs also denies that she had assaulted her

husband, but admits that she had been in-

CHAUNCEY DEPEW SUED For Services Rendered in the Preparation

of a Washington Oration. ISPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.1 WASHINGTON, February 24.-Edward C. Towne, of this city, has, by E. H. Newman, filed a suit against Chauncey M. Depew for \$2,500 on account for services ren-dered in and about procuring material and matter of a historical nature touching and bearing upon the life and character of George Washington, used in Mr. Depew' oration, "Washington the Creator of a Na-tion," delivered in New York on April 30,

Mr. Towne is the old college chum of Mr. Depew, who had a long correspondence about this claim last summer. Mr. Depew paid him for what he regarded as certain elerical aid, and refused to entertain any other proposition.

PENNSYLVANIA REORGANIZATION.

Lines West of Pittsburg. PHILADELPHIA, February 24 .- The Board of Directors of the Pennsylvania Company met in this city to-day and de-

Joseph Wood Appointed Manager of All

cided to reorganize the management of the company. J. N. McCullough, First Vice President, will be in charge of the tariff department and financial affairs. James McCree was selected Second Vice-President. Joseph Wood was ap-pointed General Manager of all the lines west of Pittsburg; E. B. Taylor General Su-perintendent of Transportation of all lines west of Pittsburg. Charles Watt was ap-pointed General Superintendent of the Northwestern system. All these changes will go into effect on

Crusaders Appent Their Case Spickardsville crusaders convicted last Saturday of wrecking Brady's saloon.

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March 1.

CHICAGO HAS IT.

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World's Fair to Chicago is being celebrated with vim.

The Times to-morrow will say:
In giving the World's Fair to Chicago Congress has done wisely and well. After all, however, it is not Congress that has made Chicago the site for the Columbian celebration, but the immutable logic and propriety of facts. This city has been chosen because its asstheonly one which answered all the requirements. Chicago takes the quadri-centennial on its own merits purely, it is thankful to the friends who have rallied to its support, but feeling strongly that the 157 Representatives whose votes have decided the contest were men who were rather honest to their constituents, true to their individual trusts and loyal to the nation, than many merely friendly to Chicago. Thoroughly will Chicago acquit herself of the trust. Let 1892 bear testimony.

A CASE OF SOUR GRAPES

St. Louis Thinks That Chicago Won by Her Underhand Scheming. ST. LOUIS, February 24.—The Globe-Democrat to-morrow will print the following editorial:

On the eighth ballot in the House of Repre sentatives, by a bare majority of the votes cast, Chicago was yesterday selected as the place for holding the World's Fair of 1892, if Congress shall, by a subsequent vote, decide that such a fair shall be held, and that it decide that such a fair shall be held, and that it shall be supported in part by the money of the Government. The result will not be a surprise to those who have watched the tactics of Unicago's representatives at Washington and elsewhere during the past month mostly at Albany, N. Y., where they worked most earnestly to promote dissension among the advocates of New York's selection, New York had everything in her favor a month ago, and, with her \$10,000.00C almost in hand, seemed sure of winning, but just about that time Mr. Tom Platt stepped in and greatly weakened, if he did not entirely spoil her chances,

THE FAIR A FAILURE.

One New York Newspaper Which Can See

No Baim la Gilend. New York, February 24.—The Times will say editorially: We hold that it will be simply impossible to have a successful international exhibition on Lake Michigan and doubt if any serious effort will be made to give the show there the character of a real world's fair. If there is it will inevitably fail, but there may be

there is it will inevitably fall, but there may be a great show, nevertheless, with fat cattle and prize pigs galore, and vast stacks of agricultural products—aye, and much machinery and manufactured goods. There may be foreign features, but they cannot be such as to serve the purpose of comparison or furnish instruction and stimulus for the benefit of our own industries.

In short, it will be a Western show, and nothing else. The thing is not settled. There may be nothing called a world's fair stall, and the Senate may yet insistupon having it at Washington. But we sincerely hope that Chicago will be allowed to hump herself, and get up the biggest show it knows how. If it does not accomplish much for the progress and glory of the country, it may contribute to the galety of the nations, and afford a measure of the relation between boasting and performance. Chicago ought not to be let off now.

CONGRATULATING A RIVAL. Chicago Won the Fight Fairly and Should Be Alded by All. NEW YORK, February 24 .- The Sun will Good for Chicago. She has won in a fair and

square fight, and she deserves credit for her

HAS A ROOM ENGAGED.

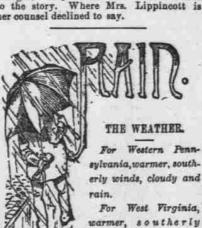
One New Yorker Who Has Quickly Acquiraced in the Decision. CHICAGO, February 24 .- F. W. Mack, a prominent New York gentleman, to-night

sent the following telegram to a friend in

Chicago: "Kindly engage for me early a hall bed room (single bed) with smoke screens, to be used in October, 1892. Cannot afford to pay more than \$20 per day. ANOTHER SIDE OF THE STORY. Mrs. Lippincott, the Alleged Forg

a Letter of Protestation. SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH. PHILADELPHIA. February 24.-Mrs Julia Lippencott has been heard from. She is according to her own story an so crazy as to imagine that on innocent, wronged and indignant wom-May I every one will begin to work but an. This indignation is occasioned an. This indignation is occasioned by two of the minor charges against her, and she expressed it in a letter received to-day by her counsel, Mesars. Arundel and Mott. One is the charge of forgery brought by Freedom C. Lippincott,

> In referring to this charge she writes: "I feel that I must attempt some justification of myself. It is a malicious falsehood. The note in question was drawn by James A. Somers himself as accommodation paper and sold to F. C. Lippincott, of New Jersey, and as far as I am concerned his name was not upon the note unless he placed it there before having it discounted." Messrs. Arnoid and Moore said to-day they believed Mrs. Lippincott will yet face the charges. They declare there is another side to the story. Where Mrs. Lippincott is her counsel declined to say.



THE WEATHER. For Western Pennsylvania, warmer, southerly winds, cloudy and

winds, threatening weather and rain.

PITTSBURG, February 24, 1890, The United States Signal Service officer in this city furnishes the following:

PRPECIAL TELEGRAMS TO THE DISPATCH. BROWNSVILLE-River 9 feet and rising Weather cloudy. Thermometer 54° at 7 P. M.

MORGANTOWN — River 6 feet 6 inches and stationary. Weather cloudy. Thermometer

WARREN - River 3 4-10 feet and failing.

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LICENSES IN ERIE COUNTY.

The City of Eric Captures 119 Out of 157 Granted in the County. ERIE, February 24.-Judge Gunnison granted ERIE, February 24.—Judge Gunnison granted licenses to-day. He held the applicants up to the strictest requirements and interpretation of the law. He did not permit any amendments to the applications, of points that were material. The fact that minors were employed as bartenders was also against applicants.

In the city of Erie the court granted 119 licenses for hotels and restaurants and 21 brewers, bottlers and wholesalers, and refused 30 hotel and eating house licenses. In Corry he granted 78 wholesale and retail licenses and refused nine. Altogether granting in Erie city and county 152, against 157 last year.

HURLED INTO ETERNITY. An Unknown Man Knocked Off a Bridge by

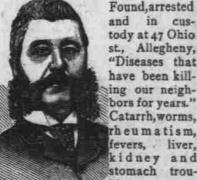
an Engine. ERIE, February 24.—This afternoon as the westbound Nickel Plate passenger train reached the 150-foot high bridge over Walnut creek, the 150-foot high bridge over Walnut creek, near Swantowa, the engineer found a man in the middle of the bridge. The train was running at the rate of 40 miles an hour, and to reverse is on the bridge would have imperilled the train and its 100 passengers.

The brave man at the lever kept on and sent one man down 150 feet into eternity rather than imperil the lives in his keeping. The man was unknown and was penulless.

The Centennial.

This highly favored country has celebrated its hundredth birthday. Under its favored privileges, its citizens have been happy; worshiping God according to the dictates of their own consciences; pursuing their avocations un molested; growing rich and presperous. Some have attained the most exalted positions from have attained the most exame positions from the smallest beginnings. This is particularly applicable to Dr. Tutt's Liver Pills. Ten years ago they had but a local regutation, but in this time, aided by scientific research, they have at-tained such a celebrity that there is not a country on the globe where they are not used. Wherever Torpid Liver, Dyspepsia, Costive-ness, Sick Headache and Malaria provail, they are the recognized remedy.

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