CHAMPION KICKERS.

To-Day's Contest Between Princeton's Team and the University of Pennsylvania.

DETROITS AND THE ATHLETICS.

Austin Gibbons Defeats Mike Cushing After Fighting Nineteen Rounds Near Providence.

MORE ABOUT COMISKEY'S PLANS.

Filemaker Breaks the Jumping Record---General Sporting News of the Day.

Although the football games between the local team and the Detroits to-day will be of great interest there will be another that will be equally interesting to Pennsylvania patrons of the game. To-day Princeton and the University of Pennsylvania teams play and it will be one of the most interesting contests of the season. The chances of victory are greatly in favor of Princeton but the U. of P. fellows are playing very well.

Referring to the game a dispatch from Princeton last evening said: The Princeton eleven played their last practice game with the scrub this afternoon prior to meeting their strong antagonist, the University of Pennsylvania. Judging from the practice to-day the game Saturday will be a very sharp contest. The scrub kept the 'varsity for nearly one hour away from their goal, when Spicer finally made a touchdown. The team that Princeton will send to play the University is not the team they would like to send. Four 'varsity men will be unable to play, as a result of the game with Columbia. Speer has a sore arm and he has not played in practice since, but contented himself with running around the track. Warren is still on the fence and Black has a poor chance for playing even in the Yale game. Hayden in practice to-day broke his collar-bone; Dr. Bergen attended him. He will be unable to play the rest of the season.

Pringle Jones returned Tuesday, and he will play his old position as center rush, and Riggs will take his old place. Pennsylvania wants to look out for Homans. He is equal to Ames as a goal keeper. Monday he kicked ten goals in succession from the center of the 25-yard line. Spicer will also be ready to do some fine kicking when necessary. King is quicker than Spicer. Of course, Princeton expects to win Saturday, but the game will be no child's play.

The game at Exposition Park this afternoon will start promptly at 3:30. The local team will be substantially the same as played against the Preps. The grounds are in excellent condition and a close and lively contest is looked for.

FOOTBALL GOSSIP.

The Harvard Players Jubilant Over Their Defeat of the Wesleyans.

CAMBRIDGE, November 7.—In the football world the past few days have been fraught with a great deal of interest. In the first place, Captain Cumnock is back again in his old position at end rush and playing, too, with a good deal of vim and enthusiasm to make up for his last two or three weeks. True, he did not play in Wednesday's game with Wesleyan, but he has practiced daily, and played in Saturday's game with Cornell. Another welcome addition to the rush line and an added strength is Perry Trafford, who is practicing at his old position of guard.

Harvard men are at present rather jubilant over the score their team made against Wesleyan, 55 to 0, since they remember that Yale in her last game with Wesleyan but a week or so ago succeeded in scoring but 34 points. Of course, comparison of scores is not a sure way to judge the relative value of two teams, but it goes a great way, and it is certainly a fact for Yale men to reflect upon, that in no case has Yale beaten any team as decidedly as Harvard has.

There is one football man who has come rapidly forward in the past few days, and that is Tommy Sherwin, a freshman. At the beginning of the season he was barely thought of in connection with the Varsity eleven, but he has shot forward so rapidly into a star of the first magnitude that he is almost sure of being one of the two half-backs at Springfield. Sherwin is a wonderful dodger—his quality in this respect has seldom been seen. He also runs remarkably well, almost as well as Jim Lee, and that is saying a great deal. His only drawback is his lightness, but even this will be no drawback if he continues to play in the remarkably skillful way he has done so far.

Outside of football topics the chief event of interest has been the wonderful success of a freshman, E. B. Bloss, in track athletics. At the freshman meeting held yesterday, Bloss broke the Harvard record for the running broad jump, 21 feet 10 inches being his jump, the best previous record being 21 feet 6 inches. Bloss also won the 100 yards dash in 10 1-5 seconds. As if this were not enough for one freshman in a week, Bloss capped the climax this afternoon by breaking the world's record for running, hop, skip and jump, making the extraordinary jump of 44 feet 11½ inches. Harvard men predict great things for him.

On Saturday, November 8, the Harvard University Cycling Association will hold an ama teur race meet, open to all colleges, schools and the R. A. A., on Holmes' field. The usual events will be held, and two medals will be given in each event.

A CLOSE CONTEST.

The Adelphis and St. Pauls Play a Good Game of Football.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK, November 7.—The junior eleven of the Adelphi Academy journeyed to Garden City this afternoon to play against the junior team of the St. Paul's Cathedral school. They took along Bert Pratt, of the first Adelphis, to referee the game, and Hyde, of St. Paul's, looked after that team's interest as umpire. The game started with the ball in Adelphis' possession, but St. Pauls soon took it and worked toward Adelphis' goal. They almost crossed the line through the fine playing of Miller and Buckner, but the Adelphi boys held hard, and when time was called neither side had scored.

The second half opened viciously, St. Pauls forcing the fight. Richmond, of the Adelphis, by a pretty run, brought the ball almost to his opponent's touch down line. For St. Paul's Blake and Gardner tackled nicely. On the Adelphi team, Veach played a strong center. Pratt, as usual, did well and Otterson and Southard were not found wanting.

No Princeton-Harvard Game.

NEW YORK, November 7.—There will be no Princeton-Harvard game this year. Dr. White, President of the Berkeley Athletic Club, has been informed that the Harvard faculty, having already refused to allow the team to play Yale in New York, did not feel justified in now granting the privilege for the purpose of playing Princeton. So, while every other difficulty has been tided over, the action of the Harvard faculty will prevent, for this year at least, the two teams coming together.

Football at Washington.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.]

WASHINGTON, PA., November 7.—The East End, Pittsburg, football team plays here Saturday afternoon. As their team contains some of the alumni of the Eastern colleges, there will probably be a great game, and the local team has been steadily training for the match.

The Cute Captain.

ST. LOUIS, November 7.—Captain Comiskey was seen to-day and asked, "Have you signed with the St. Louis club?"

"No, I have not," he replied.

"Are you contemplating coming back here and playing with Von der Ahe?"

"I may come back here. Stranger things have happened."

He refused to talk about his financial business with the Chicago team, but from many of his friends who he talked with it is learned that the Chicago club owes him about $1,000. Comiskey is of the opinion that the Players' League is a thing of the past, and has made his peace with Von der Ahe, and will doubtless return to St. Louis.

Comiskey's Ill-Treatment.

CHICAGO, November 7.—It seems to be settled that Captain Comiskey will not be with the Chicago Brotherhood club next season. His friends confidently assert that he is going back to Von der Ahe and will captain the St. Louis Browns. Comiskey's brother acknowledges the truth of the statement and assigns as a cause for the change the ill-treatment the Captain has received at the hands of the management of the local club.

BARNES SCORES BALDWIN.

The Famous Jockey Tells How He Was Meanly Treated by the Owner.

NASHVILLE, November 7.—In regard to the sensational story emanating from the California turfman, E. J. Baldwin, in regard to Jockey Pike Barnes, published in an Eastern sporting paper, that noted rider treats the subject as follows:

"My contract with E. J. Baldwin this year was to ride for him for the sum of $5,500, the contract to end with the West Chester meeting, October 15. On September 11 at noon Dow Williams, Mr. Baldwin's trainer, notified Horace Jackson, my valet, that McLaughlin would ride Sinaloa that afternoon in the Sheepshead stakes. This was the first intimation I had of the fact that I was not to ride that race, whereupon I notified L. H. Rush, the agent of the stable, that I desired an interview with Mr. Baldwin, and was told I could not see him for two weeks. During that time I rode Los Angeles and Sinaloa, and Mr. Rush told me Mr. Baldwin was sorry for his action, and wished to engage me for next year. This proposition I promptly declined. Had there not been a monetary difference between us I would have quit at that time. After Westchester they wanted me to go to Linden and Elizabeth, but as they paid me $3,500 of the $4,000 then due me, and therefore only owed me $500, I refused to go to the Jersey tracks, my contract having been fulfilled with Mr. Baldwin and I told his manager if they did not want to settle up they could keep the $500, which they certainly could have done, Mr. Baldwin still owing me that amount.

"I have signed next year for first call with D. T. Pulsifer. In regard to my riding, I have ridden over 100 winners this year, one-fourth of my mounts and to make that record I think any sane person will agree that a jockey must at all times do his best on the horse he rides. The racing public expects too much of a favorite jockey these times. I tell you when I am beaten in a race it is up and up, so far as riding is concerned, and the defeat is the fault of the horse or the owner, who may have him dead under me. Some of these writers who are giving me notoriety as the season's disappointment, and casting slurs upon my integrity and honor, better watch their fences sharply as I may yet ask them to prove these charges before a higher court than the racing public, who get sore on any jockey who is unlucky enough to ride a losing race or so on some favorite horse.

BROKE THE RECORD.

Filemaker Champion of the Jumping Horses, Clearing 7 Feet 1 1-4 Inches.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO, November 7.—Filemaker is king of the jumpers, and Roseberry no longer reigns. The gallant dun gelding was dethroned at the horse show last night by the big, raw-boned horse who once figured in a coal cart. Filemaker cleared 7 feet 1¼ inches, beating Roseberry's record of 7 feet 1 inch at Toronto, and eclipsed his own previous best performance of 6 feet 8⅞ inches. It was a grand bit of work for Filemaker, for he carried nearly 160 pounds, while Roseberry didn't have more than 135 pounds on his first trial, but the second time cleared it cleanly. Maud retired, and the jump was put up to 6 feet 7 inches. Roseberry went over, but in a very slovenly way, while Filemaker cleared it in great style, and the bars were raised to 6 feet 9⅝ inches. This time Roseberry broke half a dozen rails at his first attempt, and did the same on the second trial. The third time, however, he went over like a bird.

Filemaker cleared it grandly at the first attempt amid wild cheers. The bar was at 6 feet 10 inches and Roseberry failed to clear it after five trials. Filemaker cleared it beautifully at the first attempt. Roseberry was now out of it and the jump was put up to 7 feet 1¼ inches for Filemaker to beat the record. The excitement was intense as the noble horse came at the jump. He could not quite get up and crash went the two top rails. Grim and determined looked the rider as he sent the brown at the jump the second time with a cheery shout. A light grip of the knees and one cut of the whip, he raised the old horse at the bars and gallantly did the animal respond. With ears pricked forward Filemaker rose at the mighty barrier and as he flew over it a yell burst from the thousands assembled that nearly lifted the roof from the building.

Nashville Races.

NASHVILLE, TENN., November 7.—The attendance at the Westside Park races still continues to increase, to-day's crowd being the largest of the meeting. The weather was beautiful and the sport excellent. Track fast.

First race, six furlongs—Dilemma won, Aunt Cal second, Frank Shaw third. Time, 1:16¾.

Second race, five furlongs—Slum won, Katuna second, Little Phil third. Time, 1:04.

Third race, one mile—Silver Lake won, Pullman second, Harry Weldon third. Time, 1:42¼.

Fourth race, fifteen-sixteenths of a mile—Bankfunt won, Vexator second, Carter 8 third. Time, 1:36.

Fifth race, eleven-sixteenths of a mile—Robin won, Harambouro second, Expense third. Time, 1:10.

Winners at Washington.

WASHINGTON, November 7.—The weather and the track were all that could be desired, and a fair crowd was present.

First race, five furlongs—Silence won, Pericles second, Blanche third. Time, 1:03.

Second race, five and one-half furlongs—Sir David won, Virgie second, Bertha B, filly, third. Time, 1:10.

Third race, six furlongs—Mable won, Ofalece second, Alarm Bell third. Time, 1:16½.

Fourth race, mile and a furlong—Gipsey Queen won, Prather second, Iceberg third. Time 1:58¾.

Fifth race, six furlongs—St. John won, Golden Reel second, Corticelli third. Time, 1:16.

GIBBONS THE WINNER.

He Defeats Mike Cushing in Nineteen Well-Fought Rounds.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., November 7.—Austin Gibbons, the boy pugilist, knocked out his old rival, Mike Cushing, in 19 rounds not far from here this morning. A La Blanche swing was the winning blow.

Gibbons is the 20-year-old boy pug of Paterson, N. J., who has been fighting since he was 14 years old and has never suffered defeat. He whipped Cushing in 24 rounds about a year ago, but Cushing claimed to be out of condition. He was in good form this time.

Gibbons this morning claimed he weighed 129½ and Cushing 127. Cushing assumed the aggressive at first, and there was some sharp fighting. Gibbons, evidently confident, then took the offensive. Cushing dodged well and made good use of his left on Gibbon's head. Gibbons was the victim to Cushing's rushing tactics, and had struck up to the eleventh round but four blows, which had not weakened Cushing. The sharpest fighting really began at the fourteenth round. In the eighteenth Gibbons started in with a left-hander on Cushing's chest, following it up with a blow over the heart which staggered his opponent. Cushing toed the scratch in the nineteenth unable to resist Gibbons' onslaught. Gibbons pounded him on the face and under the jaw. The last, given with a La Blanche shift, felled him to the floor. Just as the time limit expired he partially revived. The party was made up of New York, New Jersey and Boston sporting men.

MR. TALCOTT'S STATEMENT.

He Expresses Himself Regarding John M. Ward and the Players' League.

NEW YORK, November 7.—In reply to the statement of John M. Ward to the effect that Mr. Talcott is a weakener, Mr. Talcott says:

"I would like to know why Mr. Ward made such statements, and why he is going about saying that I am the one who is responsible for matters as they now are. Patience sometimes ceases to be a virtue. Mr. Ward is one of the best ball players in the country, but when he attempts to step in and tell me how to conduct my financial affairs, I think it is about time to call a halt. I allow no man to dictate to me in that respect, and I know that every business man feels the same on this point as I do. Mr. Ward is $3,000 ahead on the season. He owns ten shares of stock in the New York club and ten in the Brooklyn club, their total par value being $2,000. He received a salary of $3,000, and, supposing his stock is wiped out, he still has $3,000. But where do I come in? Have I made anything on the season? While Mr. Ward is ahead $3,000, it has cost me $3,000 a month to keep the club going. It has cost Colonel McAlpin over $5,000. And do you think I can allow Mr. Ward or anybody else to tell me that I must keep on paying out money, while they are making something out of it and I am losing? I have refrained from speaking heretofore in regard to these matters, but I confess that the attempts to dictate how I shall spend my money are irritating."

Sporting Notes.

THERE is talk of a sprint race between Joseph Priddy and David Sheehan.

THE fight between George Godfrey, the colored heavy weight pugilist of Boston, and Ed Smith, of Denver, will take place at the Puritan Club rooms in Long Island City next Tuesday night.

A CABLEGRAM from Liverpool, England, says: Lambert, the Canadian pugilist, and O'Neill, the Lancashire man who were arrested last night just before they were about to take part in a prize fight at the Lyceum, were arraigned to-day before a magistrate and bound over to keep the peace.

GEORGE MEYERS, the local billiard agent, is making arrangements to bring Perry, the finger billiardist, to this city to give exhibitions. Perry is considered the best finger billiardist in the world.

STEVE BRODIE leaves on Saturday in the Etruria on a bridge-jumping tour of Europe. He will be accompanied by his wife and little boy. On Friday night he will entertain his friends at his place of business.

JOHN CHANSTON, who will probably be kept at center on the Harvard Football Team, has played the game for the last half dozen years, although this is only his second year on a college team. He got his football training at Exeter.

IT is said that Joe Goddard agreed to meet Peter Jackson for the $1,200 purse offered by the Sydney Athletic Club, but Jackson would have none of it because Goddard wanted more rounds than the stipulated ten if there was no knock-out at the end of that number.

SPORTING men in this vicinity are anxiously awaiting to hear of George Dixon signing the articles of agreement for his glove contest with Cal McCarthy before the Puritan Club. Cal has already signed, and it will be only a matter of a few days when the colored lad will notify Secretary Hackett of his intention to sign.—*New York Sun.*

BILLY MADDEN has been trying to arrange a match for Joe McAuliffe with Jem Smith, the Englishman. Smith is anxious for a fight, but will not meet McAuliffe under any other conditions than London ring rules. McAuliffe's friends want the battle to take place before a club, under Marquis of Queensberry rules, with regulation size boxing gloves. It is very likely that Smith will agree to the American's terms in a day or two.

IT turns out that the recent record-breaking walker on the Pacific slope is none other than that erratic ex-amateur champion, George D. Baird, of the American and Olympic Athletic clubs, who is seemingly making a George Francis Train tour of the universe. A local paper has this to say of the walk, wherein Baird is said to have broken the half-mile record: "A. J. Baird, ex-American champion walker, gave an exhibition half-mile walk in his peculiar style, covering the distance in 2 minutes 50⅝ seconds." When Baird competed in the East he was termed "Old Sciatica." Tom McEwen, that good judge of heel-and-toe progression, disqualified him at a set of games four years ago. "What did you take me off for, Tom?" queried Baird. "For running," promptly replied imperturbable Tom. "Look here, I can't run," replied Baird, "for I've had sciatic rheumatism, and my left leg walks while my right one skips occasionally, but I'm not to blame for that, am I?" Which retort caused McEwen to collapse, but the cognomen "Old Sciatica" clings to Baird yet.

CANADIAN BARLEY.

An Opinion Upon the Yield and Effect of the McKinley Bill.

TORONTO, November 7.—Prof. Saunders, Director of Dominion Experimental Farms, Ottawa, is in town, and is staying at the Queen's Hotel. His special mission here is to obtain samples of barley for analysis and to examine the crops and see what movement there is in the way of exportation. When questioned by your representative yesterday Prof. Saunders said that the yield this year in both six-rowed and two-rowed barley was two pounds lighter per bushel than last year, so that a decrease of 2 cents per bushel resulted this year, for which allowance was to be made. He continued:

"I find that in spite of the McKinley bill there have been already considerable shipments of six-rowed barley. The price obtained is 15 cents less per bushel than before the passage of the bill, but as the duty has increased 20 cents per bushel the producer does not pay all the cost. If this is the state of affairs immediately after the bill, when the American market is in a non-receptive state, it is evident that when things are settled down better prices will be obtained. I found to-day that one firm was making two shipments of six-rowed this week to the United States, one of 20,000 and the other of 12,000 bushels. The prices obtained were 55 cents for No. 1, 50 cents for No. 2, and 45 cents for No. 3 extra. It is thus pretty clear that barley can be sent to the United States at a fair profit. The present prices for good first quality two-rowed is 55 cents, and 50 cents for a second quality. These prices are not considered to be poor, and are not such as ever to kill the growth."

LOCAL ITEMS. LIMITED.

Incidents of a Day in Two Cities Condensed for Ready Reading.

CORONER MCDOWELL yesterday resumed the inquest on the body of Engineer Flick, of the Baltimore and Ohio. Testimony was taken to show that Flick failed to flag approaching trains, and the inquest was continued until to-day.

AN alarm from box 22 was caused by a blaze at the Allegheny County Light Company's works on Virgin alley about 6 o'clock last evening. The fire was extinguished with Babcock's and the loss was trifling.

THE Department of Awards will to-day let contracts for grading, paving and curbing Thirty-sixth street, Craig street, Virginia avenue, and Hopper, Clark, Poe and Woolsayer alleys.

THE Republican County Committee has closed its quarters at the corner of Fifth avenue and Wood street, and taken down the big Delamater banner from across the street.

THE indicator at No. 8 Engine Company dropped an extra mark yesterday morning when alarm from box 157 was sent in, which caused the company to answer box 257.

EAST END Democrats, under the leadership of the East End Pattison Club, will hold a ratification and street parade to-night.

THE Baltimore and Ohio train from Cincinnati was delayed two hours yesterday by the engine breaking down near Bellaire.

THE Committee on Markets, of Allegheny, met last night. The most important business transacted was to approve the pay roll.

THE Baltimore and Ohio has laid 23 tracks in the Tenth street yards, and cars were run into the new yard yesterday.

THE Mayor has not yet determined whether he will veto the Marbury street vacation ordinance.

THE amount collected on Allegheny's delinquent tax list last month was $8,022 69.

A GANG of 33 Italians left to work at Falls Mills in Virginia, last evening.

MINOR POLICE ITEMS.

Petty Breaches of the Peace Which Cause Trouble for Some Folks.

JEROME SWEENEY is in jail awaiting a hearing for wife-beating.

FRED LOVE is charged with disorderly conduct by Henry Brown.

HUMANE AGENT BERRYMAN has sued Michael Kane, of Homewood, for abandoning two horses.

PETER PASCIANY is charged with stealing $25 and a suit of clothes from Noah Lucia. Both men are Italians.

MARY J. GORMAN and William Diggins are charged by Lindsay Currie with perjuring themselves in the Criminal Court.

WILLIS KILGORE, a Thirty-fifth ward puddler, is charged with the larceny by bailee of a suit of clothes turned over to him by W. Werblinsky to get cleaned.

JOHN HAMILTON and Harry Thompson, the young men arrested Monday night while burglarizing Ommerts' tailoring establishment on Federal street, Allegheny, pleaded guilty and were held in $1,000 bail for court.

WHAT PEOPLE ARE DOING.

Some Who Travel, Some Who Do Not, and Others Who Talk.

—T. K. Bull, a Racine merchant, is at the Duquesne. He says that the recent political battle in Wisconsin resulted in a victory for the English educational bill.

—John Eaton, of the Oil Well Supply Company, accompanied by his wife and daughter, went East last evening.

—Mayor Hunt, of Oil City, is stopping at the Seventh Avenue Hotel.

—James M. Lambing, of Corry, is in the city on business.

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TRICKS IN POLITICS.

Thoughtful Schemers in McKinley's District Masquerade

IN THE DISGUISE OF PEDDLERS.

Not a Trace of the Entombed Dunbar Miners Discover Yet.

RECORD OF EVENTS IN THREE STATES

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.]

LIMA, November 7.—There is an interesting story told of the way the politicians worked the Amish settlement in Holmes county. As is well known, these people are very clannish. The Democratic managers engaged a number of men to rig up old wagons, stock them with tinware, then go through the settlement and try to sell tinware at fabulous prices. They would go to the Amish farmer and offer to sell him a 5-cent tin cup for $1, while an ordinary dishpan was out of the reach of even a millionaire.

When the paralyzed farmer would kick he was told that was the best that could be done under the circumstances; that the McKinley bill had so increased the price of everything that they could not sell at lower figures. Once the Amish got this idea in their heads the most eloquent of Republican speakers could not convince them of the contrary. They would shake their heads sullenly, confer together and answer:

"We saw the men ourselves; they had the tinware with them."

In despair the Republicans fought to the end, and there is little doubt the tin peddlers contributed to the defeat of the champion of protection.

THREE IN THE FIGHT.

A Trio of Applicants Working for the Bedford Postoffice.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.]

BEDFORD, PA., November 7.—Since Tuesday the fight for the Bedford postoffice is being waged with unusual vigor. The latest applicant is Marion Cessna, a son of ex-Congressman John Cessna. The other applicants are B. F. Mann, one of the proprietors of the Republican organ of the county, and Mrs. James Dallas, who is backed by James McManus, the Republican leader of Philadelphia. Mr. Cessna only announced his intention of being an applicant for the position on the arrival of his father from Ebensburg on Thursday preceding the election, where he failed to get the nomination for Congress after a battle of over 500 ballots. It is rumored that a deal was consummated there between Congressman Scull and ex-Congressman Cessna which brought about the nomination of Scull, and in return Cessna was to have his son appointed postmaster.

The principal objection to Mrs. Dallas as an applicant is that she is not a resident of the town, she being a resident of the township. Both Cessna and Mann have been circulating petitions to-day, and as the fight progresses it promises to be interesting, as both will have strong political backing.

NO SETTLEMENT YET.

The Frick Coke Company Trouble is Still Undecided.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.]

SCOTTDALE, PA., November 7.—A change was made to-day in the Arbitration Committee, to which the miners and the Frick Coke Company have submitted the Tiptop case for settlement. M. J. Kennedy resigned on account of being summoned away, and J. Caldwell Morrow was promptly appointed to fill the vacancy. Morrow, with the two others—Ross Funk and Jacob L. Louck—will meet in the morning and render their decision, which will be final and conclusive.

Both sides are still soliciting evidence. General Manager Lynch will make the plea for the Frick Company before the board, while Master Workman Kerfoot will look after the interests of the miners.

THEY WILL KEEP RIGHT ON.

Anti-Lottery Warnings Do Not Deter Storekeepers From Giving Prizes.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.]

YOUNGSTOWN, November 7.—Leading merchants here to-day received circulars purporting to be sent out by the Hazen Detective Agency of Cincinnati, representing a so-called anti-lottery association, and warning them against attempting to increase sales of tobacco, baking powder or other articles by any lottery or scheme of chance. No attention will be paid to the circulars, as the only prizes are those given at the time of sale and without any coloring of lottery or chance.

An attorney is engaged in investigating the source from which the circulars emanated in order to ascertain the facts.

PREFERRED THE PENITENTIARY.

A Youngstown Prisoner Objects to Being Sentenced to the Workhouse.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.]

YOUNGSTOWN, November 7.—Patrick Kelly, a prisoner indicted for stealing copper wire from the Incandescent Light Company, pleaded guilty to petit larceny. On learning that he would be sent to the workhouse for six months, Kelly went into court and asked to change his plea, and plead guilty to grand larceny, stating he preferred to be sent to the penitentiary. His request was granted, and Judge Gillmer sentenced him to a year in the penitentiary.

Kelly stated he was acquainted with the workhouse and preferred the penitentiary.

HIS MONEY DISAPPEARED.

A Man Awakes From Sleep to Find His Companion and $300 Missing.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.]

MCKEESPORT, November 7.—A man by the name of Edmundson, who resides at Lynch station, on the Pittsburg, McKeesport and Youghiogheny Railroad, came to McKeesport this morning and informed the officers that he had been robbed of $300 by a man named Davis. He alleges that he and Davis retired on Thursday night, and that early in the morning when he awoke discovered that his companion had disappeared with his money.

The loss is a big one to him, and the officer will endeavor to find the supposed thief.

ROBBED IN BROAD DAYLIGHT.

Two Thieves Relieve a Man of Some Change Amounting to $500.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.]

YOUNGSTOWN, November 7.—William Bolmer, a saloonkeeper, while going to his home near this city to-day was held up by two strangers and robbed of $500, one covering him with a revolver, while the other went through him, after which they kicked him until he was insensible.

PENNSYLVANIA'S OLDEST VOTER.

He Supported Madison and Every Democratic Candidate Since.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.]

UNIONTOWN, November 7.—Probably the oldest man in Pennsylvania to vote Tuesday was Mr. Jacob Steele, of Nicholson township, this county. Mr. Steele is 106 years old. His first vote was cast for James Madison for President, and he has voted for every Democratic candidate since. He was married in 1812.

FIRED BY TRAMPS.

Thousands of Dollars Lost by a Blaze in a Farmer's Barn.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.]

CARLISLE, November 7.—Fire last night destroyed the barn and outbuildings, containing the farming implements, crops, etc., of Sebastian Hesfeld of Frankford township, near this city. Loss estimated $4,000, fully insured. The fire was started by tramps.

HE ENDED HIS TROUBLES.

Suicide of a Former Well-to-Do Citizen Out of Work.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.]

ALTOONA, November 7.—F. Weidenman, aged 55 years, committed suicide here this morning. He had been out of work for some time past and took his own life to end his troubles. He had been a well-to-do citizen.

Mercer Farmers Form an Alliance.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.]

GREENVILLE, November 7.—A county organization of the Farmers' Alliance was formed here to-day, and the following officers were elected: J. H. Riley, Leech's Corners, President; J. A. Leech, Leech's Corners, Secretary, and A. Martin, of Greenville, Treasurer.

FOUNDRY MEN QUIT WORK.

Refusal of the Foreman to Discharge a Man Causes Trouble.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.]

NEW CASTLE, November 7.—There is trouble at Witherow's foundry, and the prospects for a speedy settlement of the difficulty are not bright. It appears that a new man named John Fisher, who claims to belong to the American Stove Plate Molders' Union, was put to work by Foreman Glover. The regular employes of the foundry are members of the International branch of machine molders, and they claim that Fisher has not paid his dues, and, according to the rules governing their union, they cannot work with him. Acting on this conviction, they notified Mr. Glover that he would have to discharge Fisher before they would go to work again. This he would not consent to, and as a result, the men all went out on strike.

Foreman Glover states that the 25 men who went out may consider themselves discharged, as he will not comply with their demands. There are no chances for a speedy settlement, as both sides are firm.

BLOCKED AT JACOB'S LADDER.

Work Suspended at That Point in the Blazing Hill Farm Mine.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.]

DUNBAR, November 7.—Since last Tuesday night there has been a suspension of labor at the Hill Farm mine at the point known as "Jacob's ladder." The heat there was so intense from the charred and blazing timbers and old posts that it drove the men back from their positions and obliged them to close up that portion of the mine in order to smother out the heat and fire. Work will probably be resumed there in a few days. The point in the manway where the fall was encountered a few weeks ago and which was cut around through the solid coal, has proven to be a regular fire catcher. While the men were busily engaged in another part of the mine, the fire broke through, and had it not happened that a passing miner gave the alarm, they would have been caught below the fire, as were the other miners.

HUNDREDS DEPRIVED OF WORK.

Fire Destroys a Coal Breaker Near Jermyn, in Lackawanna.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.]

BLOOMSBURG, PA., November 7.—A coal breaker near Jermyn, Lackawanna county, owned by Church & Co., was destroyed by fire this morning. Two hundred men were thrown out of employment.

The property was valued at $15,000, and was partially insured.

Tri-State Brevities.

BARN burners at Carlisle got in their work again Thursday night by destroying Aaron Smith's barn, adjoining buildings and contents. Loss, $5,000; insured.

RUDYARD KIPLING'S great story, the first serial he ever wrote, begins in THE DISPATCH to-morrow morning. The opening chapters are of absorbing interest. Don't fail to get started in the greatest literary treat of the day. Exclusively in the mammoth twenty-four page issue to-morrow morning.

SEVERAL MUSICAL NOVELTIES

To be Found in To-Day's Programme at the Carnegie Recital.

Several agreeable novelties and popular favorites augur well for the success of the twenty-sixth free organ recital in Carnegie Hall this afternoon, the programme commencing at 3 o'clock. The vocal music will be given by Miss Fidelia McConnell, of Holliday's Cove, W. Va., who has studied in Cincinnati, and Miss Hattie Beynon, of Chicago. The latter young lady is to go to Italy next spring to complete her operatic studies, and sings to-day to oblige her relatives in Allegheny. She has a remarkable colorative soprano voice, with much of the brilliancy which has made Pauline L'Allemand famous. Her singing of the great aria from "Traviata" will be worth hearing. Organist Wales will perform some new music, among which is the dainty Gavotte, just published in the *Keynote*, by Leo Ohmler, the violinist of this city.

The programme in full is as follows:

Processional March, "Queen of Sheba,"
.....Goldmark
{a. Andante Cantabile.....Beethoven
{b. Heimweh.....Jungman
{c. Ballet, "Preciosa".....C. M. von Weber
Potpourri, "Ruddygore".....Sullivan
Vocal, air "Robert LeDiable".....Meyerbeer
Miss McConnell.
{a. Novelette.....Fred L. Morey
{b. Skizzen No 1.....R. Schumann
Artist's Life Waltz.....Johann Strauss
Vocal, Recit and air, "Was it Him My Heart Foretold," "Traviata".....Verdi
Miss Beynon.
Overture, "Daughter of the Regiment,"
.....Donizetti
{a. Gavotte.....Leo Ohmler
{b. Gavotte (Erminie).....Jadowski
{c. Gavotte (Anina).....Emanuel Moor
Vocal, "Let Me Dream Again".....Sullivan
Overture, "Zampa".....Herold

RECEIVER FOR A SOUTHERN RAILWAY.

An Important Bill Filed by a Shelbyville Man in Tennessee.

NASHVILLE, November 7.—An important bill was filed by Mr. G. C. Sandusky, of Shelbyville, in the office of the Clerk of the United States Circuit Court this morning, being an application for the appointment of a receiver for the Decatur, Chesapeake and New Orleans Railroad.

Complainant charges that G. W. Edwards was a partner of Belden & McTighe, of New York, that he was left in charge of the railroad's affairs and that he allowed the contractors to violate their contracts; that the contractors were moneyless adventurers; that they abandoned their contract when they were $750,000 in debt; that Edwards represented that certain New Yorkers would put $500,000 in the company if given a majority in the directory; that this action was taken and the parties, with Belden & McTighe, formed a new construction company, under the name of the Nashville and Decatur, to which the other construction company assigned; that work was again commenced, but was again stopped; that $750,000 is now owing laborers, etc., and that Edwards shared in the profits of the construction company. Judge Key granted a restraining order and appointed Richard Sandusky, of Shelbyville, temporary receiver.

INTERESTING SUIT ON HAND.

Sensational Features in a Case to be Heard at Duluth To-Day.

DULUTH, November 7.—A suit of more than ordinary interest comes up in the District Court before Judge Stearns in this city to-morrow. It is a suit involving the legality of the leasing of certain State mineral lands to H. B. Morse, W. P. Bailey et al. The suit is brought by A. J. Whiteman, of this city, who claims that the lands were leased the defendants before Governor Merriam had signed the bill giving the State Auditor the right to lease the lands.

Judge Flandreau, State Treasurer Bobleter, R. C. Elliott, the Governor's private Secretary, Harry Griswold and Captain Jewett, of St. Paul, are here as witnesses in the case. Besides its other sensational features the case involves the ownership of the iron ore in a certain section, which is valued at about half a million dollars.

SKIPPED OUT FOR OTHER PARTS.

New York Manufacturers Disappear, Leaving Heavy Debts Behind.

NEW YORK, November 7.—Thomas Harper, President and Treasurer of the Harper Brothers Company, manufacturers of lamps and shades at Barclay and Church streets, and William Harper, manager of the factory at Van West, Westchester county, have disappeared, leaving debts reported at from $25,000 to $50,000. It is said they have not been at their office for over two days, and the creditors are of the opinion that they sailed for Europe about a week ago. Executions against the company for $1,300 and against Messrs. Harper for $3,300 are in the hands of the Sheriff, but there is nothing to attach.

WILDWOOD'S WELL.

It Has Been Christened Governor Pattison by the Happy Owner,

BEING STRUCK ON ELECTION DAY.

Mysterious Nonsense Prevents Reliable News From St. Mary's.

THE WELL POSSIBLY TAPS A NEW VEIN

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.]

WILDWOOD, November 7.—Wes Guffy has christened his phenomenal Roleshouse gusher "Governor Pattison," as it was struck on the memorable day of Mr. Pattison's election. Last night the well was flowing 100 barrels an hour, which rate was steadily maintained until to-day at 1 o'clock, when the drill was run for two or three minutes, which increased its production to 150 barrels an hour. One or two practical operators who took a gauge of the well say it is doing fully 4,000 barrels a day, but the more conservative estimate of the pipe line places the output at 3,600 barrels in 24 hours.

Just how long this rate of production will be kept up remains to be seen, but one thing looks certain, that they have tapped the jugular vein of the Wildwood field.

WILL INCREASE PRODUCTION.

The new strike has materially increased the aggregate production of the pool, which to-night is estimated between 8,000 and 9,000 barrels a day.

Burns & Steele tapped the sand last night on their Simpson No. 3, and at 39 feet got first pay, when the well responded at a 20-barrel an hour rate. The venture is located about 250 feet southwest from the old Young No. 1, and as the formation, so far as drilled, is identical with the Young, it is but fair to presume they will find a second pay. These gentlemen will bring in their No. 4 Simpson next week, which is located 150 feet northeast from the Young, and if there is anything in location it should be a good well. They have also come to the conclusion that their Nos. 1 and 2 Simpson have not been drilled deep enough for the second pay, and in a few days the tools will be swung and the drill set to work. The Ringheisen well is reported as doing 30 barrels an hour to-day.

THE ST. MARY'S MYSTERY.

ST. MARY'S—St. Mary's well has created no little comment in oleaginous circles, and but little knowledge has been gained bearing upon its true status. The well is looked upon as a wildcat of the first water, and is located one-quarter of a mile southwest, and down the Ohio river, from St. Mary's, and a half mile east from the Stewart well, which is the most advanced venture in the Belmont field.

It is owned by Duncan & Co., and is being worked for a mystery. The sand was tapped Wednesday morning at daylight, when the well was shut down. At 1 o'clock on the same day it made one flow over the top of the derrick, and the same evening made two more flows. As there was no tankage up no estimate could be made of the oil, and just what the well will amount to when drilled in can only be determined by time. Tankage is being erected and it is expected when the owners get through playing the monkey act the well will be opened up. The depth of the new venture has been kept a profound secret by the knowing ones, but a practical operator in this field