DEFIES THE WORLD.

Peter Priddy Puts Up a Forfeit to Run Any Man a Two, Three or Five-Mile Foot Race.

MYERS DEFINITELY CHALLENGED.

A Meeting Called to Organize a Local Football League to Play Under Association Rules.

GODFREY DEFEATS SMITH, OF DENVER.

Latest About the Baseball Situation—General Sporting News of the Day.

Peter Priddy is to the front with a challenge that shows he means business in the truest sense of the word. He called at this office last evening and put up a forfeit of $50, accompanied by a challenge to run anybody in the world two, three or five miles for $500 or $1,000 a side. His challenge reads as follows:

"Seeing a challenge in your paper to the effect that an unknown would run me a five-mile race, I wish to state once for all that I will run no man except the name of my opponent is made known when the articles are signed. If no names are mentioned I am giving the opposing party a great advantage inasmuch as I may break down in training and will have to forfeit, while the opposing party can have any number to choose from. To show, however, that I am ready to run anybody, I now put up a forfeit of $50 with the Sporting Editor of THE DISPATCH to run any man in the world a race of two, three or five miles for $500 or $1,000 a side, the race to take place three or six weeks after signing articles. I insist on the name of my opponent being made known when we sign articles.

"I also challenge H. Fredericks or L. E. Myers to a mile race for $500 or $1,000 a side, the race to take place three or six weeks after signing articles. I will allow my forfeit to remain up for two weeks, and if it is not covered in that time I will take it down and claim the championship for the distance named. I don't desire any newspaper talk, and, therefore, will not pay any attention to replies made to my challenge unaccompanied by a forfeit."

The above challenge certainly is plain and pointed enough for anything. Priddy means everything he says. It may be likely that Myers will be disposed to tackle the Pittsburger according to challenge, and if he does one of the most important races that has taken place for years will be witnessed. Priddy is anxious for a race, and he can soon get into first-class condition.

PRINCETON'S PROSPECTS.

Captain Poe Giving His Team Final Pointers for To-Morrow's Contest.

PRINCETON, November 25.—As the big game draws near the interest continues to increase. The students feel somewhat more confident, if not of victory, at least of keeping down Yale's score. The team and others who attended the Yale-Harvard game returned yesterday favorably impressed with Yale's strength and all-round good game. The players say she has a good rush line, but think our backs excel those of Yale, and, therefore, these will be used by Captain Poe to the best advantage. No doubt he will give Yale a kicking game, and thus an opportunity to fumble plenty of punts. Captain Poe, however, is far from being as confident as he was last year. To-day, by his orders, the gates to the field were closed against all would-be spectators. Many went with the hope of getting into the grounds, but were refused admittance. The reason for this course of action is two-fold: to guard against Yale men entering the field, and to make doubly sure that no one but the players themselves will have a chance to divulge his tricks and tactics. The two teams went through these at the usual time, spending over two hours in extra practice in passing the ball and kicking goals from various angles with the goal posts.

The students holding tickets for bleacher seats have decided to occupy the eastern side of the field in order that they may be together. Eight students have been appointed to lead the cheering in order to make it hearty and systematic. The motto given to the students to show the great interest that all Princetonians feel in the game is "Everybody talk."

YALE AND PRINCETON.

Some Changes to be Made in the Former Team for To-Morrow.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.]

NEW HAVEN, CONN., November 25.—The Yale team expect to win from Princeton Thursday, but at the same time there is a sort of "don't-care" in their talk which is significant. Holcomb will not play his place at center, and it will be filled by Lewis. The rest of the rush line will be the same as in the Harvard game, but back of the line there will be a couple of changes.

The half-backs will be Bliss and McClung, while Harvey will be at his place at full back. What little money the Yale men have left will be staked at almost anything like reasonable odds. The losses of the Harvard game by Yale men alone are estimated at $10,000.

Beat the High School Team.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK, November 25.—At Prospect Park this afternoon the Pratt Institute team played a spirited game with the team from the Brooklyn High School. The High School had the ball at the start, but lost it without making any gain. Morgan, by one of his pretty runs, scored a touch down for the institute and then kicked the goal. The High School boys were repeatedly forced back, though fighting pluckily, and Morgan gained another touch down, but no goal resulted. Score—Pratt, 4; High School, 0.

ASSOCIATION MAGNATES.

They Leave Louisville and Talk About Their Proposed New Circuit.

LOUISVILLE, November 25.—The members of the American Baseball Association and other baseball men who came to the annual meeting here yesterday went to MacAuley's Theater upon invitation last night, and were entertained at a lunch at the Pendennis Club by President Phelps and President Parson, of Louisville. All left to-day and there was no further meeting of any kind. It was generally stated last night that the formation of the conference committee to make up the circuit for next year was largely for the purpose of ousting the Rochester, Syracuse and Toledo clubs, and one paper published a wild story that Rochester and Syracuse would be excluded on the grounds that in failing to play Sunday games they had failed to play games scheduled in the articles of agreement. Then with two new clubs Toledo could be excluded for business reason.

There was a general cry that the three clubs had been trapped and induced to vote for the conference committee which meant their certain exclusion. This is denied by Association officials, who say the conference committee will not attempt to force out Rochester, Toledo and Syracuse, but will try to make a friendly settlement with them by the purchase of their franchises or other methods satisfactory to all. It is believed that the clubs having lost money readily enter upon an arrangement. The conference committee will go to Chicago, Boston and other large cities and make efforts to arrange a much better circuit than last year. Washington wants to come in. Manager Chapman, who left for Brooklyn to-day, said just before leaving that he expected to have a much better team for Louisville next year. He is looking after several League and Brotherhood players.

Allie Wilkes Sold for $20,000.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.]

YOUNGSTOWN, November 25.—Allie Wilkes, the well-known trotting stallion, owned by Stanhope Bros., of Kinsman, O., was sold today to W. C. McCann, of Lexington, Ky., for $20,000. He was sired by Red Wilkes, dam Allie West, and began his trotting career the past season, securing a record on the track at Cleveland which was considered four seconds slow of 2:22¼. The Stanhope Bros. purchased him two years ago for $2,000, intending to use him for stud purposes only and not believing then that he would show any great trotting qualities.

A New Venture.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.]

LEXINGTON, November 25.—Charles Laur, of Demmelsdorf, Germany, has shipped his stud of thoroughbreds to this city. It includes the noted sire Gafriel. Mr. Laur will buy a farm in this country and breed horses for the turf. One of his yearlings, Ed Eshleby, ran a trial quarter here to-day in 28¾ seconds, finishing strong. Laur's partner is Mr. Strauss, and the new venture of this wealthy German breeder will be watched with interest by American turfmen.

SOME PLAIN TALK.

The Late P. L. President Says a Few Very Strong Words.

This is what Colonel McAlpin says when he gets home to New York:

"Why, there were persons connected with the Players' League whom I would not associate with. I considered them beneath me socially, morally, and, in fact, every way. They would stoop to any mean underhand scheme to gain a point for themselves. They thought of the Players' League only as a handle to further their own interests and gain a dominating power. I have commanded a regiment of 800 men and have presided over large political meetings, but never in all my experience was I ever snubbed as I was at that Pittsburg meeting. When I entered the meeting room nobody knew me. This delegate looked out of the window, that one stared at the ceiling, and so on all around. I felt as if a keen-edged knife had pierced my heart. During the morning session I explained the stand of the New York club, stating that consolidation could be agreed on, but that there was nothing binding.

"When I stated the position of the New York club the delegates acted toward me as if they had a criminal on the stand. They would not believe my statements. When the preliminary business was over I handed in my resignation. 'You who are here present know whether I have done my work faithfully,' I said, 'it is for you to criticise. But I want to say one thing. I am young in years, but I started out young, and in all my life I never was snubbed as I have been here. You call Mr. Talcott, Mr. Robinson and myself traitors. Who are the ones that dare to call honest men by such a name? Why, there are some persons here who betrayed your trust, and I can tell you the New York people will not do business with any but honorable men. Gentlemen, I never give anybody a chance to give me the snub or stab me a second time.' I was beseeched not to resign. I finally nominated Mr. Prince for the position.

"After the morning session I found that Mr. Robinson had arrived from New York. I told him what I had done. 'Why, I signed certain papers just before I left New York,' he said. 'But they are not binding except under certain conditions.' At the afternoon session I had to explain this. To show how near being traitors the New York people were, I will say that had their proposition for each club to put up $50,000 to carry on the fight been accepted the Players' League would be alive to-day and have the National League at its mercy."

GODFREY DEFEATS SMITH.

The Colored Pugilist Settles the Denver Heavy-Weight in 23 Rounds.

NEW YORK, November 25.—The glove fight between George Godfrey, the colored fighter of Providence, R. I., and Ed Smith, of Denver, took place to-night on the stage of Cronheim's Theater, Hoboken, and resulted in a victory for Godfrey. The fight was under the auspices of the Puritan Athletic Club, of Long Island City, and was witnessed by about 800 persons, including delegations from Denver, Providence and Boston. Jere Dunn acted as referee and held the $2,000 purse given by the club. Ex-Umpire John Kelly was timekeeper. The fight was set for 9 o'clock and the men made their appearance at 9:20. Godfrey was seconded by Frank Steel, the Boston lightweight, and Jimmie Campbell. William Muldoon, the wrestler, and Jack Ashton, the heavy-weight, who was recently defeated by Godfrey, looked after Smith's interests.

The gloves were weighed and the men got down to business at 9:26. From the start it was seen that Smith was overmatched, Godfrey punishing him at will. Smith, however, made a game fight and several times resumed his work after he was apparently done for. The fight continued with Godfrey gaining advantages in nearly every round until twenty-two rounds were fought. In the twenty-third round Godfrey started in to finish his man and landed a heavy right-hander on Smith's ear. Smith staggered to his corner and nearly fell, but made an effort to again put up his hands. Referee Dunn, however, stopped the fight then and there, saying: "I am now able to decide the fight, Godfrey wins."

Muldoon at once challenged Godfrey to fight Jake Kilrain, who was among the spectators, Godfrey made no answer to the proposition.

The Western Association.

ST. PAUL, November 25.—The Western Association magnates have a scheme which they will spring as soon as the National League and American Association have selected their cities and the Players' League is officially declared dead. Henry D. Hatch, owner of the Minneapolis team, says:

"The Western Association will be the third great league of the country. It will be made up of Detroit, Toledo, Indianapolis, Milwaukee, St. Paul, Minneapolis, Kansas City and Omaha. Five of these cities are in the present Western Association, but they can get out of it by resigning and forming the new league."

It is apparent from these remarks that Denver, Lincoln and Sioux City are to be unceremoniously frozen out of the Western Association and larger Eastern cities substituted.

The Far West Trotters.

SAN FRANCISCO, November 25.—The Bay District track was somewhat sticky to-day, owing to light rains having fallen. Three-quarter-mile heats. Applause won the first and second heats; Forester second. Best time, 1:18¾.

Will Meet Saturday.

Secretary Dawson, of the Allegheny Athletic Association, is sending out notices of a meeting of secretaries of football teams to be held on Saturday evening next. The object is to get about eight clubs to organize themselves into a league to play under association rules. Mr. Dawson expects the meeting to be a successful one.

Live Pigeon Shooting.

J. Jaggers offers to bet John Dixon $50 that he, Dixon, cannot kill 8 pigeons out 13, to-morrow, 21 yards rise and 60 fall, one ounce shot to be used. Jaggers will meet Dixon this evening to put up the money. There is talk of another match at live birds between Dixon and Horsfield. The latter won the last match.

Sporting Notes.

JOHN M. WARD is still at Uniontown.

THE Tri-State League will meet at Akron today.

THERE is a letter at this office for Steve Toole, the ball player.

IT is rumored that the Uniontown sports are going to build a cinder track for the special benefit of sprinters. The latter are evidently in great fakor at Uniontown, but rumor may be false.

JIM LEE, the hero of the Yale-Harvard football game at Springfield, is a member of the New York Athletic Club, and may play in that club's football team during the final games of the season. Lee has covered 100 yards in 10 1-5 seconds.

IT is believed that Princeton pluck will go far toward saving the orange-and-black from an overwhelming defeat on Thanksgiving Day at the hands of Yale's big eleven. Princeton may be short on beef this year, but she is always long on pluck. Tremendous interest is being taken in the coming contest.

JACOB SCHAEFER's many friends will regret to hear that he was too ill to play his usual practice game last night at Daly's Brooklyn Assembly Rooms. Schaefer is stopping at the St. George Hotel, Brooklyn, and has for some days past been suffering from the effects of a severe cold. In view of his approaching match with Slosson it is to be hoped that he will be able to resume practice at once.

HARVARD will lose a majority of her great football team of this year, including Captain Cumnock, in the spring, unless they come back to one of the post-graduate departments. The Intercollegiate rules allow men to play five years. None of the Harvard team has played over four years, but as Harvard is not a member of the Intercollegiate League this rule does not apply to her. Still she will, without a doubt, be in the League next year.

THOMAS E. EGAN, who sells privileges to bookmakers at all the New Jersey race tracks, was arrested Saturday at Hoboken by Constable Brown, of Roselle, on a capias issued by Sheriff Hicks, of Union county. Egan was indicted by the last grand jury of Union, but has since managed to elude the authorities. He was brought to Elizabeth and taken before the Sheriff, who held him in $5,000 bail to answer the charge on next Saturday before Judge Van Sickle. Peter Wilkins, of Hoboken, who owns valuable property in Elizabeth, went on the stand and swore that he was worth $80,000 above his liabilities. He was accepted as bondsman for Egan, who was then released.

A CLEAR complexion, bright eyes and firm, solid flesh are a few evidences of its health-giving properties. "While not detracting one whit from the mother's care, I cannot lay too great stress on the merits of Mellin's Food," writes a father. WED

Prof. Koch

And his lymph would be of no avail if cork-sole shoes were bought from C. A. Verner.

Will Price

Opens to-day the handsomest assortment of light scarfs for Thanksgiving Day ever shown in the city for 50 cts. See window display, 47 Sixth street.

Cinderella and the Old Lady

Who lived in the shoe can be accommodated at C. A. Verner's, Fifth avenue and Market street.

Millinery! Millinery!!

Have you seen the Halsey hat shown by Giles? 56 Sixth street, Pittsburg, 94 and 96 Federal street, Allegheny.

A BUNGLING FRAUD.

Strange Outcome of a Divorce Suit in a New York Court.

BOGUS SEPARATION PAPERS ISSUED

To a Wife, Who Marries Again and Loses Both Husbands at Once.

CHASE FOR A SHYSTER LAWYER

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK, November 25.—Judge Truax, of the Superior Court, heard on Monday some of the evidence on the application of William Coppersmith, a jeweler of Maiden Lane, for absolute divorce from his wife, Mary Helmer. August J. Fechter, the proprietor of Stuyvesant Hall, was named as corespondent. Coppersmith is about 35 years old, and his wife, an attractive woman, is somewhat younger. They were married in 1877. Mrs. Coppersmith left her husband in May of last year and last spring he learned that she was living with Fechter. In May he applied for a divorce. The defendant did not appear on Monday and it was said that she was ill. Fechter, however, appeared and was called to the witness stand.

His answer to the first question, "Do you know Mrs. Coppersmith?" astonished the court. "I did know Mrs. Coppersmith," he said, "but that is not her name now. She is my wife, Mrs. Fechter." "Do you mean to say you have married the woman?" "Certainly. We were married last March. She obtained a divorce from Mr. Coppersmith in January."

Judge Truax took a hand in the examination at this point and demanded to know what evidence the witness had had of a divorce having been granted. "Why I have the decree at home," was the confident reply. Judge Truax ordered the witness to produce the paper in court the next morning and adjourned the case.

A STRANGE DIVORCE DOCUMENT.

Fechter was on hand this morning with his paper, and a strange document it proved to be. It was entirely in manuscript and written upon an ordinary sheet of letter paper. In the upper left-hand corner were the words, "Supreme Court, Cook county." In the other corner was, "Mary Coppersmith agt. William Coppersmith." Then followed what purported to be a decree of divorce, containing more or less legal verbiage, but setting forth no cause for the granting of the decree. Below, in one corner, was an immense red seal stamped "Supreme Court." Written diagonally across the lower part of the page was a blind scrawl which might be interpreted as "W. W. Prall," or any other name resembling that, and the word "Judge" in fine script appeared close to the lower margin.

Nowhere in the document did the name of the State wherein the alleged divorce was granted appear; neither were there names of counsel upon it. Fechter handed the document confidently to Judge Truax, and the Court examined it with amazement. "Don't you know that this is a fraud and not worth the paper it is written on?" said the Judge to Fechter. "No, I didn't. I thought it was all right," replied the witness in evident surprise. "Then am I not married to her after all?" "Certainly you are not. Where did you get this paper?"

PALPABLE EVIDENCE OF FRAUD.

Fechter produced some letters, which he said Mrs. Coppersmith had received from time to time while the action was pending, from the attorney who represented her. They were written on paper with "Robert M. White, Attorney at Law, 145 Broadway, New York," printed at the top and signed by that name. They were notes, which were written in a period of a few weeks, and which described the progress of her suit, until finally White wrote that a decree had been granted in her favor. Fechter said he knew nothing more about the matter, except that he understood that White had received $150 for securing the divorce.

"Do you know whether Mrs. Coppersmith went to Chicago last January, or whether she lived in Illinois any part of last year?" asked Judge Truax. "I know that she did not. She was in New York all the time," was the reply. Judge Truax quickly filled out a subpœna and handed it to Lawyer Levy, Coppersmith's counsel, saying: "It is evident that a gross fraud has been perpetrated here. As an attorney of this court I think it is your duty to help ferret it out. I wish you would endeavor to serve this subpœna personally upon this alleged lawyer, and I'll suspend the hearing of the case until your return."

A CHASE FOR WHITE.

Mr. Levy accepted the commission and hastened in search of the man described, but failed to find him. At 145 Broadway, he learned that White no longer had an office there. The janitor said that a Robert M. White had nominally had an office in the building with a man named Grey, previous to last May. The janitor had seen but one man in the office and did not know whether that individual was Grey or White. He had the impression that White was Grey and Grey was White. He remembered that a great many women called on Grey or White. He believed that White or Grey had moved to 53 Broadway.

Mr. Levy went to the latter address and found upon the fourth floor a suite of rooms occupied, as the names upon the outer door indicated, by "Grey & Co., lawyers and collection agents. Robert M. White, attorney." A middle-aged man, with beard streaked with gray, was in the inner office. Mr. Levy asked for Mr. White. "Mr. White is not in," said the man at the desk. "But I'm not your name White? I want to see Mr. White, my uncle." "No; my name is Grey. Mr. White is out of town, and will not return until Wednesday or Thursday. What do you want to see him about?" "I'm inclined to believe that you are White."

TAKING CHANCES ON GREY.

"At all events, I'll take the chances of your being the man and serve on you this subpœna, which Judge Truax has just made out. He wishes you to come to court at once and explain your action in the Coppersmith divorce case. Here is the legal fee." Mr. Levy insists, without confessing any joke, that even if Grey is not White he turned white. He recovered himself, however, and protested strongly that White was another man and not a myth. He said that White was in Boston, and he produced a letter written upon a Parker House note head, in which the writer said he would be in New York on Wednesday or Thursday.

Mr. Levy replied that at all events Mr. Grey was associated with White, and should appear in court to look after his partner's interests and reputation. Mr. Grey finally said he would be in Judge Truax's court at noon. He failed to appear, however.

Judge Truax granted Coppersmith an absolute divorce. "Where do I come in?" inquired the much-puzzled Fechter when this decision was announced. "Is she my wife now, or can I marry her over again?" "She is not your wife and she cannot marry you," replied Judge Truax, and the discomfited German went out, shaking his head.

The Ladies Delighted.

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Our complete Christmas display, both in ladies' and gentlemen's linen and silk handkerchiefs; many novelties, and all at lower prices than ever before. Largest and finest display we have ever made. Store closed all day Thursday (to-morrow). Come to-day or Friday. JOS. HORNE & CO.'S. Penn Avenue Stores.

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For Thanksgiving Week.

We offer 900 men's fine imported kersey overcoats, silk faced and satin sleeve lining at $10 each. Five hundred fine melton overcoats for men at $8 each, and 1,000 elegant chinchilla overcoats (blue, black and brown) at $10 each.

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WHAT PEOPLE ARE DOING.

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

—Ed S. Landis, the exceedingly popular clerk of the Seventh Avenue Hotel, will quit the house next Monday. He has been working very hard, and his nervous system is unstrung. Mr. Landis will rest for a month, and then he may appear behind the counter of a leading house in this city. He is liable, however, to go into another business, as he is a little weary of life in hotels.

—Ex-Sheriff Gray and Colonel Washington Hill returned from Harrisburg last evening. They submitted their Johnstown reports to the Auditor General. Colonel Gray said everything was satisfactory. Colonel Hill had charge of the commissary, and he handled the funds during the flood.

—Dr. Charles Shaw went to Washington last evening to attend the biennial meeting of the Sigmachi fraternity. He will also be present at the convention of the American Academy of Medicine to be held at Philadelphia next week.

—George Geldin and W. White, of Erie, are here inspecting the local cable and electric roads. The street railway companies of that city are thinking of changing their motive power.

—Archibald Gordon, of Long Island, who wrote "Is Marriage a Failure," is at the Duquesne. He came to Pittsburg to see that his play was well rendered.

—Miss Clara Kelley, of Washington, Pa., passed through the city last evening on her way home from a two months' trip through the South.

—S. H. Vandergrift, J. J. Vandergrift and J. J. Buchanan as directors yesterday had chartered the Amyville and Youghiogheny Gas Company.

—J. S. Witcher, of the United States Army, at Cincinnati, is registered at the Schlosser.

—Gustave Lindenthal, the local engineer, left for the East last evening.

Muscular Rheumatism Cured.

Mr. A. Danner.

Sir:—I have been afflicted with muscular rheumatism for over two years, and was not able to move about on account of pain in the muscles of the limbs, and could get in no position to rest them. I have been treated by several physicians and tried various remedies, but received no relief from my suffering until I commenced taking your Essence of Health, which was highly recommended as a speedy cure for rheumatism. I found it to be true in a short time, for the pains in my joints grew less every day and I continued to improve in general health and strength and am glad to say I am free from rheumatism and every trace of pain has disappeared. As your medicine has cured me perfectly, I heartily recommend it to all sufferers and will give any further information to any who will address me.

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Also 75 head choice mules of extra weight, suitable for draught or pit purposes.

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Have You a Man to Buy For?

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Baby Millinery Will be Found in the Zephyr and Art Department.

The prettiest hats and cutest caps for pleasant Christmas surprises for the little ones.

Stores closed all day to-morrow.

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Do you remember the bread your grandmother used to make? It was the best bread you ever ate. You never imagined that you would get any more like it. But you can. Marvin's New Palace bread is just that kind. It eclipses everything else in the bread line on the market. If you like delicious home-made bread, try it. You can get it from your grocer. MWThS

Army and Navy Adventures

By the admirals of the United States navy and by the generals of the United States army will be among the many remarkable features of the Youth's Companion for 1891. Among the contributors are Admirals Porter, Luce, Gillis and Kimberly; among the generals are Howard, Brooke, Brisbin and Gibbon. W

THERE will be an opening of the Christmas novelties at "The Woman's Exchange," No. 628 Penn avenue, on Wednesday, November 26, from 10 A. M. until 6 P. M. Ice cream, cakes, salads, puddings, jellies and preserves will be on sale. Lunch served as usual from 12 until 2 o'clock. TuWF

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Seal jackets, Queen Bess collar.
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PITTSBURG, November 25, 1890.

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10:00 A. M.	—	Maximum temp.	56
11:00 A. M.	55	Minimum temp.	42
12:00 M.	55	Range	14
2:00 P. M.	55	Mean temp.	49
5:00 P. M.	49	Rainfall.	.00

SPECIAL WEATHER BULLETIN.

A High Barometer Pressure Promises Fair Weather in All Sections.

The storm which was central over Lake Superior on Monday moved to Lake Ontario with slightly increased energy. The high barometer area in the West continued to increase in magnitude, and moving eastward, will tend to prolong fair weather in all sections. In consequence of the storm over the lakes, light rain fell in the lake region, Ohio, Tennessee and the upper Mississippi Valley. Light rain or snow preceded the storm on its course through the New England States. Fair weather continued on the North American Plateau and generally in the lower Mississippi Valley and on the immediate Atlantic coast. The temperature had risen decidedly in the Middle Atlantic and New England States.

River Reports.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAMS TO THE DISPATCH.]

ALLEGHENY JUNCTION—River 8 feet and falling. Weather clear and pleasant.

MORGANTOWN—River 4 feet 8 inches and stationary. Weather cloudy. Thermometer 62° at 4 P. M.

BROWNSVILLE—River 5 feet and stationary. Weather cloudy. Thermometer 51° at 5:30 P. M.

WARREN—River 3 feet and falling. Weather cloudy and cool.

CINCINNATI—River 25 feet 9 inches and falling. Clear and cool.

LOUISVILLE—River falling; 10.10 feet in canal; 8¼ feet on the falls; 23.1 feet at foot of locks. Business good. Weather sultry, partly cloudy and clear.

EVANSVILLE—River 24 feet 5 inches and rising. Clear and mild.

MEMPHIS—River rose 5 inches.

NEW ORLEANS—Partly cloudy and pleasant.

LATE NEWS IN BRIEF.

—Nickel plate operators have appointed committee to ask increase of 20 per cent.

—Interfering between her husband and another man, Lizzie Hall, colored, fatally shot, at Chicago.

—Chicago incendiary set fire to a building from which nine persons were rescued, unconscious, and just in time.

—Mrs. Trautman, of New York, is elected First Vice President of the Board of Lady Managers of the World's Fair.

—Customs inspectors patrolling the international boundary in Stevens and Okanogen counties, say Chinese are being constantly smuggled across the border.

—In a running fight at Las Vegas, N. M., between 20 cowboys and twice as many Mexicans over 500 shots were exchanged, resulting in the death and wounding of several on both sides.

—The official acceptance by the Duke of Nassau of the crown of Luxembourg has been published. In his acceptance the Duke prays that God will bless his reign over the country.

—Leading Canadian packers have asked the Dominion Government to reduce the duty on salt to bring the present price of 98 cents per barrel to compare with the United States price of 65 cents.

—Conductors J. A. Stokely, J. Plasnick and Dennis McCurdy, on the Chicago and Eastern Illinois Railroad, a committee from the Railway Men's Association, of Danville, to persuade trainmen to quit, arrested for intimidation.

—After heated debate on bill introduced to form a new county by taking an equal slice from Guthrie and Oklahoma counties, Representative Jones, opposition leader, and Representative Brown, friend of bill, had two personal encounters.

—Charles Webster, or Crumley, the old actor who shot and killed young Robert McNeill, in New York, because he thought McNeill was too attentive to his wife, and who was convicted of manslaughter in the first degree, was sentenced to State prison for seven years.

—Will of Alexander Watson is contested by Mrs. Clara Morton, at Eau Claire, Wis., on the ground that Watson was not mentally capable of making a will and that he was wrongfully influenced. Mrs. Morton has a $10,000 damage suit pending against a wealthy lumberman, who ejected her from the house of Watson. Says she was Watson's wife by private contract. If the will contest fails she will claim her portion as widow.

RIVER JOTTINGS.

The Scotia Made a Very Fast Trip to Cincinnati.

THE river yesterday registered 6 feet 3 inches and is still falling.

THE towboats down yesterday were the Two Brothers, Bob Connell and Bennett.

THE Andes was in and out yesterday for Cincinnati. The biggest part of her consignment in was poultry.

THE Scotia, Captain R. H. Kerr in command, made the trip to Cincinnati in 47 hours, which is quite a record.

THERE is some talk of a combine including the four steamers now plying between Pittsburg and Wheeling.

HEAR the great N. Y. Symphony Club at Carnegie Hall Saturday night.

The Best in the World.

J. B. Loughran, ex-Mayor of North Des Moines, and the Locust street manufacturer of steam engines and boilers, said: "I had a severe attack of la grippe. I used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and applied Chamberlain's Pain Balm to my breast. These remedies were just the thing in my case. My child had croup some years ago, and we used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy with perfect success; since then we have never been without these medicines in our house. I had a cousin who was a printer and was employed in this city, where they were printing circulars for Chamberlain. He had a deep-seated cold and a terrible cough, and while setting up the copy he made up his mind to buy a bottle. It cured his cough, and that was the first time I ever knew anything of Chamberlain's remedies. I have been strongly in their favor ever since. My own experience and that of my family convinces me that these remedies are the best in the world. That may be strong language, but that is what I think." WSU

Ladies' Hosiery For Xmas.

A special lot of two-toned pure silk stockings, regular $3 50 quality, at only $2. An odd chance that gives our hosiery customers this big bargain chance. They come two pairs in a box. JOS. HORNE & CO.'S
Penn Avenue Stores.

Gold Watches for the Holidays

For ladies and gentlemen. An elegant stock to select from. Now is the time to purchase goods of this kind. By making small payment we will hold goods until the holidays. At Hauch's Jewelry Store, No. 295 Fifth avenue. WFSu

And Still Another

Big bargain in ladies' gloves—a lot of Foster kid and lacing gloves, regular $1 75 quality, best shades, at $1 25 a pair. Another big leader for this big department.

JOS. HORNE & CO.'S
Penn Avenue Stores.

50 pieces ostrich feather edging, evening and dark shades, $1 25 a yard, worth $2 a yard. REINING & WILDS', 710 Penn avenue.

WHEN you drink let it be of the best beer. That's the Iron City Brewing Co's. make. All first-class bars.

LOCAL ITEMS, LIMITED.

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

THE second annual reception of the Opera Circle will be held at the Uniformed Knight's Hall, on Penn avenue, between Fifteenth and Sixteenth streets, to-morrow evening. E. J. Gruber will be General Manager, and E. D. Gatens, J. J. McGee, J. Schmocker, J. J. Smith and A. C. Clark, are the Committee on Arrangements.

THE next regular meeting of the Botanical Society will be held Friday evening, at 7:30 o'clock, in the Academy of Science and Art building, Fifth street. A large number of specimens (about 750) donated to the society, will be shown, also some fine books on botany.

THE Allegheny Library Hall Committee has granted Carnegie Hall to Mrs. Colby Necher tonight to deliver a free lecture on "Danger and Destiny of the American Continent." Rev. W. Best of Philadelphia, will talk about public schools on December 8.

MAYOR WYMAN has signed the ordinances relating to the repaving of Federal street from South Diamond street to the bridge, changing the grade of Federal street from Robinson street to Isabella street, and repaving Rebecca street.

NOTHING new developed yesterday as to the removal of M. L. Malone as superintendent of the new Government building. Neither Mr. Malone nor Postmaster McKean had anything to say about the matter.

WILLIAM RICHARDSON, who has been Captain of engine company No. 11, of the Pittsburg Fire Department, for several years, has resigned his position to accept one at the Bedford Hill water works.

Will be Buried To-Day.

The body of Wilson McCandless arrived yesterday, accompanied by the family. Major W. G. McCandless, Stephen C. McCandless, W. R. Ford and F. C. Hutchinson met them at the depot. The funeral will occur this afternoon from Trinity Church. The following members of the Bankers' and Bank Clerks' Association have been appointed a committee to attend the funeral: F. E. Moore, Abel B. S. Grossan, S. D. Herron, Jr., D. W. Jones, John M. Chaplin, B. S. Crumpton, T. H. Given.

Lawyer J. P. Hall Waives a Hearing.

J. P. Hall, the attorney who was to have had a hearing before Alderman McMasters yesterday afternoon on a charge of forgery preferred last week by William Hood, waived a hearing and was committed to jail in default of $2,000 bail for trial at the December term of court. Hood charges Hall with forging an attorney's seal and the Recorder's signature to a deed for some property that he purchased.

Sipple Located at Last.

Yesterday morning Mrs. Barbara Sipple called on Inspector McAleese and claimed she was the wife of Robert Sipple, whom the Brooklyn woman says deserted her. She said she was married to him nine years ago, and that a year ago he deserted her. Their home is on Forty-third street.

That $3 00 Shoe

From C. A. Verner fits all feet. Fifth avenue and Market street.

WHEN you drink let it be of the best beer. That's the Iron City Brewing Co's. make. All first-class bars.

WINTER WISDOM.

[*Exchange.*]

Don't be afraid of fresh air, but avoid draughts.

Don't go out of doors for a second without extra covering.

In selecting your winter underclothing choose that which is warm and yet more or less open in texture.

Take off your overcoat when you enter a warm place, whether office or private dwelling, even if your visit is to last only three minutes.

If you catch cold or develop a cough, get rid of it at once. This is better than feeling "blue" and thinking that pneumonia or consumption has marked you as a victim.

The best remedy for a cough or cold (however stubborn), or a sudden chill, is pure whiskey. A dose of whiskey in water will impart a generous warmth to the whole body and keep off the diseases of the season.

Don't forget that only pure whiskey should be taken. Duffy's Pure Malt whiskey has the strongest recommendations from the