New Orleans Regarding the Championship Fight.

BOTH PARTIES VERY CONFIDENT.

The Friends of Fitzsimmons Want to Bet the Contest Will Not Last

HANLON ELECTED LOCAL MANAGER.

Over Ten Rounds.

An Interesting Challenge From a Fittsburger to Pugilist Elmer Grant.

ISPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH. NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 10,-Next Wednesday the Dempsey-Fitzsimmons fight comes off here before the Olympic Club, and already the city is beginning to look very much as it did in the days just preceding the Sullivan-Kilrain match. A large number of sporting men have already arrived and looked over the field. The battle will be seen under the most favorable circumstances. The match is held under a city ordinance which allows glove fights, so that there is no chance of police interference. A detail of 75 police will be present to preserve order. The fight is fixed for 9 P. M. There is, of course, not the slightest chance of now calculating its | His Terms Accepted by the Local Magnate length, but Fitzsimmons' friends are betting that it will be a short fight and offering to wager money that it does not last over ten

The merits of the two men are still under discussion with no conclusions reached. the longer reach; but his hips are narrow and his legs thin, and there are many who think they cannot carry him through a long fight; moreover, his wind is an unknown quantity, for he has never had a long fight and has generally knocked out his man in three or four rounds. He has been training largely for wind, walking and running a great deal and has been at it two weeks longer than Dempsey, and without interruption, whereas the latter stopped his training to run up to Dallas, and has been present at a number of exhibitions. The match will cost the club in all about \$20,000, of which \$12,000 go for the prizes. The building will hold \$45,000, so that the club will nake a handsome thing out of it if it can sell all the tickets, as it hopes to do. Fitzsimmons is much the talter, and with four rounds. He has been training largely for wind, walking and running a great deal and has been at it two weeks longer than Dempsey, and without interruption, whereas the latter stopped his training to run up to Dallas, and has been present at a number of exhibitions. The match will cost the club in all about \$20,000, of which \$12,000 go for the prizes. The building will hold \$45,000, so that the club will make a handsome thing out of it if it can sel all the tickets, as it hopes to do.

Any profit it may make will be saved for other purses for fist fights, purses so large as to attract the best talent in this country or England. George sablanche, who gave Dempsey his only defeat, is on his way to New Orleans, and says he will challenge the winner of the Dempsey-Fitzsimmons fight. It is an open screet that the Olympics long ago intended to match the winner of the Dempsey-Fitzsimmons fight against Ted Pritchard, the English champion. There are at least a half dozen here who would like to challenge the winner of next Wednesday's fight. Among the matches proposed and for which it is sail \$20.00 to the clubs.

figure. Among the matches proposed and for which it is said the Olympics or other clots here are willing to put up good purses, are be-tween Jim Corbett and Charlie Mitchell; beween Jimmy Carroll, the lightweight, and ack McAuliffe; between Bowen and Mc-uliffe and between Fizzimmons and Ted

Pritchard.

Among the arrivals to witness the fight are Bob Farrell, Larned Tracey, Steve Brodie and Abe Levy, of New York, and Jimmie Carroll, of Brooklyn. A telegram has been received from Ed Kearney advising that he would arrive on Sunday with a carload of New Yorkers.

THE COMING HORSE SALES.

An Opinion That High Prices Will Continue for Well Bred Trotters.

PSPECIAL TELEGRAN TO THE DISPATCH.: LEXINGTON, Jan. 10 .- The coming sales of trotters in New York and Lexington are being discussed at great length by some of the able turf writers. One gentleman located in New York City, and writing for a syndicate of Western gailies, gives it as his opinion that the approaching sales will show a marked falling off in prices. I have been at some trouble to interview a number of the leading dealers and breeders here on the subject. The opinion seems to prevail among well-informed horsebreeders here on the subject. The opinion seems to prevail among well-informed horsemen that good individuals well-informed horsemen that good individuals well-inferd will sell for more money than similar stock ever sold for before, while the medium bred and poorly bred ones will probably go for less. One intelligent breeder juts it this way:

The tendency is toward the best. The business, in my opinion, has just emerged from its experimental state, although the breeding of trotters will always be more or less in the nature of experiment. It is becoming more generally known that to produce a trotter it is necessary to breed in trotting lines; that is, if one wishes to take the least possible risk. The haphazard breeding of 25 years ago would not be countenanced by the veriest tyro now, for the aim of every wide-awake man in the business is to breed the best. It is this fact that keeps up the prices of richly bred trotters, and I am surprised to see so many of you turf writers predicting that the bottom will soon fall out of the trotting horse market. I tell you this is a mistake. When a colt like Sternberr in the 2-year-old form can win \$2,000 in stakes and purses and then sell for \$15,000; when a Wilton can sell for \$60,000 and carn \$50,000 the first two years in the stud, and one of his 2-year-old daughters bring \$10,000 when an Egebert sells for \$25,000, earns \$50,000 a year in the stud, and \$50,000 is refused for one of his sons; when a Reil Wilkes brings \$50,000 earns \$50,000 a year as a stablion, and sires a gelding that sells for \$25,000; when a fairly well-bred mare that would sell for \$1,000 is farmed for \$30 a year, you can tell your reader that the bottom hasn't quite faillen out of the trotting horse business. No, young man, the business is here to stay."

THE FATHER CONSENTS.

J. J. Corbett Can Now Arrange to Fight

Peter Jackson for a Purse. SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 10.-Patrick J. Corbett. father of San Francisco's star heavyweight, Jim Corbett, has relented, and will now place no obstacle in the way of a meeting between Peter Jackson and his son. The letter is as follows: So much adverse comment has been raised through the position I took regarding my son, James Corbett, meeting Peter Jackson in a box ing match before the California Club, and so many unkind things have been said and insinuated, that I am constrained to forego my principles for the sake of my son's reputation, as thoroughly noverse as I am to his adopting pugilism as a means of livelihood. I therefore pugilism as a means of livelihood. I therefore beg leave through your columns to rescind my former declaration that he should not meet Jackson and to add my consent for the consummation of the match at such time as the parties concerned see fit to fix it. I think that among those who know me and my boy best, it is scarcely necessary to say how unjust are the rumors concerning any collusion between us for the purpose of making a "bluff" at such a match to add interest to the combination with which lie is traveling.

AFTER HIM WITH A GUN.

The Sporting Writer Whom Sullivan Struck Terrorizes the Pugilistic Actor.

MILWAUEEE, Jan. 10. - Actor Sullivan's drunken reign of terror ends the moment some body tells him that a victim is after him with a "gun," John don't like this article.

Last night he was badly scared. He heard that William Dillon, the sporting reporter, whom he had slugged Thursday, was after him with a revolver. The management tried to keep Dillou out of the theater, but he attended

keep Dillou out of the theater, but he attended the show and guyed the puglist-actor from a high-priced seat.

During the performance Sullivan made a characteristic "speech," in which he stated that he only pushes Dillon with the back of his hand. He also said the woman who was stopping with him was his wife, and he had registered her as such at the hotel.

Reporter Dillon asked John for his opinion of the Dempisey-Fitzsimmons contest and received a drive in the jaw. John also whipped a little bell boy at the Plankinton House, where he is stopping with the blonde he registers as his wife.

Want a Change at Louisville.

LOUISVILLE, Jan. 10,-It was learned to-day that a secret meeting of the principal stock-bolders of the Louisville club was held in President Parson's office yesterday, and it is said to have been an exceedingly lively one. The only information that could be obtained was that it was a meeting to devise some plans for pext scason. Some of the stockholders are

THE GREAT BATTLE,

dissatisfied with President Parson's management, and are determined to make a change.

A letter received from Manager Chapman states that he has not signed Ely. Manager Chapman says the team will not be taken South unless be can secure enough of the old players to go by March 5. The Cyclones will open the exhibition season here with St. Paul on March 29, 30, 31, and April 2, 3 and 4.

THEY ARE HOME AGAIN.

McAuliffe and Madden Return - Expert Opinion on Dempsey's Chances. New York, Jan. 10.—Joe McAuliffe and Billy Madden arrived home to-day on the Brit-annic. Notwithstanding the thumping Slavin gave him, McAuliffe still thinks he can do any man who walks on two legs, and he wants all the big fighters to know it, too.

the big fighters to know it, too.

He was candid enough to acknowledge that
Slavin whipped him fairly, but is or the opinion that a second trial would result differently.

"In London there is much interest in the big
middle-weight battle," said Madden. "Fitzsimmons seems to have the call in the betting, but Dempsey is well supported. Charley Mitchell has bet a whole lot of money on Jack, and he thinks as I do, that Fitzsimmons will be

"Will you look after McAuliffe in case he is ma ched with Carroll again?"
"I don't know yet what arrangements Jack will make. Let me predict right now, though, that Carroll will not last 20 rounds if they

Dave Holland invited McAuliffe and Mad-Dave Holland invited McAuliffe and Madden to accompany him to New Orleans as his guests, but they concluded that the journey just finished was enough for them for awhile. R. H. W. writes as follows regarding the Dempsey-Fitzsiumons fight: "Dempsey trains to 154 pounds strong—his fighting weight. If Fitzsimmons enters the ring at 154 pounds, he will have had to train down from 170 pounds. Will he be as strong and fit as Dempsey at that weight? The five-ounce gloves are in his favor. Dempsey would like skin tight or two-ounce gloves. Fitz has height and reach also in his favor. Can Dempsey equalize gloves, length and reach, both being strong and fit?"

HANLON IS MANAGER.

and All Is Harmony.

Another meeting of the local baseball magnates was held at the Hotel Anderson vester day afternoon. All the directors except Mr. Nimick were present. Manager Hanlon was

also on hand. The most important business transacted was the election of Ed Hanlon to manage the team

ARE SMITH WON.

The Homestead Man Defeats Ed Nikirk in Their 150-Yard Race.

Between 200 and 300 local sporting men were at Exposition Park yesterday afternoon to wit-ness the 150-yard foot race between Abe Smith, of Homestead, and Ed Nikirk, of this city. The race was for \$150 a side. The track was in a wretched condition, being almost all covered with ice. The betting was lively at even

with ice. The betting was lively at even money.

When the pistol went off Smith got well away, and Nikirk slipped on to his knees, and before he could recover Smith was a little more than three yards ahead. Nikirk settled down and decreased the lead, but he could not catch Smith, who won by about a yard and a half. No time was taken. George Smith was referee.

Abe Smith called at this office last evening, and stated that he will not run any more races, and that challenges to him will be useless.

A WESTERN INTER-STATE LEAGUE.

Good Prospects for the Better Reorgan tion of Some Good Clubs.

Sr. Louis, Jan. 10 .- A. H. Spink, of this city, at the request of several of the ball clubs, has called a meeting of the organization, to be held called a meeting of the organization, to be held in Burlington, Ia., Saturday, January 17. In response to his call, Mr. Spink has received favorable answers from Burlington, Quincy, Evansville, Terre Haute, Davenport, Cedar Rapids, Rockford, Freeport, Peoria, Dubuque, Juliet and other cities, all of which have promised to send delegates to the meeting.

Good reports have been received from these and other points, and it looks now as though the Inter-State League will be reorganized on a far more substantial footing than heretofor;

CHALLENGE TO GRANT.

A Very Definite Offer to the Pugilist of Beaver Falls. A local sporting man called at this office last evening and left the following interesting chal-

lenge: "An anknown of Pittsburg can be matched to fight Elmer Grant, of Beaver Falls, to a finto fight Elmer Grant, of Beaver Falls, to a finish with two-ounce or skin gloves, Quensberry rules to govern, for not less than \$500 a side. Business only is meant by this challenge, as Grant has already declared his willingness to fight any man in Western Pennsylvania. If Grant will name a date of meeting a representative of the unknown will meet him at THE DISPATCH office to sign articles. The unknown will fight at catch weight."

GOING LIKE HOT CAKES.

Many Seats Sold for the Coming Dempsey-Fitzsimmons Fight.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 10 - Already 700 tickets Fitzsimmons prize fight. Applications by telegraph for seats are continually coming in.

Arrangements for the accommodation of spectators have been finished, and the lighting ring and arena are the most complete ever erected in this country. Dempsey will arrive here from Galveston Monday, and Fitzsim-mons from Bay St. Louis Tuesday.

The Athletic Franchise.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 10 .- J. Earl Wagner has presented his claim for the local American Association franchise to Allen W. Thurman, Chairman of the Association Conference Com mittee. The latter arrived in this city late last evening and registered at the Lafayette Hotel. There Mr. Wagner and Frank Elliott, also a stockholder in the Philadelphia Players' club, found him. When seen by a reporter Mr. Thurman said: "I am here to listen, not to talk. I shall hear all that Mr. Wagner has to say this evening and to-morrow. I will give George Morrison Taylor, who represents the mmority stockheiders of the Athletic club, a hearing. Four applications for the Philadelphia Assoviation franchise have been received. I want to hear all of their claims and then I shall give the franchise to the one who, in my judgment, will be the best man for the American Association."

Shooting at Glenwood. There was some interesting shooting contests at Glenwood yesterday. Two sweepstakes and a match were shot off. The results were as

Sweepstake at five live pigeons—John Brown first with 5 straight; J. B. Horner second with 4; F. Figley third, 2 4; F. Firley third, 2 Sweepstake at five live pigeons—John Ward, 5; Markey, 4; Weise, 3; Bennett, 2 March at five blue rocks—Weise, 4; John Ward, John Brown and George Simpson each 3; Markey and Gaub each 2; Bower and Horner each 1; Figley, 0.

Big Offer, if True.

NEW YORK, Jan. 10,-It is stated on excel-lent authority that the Boston triumvirs-Soden, Conant and Billings, have offered Mr. Prince, through their lawyers, \$40,000 in cold Prince, through their lawyers, \$40,000 in cold cash to give up his club and grounds in Boston, and that Mr. Prince is now considering this offer rather favorably. It seems that Prince has been gradually buying up the stock in the Boston Players' League club until now he holds the controlling interest. If he accepts the Boston League club's offer it will effectually block the Association's chances for getting a franchise in Boston.

NEW YORK, Jan. 10 .- Albert L. Johnson, the Cleveland Brotherhood leader and President of the Unclinati club, came into town yesterday, and registered at the St. James Hotel. Johnand registered at the St. James Hotel. Johnson was asked to-night what he thought of the
yarn that the American Association intended
combining with the remnant of the Players'
League if the National League refused the Association clubs in Boston and (hicago. He
said: "I don't want to talk because people may
think I am bluffing, but I'll say this: I have
not been treated fairly by the League and I am
going to give them all the trouble I can."

John A. Logan, Jr.'s kennel of fox terriers, nine in number, passed through the city last

evening en route to New Orleans. They were in charge of H. F. Peck, and they will be shown at the principal Southern exhibitions. Among the terriers were the famous champion Blenton Volunteer; champion Richmond Crack and Brilliant. Mr. Peck also took the famous kennel of Irish setters, owned by W. L. Washington, of this city. Among the latter are champion Ruby Glenmore; champion Kildare and Winne II.

Local Interest in the Fight. Local interest in the Dempsey-Fitzsimr battle was exceedingly great yesterday. Bet-ting in the city was quite lively, and it will not be a surprise if Dempsey is a strong favorite here before Wednesday. There is \$25 at this office to back Dempsey at even money.

Weigand Makes Some Offers. The following challenge was left at this office last evening: "Hearing that Charles Brown offers to give me one yard start in a 100-yard offers to give me one yard start in a insylard race, I am willing to run him on these terms if he will put up a forfeit in The DISPATCH office, I will run him for \$50 of \$100 a side. I will also run him 50 yards on even terms, or I will run Joseph tworge, of Latrobe, 100 yards. "George Weigand."

Priddy Makes an Offer. Peter Priddy stated last evening that he i lling to join a sweepstake with Darrin and Myers, providing the race is one mile. He will put up \$1,000 to run in May next, as the weather can be relied on then, and that date will give all three men plenty of time to get into con-dition.

Toledo Means to Fight.
Toledo, O., Jan. 10.—That Toledo intends to remain in the American Association and not be euchred out of her franchise, is shown by the fact that Hon. Frank H. Hurd has been re-tained by President Ketcham to represent the club at the New York meeting next week.

Sporting Notes.

IF Jake Beckley is asked to sign for \$2,000 ther will be some fun. GEORGE MUNSON has signed to act as Secretary for Von der Ahe this year. B. BGER and Sir Guy Hecker were looking after their unpaid salaries yesterday. ENGLISH papers received last evening state that Harper won the Sheffield Christmas handicap. ABOUT the stpidest thing that local sprinters and their backers can do is to arrange races for thi

C. A. F.—(1) He is a New Zeclander. (2) No definite news about the result has reached this It is likely that Mr. W. A. Nimick will accompany President U'Nell to the Nationa

It is stated that Manager Watkins, of the St. Paul Club, has signed "Kid" Baldwin, the catcher, for next season. JIMMY GALVIN, the "Old Sport," has engage to sell cigars for the firm of W. Fullerton & Co. of this city. Jeems is a hustler.

Jim McCoy and Fred Wise met at this office last evening and definitely agreed to box ten rounds on Monday evening, the 26th inst., for \$100. FRANK TURNER will be one of the prominent young drivers on the trotting turf in 1891. His early training and education have fitted him for the business.

JIMMY FAULKNER, the wrestier, and others in-terested in the recent "fake" fight at Buffalo, have been arrested for "aiding and abetting in a prize fight." GEORGE MILLER, the local ball player, was making arrangements last evening to leave for New Orleans early this morning to winness the Dempsey-Fitzsimmons battle.

LET the public get ready for baseball statements and denials. It was stated yesterday that Burks has been signed by the new club. The President of the new club emphatically denies this.

A TEN-ROUND glove contest took place at Mc-Kee's Rocks last evening between J. Rogers, o Lawreneville, and an anknown of McKee's Rocks for a purse of \$50. The unknown won after a good battle.

C. J. HANLIN. In reply to a suggestion that Nancy Hanks hooked with Belle Hamilin should trot a mile much faster than 2:12, says that Nancy Hanks is a wonderful trotter, but he doubts if there would be any advantage gained by so doing. PRINCETON COLLEGE will probably place the same nine, with one exception. In the field nex season that faced Yale last June. McMillan, 'Bl. who played right field last summer, is the only member of the team who has not returned to college.

AFFR considerable trouble a match has been arranged between Tommy Kelly, the "Harlen Spider," and Frank Donovan to box ten rounds with five-ounce gloves for a nurse of \$500, on January 16, at the Knickerbocker Athletic Club, of Hoboken. WALTER BURNHAM is in town. He has not been treated very well by the Piftsburg Club, which made two distinct offers to him to manage the team, and then engaged Ned Haulon. Burnhum is one of the best managers in the country, and would be a valuable man for a League or Association club.—New York Herald.

A NUMBER of well-known professionals, who are now in the city, including Bug Holliday. Billy Jovee, Jim Davis, Pat Tebeau, Al Tebeau, Jack O'Connor, Jack Brennan, Harry Doorns, Frank Pears and Jim Hall, will give a misquerade bill Saturday evening, January 10, at the Natatorium Hall. They will give several elegant prizes for best costumer; also an elegant souvenir to each lady attending.—St. Louis Republic.

To show how little work a trotter that has his speed wants when the object to be accomplished is merely one fast mile, it may be said that previous to his mile in 2:16 as a 4-vear-old at Lexington. Edgemark was driven but three miles in 2:30 or better, and that after a large season in the stud. Before he left Boston, Edgemark went a mile and repeat in 2:30, 2:27, and after reaching Lexington trotted a mile in 2:19%, sharing two days later to best that mark, which he did very handsomely by doing the distance in 2:16.

doing the distance in 2:16.

SALVATOR is evidently enjoying his new quarters at Rauche Dei Paso and has aiready gained 60 or 70 pounds in weight since his arrival; last week he turned the scale at an even f.000. Mr. Mackey says that the first mare bred to him will probably be Miss Woodford. She slipped two foals about nine weeks ago by Sir Modred, with the double infusion of Glence blood backed up the fashionable Voltigeur strain and a grand racing pedigree on both sides, the result of this union should be a race horse sure, whether he takes after sire of dam.—Breeder and Sportsman. takes after sire or dam, —Breeder and Sportsman.

The offer of "Bob" Fitzsimmons, the Australian, who is matched to fight Jack Dempsey, to run any man in America a distance of 10 miles for \$1,000 is more than likely to result in a match at his own terms. Johnny Keating, the exfeather-weight champion of Jersey City, will back Jimmy Larkins for \$1,000 against him, and will make it double the amount if Fitzsimmons is desirous. Larkins, it will be remembered, used to represent the Scottish-American Athletic Club in nearly every foot race of any importance, and has won a large number of prizes for his performances on the cinder path.

THE NEW JAPANESE MINISTER.

He and His Suite in Chicago En Route to the National Capital.

CHICAGO, Jan. 10.-Gozo Tateno, the new Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipo-tentiary from the Empire of Japan, accompanied by his family and Secretary, Kakayams The party will leave to-morrow evening for Washington. Mr. Tateno's name is familiar to Americans, from the activity he displayed in entertaining ex-President Grant during the latter's visit to Japan. The new Minister was appointed in November last.

LEGAL DIFFICULTIES ONLY.

No Other Causes Existed for the Dissolu tion of the Big Trust. CHICAGO, Jan. 10 .- Director Lewis Miller, of the late American Harvester Association, de-clares that there is no truth in the assertion that its disbandonment was the result of dis-sension or withdrawals. sension or withdrawais.

He says there was perfect harmony in the company throughout: that no company withdrew, and that the only cause for dissolving the company was the legal complication which rendered its existence infeasible.

THE WITCH OF PRAGUE.

To Commercial Travelers Freight Shippers and the Traveling Public

On and after Tuesday. January 20, 1891, ticket agents at the larger cities and at principal points on the Pennsylvania Lines West of Pittsburg, will sell One Thousand Mile Tickets, good for one year from date of purchase, at 2 cents per mile or for \$20 each.

These tickets will be hon ored on all passenger trains of all divisions of the entire

of all divisions of the entire Pennsylvania System West of Pittsburg, including the Vandalia Line, the Cin-cinnati and Muskingum Valley, the Cleveland, Akron and Columbus Rail-The above is the only kind of mileage ticket which will be sold hereafter by the Pennsylvania Lines,

E. A. FORD, Gen'l Passenger Agent. J. G. Bennett & Co., Leading Hatters and Furriers, Corner Wood street

ploye of Carnegie, Phipps & Co., was instantly killed this afternoon by being caught in the belting. His kinsfelk are all in Wales. HE STOLE A MARCH. Congressman Scranton Gets Ahead of

AN ADOPTED OHIO CHILD ABDUCTED

SPECIAL TELEGRAN TO THE DISPATCE.

the location of the Internal Revenue Offices

has been the subject of much contention

between Congressman Osborne, of this city,

The matter took an abrupt turn last night,

when all books, stamps, etc., were removed

in this city, and will certainly lead to a bitter controversy between the two Congressmen.

WEST WILL HANG IN FEBRUARY.

Preparations Already Being Made for the

Execution.

PETECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCEL!

PROMOTERS WILL TRY AGAIN.

English Syndicates Still Auxious for the Ma

honing Mills.

SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCE.

Godfrey, the promoters of the scheme to sell the iron mills of the Mahoning Valley to an

English syndicate, which received a set-back, it was claimed, by reason of the result of the

elections in November, are again in the city in the interest of the scheme. Mr. Parker has a letter from an English cor-

respondent, saying that if the properties are as

respondent, saying that it the properties are as represented and otherwise desirable, the syndicate stands ready to purchase them at the figures named. In pursuance of this, Mr. Parker is now soliciting options, to expire April 30, and has met with good success. Mr. Parker is a son of the gentleman for whom Parker's Landing, Pa., was named, and has had considerable experience in promoting purchases for English syndicates.

A MARK FOR CRIMINALS

The Latest of a Number of Raids Upon

Lebanon Railroad Depot.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.]

LEBANON, Jan 10.—The temporary depot of the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad at Annville was entered by robbers last night

with drawn revolvers. They covered both the telegraph operators, and demanded that they

hand over the money in the safe. One of the operators succeeded in gaining the door, and was fired after by the robbers without being hurt. The noise led to the robbers' hasty retreat. They secured only \$8.

This depot has been the subject of a dozen attacks by robbers and incendiaries within the last few years. Several weeks ago the depot proper was burned by incendiaries.

AN ADOPTED CHILD ABDUCTED.

A Man and a Woman Take Her From

School House.

*SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCE. Youngstown, Jan. 10.—Miss Lula Hawkins,

14 years old, was adopted three years ago from

Mrs, Hawkins, well-to-do farmers living at Ber-

While the child was at a country school

While the child was at a country school-house yesterday, near home, she was abducted by a man and woman. The alarm was given, but no information regarding the couple or the child has been obtained. Officers believe that the father of the child, who deserted her when she was placed in the home, is the abductor. At one time he lived in Cleveland, but his present residence is unknown.

A SENSATION AT ERIE.

The Defense in a False Arrest Case Make

Some Startling Statements.

INPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.

day. The defense was that Cooper had nothing to do with her arrest, but that it was done by Benson, of the United State secret detective service, who is now in the madhouse.

This afternoon the defense set out to justify the arrest of Mrs. Dunn on the ground of forgery, and called two witnesses who swore that she had told them that she had forged Ezra Cooper's name to a note for \$12,000. It is thought Monday's session will be attended by some exceedingly sensational developments.

DRAGGING FOR A CORPSE.

McKeesport People Fear They Have Been

Drinking Tainted Water.

SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.

MCKEESPORT, Jan. 10.-People here have

the idea that they are drinking water from a

reservoir in which the dead body of a mon lies.

John Gummerson disappeared a few days

A PASTOR'S FAITHFUL FLOCK.

They Stick To Him Although He Has

Been Expelled by the Synod.

SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCR!

McKEESPORT, Jan. 10,-The pretty little Covenanter R. P. Church is closed, and will

emain so. The congregation is in sympathy

remain so. The congregation is in sympathy with the Rev. Mr. Sampson, the pastor who was expelled from the pulpit at the recent meeting of the symod.

The members have decided to lock up the building and attend services at other places of

A TICKET OFFICE ROBBERY.

Pursuit.

SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.

JUMPED FROM A MOVING TRAIN.

An Ohio Lad Killed While Performing

Foolhardy Act.

SPECIAL TELEGRAN TO THE DISPATCE. Youngstown, Jan. 10.—Charles Graves, aged

Went Over a Trestle

PRESTAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATOR .

Caught in the Belting.

PRECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATOR!

day. The defense was that Cooper had nothing

ERIE, Jan. 16.-The case of Mrs. Julia E.

lin, this county.

mount Children's Home, by Mr. and

Youngstown, Jan. 10.-Messrs. Parker and

from the office in this city and shipped on

and Scranton, of Scranton.

WILKESBARRE, Jan. 10 .- For some time

Tri-State Brevities THE Hill Farm mine has been sealed up for His Slow Colleague. MRS. POLLY MOYER fell dead in her pew at an Allentown funeral Friday. Heart failure. THE First Presbyterian Church of Hunting-

REVENUE OFFICERS ARE REMOVED.

ion is torn up by an effort to introduce the POSTMASTER SAMUEL RATLIFF, of Cass-ville, W. Va., shot and killed W. J. Frazer Fri-day night during a quarrel. Preparations for William West's Execution in Progress.

MORRISON FOSTER, of Allegheny, has secured a valid title to valuable property in Youngstown after a litigation of 25 years. REV. JOHN A. PETERS, of Danville, Pa., has accepted the Presidency of the collegiate de-partment of the Heidelberg University at Trifin, O.

TROUBLE between the rival factions of the Lancaster Seventh-Day Adventist Church has broken out anew and will again be dragged into the courts.

THE farmers of Westmoreland county will THE larmers of westmoreand county win hold an institute at Mt. Pleasant, January 13. Westmoreland and Fayette farmers will meet jointly at Connellsville, January 16 and 17. SEVERAL notorious gambling houses have been running in tull blast in Altoona lately. the first train to Scranton, before the friends of Osborne, who is in Washington, were out of bed. The affair has caused great excitement The owner of the Schenck block has been prosecuted for knowingly renting property for gambling purposes by J. C. Cassidy, who alleges that an employe lost \$800 intrusted to him in the dive.

LATE NEWS IN BRIEF.

-Central Illinois has a water famine. -Queen Victoria contributed £200 to the Irish relief fund.

WASHINGTON, PA., Jan. 10.-William West, -The Illinois snowstorm, just ended, was the the largest for years. the condemned purderer, will be executed Thursday, February 26. No official notice has -Several Colorado mines have been sold to an English syndicate. yet been received by the Sheriff, West will doubtless be made aware of the affair this -Five Russian smuggiers broke through the ice on the Prussian frontier and were drowned. evening, and all who know him well say that it will not affect him in the least. The County Commissioners will meet on Monday, when it will be decided whether or no a death-watch will be appointed. The reading of the death warrant is not looked for until Monday.

Garpenter Bumgartner, who erected the scaffold on which Clark and Taylor, the Greene county murderers, were successfully executed at Waynesburg, recently, has made application to the Sheriff for the creation of the scaffold to be used for the hanging of West, and his request will probably be granted. It has not yet been decided whether theexecution will or will not take place within the walls of the jail or in the jail yard. evening, and all who know him well say that it —The Sugar Trust receivership has been annulled at New York and a reorganization will take place.

The report from Arkansas that Colonel Robert Crockett was dead is premature. The Colonel is improving.

Turkey has refused Russia's request for the extradition of Prince Nakashidze, who is accused of Nihilist intrigues.

The English generally approve of Secretary Baine's proposition that a joint committee visit Alaska and investigate affairs.

—A Spokane Falis posse is waging war against a band of horse thieves. In one skirm-ish the Sheris and one robber was wounded. -Five safe blowers were caught while working at a Chicago safe containing valuable diamonds Friday. One made a break for liberty

and escaped. The two Alaskan explorers sent out by Mrs. Frank Leslie, Wells and Price, probably perished, as diligent inquiry among natives give no clew to them.

—A motion to abandon the Lake Front as part of the Worfel's Fair site was considered by the local girectors. A vote on the motion was postponed till Tuesday.

—Portugal and the United States will be invited by Spain to be represented on the committee having in charge the proposed Columbus Quarto-Centennial Celebration. —Postmaster Seabold, of Williams' Bridge, N. Y., was attacked in his office by six Italians, whose motive is supposed to have been robbery. The postmaster gave the gang a lively fight and succeeded in driving them off.

TAKEN CARE OF BY THE POLICE.

DANIEL COPPERMAN will have a hearing be fore Magistrate Foley, of Woods' Run, on Tuesday, charged with severely beating Will-iam J. Cartwright. WILLIAM ROBINSON was held for court yes-

terday by magistrate Leslie, for assaulting and beating his stepson. The wife of the de-fendant made the information. MRS. ANNIE SCHRIEDER was held for a further hearing yesterday by Alderman Hart-man, having been charged by Mary Burton with using profune language. FRANK HARTZEK, of No. 44 Clark street, was

committed to jail by Alderman Richards, in default of bail for a trial, on a charge of as-sault and battery, preferred by James Green. JOSEPH ROSENBURGER was before Magistrate Succep yesterday, charged with running a speak-easy on Pius street. Decision withheld until to-morrow, pending further investigation. J. M. GORDON and William Saunders, were committed to jail by Magistrate Hyndman, last night, for trial on a charge of larceay preferred by Inspector Whitehouse. They stole several overcoats from W. B. Hughes' lumber yard. ANDREW ANDREAS was fined \$1 and costs

Southside, charged the accused with having attempted to put himself and wife out of their J GEORGE SMITH and Anna Smith his wife were before Magistrate Succop charged with disorderly conduct at the ball of the Iron City Athletic Club, held at the West End Rink, Fri-day night, and which was stopped by the police. Smith was fined \$5 and costs and his wife dis-

Akela Libatch, who lives at 1111 May street,

PEOPLE WHO COME AND GO.

-Business Manager Wemyss Henderson of the Duquesne Theatre, will leave for the East to-night, to join the Bluebeard Company, of which he is the proprietor. -S. Ammon and wife, of London, and Dunn versus Ezra Cooper, the Union City mil-lionaire, for \$100,000, for false arrest and im-prisonment, took a highly sensational turn to-A. W. Loeffler, of Massillon, are stopping at the Seventh Avenue Hotel.

-E. Neuman, a business man of Liege, Beigium, registered at the Monongahela House yesterday. -H. E. Waddell, of Wheeling, and

William Baunister, of New Bedford, are at the -F. H. Sienfried and J. Norman Martin. of New Castle, are at the Duquesne. -George Westinghouse, Jr., left for New York last evening in his special car

-H. E. Haley, of Warren, is registered

SMALL SCRAPS OF LOCAL NEWS.

W. D. MATHEWS, of Thomas A. Armstrong Council No. 291, O. U. A. M., was last night elected Marshal of the Senior division of Amer-ican Mechanics for Washington's Birthday ago, and when last seen he was sitting on the edge of the reservoir. An order has been issued to have the place dragged for the body. The man was of Swedish descent and was very well off.

An alarm from box 62, in Allegheny, at 11 o'clock last night was caused by a slight fire in a rag shed on Braddock street. Little damage. JOHN W. MORELAND will conduct the temperance exercises at the M. E. Church on Re-becca street, Allegheny, to-night, ALLEGHENY'S Committee of Fifty was not organized yesterday, as the list is not com-pleted.

CONTROLLER BROWN, of Allegheny, paid out \$47,000 to the city employes yesterday OWEN McCALLY is charged with assaulting nd robbing Samuel Colwell.

SHE WANTED HER HUSBAND When He Refused to Return Home, She

Threw a Teakettle at Him.

Mrs. Mary Cregar, a resident of Sidney street, Southside, was arrested last night and locked up in the Fourteenth ward

police station on a charge of disorderly con-The Thieves Escape, but Officers Are in Hot duct. According to the story told to the police it appears that Mrs. Cregar's husband had deserted her some time ago, and went to board at Mrs. Bridget Hannigan's house on GREENVILLE, Jan. 10.-The Nypono ticket Murphy street. Hearing that her husband was at Mrs. Hannigan's she went there to the agent was at breakfast, and a large sum of try and get him to go back home.

Cregar refused to go, and Mrs. Cregar, it is alleged, picked up alteakettle on the stove near by and threw it at him. She failed to hit her husband and the teakettle went money was taken.

The thief was detected on going out, and was pursued, but up to latest account has not been captured. The pursuit is still going on.

Cregan in charge. A CHURCH QUARREL IN COURT.

through a door into a room where a number of other boarders were. They were consider-

ably frightened by the occurrence and con-cluded to call the police, who took Mrs.

15 years, while riding on a Lake Shore train, attempted to jump off near Latimer, last night, striking on his head and shoulders and crushing his life out.

The remains were taken to his home at Vernon, Trumbull countp. A Chicago Judge Enjoins a Presbytery From Controlling a Church. CHICAGO, Jan. 10 .- The trouble in the Presbyterian Church at Englewood has Presbyterian Church at Englewood has broken out anew, and this morning Judge Sheppard issued an injunction against the Presbytery of Chicago, restraining it from installing a pastor in the church, and also restraining Rev. John De Witt, its appointee, from occupying the pulpit.

The complainants are members of the society of the church, and claim that the Presbytery has no jurisdiction or control over the church, it being a wholly independent body. CHABLESTON, Jan. 10 .- A train of 11 coal cars and a passenger coach went over a trestle on the Cabin Creek Railroad to-day. Conduc-tor Irvine and several passengers were hurt, but by almost a miracle no one was killed. HOMESTEAD, Jan. 10.—Charles Davis, an em. pendent body.

panied by temperatures ranging from zero in some places to 10° below in others, with fair weather. There was a decided rise in temperature in the Ohio Valley the Lake region.

FOR WESTERN PENNSYLVA-

NIA, WEST VIRGINIA AND

OHIO: THREATENING WEATH-

ER AND RAIN OR SNOW, WINDS

PITTSBURG, Jan. 10.

SHIFTING TO NORTHEASTERLY, STA-

TIONARY TEMPERATURE, EXCEPT IN

SOUTHWESTERN PENNSYLVANIA, COLD-

The United States Signal Service officer in this city furnishes the following:

SPECIAL WEATHER BULLETIN.

Light Snow and Rain Falls in Some of the

Western States.

(PREPARED FOR THE DISPATCH.)

The storm central in the Gulf on Friday re

"Trace.

PRECIAL TREEGRAMS TO THE DISPATCH. ALECHENY JUNCTION—River & feet and stationary. Weather cloudy and raining.

CAIRO—River J. 2 feet and rising. Weather cloudy and cook.

LOUISVILLE—River falling fast; 15 feet in canal; 12 feet 8 inches on falls, and 29 feet at foot of locks. Business good. Weather still sultry and cloudy, threatening rain.

MEMPHIS—River rose 6 inches. Weather damp and disagreeable.

CINCINATI—River 20 feet 3 inches and falling. CINCINNATI-River 20 feet 3 inches and falling. Rain and cold.
VICKSBURG-River rising. Light rains. All steamers delayed by fog.

A NEW STEAMBOAT LINE. Regular Vessels to Ply Between Chattanooga

and St. Louis.

CHATTANOGGA, Jan. 10.—Arrangements have been made for a regular service of steamers between Chattanouga and St. Louis, a result of the opening of the mussel shoals. The first steamer, the property of the Tennessee River Transportation Company, leaves Chattanooga qu the 20th of the present month for Riverton, Ala., below the mussel shoals, where transfer is made with the St. Louis and Tennessee Packet line. Steamers will ply regularly between the two cities.

THE MISSING THANEMORE.

for Lost.

t Turns Up in Port After Being Given Up

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—The British steamship Thanemore, of the Johnston Line, which sailed from Baltimore on November 26 for London, with a cargo of cattle, has been towed into Bahia, Brazil, by the British steamship Almained nearly stationary in that region yesterday. Light rains continued in the States touching the Gulf and also on the South Atlantic coast. Light snows fell in Illinois and in the lower Lake region. Elsewhere the The Thanemore was bulletined at the Mariweather was fair. Another low barometer area time Exchange as missing when she had been out 40 days. She was doubtless disabled in the cyclone that swept the North Atlantic on De-cember 1. appeared north of Minnesota. Over the eastern slope of the Rocky Mountain region there was



"A RACE WITH DEATH!"

Among the nameless heroes, none are more worthy of martyrdom than he who rode down the valley of the Conemaugh, warning the people ahead of the Johnstown flood. Mounted on a powerful horse, faster and faster went the "Golden Medical Discovery" rider, but the flood was swiftly works equally well all the year gaining, until it caught the un-lucky horseman and swept on, It's

ing near, like unto the sword of It's a concentrated vegetable ex-Damocles, ready to fall, without tract, and the cheapest blood-puwarning, on its victim, who allows rifier and liver invigorator sold, his system to become clogged up, and his blood poisoned, and theremany doses are offered for a dollar, by his health endangered. To eradicate all poisons from the you get.

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TWO STARTLING CASES

Mrs. Mangold, of Butler, and Mr. Mahan, of Sharpsburg, Escape an Inevitable Doom.

THEIR TESTIMONY.

Probably one of the most thriving towns of its size in Pennsylvania is Butler, the county sent of Butler county, a pleasant place of about 7,500 inhabitants.

Mr. Mangold, an industrious and well-to-do merchant, is well known and respected by all Butlerites. His wife, Mrs. Anna Mangold, is a charming lady, and has many friends. Recently the writer had the pleasure of an interview with Mrs. Mangold, during which she recited a brief history of a perrion of her life, interesting to a degree, and the conclusion of which seemed truly wonderful.

"Some time ago," says Mrs. Mangold, "I contracted a cold; nothing alarming about that, but ere I recovered from its effects I caught another and then another, until I had a cold all the time. My head and nose would be stopped up so I could hardly breathe. There was a constant rumbling and buzzing in my ears, which later on affected my hearing. Soon a severe cough set in. I would raise great quantities of offensive matter.



"As my trouble grew worse sharp pains would take me in the breast and region of the heart, shooting through under the shoulder blades. Night sweats came on and weakened me fearfully. My appetite continued good, but everything I ate seemed to disagree with me. I suffered almost constantly with spells of terrible neuralgic pain in my stomach, which would invariably be followed by disarrhoga and a sensation of nansea and faintness. My sleep was restless and broken by had dreams and nightmare, and did me no good. I would arise in the morning feeling more tired than the night before.

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"I tried many things to get relief, but all in "I tried many things to get relief, but all in vain. My whole system was undermined by the disease. I finally grew so weak I was unable to walk. In short, I was as near dead as it was possible to be and still live. I was in this condition when my attention was attracted to Drs. Copeland and Biair. I decided to call on them. I did so, and finding their charges so yerv reasonable began their treatment.

"What was the result? Very surprising to me, I assure you. I began to improve almost at once. My symptoms gradually left me, until to-day I am like a different person entirely. I feel better than I have in five years. I gained 31 pounds in two months under their splendid care. It is certain, without a doubt, they saved my life, and I cannot find words to express my gratifulde." gratitude."

Mrs. Mangold lives, as stated, in Butler, Pa,
where this statement can be readily verified in
person or by letter.

SNATCHED FROM THE GRAVE.

The Terrible Situation From Which Mr. Timothy Mahan Was Rescued by Dra-Copeland and Blair.

Copeland and Biair.

Mr. Timothy Mahan, Eighteenth street, Sharpsburg, who is employed in —— Bros', glass works, says:

"For the past four years I was badly affected with catarrh, so badly that I thought it would finally bring me to my grave. I had almost half a dozen different doctors, but they couldn's find out what was wrong with me. My head and nose was stopped up. Sharp pains over eyes and through my tempies. My throat constantly filling with mucus. Night sweats and palpitation of the heart. My appetite was poor and I could not rest nights. I began treatment with Drs. Copeland and Blair. I am a well man to-day, all my symptoms are gone. I gladly recommend these eminent specialists, for they saved me."

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Following are given a few of Pittaburg's prominent citizens who have treated with Drs. Copeland and Blair and freely add their recom-mendations: iendations: Mr. J. S. Moore, 121 and 123 Fifth avenue. Mr. Miller, 121 and 123 Fifth avenue. Mr. Samuel Crawford, with Hugus & Hacks, irygoods house.

Air. R. M. Anderson, of the Sheriff's office.

Mr. John G. Frazier, 5710 Kirkwood street.

HOME TREATMENT.

Additional Evidence by Matl. Mr. W. T. Henshaw, of Prospect, Pa., says:
"For years I suffered from caturrh without
being able to find relief. Drs. Copeland and
Blair cured me, treating me by mail."
Mr. Henry Rose, of Eckhart's Mines, Md.,
says: "I suffered constantly from chrome
catarrh; could get no relief. Drs. Copeland and
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