Our Big Sluggers Are Again in the Soup, the Giants Winning This Time.

IT IS THEIR ORDINARY SET BACK.

The Runners at Jerome Park Make Great Sport and So Do the Trotters at Buffalo.

PICKETT WINS THE LOCAL BOAT RACE

Some Good Betting on the Result-General Sporting News of the Day

VESTERDAY'S LEAGUE GAMES.

New York	. 8	Pittsburg
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SPECIAL TRLEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH, I NEW YORK, Aug. 6.-The Pittsburg's felt confident of winning providing they could hit that man Rusie. During the time previous to beginning the game they held mysterious conferences. They gathered in groups of two

and three and gave each other valuable hints on the best method of making hits while Rusie was in the box, and so cheerful and encouraged were they that smiles ornamented each face from McGunnigle to Miller. While the New Yorks were practicing McGunnigle gathered his young men about him, and informed them that there was no use of being afraid of swift pitching. "Stand

up and hit at it freely and boldly," said Inc, whereupon he expanded his chest and looked very, very fierce. Ex-Manager Hanlon stood on the outskirts of the mass eeting, with a cold, chilly smile on his Detroit countenance. After shaking hands all around and assuring each other that Rusie would shortly be the chief mourner at a surprise party, the Pittsburgs waited for Umptre Lynch to give the word. Mean while Rusic, all unconscious of the plot to wreck his reputation as a pitcher, was smilug in that child-like way of his and pitch-

A FEW SWIFT ONES

to Burrill, and the latter was hopping and like a chicken on a hot stove. When the contest got under way, the Pittsburgs ried to apply their recipes, but somehow hey falled to work. Beckley roared from the coaching line at first base, Miller howled from third base line and McGunnigle from third base line and McGunnige shouted from the bench. The burden of their vocal dynamite was "line her out." But the tall, strong-limbed young man from Indiana smiled softly and threw the ball so fast the human eye could not follow it. Therefore, it was simply a question of the New Yorks hitting Baldwin sufficiently hard yorks litting Baldwin sufficiently hard vin, and they did it. Buck Ewing may en glass arm, but he is not troubled with isseye and again was the absolute neces-of his presence in the team demon-ted. Although the crystalline condition his right arm permitted the visitors of the score in the eighth, yet his batting led the New Yorks to win in the tenth. ratcled the New Yorks to win in the tenth. His two-base hit in the tenth was a shining example of scientific hitting, and the influexample of scientific litting, and the influence he exerts in stendying the players cannot be estimated too highly. Richardson's work at short was magnificent, as was also Shugart's. In that young player Pittsburg appears to have secured a jewel. There was some very ranged work and also some exceptionally brilliant play by both teams. In the matter of runs through errors, each team was favored, and the game as a whole was one that kept the 1,613 spectators in a wideawake condition.

MAUL MADE A MUFF. Maul's muff of Connor's line hit, on which the runner got to second, and Buckley's single gave New York a run in the second which evened up for the one Pittsburg got on Shugart and Beckley's base on balls, and a bad throw to center field by Buckley. In he third the Pittsburgs got to the front with two runs, which were scored on a base on balls, Shugart's smash to right for three asses and a wild pitch. O'Rourke started the fourth inning gallantly. He drove the ladl to the left field bank, and while Maul was poking around in the grass after the spliers he made the circuit. There was nebody to follow O'Bourke's good example. In the fifth the Pittsburgs bunched their errors, and while Mark Baldwin's ruddy face lairly flamed, the New Yorks rolled up three runs and took the lead. Miller started the fin by jumbling Buckley's grounder and then making a high throw to first, the runner taking second. Rusic sent a fly to brankon, at this point Baldwin became somewhat dustered and gave Gore and Tierman bases on balls. Then Richardson's swift grounder got past Shugart, Backley and Gore scoring. The man reached third, from whence he scared on O'Bourke's sacrific. Counce ended the inning with an out at first. The New Yorks held the lead until the eighth, when hank's porcelain arm got him into trouble, herefiely had struck out, and Miller got a conking three-baser to left. Mack hit to having, who had an easy out at the plate, but a low throw spolled it all, the runner scoring. the fourth inning gallantly. He drove the

A PRETTY DOUBLE PLAY

by Rusie, Richardson and Connor put the le out. It was nothing by either side in the ninth, but in the tenth the New Yorks reached first on balls, and by gilt-edge base punning got all around to third on O Rourke's are not "bluffing," they have put up \$25 for feit at this office. ming got all around to third on O'Rourke's at at first. Connor was also sent to first on out at arst. Connor was also sent to hist on balls, and then Ewing came up for a try at poal. The infielders had come in close for a play at plate. Reaching with his long bat, I wing tapped a wide curve on the tip of its Bonan nose and sent the ball whistling down the right foul line like a flash. Before it was fielded in Richardson had scored, Connor was at third and Ewing at second, lassed; was equal to the occasion, and with essett was equal to the occasion, and with clean single to left, landed Connor and at the plate. Buckley and Rusie reon flies, but the game was won, and by retty an exhibition of scientific hitting one could desire to see. The Pittsburgs de some trouble in the tenth. Hanion and with a single and stole second. Simore and with a single and stole second. Singart and Reckley struck out, Miller sent Hanlon home with a single. Mack died at liest and game was ended. Score:

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New York, 4; Pittsburg, 1. Left on bases—
rik, 7; Pittsburg, 5. Time of game—Two
id 18 minutes. Unspire—Lynch.

BUNCHED THEIR HITS.

The Bridegrooms Beat the Cleveland Team

by Some Lucky Hitting. Your, Aug. 6.-The Bridegrooms nanched their hits in two innings to-day banched their hits in two innings to-day foot race on September 5 for \$100 a side and that won the game from Cleveland. Each party put up a forfeit. The ground is to be sujected. Terry pitches a good game in spite of poor | to be so

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SUMMARY - Earned runs - Brooklyn, 5. Two-sase hit-O'Brien. Three-base hit-Foutz, Stolen bases - Griffin, Zhumer. First base on balls - Off Berry, 5: off Gruber, 2. Struck out-By Torry, 5: of Gruber, 2. First base on errors - Brooklyn, 2: Aevenand, 3. Left on bases - Brooklyn, 5: Cleye-and, 5. Time of game—One hour and 30 minutes. Empires - Powers and Battin.

BEAT THE REDS.

The Phillies Try to Make a Show of the

Cincinnati Team. PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 6,-The Phillies defeated Cincinnati rather easily this afternoon. The pitchers were about equally effective, but Rhines' wildness proved very costly. A sensational catch of a foul fly by Clements was the fielding feature. Attendanne, 2,897. Score

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A GREAT CONTEST.

Anson's Young Men Win a Big Argument

Down at Boston. Aug. 6.- For 12 innings to-day both Nichols and Hutchison pitched mag-nificent ball, but in the last inning Nichols weakened. With one out, men on second and third and Anson at the bat he sent the "Old Man" to first base purposely and then forced in the winning run by hitting Carroll on the first ball pitched to him. The fielding was of the highest order. Attendance, 5,38

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The League Record. W. L. P.C. W. L. P.C. 52 35 538 Cleveland 42 46 477 46 23 582 Brooklyn 40 44 476 48 36 371 Cincinnati 36 52 400 42 45 484 Pittsburg 34 51 400

To-Day's League Schedule. Pittsburg at New York. Cleveland at Brooklyn. Chicago at Boston. Cincinnati at Phila.

Louisville. 2 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 4 Boston. 0 0 2 0 1 1 0 0 0 4 8 SUMMARY-Batteries Stratton and Cahill; Buf-finton and Murphy. Hits-Louisville, 12; Boston, 10. Errors-Louisville, 3; Boston, 10.

The Association Record W. L. P. C. 61 30 .470 Columbus ... 45 47 .489 60 34 .538 Cincinnal ... 42 49 .462 50 37 .575 Washington .29 57 .337 45 44 .506 Louisville ... 31 65 .223

To-Day's Association Schedule Wash'tn at Columbus. Athletics at St. Louis. Boston at Louisville. Baltimore at Ciccinnati

Wolff Is Released. PERCHAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH,

Louisville, Aug. 6 .- Jimmie Wolff, who has played right field for Louisville since its entrance in the American Association, was released to-day. Catcher Shellhase, of Evansville, was signed this afternoon by Manager Chapman. Before to-day's game, the players were loctured in the dressing room and warned that if they did not play better ball more releases would follow

New York and Pennsylvania League, At Bradford-radford At Bradford—
Bradford ... 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 1 - 2
Olean ... 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 - 1
SUMMAEY—Hits—Bradford, 7: Olean, 5. Errors—
Bradford, 6: Olean, 5. Batteries—Jones and Hess;
Fagan and Doyle. Umpire—O'Brien.

At Elmira-

A BOLD CHALLENGE.

The Beaver Grays Want to Play the Eclipse The manager of the Beaver Grays write to this paper to the effect that his team will play the Eclipse team, of East Liverpool, for

feit at this office.

They will play either the Eclipse or Jeannette teams for \$100 a side, and will allow the sporting editor of this paper to select the referee. The challenge is a bold one, but the Beavers mean it.

Will Play Our Boys

GREENSBURG, Aug. 6.—The challenge issued by the "Our Boys" Baseball Club of Pittsby the "Our Boys" Baseban Club of Pitts-burg, to the Quicksteps, of this place, has been accepted by Manager Curren. The two clubs wiil play here August 15 for \$50 a side and gate receipts. On Saturday next the Dan Goulds, of McKeesport, will play here and on August 11 the young ladies team of New York will cross bats with the home club. The Johnstowns will play here on Saturday, August 22.

Saturday, August 22. Will Arrange Contests.

ISPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.1 McKeesport, Aug. 6.-Manager Coursin of the Goulds Baseball Club, one of the best amateur clubs in Eastern Pennsylvania, is so well pleased with the showing of the club since he took charge that he will at once proceed to arrange a contest with the Jean-nette club for \$200 a side, or as much more as might be desired.

Stanbury a Good One.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 6,-Australian advices state that the march between Billy Murphy and Griffo, which was to have taken place at Sydney July 15, was postponed for a week, as John L. Sullivan was expected to arrive about July 22 and he would be invited to atabout July 22 and he would be invited to at-tend. Considerable preparation is being made for Sullivan's arrival in the colonies. Petrils of the Stanbury-McLean race on the Parametta river, July 6, for the sculling champlenship, show that Stanbury, who was the favorite at 2 to 6, was never headed and won by two lengths.

They Signed Articles. Ed Beck and Neal McCaffrey met at this office and signed articles to run a 103-yard WEARIED THE JUDGE

The Trotters at Buffalo Make Lots of Fun Wins a Race Out and Jerry L. Rather Surprises the Talent.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.] BUFFALO, Aug. 6.-Starting Judge Martin had a trying time this afternoon with a cranky lot, of trotters that delayed the starts so that the programme for the third day was not cleared up. The 2:25 class gave him the most trouble and wearied the big crowd, though they took matters good-naturedly. The 2:19 class, with three heats trotted yesterday, came up first. Leicester was far behind the flag when Alinegot to the wire in the third heat last evening and the distance judge reported him out. This was ignored, however, as the stallion carried lot of money, and had been sent away when he was tangled up. The two wrongs did not even matters and M. G. Thompson, who owns Sprague Golddust, with Jack Bowen and Dell Barker, the drivers of Jean Valjean and Diamond, made a verbal protes against Leicester starting again. The judges against Leicester starting again. The judges did not entertain the objection, and Leicester had another chance. He gave Sprague Golddust a lively chase for seven-eighths of the mile and then dropped back to third place as the Utica stallion finished in 2:19%, another drop in his record. This gave Leicester a better place than Diamond. So the fourth money is tied up to await decision on the point.

Leicester Aligont Wilkes Henrictta Time, 2:17, 2:18, 2:18\(\frac{1}{2}\), 2:16\(\frac{1}{2}\).

Time, 2:17, 2:18, 2:18%, 2:16%.

Ryland I led the betting in the 2:25 class, but got away so far behind in the first heat after the tedious scoring that he trotted over himself in the effort to get to the front, and was distanced. This made the way clearer for Nettie K.ng, who had landed the heat in 2:20% a new record for her, but she lost the next by a break and was finally besten by Jerry L, a stout gray gelding from Minnesota. Andrews was put in to drive J. T. after the second heat, but the trotter was evidently overrated, as he could not get a heat.

Time-2:304, 2:21, 2:224, 2:284, 2:284, 2:314. Time—2:304, 2:21, 2:224, 2:254, 2:254, 2:254, 2:254, The appearance of four fast pacers in the free-for-all attracted unusual interest but the issue was never in doubt. Hal Pointer has shown himself master of all barness racers at Cleveland and it was merely a question of how fast Yolo Maid could make him go. The first heat in 2:10½ was the limited, though the average time was very close to that of last week. The fastest quarter recorded was the third one of the first heat in 2: 200 could be seconds. second quicker from there to the wire. Free-for-all pace, purse \$5,000-

Time, 2:104, 2:115, 2:11. After Nightingale won a heat of the 2:23 class and reduced her record to 2:19%, she got unsteady and Honest George got home first in the next two heats. There might have been another before dark, but the race was adjourned till to-morrow. 2:23 class trotting, purse \$2,000, (unfinished)

Hartford Time, 2:1934, 2:2434, 2:2134.

A VERY LARGE CROWD.

The Cranks About Runners Have a Lively Time at Jerome Park.

New York, Aug. 6.-The largest crowd that has been at Jerome Park during the meeting was present there to-day. The weather was perfect, the track was in first-class shape and there was no opposition at Brighton. The card presented was a good one, and the 6.000 persons present saw some first-class racing. There were only six events on the card, but as one of them resulted in a dead heat there were seven con-

Fourth race, mile and a half-kacetand won, English Lady second, Time, 2:37%. Fifth race, six furlongs—Daisy Woodruff won, Soho second, Salisbury third, Time, 1:16%. Sixte race, ave furlongs—Alcade won, Krush second. Time, 1:03%. Following are the entries for to-morrow: Following are the entries for to-morrow:
First race, half mile, selling—Annie Queen, Marmont, 108; Exotic, 106; Absconder, 104; Grand Prix,
102; Juliette colt, 99; Breta colt, 98; Fanx Pas colt,
Allablaze, Quartermaster, 98; White Wings, Picialiliv, 98; Fagot, Bettir M fillv, 90; Araphoc, 84.
Second race, 1, 490 yards—Kingstock, 122; Keywest, Kirkover, Sir George, 105; Pagan, Sir Launcelot, Volunteer II, Beck, Houston, 102; Houri,
Wendawny, Orageuse, 100. Beck, 53.
Fourth race, three-fourths of a mile, handicap-Rhada coit, 116: Hamilton, 114: The Shark, Ansonia, 111: Slander, 106: Wah Jim, Alcalde, 106; Constantinople filly, 102: Wandotte coit, Kilkenny, 102: Barefoot, 100: Maggie Murphy, 92.
Fifth race, three-fourths of a mile, sciling—Helen Rose, 107: Pon Pon, 106; Lillian Westfarms, Lepanito, Peralia, 104: Trelliswood, 102: Prince Charming, 101: Gold Step, Cella, Gretchen, 95.
Sixth race, steeple classe, short course—Futurity, 170: Ecarte, 144: Bassanlo, 140: Westfield, 128: Fountain, Puritan, 125.
Weather clear,

Garfield Track Winners

CHICAGO, Aug. 6-Garfield Park results: First race, seven-eights of a mile—Caldwell won, Red Fox second, Bill Nye third. Time. 1:28%. Second race, one mile and seventy vards-Somer Arundel second, King Punster third set won. Arandel second, Aing Funsier land. Time, 1:15.

Third race, seven-eights of a mile—Sister Linda won, Brazos second, Sis O'Lee third. Time, 1:27.

Fourth race, one and one-eight miles—Bonnie Byrd won, Ranier second, Vanburen third. Time,

Fifth race, five-eights of a mile-Maggie Cline won, Tillie S. second, Decit third. Time, 172. Winners at Hawthorne. CHICAGO, Aug. 6 .- Hawthorne results CHICAGO, Aug. 6.—Hawthorne results:
First race, seven furlongs—Joe Carter first, Lela
May second, Insolence third. Time, 1:31%.
Second race, one mile—Helter Skelter won, Lizzie B second, Red Leo third, Time, 1:44.
Third race, one and one-eighth miles—El Ethel
won, Silver Lake second, Hydy third. Time, 1:35%.
Fourth race, six furlongs—Fanking won, Falerna second, Rouser third. Time, 1:16%.
Fifth race, six furlongs—Prince Henry won,
Blaze Duke second, Vancluse third. Time, 1:17.

PICKETT THE WINNER.

The Bellaire Youth Defeats Young Dec marsh in a Good Race.

One of the most interesting scullers' races that has taken place in the vicinity of Pittsburg for many years took place last evening, or rather vesterday afternoon, between Pearl Pickett, of Bellaire, and Albert Den marsh, of Mckee's Rocks. They are both youngsters, and they rowed for a handsome gold badge, and, of course, their guardians the parties was \$150 each, and in the po-

the result. The contestants rowed over the McKee's The contestants rowed over the McKee's Rocks course, a distance of 1½ miles and return. Pickett is a young man about 6 feet in height and quite a rawboned youth. Denmarsh is not so tall, but he is powerfully built. Fred Goodwyn was referee, and he sent the rowers on their journey to a good start. But Denmarsh was sooner to work than Pickett, and he soon had a length and a quarter the best of the race. At this stage the betting was even money, although \$10 to \$7 on Pickett had been the ruling price just before the start.

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start.

Pickett soon showed his superiority as a rower, and when three-quarters of a mile was rowed the race was really over. Pickett rowed a clean and, to a great extent, powerful stroke. Denmarsh was somewhat flurried, and showed lack of teaching. He rowed a good and plucky stern chase, and will certainly develop into a good sculler. Pickett is really a good man already, and can stay. The winner won by about five lengths in 22:45.

THE WHEELING TOURNEY.

nual Shoot of the Island Club. (SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.) WHERLING, Aug. 6.—The second annual shooting tournament of the Island Club opened to-day with about 25 out-of-town clay birds men in attendance, among them

being M. C. Sanford, of Townsend, O.: W. H.

Skinner, of Chicago; Johnson, of Canons-burg, Pa.; Courtney, of Syracuse, N. Y.;

Ryal, of East Liverpool, O.; Bibbe, of Elba, O.; A. H. King, of Pittsburg; McDowell, of Steubenville, O.; J. H. H. Vanscotten, of North Baltimore, O. Ten regular events, one extra and six snap stake shoots were on the programme, and resulted as follows:

Extra event—R. B. Burt, Wheeling, first; Dr. E. L. Myers and George Lemmon, Wheeling, second.

Dr. E. I., Myers and George Lemmon, wheeling, second.

First event, 10 birds—Skinner, Penn and McDowell, first clean score; Young and Townsend second, with 9; Burt, Myers and Lemmon third, with 8.

Second event, 15 birds—Johnson first, clean score; Skinner, Wright and Penn second, with 9; Burt, Young, Lemmon and Howard third, with 8.

Third event, 10 birds—Burt and Howard first, clean score; Skinner, Penn, Johnson and Townsend second, with 9.

All the other events were well contested.

A First-Class Time, GREENVILLE, Aug. 6.—It has been definitely decided that Greenville will have a first class fair this season. The fair grounds, consisting of 50 acres, are now being put in buildings being erected and a fine shape, buildings being erected and a fine-half-mile race track constructed. The purses will aggegate \$1,200, and races will be held during three days of the fair, which will be held on September 23, 24 and 25. The New York, Pennsylvania and Ohio and the Pitta-burg, Shenango and Lake Erie tracks will run along the side of the grounds. The premium list will be the largest of any fair in the county.

THE WEATHER.

For Western Pennsylvania: Continued Warm

Winds, Generally Southerly, Fair Weather. For Ohio and West Virginia: Fair, Except Local Showers Friday Night on the Lake Shore; Winds Generally Southerly, With Stightly Increasing Temperature.

Comparative Temperature PITTSBURG, Aug. 6.—The United States Weather Sureau officer in this city furnishes the following

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RIVER NEWS AND NOTES. A Heavy Fog Delays Steamers, but Busi-

ness Remains Very Good. [SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.] LOUISVILLE, Aug. 6.—Business good, weather clear. River at 7 o'clock to-night was 3 feet 6 inches on the falls, 5 feet 10 inches in the canal and 9 feet 8 inches below. A heavy fog this morning delayed the packets. The new steamer of Captain Ed Comeaux will probably be launched Saturday. Chief Engineer Jones, of the Lee Line, of Memphis. Chief Engineer Jones, of the Lee Line, of Memphis, is in Jeffersonville, looking after the company's new steamer, Cora Lee. Mr. Westerman, of Mexico, is quartered at Howard's shipyard to superintend the building of the steel boat and two steel barges which are being built for a Mexico company. The Hotspur, which has been doing harbor duty instead of the sunken Transit, has been returned to her owner by Cook & Hofman, and their own tug, the Wash Gray, brought on. Captain T. C. Henderson and others, of Chattauooga, Tenn., are negotiating for the charter of the fast stern wheel steamer Hiswatha. In the event of the charter the Hiswatha will be placed in the Tennessee river trade between Florence and Chattanooga. The Buckeye State passed up from Memphis. The John A. Wood is due in the morning with empties from Memphis, The John F. Walton and Sam Miller with empties got over the Caseyville bar and are due in the morning.

What the Upper Gauges Show. MORGAN Weather clear. Thermometer 76° at 5 P. M.

BROWNSVILLE—River 5 feet 4 inches and stationary. Weather clear. Thermometer 76° at 5 P. M.

ALLEGHENY JUNGTION—River 5 feet 5 inches and rising. Weather clear and warm.

The News From Below WHEELING-River 5 feet 9 inches and stationary.
Departed—Courier, Parkersburg, 2 P. M.; Hudson, Cincinnati, 3 P. M.; Scotta, Pittsburg, 5 P.M.;
Bedford, Pittsburg, noon, Weather clear,
MEMPHIS—Departed—City of New Orleans, St.
Louis, 3,30 P. M. River II.3 and rising. Weather burg.

CARO-Arrived-Sidney Dillon, St. Louis, noon.

Emma Etheridge, below; Jay Gould, St. Louis, 1

P. M. Departed-Sidney Dillon, St. Louis, 7 P. M.,

Jay Gould, St. Louis, 4 P. M.; City of Paducah,

Ohio, 6 P. M. River IS and rising. Weather
Clear and warm.

Gossip Along the Wharves. The river was stationary yesterday, the gauge a mithfield street showing 4 feet 9 inches.

TREBE was no boat for Cincinnati vesterday. THE B. D. Wood arrived yesterday from below THE Jim Wood is expected in to-day with THE Boaz passed Cairo yesterday coming up with load of empties. THE Scotia arrived last night, and will leave to THE James G. Blaine and the Adam Jacobs took fair trips up the river yesterday.

THE up river mines are not running full, but there is quite a large amount of coal ready to go out on the next rise. out on the next rise.

The second flat-load of cypress lumber belonging to the Louislana Cypress. Lumber Company, and in charge of J. J. Mead, is now being unloaded on the wharf. The two flats were brought up from New Orleans by Gray's. Iron Line, and contained 2,000,00 shingles, about 1,000,00 lath and 50,000 rect of two-inch planks, all cypress. About 3,000,000 cypress shingles were sent here by the Louislana Company last February, but these are the first lath of this kind ever received in Plitsburg. The most of this shipment is being taken by local dealers and contractors, but small lots are sent to surrounding towns in Pennsylvania and Ohio.

MOTHER GOOSE WAS QUEEN.

Ten Thousand People Enjoy Children's Night at the Fall of Pompeli. "Pompeii" was shown last night to at least 10,000 people. It was "Children's Night," and right well did the little ones enjoy th and right well did the little ones enjoy the opeasion. "The mouse that ran up the clock," "Jocko," the monkey, moving elephants and swans and a fountain of fire were shown, and it must be said that the entertainment was magnificent.

All the 32 private boxes were full. Tomorrow will be "Carnegie Night," when a portrait of Andrew Carnegie, in colored fire, will be shown. It is possible that children's night will be repeated before long.

A MAD DOG IN A STORE.

Locked in by Sheriff's Officers and Wants t Get Out. A small dog, yelping and plunging around frantically is a half-dismantled grocery store in which a Sheriff's sale had been in progress, attracted a crowd in front of 901 Carson street last evening about 7 o'clock. Many thought the dog was mad, and no Many thought the dog was mad, and no doubt he was, in one sense of the word, very mad, indeed, for he was locked in and wanted to get out, but as the store was in the hands of the Sheriff, no one could do anything to release the dog, which, when last seen, was still wildly dashing about among the tomato cans, codfish and brooms howling at the top of its voice, and worse seared than if it already felt the meshes of the dog catcher's net.

THE FIRE RECORD.

THE Park Rink building was burned early yesterday morning at Orange, N. J. Loss \$45,000; insurance \$25,000.

An incipient blaze on the roof of Hammond's mill, Second avenue, caused by an overheated smoke stack, aid damage last night to the extent of \$20. An alarm of fire was sent in from station 44 at 11:45. YESTERDAY morning about 3 o'clock the barn of Jacob Cramer, 4½ miles west of Findlay, was totally destroyed by fire. Loss \$3,000, with no insurance, The origin of the fire is unknown, but is supposed to have been incendiary, as tramps had been sleeping in the barn. ANSWER OF M'CAMANT.

Treasurer Wright Must Bring Suit for the Mercantile Tax

UNLESS THE CASE IS HOPELESS.

The Auditor General's Reply Referred to the City Solicitor.

KEYSTONE BANK EXAMINERS NAMED

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.] HARRISBURG, Aug. 6 .- Attorney General Hensel to-day sent a formal answer to Auditor General McCamant's queries regarding the delinquent taxpayers on the mercantile appraiser's list. The Auditor General then prepared and sent to City Treasurer Wright, of Philadelphia, the

following communication:

DEAR SIR—Referring to your favor of the 30th, desiring certain information as to the collection of delinquent taxes for the year, 1891, I write to say that the act of April 11, 1882, amending the license laws of the State, makes it the duty of every City and County makes it the duty of every City and County Treasurer to sue for the recovery of all licenses returned by the mercantile appraisers to the Treasurer that are not paid voluntarily. It also provides that the Treasurer cannot be discharged from the payment of the licenses returned to him as aforesaid unless suit is brought and pressed to judgment and execution. The Treasurer selects the magistrates before whom suits are instituted, and they should of right make to him their returns of collections and list of uncollectable licenses, and with costs, in the month of October. onth of October.

COSTS OF THE SUITS. In all cases where licenses are uncollected ble the costs of the suits are paid by the Commonwealth, as fixed by act of March 13, 1817. So tar as I am able to ascertain the act of April 11, 1862, has been followed in every county in the Commonwealth save Phila delphia, where from the year 1878 to the year 1888 suits for the collection of delinquent licenses were instituted by the City Recorder, under the terms of the act of April 18, and in Allegheny county, where a change was made in the year 1870, which reads as follows:

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"In all cases where, upon investigation the Treasurer shall be satisfied that certain mercantile licenses cannot be collected by mercantile licenses cannot be collected by law, he shall make out a list of such mercantile licenses, giving in detail names, residence and amount, and return the same to the Auditor General, under the oath of affirmation, stating that said licenses, in his judgment, cannot be collected by process of law, and it would be a waste of State funds to make costs thereupon. If the Auditor General is satisfied of the honesty and truth of said statement, he shall direct the Treasurer to be exonerated for said delin-Treasurer to be exonerated for said deli-

THE ONLY CHANGES. These two changes are the only ones that search of the pamphlet laws enable me to find, and after the repeal in 1888 of the act of April 18, 1878, the act of April 11 was restored and again followed in Philadelphia.

In view of the representations you make, and the better to enable me to answer the and the better to enable me to answer the questions you ask, I have had a conference with the Attorney General and sought his advice on your first, second and fourth interrogations, as they involve matters in law, and I now answer you as follows:

First, it is your duty to place in the hands of magistrates for collection on August 16 all delinquent licenses where your investigation satisfies you the Commonwealth can recover, or where there is a reasonable doubt or chance for the Commonwealth to recover, or where claims involve disputed questions, which it is the interest of the Commonwealth to have speedily adjudicated.

AN EXTENSION OF TIME. Other claims you can withhold from sui intil further inquiry and investigation are made, and for the purpose I extend the term for instituting suit on such claims t the 15th day of September next, with a four. the 15th day of September next, with a promise of a further extension of time of the same if deemed necessary. Where you are satisfied beyond a doubt that there can be no recovery on a judgment obtained on a claim for licenses and you can furnish me satisfactory proof to that effect, no suit need be instituted. The proof should be your affidavit, or the affidavit of some competent person acting in your behalf, or in behalf of your counsel, whom we appoint I appoint J. Quincey Hunsicker, who acted under my appointment as Examiner of I appoint J. Quincey Hunsicker, woo acted under my appointment as Examiner of Savings Banks, and who acted also as agent of the State Treasurer and myself in the adjustment of the accounts of the late Treasurer John Bardsley, to represent the Commonwealth, and to be her counse! in considering everything and determining upon evidence secured, whether it is judicious or not to institute suits in all cases, or determine what suits should be instituted, and what not. I anthorize you to employ some person satisfactory to yourself and Mr. Hunsicker, to act as assistant counsel, and for their servages. to act as assistant counsel, and for their se vices they shall be properly compensated. THOMAS MCCAMANT, Auditor General.

THE ACTION OF WRIGHT. A dispatch from Philadelphia says: City Treasurer Wright to-day received a communication from Auditor General Me Camant, inclosing a statement from At torney General Hensel, in which the city's indebtedness to the State for unpaid State tax on mercantile taxes is fixed at \$86,000. tax on mercantile taxes is fixed at \$6,000. Accompanying the Attorney General's statement was a demand that the amount named be immediately paid to the State Treasurer. The records of the City Treasurer's office show that John Burdsley, while City Treasurer, received the money, but there is no record showing that he paid it to the State. There was some doubt all along as to whether the State would take this step, it being laid to the credit of Controller Thompson, by a careful review of the statutes, to clearly show that the City Treasurer only acts as the fiscal agent of the State, and as a consequence the city can't be held responsible for any of his actions while acting in that capacity.

that capacity.

City Treasurer Wright has referred the communication of the Attorney General to the law officer of the city and will now await the latter's decision in the matter. KEYSTONE EXAMINERS NAMED. Governor Pattison this evening appointed Francis B. Reeves, S. Davis Page, N. Dunois Miller, Lawrence E. Brown and Taylor Faunce, all of Philadelphia, a committee to investigate the affairs of the Keystone Na-tional Bank, in accordance with the per-mission granted by Secretary of the Treasury Foster, at the Governor's request of last Sat-

The Governor has notified the gentlemen of appointment, and impresses upon them the importance of speedy action.

DRAGGED TO HER DEATH.

The Frightful Fate of a Young Girl as the Result of a Runaway.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.] PORT JERVIS, Aug. 6.-In a collision last night between two teams on the bridge crossing Sawkill river, Mary Brown was thrown over the front of one of the wagons and became entangled in the under part of the vehicle. The horses took fright and ran away. She was dragged over a rough country road for eight and a half miles, and was dead when found. Her age was about 17. 'The runaway team passed through Port Jervis at 10:33, and persons who were on the street say they heard the piteous cries of a woman, but no one could tell whence they came. No blood stains were found at any point south of the Delaware river, but from the brow of the street hill to the point where the body was found, a well defined trail of blood was visible, showing plainly where the life of the young woman was crushed out.

When found both feet were fast in the axle springs, her head and body resting on the ground. None of her limbs were broken, but the back of her head was crushed in a shocking manner, and the shoulders, back and arms were horribly lacerated and torn. crossing Sawkill river, Mary Brown was

Withdrew the Italians

About 50 street pavers went out on strike at Beaver Falls against working with Ital-ians. The Italians were withdrawn. ians. The Italians were withdrawn.

CILVER LAKE GROVE, FRIDAY AND Saturday, August 7 and 8, the American Exhibition Bureau, of New York City, respectfully announces two grand gala evenings from 7 to 10:30 r. M. Friday and Saturday evening, at 7 o'clock sharp, Miss May Ballou, the celebrated parachute jumper, will go up in a balloon 5,000 feet in mid air. She will then, by aid of a parachute, make her wonderful leap for life back to earth. A startling performance. Friday and Saturday evenings, at 8:15 o'clock sharp, by special request, two grand open air colored jubilee festivals; 50 colored artists; 3 great colored quartettes. The programme will consist of camp meeting shoutings, jubilee and old plantation songs, solos, duets and trios. Admission to grove, only 15 cents. Reserved seats in pavilion, 10 cents extra.

Herron Hill Park, Webster Av., Madison Av., Ridge Av. and Cambridge St., SATURDAY, AUG. 8, ON THE LOTS.

Only 15 minutes' ride by Wylie Avenue Cable Road from Fifth

Avenue and Wood Street.

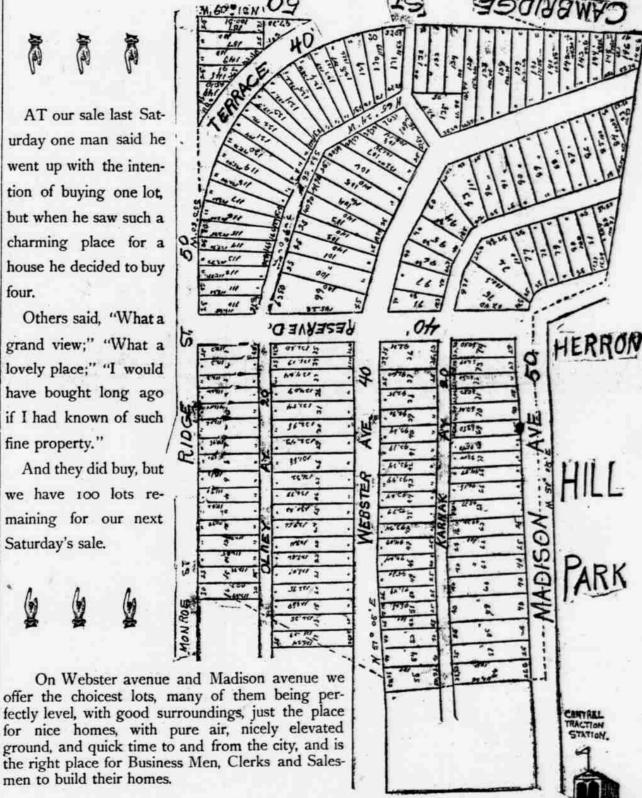
TERMS: \$10 DOWN; BALANCE, \$2 PER WEEK. DESCRIPTION:

Herron Hill Park is the highest point in Allegheny county, and the view from these lots

is truly magnificent. In one direction a full view is had of the Allegheny river sparkling in the sunlight, and further on the hills and valleys of Reserve township. In the other direction can be seen Lawrenceville, Ben Venue, East Liberty, while still further to the south can be seen Fifth avenue and the beautiful verdure-covered hills of the Twenty-second and Twenty-third wards. No malaria can rise to the height of these lots, so that purchasers can be assured of the

By examining a map it will be seen that this is really the center of the city. It is surrounded by Lawrenceville, Bloomfield, Ben Venue and Bellefield. By the Wylie avenue cable road it is only fifteen minutes' ride from Fifth avenue and Wood street.

The time being so short, all who desire will have ample time to go home for dinner. We predict values will soon rise as high as Shadyside or Roup so soon as the advantages are known, and the improvements on the Park by the city will still further increase the value.



BETTER THAN A SAVINGS BANK.

As real estate never runs away, no better use can be made of savings than to buy one or more lots. Not only is the money safe, but the increase in value, as the city grows, is very great.

A CHANCE FOR THE CAPITALIST.

There is a great want for houses for rent and sale in this portion of the city, and this property is the very place for them. A handsome profit is sure to be realized. Remember, these lots are really in the heart of the city, convenient to the Wylie avenue

cable road, and are not miles away in the country, so that great increase in value is sure to come. TERMS OF SALE:

TEN DOLLARS is to be paid down on each lot at time of sale, the balance to be paid at the rate of TWO DOLLARS (2) and interest per week or as much more as desired. Five(5) per cent discount will be allowed on all cash sales. All sales will be made FREE OF TAXES FOR THIS YEAR. The purchaser to assume the payment of street and sewer improvements. Interest on deferred payments can be paid monthly. Deed to be delivered when one hundred dollars and interest is paid, balance to be secured by common bond and tight mortgage with six (6) per cent interest.

HOW TO GET THERE:

Take Wylie avenue cable cars to the Car House at the end of the line, then go up Thirtythird street one square to Webster avenue, and then up Webster avenue to the property.

Remember, the sale takes place on the lots SATURDAY, August 8, at 2 P. M.

Call at our office for free tickets on Wylie Avenue Cable Cars.

BLACK & BAIRD. 95 FOURTH AVENUE.