Indianapolis Track Leased.

Indianapolis, March 25.—The Indiana State

Fair Grounds have been leased by the State Board of Agriculture for 51 weeks of the

year to John Lackey, of Cambridge City, for year to John Lackey, of Cambridge City, lot a period of five years at a rental of \$2,500. Lackey will establish his trotting stables on the grounds, and Indianapolis will be made one of the principal trotting points of the country.

JIM KNOWLES will captain Buffalo this season

Woodcock is the first to make a kick. Who'll

THE local club should by all means hold on to

FARRELL may be in Pittsburg to-day or Monday. He left Boston Wednesday.

THE Chicagos defeated the Clevelands yesterday at Hot Springs, by a score of 10 to 2.

SEVERAL of the players signed for the Western League will be buying cut-rate tickets for home be-fore June.

MATT KILDOY is showing up well in his practice in the South. If he regains his old form he will be a winner for Washington.

winner for Washington.

PERHAPS Bob Leadley will pilot "the Saints"
this year. Either he or Sid Farrar will have their
mail addressed to St. Paul this year.

THE conduct of Dave Richardson does not con-rast favorably with that of Morgan Murphy, Tom 3rown, Hardy Richardson and others.

PITCHER HORNER, who went from New Haver to Oakland, is on the hospital list in the Golder State. He fell while practicing and wrenched his

PAUL COOK and Del Darling are knocking on the Western's door. Indianapolis wants to lose Len Stockwell, and there will be a "lower" for one of them in Hoosierdom.

THERE has been a rumor that Fred Pfeffe would play with Chicago. He says this is a mistak and declares that he will never again play for club in which one of the Spauldings is interested.

MANAGER SELEE, of Boston, is said to have looked dublous at Harry Staley when he reported yesterday, and remarked: "You must have had some fun in t'ittsburg last week." Staley couldn't

"Bug" Holliday's luck turned a somersault this week and he won a handsome hunting case Waltham watch worth \$100. The dice came his way in a raffle and "45" was the number that took the ticker.

It may not be the fact, but recent events justify the suspicion that "Buck" Ewing will come about as near managing the New York team as Mr. Powers, while the latter will attend to the business part only, and swap stories with the newspaper men. For the good of the club, it is to be hoped that such will not be the case.—Boston Herald.

The games being played in the South by the Brooklyr, Philadelphia and Washington clubs have demonstrated in the most emphatic manner that the kind of ball we will witness the coming season will be the very best. To be released or suspended means the almost permanent retirement of a player from the diamond. To play good ball, a player must keep in first-class condition,—Washington Star.

The Ring.

Pugillism is on the wane in Australia. Faking

AUSTRALIAN BILLY MURPHY was knocked out in three rounds February 16 by Jim Barron at

THE Hennepin Club, of Minneapolis, is figuring on a ten-round fight between like Weir and Tommy White.

MAJOR FRANK McLAUGHLIN, of the California Athletic Club, now in New York, thinks that Peter Jackson will best Slavin.

GEORGE GODFREY has notified the Gladstone Athletic Club, of Providence, that he will accept its offer of \$3,000 to meet Joe Choynski.

W. RUSSELL...—The conditions were that Slavin had to knock Kilrain out in ten rounds; if he failed the better fighter was to win.

The Turf.

R. E. DE B. LOPEZ the Australian who brought Idalium and Merriwa, the Australian stallions, to this country, has placed them in the stud in Cali-

The regular spring meeting of the Garfield Park Club will begin May 21 and end June 24. The stake and entry book, just published, shows a list of horses with records sufficiently brilliant to insure two months of exciting sport.

A LAWSUIT is likely to result from the sale of the trotting mare May Day, by Ballard's C. M. Clay, Jr., at Woodard & Shanklin's sale at Lexington, Kr., last week. She was purchased by H. S. Henry, of Morrisville farm, for \$4,000, who now declines to take her, as she is said to be much older than represented in the catalogue.

Miscellaneous Sporting Notes. KENNEDY, the cross country amateur runner, is training Jordan for the latter's race with Priddy.

FRANK IVES, the champion billiardist, has accepted an offer from Mr. Berghe, of Paris, to play

SPECIAL preparations are being made by the lady bievelists of Washington for the entertainment of fair visitors to the Capitol City during the wheel-men meet.

men meet.

The Athletic Committee of the B. A. A. yester-day made an investigation of the charges agains Mr. H. S. Cornish, the athletic manager of the B. A. A., and voted that the facts did not warrant the insimuations contained in the said article.

P. H. GATZIAN, proprietor of the Elms kennels, St. Paul, has arranged to transfer his dogs, in-cluding the celebrated Champion Monk of Furness, to the care of A. C. Anderson, of River Falis, Wis. Monk of Furness was in the local show.

In the intercollegiate championship Harvard holds the 220-yards hurdle, the two-mile bicycle, the running high jump and the hammer throwing records, making four in all. Yale holds three, the IN-yards hurdle, the pole vault and the shot putting records.

A CHICAGO exchange says: E. D. Fulford makes matches and breaks them with impunity. He was to have shot at 100 birds at Watson's Park to-mor-row against W. P. Mussey for \$125 a side. The conditions of the race were play or pay, and yes-terday Fulford forfelted his backer's money.

TEXAS won the honors of the day in the recent inter-State cocking main, the birds belonging respectively to J. T. Siedge, of Arkansas, and John Wilkins, of San Antonio. One fight lasted an hour and five minutes, and was the best seen in the Lone Star State. On that battle alone \$2,000 were won and lost.

Meeting of Pennsylvania Officers.

Company met in the main office yesterday.

They gather together once a year to dis-

cuss improvements and prospects. Considerable attention is paid to the subject of transportation. After the meeting the officials declined to say what had been done.

Contracted for Five Bundred Bailot Boxes.

The County Commissioners yesterday

awarded to J. C. Patterson, of Allegheny,

the contract for furnishing 500 ballot boxes

of the style required under the new law.
The price is \$2.78 per box. They are to be
%-inch ash wood and to be 18 inches deep,
wide and high inside.

Death of Miss Susan Duer,

Miss Susan Duer died yesterday at the

home of her niece, Mrs. Margaret H.

Hosack, in Blairsville. She was 80 years

old. Miss Duer was a member and faithful friend of the families of the late Moses Hampton and John H. Hampton. She was

OUR grand millinery opening continued

to-day. Pronounced the most wonderful exhibit ever attempted in this city. Won't you come to-day? Please do.

EASTER neckwear to-day.

HANNACH 100 Sixth street.

ROSENBAUM & CO.

well known in this city.

The Superintendents of the Pennsylvania

ently organized.

In Trouble for Importing Labor.

ousiness man in Springfield, O., advertised

in a Toronto paper for help. Two Can-adians responded and he hired them. In-

formation was filed against Mr. Wren in the United States Court here to-day on the charge of violating the national law against importing laborers, the penalty for which is \$1,000 for each laborer imported.

· BUSINESS BREVITIES.

CALIFORNIA beet sugar men have perma

THE Southwestern Wholesale Grocers' As

CONRAD FARNER, furniture dealer of St.

Louis, has assigned. Assets, \$55,000; liabilities unknown.

THE owners of the new structural steel

plant being erected at Duluth contemplate a tin plate annex.

SEVENTREN more jugdments against James

R. Keene, the Wall street operator, aggregating \$33,000, were satisfied of record yesterday.

EUGENE ROBINSON, a Detroit paving contractor, has sued Carter, Hawley & Co., of New York, dealers in asphalt, for \$100,000 damages. The claim is that defective asphalt was furnished to the plaintiff.

The annual report of the Cunard Steamship

W. P. KIMBERLY, of Sharon, Pa., wno has

SECRETARY HESTER'S weekly New Orlean

THE ordinance of the McKeesport Union Passenger Railway Company, asking for the right of way over certain streets of the city, was laid on the table by Councils last night.

The annual meeting of the Pittsburg,

Wheeling and Kentucky Railroad, in Whee

ing Thursday, resulted in the re-election of the old board. President W. P. Hubbard'

report shows a net earning, in 1890, \$136,006 81, and in 1891 of \$58,252 62.

ociation is in session at Memphis.

OUR VARIETY

DRESS-GOODS

Is certainly unexcelled by any store tions in

Fancy Bedfords, Fancy Crystals, Plain Jacquards, Fancy Jacquards, Variegated Persians; Flecked Novelties. Silk Striped Novelties

in the new plaids and color combinations. About 40 pieces to select from. 50c a yard.

For a good, handsome, serviceable

dress at little cost, see these Cheviots at 45c.

A special importation received this

can be consulted free, personally or by letter. Call or write to him about your case send for symptom blank to fill out, and a letter fully explaining your disease, giving advice, etc., will be returned free.

Our price is 20c.

The retailer says the public will not pay it. We say the public will, because they will always pay a fair price for a good article. To show both the trade and the

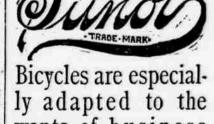
\$10,000.00 Reward

For above information; this offer is open

WOLFF & RANDOLPH, Philadelphia

until January 1st, 1893.

Pik-Ron is the name of a paint which does work that no other paint can do. New wood painted with it looks like the natural wood when it is stained and varnished.



wants of business men. They are built with that end in view.

The McIntosh-Huntington Co., Cleveland, Ohio.



Now is the best season for planting and pruning trees, laying out of lawns and tak-

HERMAN HELM,

Our kidneysact under cities, to collect and carry away waste or noisonous mate poisonous mate-rials from the body. The nerves which control them often beome weakened

this spring. Hundreds and hundreds of new designs, colors and combina-

Etc., Etc., Etc.

38-Inch Novelties at 50c An all-wool French Plaid Novelty

38-In. Spring Cheviots, 45c.

Bordered Robe Patterns.

week of Bordered Robe Patterns. All the new mode shades. Only one of each kind-\$15.75 EACH.

NEW INDIA SILKS At 75c.

We are showing a very elegant line of India Silks at 75c. Bought specially cheap and selling the same way. Black or colored grounds. Your choice of over 100 pieces. 750

OUR SPRING CATALOGUE

Is now ready for distribution, too pages profusely illustrated.

CALL AND GET ONE FREE.

CAMPBELL & DICK,

81, 83, 85, 87 & 89 Fifth Ave.

SPRING

TOPCOATS

RICH SHADES! **ELEGANT WORKMANSHIP!** THE VERY LATEST, WORTH \$20,

FOR \$10. Sixty-eight Spring Topcoats opened up vesterday, from Boston, Providence, New Haven, Albany and Buffalo tailors, ANY ONE IN THE LOT

WORTH \$30,

My doctor says it acts gently on the stomach, liver and kidneys, and is a pleasant laxative. This drink is made from herbs, and is prepared for use as easily as tea. It is called

LANE'S MEDIGINE

ng charge of work generally; also draining.

LANDSCAPE GARDENER,

OUR KIDNEYS IN SPRING.

ANOTHER SIDE OF IT. tioneer, in the Palo Alto stud. A few days

Charley Mitchell States His Views of the New York Scene.

HE WILL COME BACK THIS YEAR.

Pitcher Woodcock Very Artistically Asks for

His Release. ALL THE SPORTING NEWS OF THE DAY

Those who have been interested in the recent escapade of Charles Mitchell at New York and his conflict of words with J. J. Corbett will probably read with as much interest what Mitchell has to say about the matter. Just before leaving New York for England, that is, on Wednesday morning, he wrote the following letter to a friend in

this city: "DEAR FRIEND-Doubtless you have read of my alleged goings on with Corbett, but do not believe all you bear. I did not conduct myself, perhaps, as well as I might have done, or as well as I should have done, but I had just cause for acting as I did. I have been in America for several weeks and almost everybody has been trying to down me. I have been abused and slandered on all sides and the most cowardly attempts have been made at all stages to ruin the business of Slavin and myself. In our boxing exhibitions we were only doing what other people were doing, and probably doing it better, and we were called 'fakes,'

That Man Corbett.

"But this man Corbett, who has not in any shape or form proved himself a fighter, went around the country calling me a coward. All newspapers were ready to print whatever he said about me, and when 1 offered a reply, it was either garbled or not published at all. The New York papers stated I dare not come to New York. Slavin and I came only to find that Corbett had all the press arrayed against me and he was declaring me a coward. I was to leave the next day and what could I do to let this man know that there was no cowardice in me? Only one thing, that was to go to him

and demand satisfaction there and then.
"I did this in a noisy way, I admit. I de manded him to fight me there and then, and declined; he declined, although I called him worse than any man has been called be fore. I wanted to fight him, but he proved the coward, and when I was about to sai into him the police pulled me away. is the true account of the affair. But I will return, and then Corbett or anybody can have a try to knock me out.

Ready for Any Maa.

After mentioning a few formal matters Mitchell goes on to say that he is not afraid of any man on earth, and that there are more dangerous men for him to meet than Corbett. The writer of the letter also adds that he received a telegram from Mr. Brady stating that Corbett was sick and unable to go on with the Madison Square contest. "I was in Chicago then," says Mitchell, "but now Mr. Brady says he sent no such telegram. Who sent it? That's what I want to know, I want the public to understand that when I had pluck enough face Sullivan when nobody else would face him I am certainly not atraid of a man like Corbett. I may add that the reports about Slavin and I being bad friends are just as true now as they ever were. We are together yet, and will remain so."

The letter puts a different complexion or many things to what newspaper reports have stated. It certainly shows that Mitchell has a side of the matter as well as Cor-

WANTS HIS RELEASE. Pitcher Woodcock Does Not Want to Com to Our Club.

Pitcher Woodcock does not want to come to Pittsburg. Yesterday the management of the club received a letter from him containing a check for the money advanced port in Pittsburg until June, as he wanted to take a post-graduate course in Brown Uni versity. In other words, he wants his re-lease from Pittsburg.

The question is, who has been tampering with Woodcock? Do the Bostons want him?

Calcago under "Parson" Davies management. It is more than likely that a well-known Pittsburg puglilst will be secured to meet one of the stars. In the meantime Mike Queenan, Jim Doboney or Jack Dalton should be heard from. Hall is training at Mount Clemens, as he has also several Eastern programments. with Woodcock? Do the Bostons want him? These are queries that the local club officials are considering. But Vice President Kerr stated yesterday that Woodcock will not be released. If he cannot come here until June he can come then, but he won't be allowed to play in any other professional team. The decision of the local officials is a perfectly wise one. WILLAND M. 2:14, will be campaigned this year,

perfectly wise one. THE EASTERN LEAGUE.

Reports That Everything Is Going-Along

All Right Down There, Boston, March 25 .- [Special.]-The commit the appointed to look over the field for a New England Luague reports everything en-counging. Pawtucket and Woonsocket were visited, and gave promises of backing teams

in their usual energetic way.
Portland, Lewiston and Haverhill never but a team in the New England League yet that didn't remain to the last and paytheir bulls in full. Manchester also can be counted on to put a team in the field. This will make six teams, and there will be very little trouble picking up two other cities to make it the ideal eight-club league. The two Rhode Island cities are sure to give a league of this kind strength, and never was the outok so bright as at the present time for a

The Big Football Game To-Day,

The big football match between the local team and the New Castles, who hold the amateur championship of Western Pennsylvania, for 12 gold medals, a side bet, made outside parties, of \$200 a side, and the title of champions of Pennsylvania, will take pince this afternoon at Recreation Park, and rain or shine the match will be played. Mr. F. F. Kelly, secretary of the famous Chicago cricket team, will come on to referee the game, which will prove one of the most exciting ever played in this city. The members of both teams are in splendid condition, and as the ground is in fine order, the beauties of the game will be fully shown. Both sides express the utmost confidence as to the outcome, and the result will be engerly looked for. From New Castle comes the news that upward of 200 admitters of the game will come from that busy little city, while McKeesport, Homestead, McDonald, Bloomfield, Youngstown, O., and Uniontown will contribute not a few of the spectators, who, in case of rain, can view the match from the grandstand. W. Powell and George Woods will be the respective captains, and Pittsburg will line up in their favorite colors, blue and white, colors they have warn in many a hard won victory. Play commences at 3:30 sharp. referee the game, which will prove one

Brown at Louisville.

LOUISVILLE, March 25.-Tom Brown and John Canavan got here yesterday at 6 o'clock. Later, they came around to see Componen. After a hearty handshake, Brown spoke of the railroad fare between this city and Boston. He thought it very high for a great center fielder. He then spoke of the great center fielder. He then spoke of the weather. Manager Chapman said that the weather had been bad here, yet a great deal letter than it had been in either Chicago or Beston. A reporter who was present asked Brown about his objection to playing in Louisville. He had none. That was all past. Like any player he preferred to play in a larger city than Louisville, but that would not keep him from straining every nerve to give satisfaction here. It was money, all money. He would play within the walls of a penitentiary for a large enough sum of money. Brown looks well.

Sullivan on 'Change. (BECAGO, March 25.—Pugilist John L. Sullivan mingled with the bulls and bears on Change. It was suggested he had been bought up by the short seller, Pardridge, but bought up by the short seller, Pardridge, but he made no hostile demonstration, and his march through the trading pits was tri-umphal. A big crowd followed him, and the covers were foud and hearty. The noted bruiser spent a short time in the gallery curiously watching the hundreds of yelling, gesticularing brokers, and then took his de-parture, followed by the plaudits of the mul-

Refused a Big Offer.

New York, March 25.-Evidently Senator Sunford considers the 4-year-old colt Advertiser the true successor to his sire, Elecago he refused \$110,000 for the young stallion, and to-day a well-known breeder, who has just returned from a visit at Palo Alto, said that the party that made the original offer had bid an additional \$15,000, which was declined. Advertiser is a bay colt and obtained a record of 2:16 last year as a 3-year-old.

IN A DECENT GRAVE

Victims of the Hill Farm Disaster Are Reinterred at Last.

THE BODIES IN A BAD CONDITION. No Blame Is Attached to the Operators by

the Coroner's Jury. NEWSY NOTES FROM NEARBY TOWNS

SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH. DUNBAR, March 25-The remains of the victims of the Hill Farm disaster were rought from their unnatural tomb to-day, and reinterred in consecrated ground. At o'clock this morning the company commenced bringing the 23 coffins with their

LOUISVILLE has accepted the terms of Joe Werrick, the St. Paul second baseman. JOHN McQUAID, theold League umpire, will go to the Western League this season. ghastly contents to the surface. Coroner Hulbert arrived on the scene at clock, and at once called his jury together. The coffins were opened as soon as W. C. Wilson, of this city, has applied to the Southern League for a position as umpire. He is a they were brought out of the mine. It was only in two or three cases that the men could be identified by their features. It had to be by some mark on their clothing or the contents of their pockets. They were all covered with a shiny, black mud, presenting much the appearance of mummies At 10 o'clock the last of the bodies were rought out of the mine and identified, com-

pleting the list. . As the 23 corpses lay about in the small space, where they were found, in some ses, piled one upon the other, they appeared to be in fairly good condition for re-moving, but the first one that was touched showed much to the contrary.

A DISPATCH from Minneapolis says; Elmer Foster, the ball-player, formerly of the Chicago earn, is now announced as a candidate for the Legislature, with chances of winning the honor. Bodies Dismembered by Handling. On getting it on to the stretcher the head olled away from the trunk. The feet and hands fell off, and it appeared that only the clothing: on the body held it intact. Not so much trouble was found with the rest, but in several cases limbs fell off, and the least strain on any part seemed to break its fast-enings. The long lay in the water had moldenings. The long lay in the water had moldered away the tissues, and while the form had been preserved the weight and substance of the flesh were gone, only the mere semblance of human beings remaining.

The bodies were usually light. To get them into the caskets as a whole, each body was wrapped in enough muslin to hold it together and then placed in. The work was teuious, uncanny and laborious, and it was late in the night when the last corpse was placed in the casket. The caskets containing the remains were then loaded on road wagons to the cemeteries, where they were placed beside the open graves where they remained until this afternoon, when the last sad rites were performed and their ashes consigned to earth.

The Last Rites Over the Dead, PRESIDENT GUNNELS is a little bit of a fellow, but he is hot stuff. He offers to divide \$1,000 of his spare wienerwurst money among the boys if Toledo wins the Western flag, and says that if they can trounce Columbus twice in the first three games, he will buy buttermilk and cigarettes for the team.

The Last Rites Over the Dead,

The Last Rites Over the Dead.

Fully 1,500 people preceded the strange looking funeral train to the cemetery. It was here the first real demonstration of grief was made public. Women shricked and cried, threw themselves across the coffins of their departed ones and offered up prayers and lamentations.

In the meantime the inquest was being held at the office of Superintendent Hill at the mine. The testimony of Superintendent Hill, Mine Inspector Duncan, Robert Lang and other workmen was heard. The result of the investigation was the following verdict: Sufficiation from smoke from a fire which was accidentally started in a brattice. No blame is attached to the Dunbar Furnace Company, and the officials are deserving of credit for the efforts they have made to recover the bodies of the dead, The jury then adjourned to meet again when the remaining six bodies are found.

It may take ten days or a month to find the remaining victims. They are supposed to be in the lower dip in the lowest part of the mine, and it is filled with water. The pumps are being worked day and night, but the task is a big one.

ANOTHER HONEST THIEF. The Trusted Agent of Railroad and Express Companies Found Crooked.

the better fighter was to win.

ARE WILLIS, the Australian bantam whom George Dixon defeated, found boxing so dull on his return to Australia that he has had to go to work in an iron manufactory.

THE easy defeat of Marcelius Baker, the veteran New England boxer, by Bobby Burns, at Providence, Wednesday, in 1 minute, 18 seconds, recalls the time Baker sparred here about seven years ago. Baker came here with a flourish of trumpets, Eddie Thomas was pitted against him, and he bested the alleged wonder quite easily.

ARRANGEMENTS are being completed for the ap-FINDLAY, March 25.—[Special.]—The village of Mt. Corry is all torn up over the disappearance of J. F. Humme!, railroad and express agent, who left on Saturday, taking with him a large sum of money belonging to his employers. Hummel was looked upon ARRANGEMENTS are being completed for the appearance at an early date of Joe Choynski and Hall, who are each to box a local heavy-weight in Chicago under "Parson" Davies management. It as one of the leading citizens. He was the local agent of the United States Express Company and station agent of the Lake Erie and Western Railway Company.

After Hummel's departure, H. W. Williams, route agent of the express company, began a quiet investigation. A shortage of large-sized propertions was soon discovered. It was found that Hummel, in addition to pocketing the collections of the office, had issued a number of express money orders without accounting for them. He had also made out a number of these orders in the name of fictitions persons and had them cashed at Lima. Findlay, Fostoria and other points. In addition to those which have J. MALCOLM FORBES will make no match races, DAGONET has grown and filled out in excellent fashion, although he is by no means a large horse. His rich black coat shines with a luster of health.

cashed at Lima. Findlay, Fostoria and other points. In addition to those which have been traced to him, it is known that he took a book of the orders with him, and it is feared he has issued and cashed numbers of them. It is said the express company will lose not less than \$500 through the peculations of its trusted agent. The amount that the railroad will lose is not known. It will probably aggregate as much as the express company's loss. Last night Route Agent Williams passed through here with a warrant for the arrest of Hummel. It is rumored that Hummel is in hiding in the neighborhood of Lima, but those best informed are inclined to the belief that he has gone much farther.

A MANUFACTURER MANGLED.

His Sleeve Caught in a Revolving Shaft, but He May Live. MARIETTA, March 25 .- [Special.]-J. W. ABOUT \$100,000 will be spent by the United States Horse and Cattle Show Society on a new embhouse which is to ornament the Manhattan field, Kelly, head of an extensive wagon making company here, was seriously and probably fatally injured this afternoon at his factory. He noticed a belt that required adjusting and, procuring a ladder, he attempted to adjust the belt himself, when the sleeve of his

just the belt himself, when the sleeve of his cont was caught by the rapidly-revolving shaft. Instantly his arm was wound around and around the shaft, and then he was pulled bodily upward and whirled over and over several times before the machinery could be stopped.

A workman ran at once and stopped the machinery, when the injured man dropped to the floor, apparently lifeless. His arm is fractured in two places, and he sustained very serious internal injuries.

A New Catholic Church to Be Built. McKerspont, March 25 .- [Special.]-The congregation of the St. Mary's German Catholic Church, Rev. Father Lawrence Baell, rector, has decided to at once build a brick and stone church edifice that will ac-commodate 1,500 people and cost \$50,000, as well as a convent and a parsonage. The present church was built in 1886, when the congregation numbered 75 members, and is too small.

A Tie-Pass to Chicago, Youngstown, March 25 .- [Special.] -- John Foley, of Struthers, this county, left to-day on a novel trip. He is to walk from here to

on a novel trip. He is to walk from here to Chicago via the Erie and Chicago and Erie tracks, and is to walk the entire distance between the rails. Foley is due in Chicago April 5, which will require him to walk an average of 35 miles a day to complete the trip of nearly 400 miles. Five Killed by a Boller Explosion. CINCINNATI, March 25.—A dispatch says the poller in Leppert & Co.'s sawmill at Fidelity P. O., Miami county, O., exploded this morn

r. O. Mann county, O., exploded this morning when five men were in the mill. Four of them were killed outright, and the fifth, Samuel Davis, was fatally injured. The others were William Leppert, one of the owners of the mill; D. Poent, J. Cassell and Elwood Elliott. A Pittsburger With Mask and Beard. Wheeling, March 25.-[Special.] - Frank Martin, of the Twenty-third ward, Pittsburg, was arrested here last night after an excit ing chase, in which several shots were fired.

It is claimed that he robbed John Stephens, a pottery designer. On him was found a mask and false beard.

The Tatoord Man Identified. JOHNSTOWN, March 25 .- By the finding of a Bible and other effects, the body of the tatooed man killed on the railroad here last week has been identified as S. H. Gutherie, son of Rev. J. M. Gutherie, of Pottsville. His mother came here and had the body re-

Braddock in the Throes of a Revival, BRADDOCK, March 25 .- [Special.]-The Free Methodists of this place are enjoying a won-derful revival at present. The meetings are being conducted by Rev. M. B. Miller, of Franklin, Pa. There have been 30 converts THE BUSINESS WORLD Silver and the Bering Sea War Buga-

STRIKING SWITCHMEN FIGHT.

The Police Have a Hard Tussle to Disj Rioters at Kent, O. KENT, O., March 25 .- A riot occurred early this morning. Yesterday some Erie switch-men were discharged and new men put in their places. After night the discharged

their places. After night the discharged men and their friends gathered in the yards and demanded reinstatement. Being refused they attacked the new men.

The police interfered and quiet was restored; but after midnight the men attacked the police with revolvers. The fire was returned and a ratting fusiliade followed, ending in a victory for the police. Two of the mob were badly wounded.

Tri-State Brevities. LITTLE WASHINGTON is to have a Dem cratic newspaper. CLINTON ANDREWS was on trial at Canton for manslaughter. The jury returned a ver-dict of assault and battery.

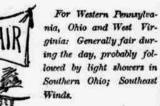
REN GANO, the wife murderer under death sentence at Mt. Gilead, O., poisoned himself and died in jail yesterday. HIRAM WILLIAMS, an ex-convict at fos toria, has been arrested on a charge that he is the man who buncoed Farmer Schriever out of \$5,000 last December, near Canton, PICKPOCKETS in a crowded McKeespor store Thursday raised the cry that the floor was giving away. During the panic they re-lieved two women of their pocketbooks and large sums of money.

DURING a fit of insanity yesterday John Withart broke every window and door in Caldwell & Co.'s real estate office in Greens-burg. He imagined he was cheated in the recent sale of his property. He is under arrest. YESTERDAY morning the body of C. H. Gra-

was found in the river at Fairport with all evidences that murder had been committed, the head being horribly mutilated. He was a candidate for Mayor at the coming elec-PRESIDENT L. H. EATON and Agent O'Brien. of the Western Pennsylvania Humane Sc ciety, appeared before 'Soutre Taylor at Rochester, Pa., yesterday in the case against E. E. Haxen, of North Sewickley township, charged with cruelty to animals in dehorning cattle. Haxen failed to appear. The Humane officials say the case will be pushed.

WEDNESDAY MORNING the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Farrow, at Springfield, O., was found dead in bed. The funeral services were stopped Thursday. The Coroner walked in and forbade the removal of the body until an investigation is made of charges preferred by the child's mother against her husband. She claims that he strangled the child to death.

THE WEATHER.



road for the month of February shows gross traffic earnings of \$1,788,774 13; traffic ex-

37 Maximum temp.... 55 Minimum temp... 57 Mean temp... 58 Range... 54 Prec... RIVER NEWS AND NOTES.

TEMPERATURE AND BAINFALL.

The Iron Queen, Just Finished for the Pitts burg Trade, Is a Beauty. SPECIAL TELEGRAMS TO THE DISPATCH. ISPECIAL TELEGRAMS TO THE DISPATCH.]
MARIETTA, O., March 25.—The Iron Queen, the large and handsome craft built at the boat yards here for J. A. Henderson & Co., of Pittsburg, for their Pittsburg and Cincinnati packet line, is about completed, and will be sent over a stated course Saturday prior to proceeding up the river in order to take her machinery. The Iron Queen is not only a big boat, but a very sightly craft, her lines being suggestive at once of speed and beauty. All the work was done here, and her owners and builders have worked to make her not only the handsomest but the speedlest craft on the upper rivers.

handsomest but the speediest crast on the upper rivers.

Her length over all is 238 feet, or 10 feet longer than the other of the boats of the line, the addi-tional length having been put into the stern, which shapes her more like a greyhound. Her breadth of beam is 37 feet and depth of hold 3½ feet, giving her great carrying capacity, notwithstauding she was built and especially equipped with reference to the passenger trade. She will be propelled by a wheel 22x3 feet, with a bucket depth of Z inches. She will be lighted by electricity, both are and in-candescent. The Iron Queen will make her trial trip to Pittsburg Saturday aftermon. She will leave on her first regular trip Thursday, March 31.

Louisville's River Budget Louisville's River Budget.

Louisville, March 25.—Business good. Weather cloudy and warm. The river is rising slowly, with 9 feet on the fails. Il feet 4 inches in the canal and 27 feet 5 inches below. The Coal City left for the South. The Golden Rule and Ohio are due up. The Grace Morris came in from Salt river last night. The Iron Age is due up from the Lower Mississippi with a big tow of empties. Divers are at work on the sunken George Strecker in Green river, and the freight is being removed from her deck. Departures—For Cincinnatl. Big Sandy; for Carrollton, Big Kanawha, and for Evansville, City of Owensboro.

What Upper Gauges Show. ALLEGHENY JUNCTION-River 9 feet 2 inches and ALLEGHEN JUNCTION—RIVER'S ICEL 2 Inches and rising. Clear and pleasant.

MORGANTOWN—River 9 feet 10 inches and stationary. Clear. Thermometer 46° at 4 P. M.

BROWNSVILLE—River 12 feet 3 inches and falling. Cloudy. Thermometer 52° at 6 P. M.

WARREN—River 1.7 feet, Clear and mild.

The News From Below. EVANSVILLE—River 21 feet 5 luches and rising. Clear and wasrm.

PARKERSURG—Ohio 14 feet 4 inches and rising. All streams rising. A big stage of water is predicted by the weather observer. The snow in the mountains is melting, and there are indications of rain. Hudson down at midnight; Louise down; Acora up, Mild.

WHEELING—River 12 feet 3 inches and rising. Departed—Congo, Pittsburg; C. M. Batchelor, Pittsburg; Ben Hur, Parkersburg. Clear.

CAIRO—Arrived—H. F. Frost, East Ohio, Departed—City of Hickman, New Orleans, River 23,9 feet and rising. Cloudy and mild.

CINCINNATI—River 23 feet 3 inches and rising. Departed—Andres, Pittsburg. Fair and pleasant. New Orleans—Pittsburg. Fair and pleasant. New Orleans—City of New Orleans, St. Louis. Departed—Sinoky City and tow, Louisville.

MEMPIRIS—Departed—Mary Houston, New Orleans; Arkansas City, Natchez; Ohio, Cincinnati, River 19 feet 3 inches and ralling. Cloudy and tool.

Vicksburg—River rising. Heavy fog to-night. EVANSVILLE-River 21 feet 5 luches and rising

VICKSBURG-River rising. Heavy fog to-night, delaying movement of boats.

ST. Louis—Arrived—Jay Gould, Cairo: City of Savannah, Tennessee river. Departed—Jay Gould, Cairo: Cherokee, Memphis; City of Monroe, Natchez, Clear and warm. River 13,4 feet and

Gossip on the Wharf.

THE marks show 10 feet 2 inches and rising slowly. The amount of coal that will get away on this rise will reach 4,60,000 bushels. The following is a list of boats, some of which left yesterday and the balance will get away to-day: For Jos. Walton & Co., the Joseph Walton, with 2 boats, 12 barges and 2 fuels; Joseph Nixon, with 14 barges and 2 fuels; Joseph Nixon, with 14 barges and 2 fuels for Cincinnati. Crescent Coal Co., The Crescent with 17 barges for Cincinnati. Brown's line, the Harry Brown with 8 boats, 6 burges and 2 fuels for Louisville, W. W. O'Neil Coal Company, the Enterprise with 4 boats, 8 burges and 2 fuels: the Belle McGowan with 14 harges for Louisville. W. W. O'Neil Coal Company, the Josh Cook with 14 barges, Lysie Coal Company, the Josh Cook with 14 barges, the B. D. Wood will probably go to-morrow with 14 barges. Horner & Roberts, the Raymond Horner with 6 boats and 8 barges. S. S. Crump & Son, Tom Dodsworth with 19 boats and 2 fuels; J. C. Risher with 3 boats and 8 barges. The Acorn will probably leave to-morrow. The McDouald line, the Hornet No. 2 with 14 barges. C. Jutte & Co., the Howard with 19 boats and 4 barges. Rescue, with 6 boats and 3 barges. John A. Wood & Son, S. L. Wood, with 9 boats and 6 barges. Facuett's line, the Boaz, with 10 boats. Advance Coal Company, John Moren, with 7 boats and 5 barges; George Shiras with 12 barges. Gossip on the Wharf.

THE W. W. O'Neil arrived at Louisville yesterlay with empties from New Orleans. She will make up a tow for a return trip at once, THE Voyager senk a boat below lock No. 1 yes-erday morning. The accident was due to the THE J. B. Williams passed Delta yesterday on the way up from New Orleans with empties. THE Courier is due to-night on her regular weekv trip from Parkersburg. THE J. A. Blackmore passed Wheeling yesterday on the way up with empties.

THE Smoky City left New Orleans with empties or this port vesterday. THE Scotia left yesterday with a heavy trip for THE Congo will be the regular Cincinnati packe HOW to give to the poor to do the mo good explained by the Rev. George Hodges

n THE DISPATCH to-morrow

Nouveaute De Paris. A hundred and one useful articles at extraordinary low prices.

Jos. Horne & Co.'s Penn Avenue Stores.

NEW YORK, March 25 .- Bradstreet's Weekly Wall Street Review says: The discussion of the Bland silver measure at Washington has this week furnished the chief cause for

boo Affect Wall Street.

BIG BRADDOCK MILLS IN ASHES

Iron Wages Reduced in the Shenango and

Mahoning Valleys.

FIRES, FAILURES AND RAILWAY NEWS

further speculative hesitation. At the same time, it would seem that Wall street had discounted the possibility of the bill becoming a law, and that the decline of bar silver this week to the lowest figures recorded for the metal in modern times measured the chances of such action, as estimated in financial circles. Europe has not been prominent as a factor in the stock market, and the participation from that quarter has been con-fined to spasmodic selling of a few special

The sharp advance which has occurred in The sharp advance which has occurred in exchange rates may, indeed, be connected with the silver agitation, and represents more closely than the operations of the share market would do the conservative tendency aroused by the proceedings in the House of Representatives. The side-tracking of the Bland bill Thursday was, to a certain extent, a relief to the market. Nevertheless, it would seem that a certain feeling of uncertainty was aroused on that account which will not disappear for some time. These influences have certainly limited speculation and kept the market in a narrow and professional state.

But, though this feverishness and sensiham, a prominent citizen of Richmond, O.,

But, though this feverishness and sensitive condition are apparent, it seems that little inducement was afforded for bearish attacks on values in general. Some declines were produced in the opening of the week, and later on the President's message on the Bering Sea question was used as cover for a bear raid. Nevertheless, the firmness of the market has not disappeared.

The feature of the week was the Industrial group, with sugar in the role of chief per-former. Chicago Gas, also, developed increased activity and strength, and even Dis-tillers was somewhat firmer, Cordage also showing a decidedly firm disposition. The decline of Northern Pacific preferred was

secretary Hester's weekly New Orleans cotton crop statement shows a lighter movement than was anticipated, for she decrease during the week was 26,521 bales under the seven days ending March 25 last year. This makes the excess marketed during the 25 days of March 11,746 more than last season, bringing the increase of the cotton crop marketed to date to 409,417 bales over the corresponding date last year. the most striking of the week's bearish manifestations. Somewhat similar tenden-cies developed in the common shares and in North American. responding date last year. The Cleveland fron Trade Review says: On nothing are the ore men so completely as one as on the utter hopelessness of any attempt to sell ore just now. The vessel interest on its side appreciates that the game READING PAYING BETTER NOW. The Last Monthly Report Shows Quite a Improvement Over the Preceding. must still be a waiting one, so that discussions of rates are not in order, when nobody is in shape to talk charters. There is no calculation on a particularly early opening. While a certain movement of ore from the docks goes on in fulfillment of engagements, there is absolutely nothing going on that would establish a basis of quotations. PHILADELPHIA, March 25.—The state ment of the Philadelphia and Reading Rail-

penses, \$1,025,967 50; profit in operating, \$762,816 54; receipts from other sources, \$35,994 46; total profit, \$798,804. Against this are charges of \$9,541 12 for permanent RAILWAY INTERESTS. improvements and \$625,000 as one-twelfth A CYLINDRICAL car factory will be built a of the current year's fixed charges, leaving St. Paul to employ 500 men. a surplus for the month of \$164,262 88, The trainmen's grievances on the Grand compared with a deficit in February, 1891, Trunk are said to be virtually settled. of \$60,049 96. The surplus for three months of the year is \$621,941 19, an increase of \$450,067 54 compared with the same period RUMORED in San Antonio, Tex., that Jay Gould will buy the Arkansas Pass Railroad The switchmen's strike on the Memphis and Charleston Railroad at Memphis is a serious fact. The yard is tied up. last year. The statement of the Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron Company shows gross receipts, \$1,778,029 91; gross expenses, \$1.813,389 07. Colliery improvements were

compared with February, 1891. The deficit for three months of the current year is \$150,-274 15, against \$290,233 97 during the same period last year. A GLASS FACTORY IN ASHES.

\$70,224 64; loss from mining, \$35,361 16; one-twelfth of the current year's fixed charges, \$65,500; leaving a deficit of \$100,-861 16, showing a decrease of \$74,148 20 as

The Entire Plant of the Braddock Company Burned Yesterday. RANKIN STATION, March 25 .- [Special.] -A fire at Rankin to-day at 2 P. M. destroyed the entire plant of the Braddock Glass Company and the office adjoining, together with a large amount of stock. The fire originated in the hav shed, which stood near the Pittsburg and Lake Erie track, and is supposed to have started from sparks from a passing locomotive. Owing to the

combustible nature of the stock the fire spread rapidly. Five loaded freight cars standing on a sid-Five loaded freight cars standing on a siding were burned before the yard engine could remove them. It was impossible to save snything of any value. The loss to the firm will be from \$60,000 to \$70,000, and is partly covered by insurance. The plant has been running day and night, and 250 men will be thrown out of employment. Superintendent W. R. McCloy said that the firm will probably rebuild at once. The firm will probably rebuild at once. The Braddock Glass Company has been in successful operation here for the past four years, and about a year ago added some ex-tensive improvements to their works.

A NEW RAILROAD CONVENIENCE

That Will Coal and Water Locomotives, as Well as Take on Passengers, JOHNSTOWN, March 25 .- [Special.]-Samnel Critchfield, of this place, is the inventor of a new method of coaling engines, as well as of taking on and discharging passengers. By his plan an elevated track will be built alongside of the railroad, upon which a car will be started upon the approach of a train, attaining a speed equal o that of the train itself. Then a hopper of coal can be dumped into the engine, and

of coal can be dumped into the engine, and, in taking on or off passengers, an inclosed platform will be thrown out, allowing the people to get on or off the train while going at any rate of speed.

The invention also covers an elevated trough for taking water. Several promi-nent railroad men, who have examined it,

say it will centainly work.

A HOWL PROM WEST VIRGINIA Over the Increase of Railroad Rates to Pittsburg f& Kanawha Coal. PARKERSBURG, March 25 .- [Special.]-The decision of the Supreme Court of Appeals, sustaining the constitutionality of the screen and anti-scrip laws, and the recent increase in freight rates adopted for West Virginia coal to Pittsburg, has caused a big howl among Kanawha Valley operators, nearly all mines having shut down, including the Winifrede, the largest in the valley.

To-morrow morning notices will be posted

IRON WAGES CUT DOWN.

offering all men work on condition that they

Mahoning and Shenango Valley Manufac urers at Last Take Action. YOUNGSTOWN, March 25 .- [Special.] The furnace owners of the Mahoning and Shenango Valleys have decided, by reason of the condition of the iron trade, to pos notices of a reduction of 10 per cent in wages of all employes at the blast fur-The notice will take effect April 10 at

some furnaces, and at others April 10 at some furnaces, and at others April 15, according to the date of payday. It is probable that the employes will refuse to accept the proposed reduction. A Wild Ku-Klux Threat. WILKESBARRE, March 25 -[Special.]-

Waukegon, Wis, having a lake frontage of about three miles. This is believed to be a scheme of the Chicago and Northwestern and the Joliet and Eastern Illinois to head off the St. Paul from gaining an entrance into the town. THE New York World correspondent at Trenton says the whereabouts of the Read-ing deal recently passed by the New Jersey Legislature is unknown. It certainly has not yet reached the Governor. It is ru-mored it is under lock and key in the Treasury vaults. THE Baltimore and Ohio has reduced the

(O.) shops. One-half the force was laid off yesterday, and will take turn about until April 1, when the men will be put to work on eight hours' time. This reduction affects about 700 men, and is the greatest cut yet Tue Executive Committee to the Trunk The Executive Committee to the Trunk Line Association Thursday decided to re-store the switching rates on west-bound freight from New York to Chicago and abrogate the percentage system, which was adopted several months ago in an attempt to get into harmonious working with the Chi-cago and Grand Trunk.

working force of the men in the Newark

THE FIRE RECORD.

Ar Montreal, the General Bazar was dam aged \$20,000. AT Detroit, the furniture store of W. E. Barker & Co., damage \$25,000; partly insured. AT Carlisle the millinery establishment of Miss Hattle Flickes was damaged by fire \$1,000; fully insured. At St. Charles, Mo., the Court House was partly consumed by a firs which started in the County Surveyor's office. All the records on file were destroyed.

NEAR Bethel, Pa., the large mansion and summer house of Henry Edris. The build-ings were nearly new and the loss is heavy. Occupants barely escaped in their night-clothes. AT the works of Baker, McMillen & Co., manufacturers of enameled knobs, pail woods, smoking pipes, etc. Loss, \$50,000: insurance, \$45,000. It is believed the building, which is a lour-story one, was set on fire. FIRE swept Dunlap's Island, Minn., Thurs day, burning Patrick Flaherty to death and

day, burning Patrick Fisherty to death and destroying seven buildings valued at \$25,000; insurance \$6,000. Fisherty was asleep on the second floor of one of the houses. The buildings destroyed were stores, dwellings and the village jail. The heaviest loser is the Miller Brewing Company, of Milwaukee. PEOPLE COMING AND GOING.

W. W. Shilling, of Sharon, and A. T. Carson, a School Commissioner of Ohio, are registered at the Anderson. Dr. J. D. Moffat, of the Washington and Jefferson College, registered at the Monongahela House last evening.

Miss McLane, of New Cumberland, was among the guests at the Anderson yesterday. agree to work as they did before the deday.

Sam English, the pool seller, was in the city yesterday. He went East last evening.

Major Sam Hazlett, of Washington, was visiting military men in the city yesterday.

Jacob Snyder, Jr., and wife, of Wheeling, are at the Seventh Avenue Hotel.

Major Sillings of Frie, put up at the ision was rendered. An application will be made for a rehearing, and, if refused, the ase will be carried to the Supreme Court of

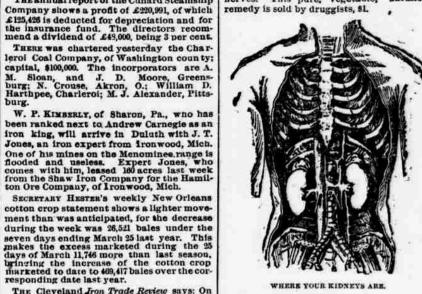
hela House vesterd

W. A. Morse, of Dayton, is stopping at

Pittsburgers in New York. New York, March 25.—[Special.]—The fol-owing Pittsburgers are registered at New York hotels: B. B. Club, St. Denis: F. W. York hotels: B. B. Club, St. Denis; E. W. Boyd, Gilsey House; C. O. Cooper, Windsor; T. V. Forster, Metropolitan; P. C. Friend, Hotel Brunswick; H. W. Lash, Hotel Brunswick; J. McCleave, Westminster; J. Owens, St. James; L. C. Phipps, Hotel Imperial; J. K. Skelly, Metropolitan; J. W. Beatty Brunswick; D. J. Brisell, Hotel Barthoidi; S. H. Crawford, Coleman: J. M. Fahnestock and wife, Marlborough; M. Greenwood, Sturtevant; J. B. Harris, Hotel Marlborough; B. B. Kerr, Gerlach Hotel; S. M. Rose, Hotel Normandie; J. T. Heimbird, Fifth Avenue; G. L. McFarlane, Fifth Avenue.

rritated, dis eased. Then the unction is imperfectly perormed, pric acid and other poison

SEVERAL Steubenville grocers were hauled up yesterday for selling oleo without a license. SECTION OF KIDNEY. are retained causing pain and weakness in back, high colored excretion with sediment, constant desire to void, headache, coated tongue, bad taste, thirst, biliousness, constipation, cold feet, poor circulation, malaria, extreme The Grip has left thousands with weak and diseased kidneys, which should not be The strike of printers employed by the big St. Paul firm, the West Publishing Com-pany, has ended by a compromise. neglected. These conditions are especially dan-gerous and must be cured now or alarming kidney and liver diseases will surely follow. The spring is the worst time for kidney complaints. Everybody who has the slightest touch of kidney disease should, especially in the spring, take Dr. Greene's Nervura, which not only perfectly regulates the kidneys, liver, stomach and bowels, but gives strength and vitality to blood and nerves. This pure, vegetable, harmles



"For several years I have been suffering from a complication of malaria, kidney and liver complaints and dyspepsia in its worst

"I began taking Dr. Greene's Nervura. I

have used six bottles, and now feel entirely relieved of all my former complaints, and do cheerfully recommend it to anyone who may be afflicted with any of the above troubles MRS. CHAS. KRUEGER, 520 East 84th st., New York." Pr. Greene, the successful specialist, in curing all forms of nervous and chronic diseases, 35 W. Fourteenth street, New York,

We Can't do it.

but are willing to pay for learning how to make as good an article as WOLFF'S ACME BLACKING of cheap material so that a retailer can profitably sell it at 16c.

THE Commissioners of the Western Traffic Association have just promulgated their decision denying the application of the Rock Island and Burlington roads for authority to establish a rate of \$25 per ton on ore and bullion from Denver to the Missouri public that we want to give them the best for the least money, we will pay A SYNDICATE has purchased 1,400 acres in

PAINTERS AND BUILDERS will find it profitable to investigate. Al paint stores sell it



For descriptive catalogue and address of local dealer, write to



ELLSWORTH AV., Shadyside, Pittsburg, mh6-rus

FOR \$14.50. Fit guaranteed. All alterations made free

CLOTHING PARLORS, 516 SMITHFIELD ST.

OPPOSITE CITY HALL.

Advertised at 65c, 75c and \$1.15 per room with border to match gives anyone a good idea how cheaply they can paper a house. Send for samples of these papers,

G. G. O'BRIEN'S PAINT AND WALL PAPER STORE,

292 Fifth av., 3 Squares from Court House.

ESTABLISHED 1800. mb26

sent free to any address.

DEAF Picks INVISIBLE TUBBLE LAR

Fortable and self adjusting. Successful where all Remodies fall. Sold by F. HIROX, only, 253 Broadway, Son Mentionthispa per.