THEY ARE ALL HERE.

Hanlon, Baldwin, Beckley and Mack Arrive Home All Right.

TERMS ARE MADE WITH WOODCOCK.

Gebhardt Pays a Big Price for a Horse at the Withers Sale.

O'CONNOR ISSUES A BIG CHALLENGE

Ed Hanlon, Jake Beckley and Mark Baldwin got home from Hot Springs last evening looking a little weary as a result of their long ride. But they were in tip top condition, and to-day they will likely turn out as bright as new dollars. All three were delighted with their sojourn at the Springs, and during a conversation Hanlon said:

"I care not what anybody says, Hot Springs is the place to go and get into condition. There is everything there that a man in training requires, and at this time of year there is plenty of ball playing. The number of ball players there makes it enjoyable for one another, and everybody works hard every day. I had not been there long before I hurt my ankle and I was unable to take part in the games. But I am all right now and I am in good trim. We have had a good time."

Pleased With the Prospects.

Mr. Hanlon went on to say that the Cleveland and Chicago teams are tolerably good teams and will both get much better with practice. He was also well pleased with the outlook of the local club, and thinks that we will be winners. Baldwin looked very well and said that a few days longer at the Springs would have done his arm considerable good. Beckley never looked better in his life, and if he plays to-day those who see him will indorse the statement.

Connie Mack is also on hand and he too looks much better for his Florida trip. He will meet the officials of the club to-day and talk business. He is quite willing to sign, but he does not want to suffer as big a reduction as the management desire. He wants $3,000, and President Temple is not disposed to go that high. A compromise may be effected to-day and Mack will be seen in to-day's game at Exposition Park.

Made Terms With Woodcock.

Pitcher Woodcock also had a pleasant conference with the officials of the club. He pointed out that his only reason for not wanting to report for duty until June was that he wanted to attend college until that time. After he had stated his reasons for his demand President Temple granted him leave of absence until June 29, when the local team play at Cleveland. Woodcock is certainly a well built and intelligent young man. He gives promise of being a good pitcher. There will be five pitchers in the team without him and if they are in any kind of form woodcock can easily be spared.

To-day's game will commence at 3:15 if it does not rain. Galvin will pitch for the Regulars and Camp will play in the field. The "old sport" is certainly in fine fettle and his arm yesterday was as powerful as it ever was.

Pleased the Officials.

Yesterday morning President Temple and Vice President Kerr were on the grounds and saw the players at practice. Every player showed up very well, and Corkhill gave a good exhibition of his splendid fielding. He is considerably lighter than when here last fall. Swartwood, too, appeared to be in good form. Considerable attention was paid to the pitchers. Camp displayed remarkable speed. He can use his long arm to great advantage in the way of getting speed on the ball, but he did not try any curves worthy of notice. Elmer Smith pleased the little band of spectators greatly. His arm is apparently all right, and Manager Buckenberger was well pleased with Smith's efforts. Earle, Raymond and Ehret also did some work. The last named is a little on the big side, but he will be all right before the championship season opens. He is a powerful man. Altogether, the club officials were very well satisfied with the way in which the players showed up. The manner in which Charley Farrell moved round was another source of satisfaction.

THE BRADDOCKS WON'T JOIN.

They Decline to Become a Member of the County League.

Secretary Frank Miller, of the County League, attended a meeting of the Braddock club relative to the latter's coming into the County League. The members of the club discussed the matter pro and con, and finally by a vote of 6 to 4 decided not to join the League. The manager was in favor of joining. The team have secured their uniforms and have also secured good inclosed grounds.

There will be a meeting of the County League this evening at the Hotel Schlosser, when the applications of the Climax and Hill Top teams will be discussed. Both those teams want to join the League but Secretary Miller stated last evening, that he could not tell which of the two teams would be admitted.

A Team at Brookville.

BROOKVILLE, March 31.—[*Special.*]—The Brookville baseball team will be in the field the coming season, composed of the following players: Alex Whitehill and T. M. Slartzell, pitchers; John K. Scribner and George G. Gourley, catchers; W. W. Henderson, short stop; R. Mays, first base; D. L. Taylor, second base; M. C. Whitehill, third base; S. M. Hunter, left field; H. H. Darr, center field; George G. Gourley, right field and catcher. If Pitcher Whitehill stays with the team they will have one of the strongest teams in this part of the State, as he is a hard and sure hitter, and to his pitching is due a large share of the success of the club last year. They hope to have Manager Russell this season, and he will arrange the games.

A Six-Club League.

BOSTON, March 31.—[*Special.*]—It now looks as if the New England League would be composed of six clubs, for it is the general opinion that it is better to have six strong clubs than eight, with two of them weak. Great interest has been manifested in Manchester, Haverhill, Portland, Lewiston, Pawtucket and Woonsocket. Reports from other places will be read at to-night's meeting at the Tremont House. Messrs. Lovell and Greenleaf, who have given a great deal of time to the formation of the League, feel very much encouraged with the results of their efforts, and say that the League will not only be a "go," but will be run under more favorable auspices than ever.

O'Connor's Big Challenge.

NEW YORK, March 31.—[*Special.*]—Wm. O'Connor, of Toronto, the single-scull champion oarsman of America, has issued a challenge to row the winner of the Sullivan and Stansbury race, either in England or America, for $5,000 and the Police Gazette championship challenge cup. O'Connor agrees to row either Sullivan, McLean or Stansbury three miles, with a turn or straightaway, on any suitable course in America that may be agreed upon, or over the Thames championship course in England. O'Connor has deposited $500 with Richard K. Fox to prove he means business.

Results at Guttenburg.

GUTTENBURG, March 31.—The track was in good condition to-day. The attendance was large.

First race, six furlongs—Sweet Bread first, Pardon second, Prettiwitz third. Time, 1:16½.

Second race, five furlongs—Blanche first, O P B second, Strategem third. Time, 1:02¾.

Third race, three furlongs—Ida B colt first, Republic second, Pisa colt third. Time, :36¾.

Fourth race, six furlongs—Hannibal first, Lucky Clover second, Watch Me third. Time, 1:16¾.

Fifth race, five furlongs—Cold Stream first, Bob Arthur second, Harrisburg third. Time, :55½.

Sixth race, six and a half furlongs—St. Patrick first, Uncertainty second, Climax third. Time, 1:21½.

Latonia Makes an Objection.

CINCINNATI, March 31.—The Latonia Jockey Club has addressed a request to the other members of the Turf Congress that the rule requiring each jockey and trainer to pay a fee for a license be set aside for the season of 1892 and until a better system than the present can be adopted. The Western rule does not provide in terms for a test of honesty and competency, but only for a fee, and has long been unsatisfactory to owners, jockeys, trainers and to many of the clubs. Inasmuch as there are ample funds in the treasury there does not seem to be much doubt that Latonia's request will be granted.

THE WITHERS SALE.

Fred Gebhardt Pays Above $11,000 for a Two-Year-Old.

NEW YORK, March 31.—There was a big crowd at the sale of the Brookdale stable of the late D. D. Withers this afternoon at the American Horse Exchange. There were big prices paid. S. F. Bruce was the auctioneer. The largest price brought was $11,100 by the two-year-old chestnut filly, Experiment by Uncas-Imported dam. The animal was bought by D. Bradley, who represented Fred Gebhardt. The following were also sold:

Brown colt 3, by Uncas-Mimi, Baden stables, $6,000; chestnut colt 3, by Imp. Mortimer-Wanda, $3,000, Mrs. Load; chestnut colt 3, by Stonehenge-Nell, $2,600, H. Warnke; brown colt 3, by Uncas-Cadenio, $7,800, A. Wilkins; brown colt 3, by Uncas-Necromancy, $4,200, G. E. Smith; chestnut filly 3, by Imp. Mortimer-Addie, $4,100; William Lakeland; chestnut filly 3, by Imp. Mortimer-Trill, $5,500, Mr. Walcott; brown colt 2, by Imp. Mortimer-Retribution, $2,600; bay colt, by Imp. Mortimer-Bassinet, $3,650, A. Thompson; bay colt 2, by King Erling-Wyandotte, $3,000, George E. Smith; chestnut colt 2, by Imp-Jolica, $1,500, H. B. Franklin; brown filly 2, by Imp. Mortimer-Ingemore, $1,000, G. W. Carson; bay colt 2, by Imp. King Ernest-Kindnack, $4,100, Walter Corbett; chestnut colt 2, by Sensation-Bassinet, $2,400, C. B. Myles; chestnut colt 2, by Uncas-Couponne, $2,300, W. Watrous; bay filly 2, by Uncas-Mimi, $1,500, S. P. Myers.

More Ring Brutality.

WILKESBARRE, PA., March 31.—Thomas Crawford, formerly of Philadelphia, and Mart Collins, of Plymouth, entered a 24-foot ring here to-night in Jester's Athletic Rooms, to fight with four ounce gloves to a finish, *Police Gazette* rules governing. The former weighed 130 pounds, the latter 145. The purse was $200, the winner to take all. The attendance was large. Six rounds were fought, and in all of them the slugging on both sides was terrific. In the seventh Collins began to wrestle, and threw Crawford heavily to the floor, stunning him. A foul was claimed, which was allowed by the referees, and Crawford was awarded the fight. Both men were removed from the ring in a groggy condition.

The London Chess Tourney.

LONDON, March 31.—The fourth round of the chess masters' tournament was played to-day, when Gunsburg was pitted against Bird and Blackburne against Mason. The first game resulted after 42 moves in favor of Bird, while Blackburne won the second game. The openings were center counter gambit and King's gambit. The number of moves in the second game was 50. The score up to date is as follows: Won—Bird, 1; Blackburne, 2; Gunsburg, 1½; Lasker, 2½; Mason, 1. Lost—Bird, 2; Blackburne, 1; Gunsburg, 2½; Lasker, ½; Mason, 2.

Jordan Refuses McClelland's Offer.

CHICAGO, March 31.—[*Special.*]—In reference to E. C. McClelland's request that he be allowed to join in the Priddy-Jordan three-mile race at Pittsburg, in May, Jordan said to-night that he would refuse to entertain the proposition. Should he defeat Priddy, Jordan says he will be willing to run an independent race with McClelland. He feels that to run against two Eastern professionals is too great an undertaking for an amateur and a man of unknown ability like himself.

Cleveland Again Gets There.

HOT SPRINGS, March 31.—Cleveland defeated Chicago in a very pretty 11 inning game this afternoon. It was hotly contested throughout and was characterized by very fine ball playing on both sides. Gumbert and Schriver were in the points for Chicago. Davis and O'Connor for Cleveland. The score: Cleveland, 10; Chicago, 9.

Think It's a Go.

Local patrons of cricket are now certain that a League will be organized in this city to-morrow afternoon. The meeting which is to be held in the Hotel Schlosser will commence at 4 o'clock in the afternoon. This is to allow the representatives for East Liverpool, Youngstown, New Castle and other places to return home in the evening.

The Three A's Ball Team.

The Baseball Committee of the Three A's held a meeting at the Hotel Schlosser last evening to discuss the prospects of the season. The committee selected a number of dates on which their team will try and play local games. The team have not yet been selected, but they will be in a few days.

Forfeit Up for Fitz.

BOSTON, March 31.—James Carroll, the trainer of Bob Fitzsimmons, yesterday deposited $1,000 to bind a match between the Australian and Jim Hall for $10,000. Queensberry rules, before some responsible club, the Olympic Club, of New Orleans, preferred.

$75,000 for Director.

PHILADELPHIA, March 31.—Mr. A. H. Moore, proprietor of the Cloverdale Stock Farm, has purchased from Monroe Salisbury, of Pleasanton, Cal., the stallion Director, with a record of 2:17, for $75,000. Director is the sire of Direct, with a record of 2:06.

The Spider Knocked Out.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 31.—Dal Hawkins knocked out "Spider" Gallagher in four rounds at the California Athletic Club last night. Both men are San Francisco bantam weight pugilists.

The Diamond.

OUR first "trial" game to-day if all goes well.

JOHN IRWIN has not signed with any club yet.

WOODCOCK certainly looks every inch a pitcher.

CHARLEY SNYDER will umpire the first series at Columbus.

THE 50-game tickets for the local games will be here to-day.

THE grounds at Exposition Park are in a somewhat bad condition.

YOUNG, Cleveland's pitcher, is ambitious to become a first baseman.

JOHN BERGER may try and secure an engagement with the Buffalo Club.

TOM FULLWOOD's new and conveniently gotten up scorebook will be out to-day.

BOSTON baseball writers are again commencing to abuse poor Pittsburg's ball club.

WALTER BRODIE has signed a St. Louis contract. He draws $2,650 for his season's work.

RICHARDSON has not returned the $1,000 he received from George Wagner as advance money.

PRESIDENT WAGNER, of the Washington Baseball Club, has signed Dolan and Gastright, pitchers.

THE aggregate batting average of last year of the best eight men signed by the local club is .278. That's not bad.

CHARLES BASTIAN, the old League player, has signed a contract to play with the Athletic Club, of the Eastern League.

THE care that Pitcher Luby has taken of himself this winter justifies the prediction that he will pitch great ball this season.

JACK O'CONNOR promises to be Cleveland's star catcher this season. He is more active than Zimmer, besides being a better batter and base runner.

TOMMY QUINN left Bradford, Pa., last night to join the Indianapolis club, to which he has been assigned by the Western League. His wife accompanied him.

TOMMY MCCARTHY has sent back the $300 advance he received from St. Louis, but inclosed it in a letter so very hot that "Der Boss" threatens to sue for interest.

SANDY GRISWOLD says: "Old Bobby Addy, who was with Cincinnati as far back as '74, is running a hardware store and hunting elk and grizzlies out at Pocatello, Idaho."

VICE-PRESIDENT KERR, of the local club, has figured out that the best eight players of the home club have nearly as good an average as the best eight players of any other League club.

IT is claimed that an average attendance of 500 at each game will enable an Eastern League club to exist this season, and the receipts of those above that number will be counted as the profits.

TIM KEEFE's season of coaching will terminate at Harvard to-day. Messrs. S. E. Winslow, Clarence Smith and Robert Winsor—all graduates—will then give more or less attention to the nine.

CAPTAIN SEXTON, of the Brown University nine, was in Burlington, Vt., on Friday last, and tried to get Catcher Kinsella, of the University of Vermont nine, to play with the Browns, but was unsuccessful.

DUFFY, Richardson and Brouthers, a trio that often made music with their sticks at the Congress street grounds, put up a bunch of 13 base hits last Monday; Duffy five, Richardson and Brouthers four each.

WASHINGTON has been trounced by the Phillies on several occasions, and this leads the *Star* to philosophize so: "It is better to lose the exhibitions and win the championship games than vice versa, as former local nines did."

CAPTAIN EWING and Charley Bassett have "made up," and the duel that Sam Crane said would surely take place was called off on account of peace. The Captain's strong call of Bassett will have the effect of keeping him in the path of rectitude during the season.

OVER in St. Louis they are full of sympathy for the Reds. The *Post-Dispatch* says: "While the Cincinnati club possesses a few very strong players, it has not the timber for a championship club, and Comiskey, great field captain as he is, will have his hand full keeping them up with the pro- [illegible] collectively as a lot of back numbers, the *P.-D.* young man individually "swells" every man on the payroll!

The Turf.

NEGOTIATIONS are going on for a grand trotting meeting to be held at Chicago this year.

GIL CURRY says McHenry will campaign the gray pacer Guy, 2:11¾, this year. The owner of Guy is a preacher.

THE Covington pool sellers have offered the Latonia Jockey Club $10,000 for the privilege of booking on Eastern races at the track during the Latonia spring meeting.

THE Decorah (Ia.) Driving Park Association has been organized and work has been begun on a new track. Its first meeting will be held June 15 and 16, with $400 purses and 5 per cent entrance fees.

C. W. WILLIAMS, of Independence, is going to build a grand stand to accommodate 10,000 people at Rush Park which will cost $25,000. He will also build a hotel and opera house at a cost of $50,000.

J. B. COLLINS, owner of Lonford, 4, by Longfellow—Semper Idem, a Brooklyn and Suburban Handicap candidate, has offered "Snapper" Garrison $1,000 if he will ride and win the Suburban with him.

SIMON RENARD, the colt entered by Lord Randolph Churchill for the Garfield Park Derby of 1892, is not likely to be sent over. He was entered last week for the Esher Stakes at Sandown Park, April 8, and is being galloped daily by Trainer Sherwood at Newmarket. If he were intended for racing in this country Lord Churchill would not be likely to add to his English engagements.

The Ring.

JACK COLLINS, of Detroit, has retired from the ring.

PETER JACKSON is making many friends in England by his unassuming ways.

NICK CALLAN, amateur middle-weight boxer, is to become a policeman in Brooklyn.

JACK BURKE wants to get into the arena again. He had better remain on the outside.

CONSTANT READER. If they fight according to articles the winner "will win" $35,000.

JOHN MALONEY, white, knocked Zeig White, a colored man, out in a fight at Chicago Wednesday night.

ALL the pugilistic talk now is between Hall and Fitzsimmons. The latter has resumed the show business.

JIM CORBETT will visit his parents at San Francisco before he goes into training for his fight with Sullivan.

THE Board of Directors of the California Athletic Club have been assessed $50 apiece to pay Joe Goddard's expenses to America.

"KID" BAIN, the Peoria featherweight, has been matched to fight an unknown at Bement, Ill., for $500, with a chance to raise the stake to $1,000 a side, with small gloves and in private.

MIKE DALY, the Bangor lightweight, who is now in the South, will probably be matched to fight Andy Bowen in Augusta, Ga., for a $2,500 purse. Negotiations for the contest are now being made.

Miscellaneous Sporting Notes.

IT is stated that John Teemer is a bartender in St. Jo.

J. O'H. DENNY has gone to New York to take part in the $25 sweepstake shoot.

L. D.—We did not see the contest, and therefore cannot express an opinion. Doubtless the referee was right.

THERE is a bicycle rider in Chicago who has already this season ridden three centuries, mostly over railroad ties and trestles. That's joy.

THE Harvard Cricket Club has sent a strong petition to the athletic advisory committee to be allowed to play the Haverford and U. of P. cricket in Philadelphia.

A FEW members of the Herron Hill Gun Club had a practice shoot at Brunot's Island yesterday. Among those making good scores were W. S. King and Messrs. Ross and McCrickart.

L. F. MAYER, winner of the late shaving contest at Davis' Museum, writes this paper to say that he will make a match with the champion barber of Jersey City, the contest to take place in Pittsburg.

H. A. BASHFORD, the champion wing shot of Northern and Central California, will shoot at 100 live pigeons against any man in America for $1,000 or $2,500 a side. Bashford has a record of killing 96 out of 100 and 232 out of 243.

HERE is a little thought food for "bikers" outside the L. A. W. fold: Isn't it worth something to have this mighty organization fight your case for you when you are run down on the road by some road hog and your wheel is smashed, and if you are on the right side of the road isn't it a satisfaction to know that your wheel will be replaced without a cent out of our pocket?—*Times-Star.*

JOLTED BY JUSTICE.

JOHN LENORD and Edward Chambers were arrested last night for fighting. They were locked up in the Twelfth ward station.

RICHARD TEESE is charged with non-support by his wife, Mary, before Alderman Kerr. He was arrested last night and held for a hearing.

PATRICK WELSH, of Clay alley, made an information before Alderman Richards yesterday charging Thomas McCune with assault and battery.

PHILIP FROM, of Twenty-seventh street and Larkin's alley, Southside, became abusive on a Birmingham car. Magistrate Succop gave him 30 days to the workhouse.

JAMES BARRETT, 9, and Joseph Lang and Frank Steel, both 14 years old, were arrested yesterday for rolling stones down from Duquesne Heights to the Panhandle Railroad track.

WILLIAM WHITE was arrested yesterday on a warrant issued by Alderman Leslie on a charge of cruelty to his family. The information was made by Secretary Dorenti of the Anti-Cruelty Society.

LOU MILLER and Mamie White, who reside at 2012 Penn avenue, were arrested last night on a charge of keeping a disorderly house. The information was made by Inspector McKelvey before Alderman McKenna.

JOHN DORSEY, colored, will have a hearing to-day before Alderman Donovan, charged with cruelty to a mule. The charge was made by George E. Adams, of the Western Pennsylvania Humane Society, who said that Dorsey was starving his mule to death

JOHN CRAIG entered information before Alderman McKenna yesterday, charging John Marion and John L. Bird with larceny from the person. He alleges that a few days ago the defendants took a gold watch and chain and $2 in money from him. They all live in Mercer county.

FRANK MCCARTHY, the boarding house thief arrested a few days ago on the Southside, was identified as the man who robbed Mrs. Aimes' house at McKeesport, stealing a gold watch worth $85 and some money. The Allegheny police are working up several more cases against him.

MRS. MAGGIE MIDDLETON and August Reeves, both of McKeesport, were arrested at the Union depot Wednesday evening. Mrs. Middleton is charged with deserting her three children, and the husband had the pair arrested for eloping. Bail was given for the action of the Criminal Court.

WILLIAM CRAIG, a lumber man from Elk county, was robbed of a gold watch and $200 by a man who was showing him the sights on Wednesday night. He reported his loss to the police, who arrested John Marron, alias McCaffery, who gave up the watch, but denied having taken the money. He will be given a hearing before Magistrate Gripp to-day.

W. H. CHRISTY, a colored man, was arrested at the Union depot last night by Officer Conway for impersonating an officer. With him was D. H. Eckert, who arrived in the city from Johnstown yesterday. Christy told Eckert that he was a special officer, and would see that he was protected. He got possession of Eckert's satchel, and was making off with it when arrested.

THE report of the police business in the Third district for the month of March was completed by Magistrate Succop last night. The total number of cases handled was 192, and the receipts amounted to $615 20. The number of cases of drunkenness was 59; disorderly conduct, 84; vagrancy, 10; abducting a child, 1; of these 6 were committed to the insane department of the Poor Farm; 26 sent to jail, and 47 to the workhouse.

TALES OF TWO CITIES.

ISAAC KLEIN, of Salem, N. J., was found in an unconscious condition at Grant and South avenues, Allegheny, yesterday. He was removed to the Allegheny General Hospital.

CLERK JAMES BAILEY, of the Allegheny Department of Charities, is preparing the regular report, showing the outdoor relief furnished from October 1 to April 1 by the department. About 1,000 persons have been relieved.

COLLEGE students in New York City, Philadelphia and Pittsburg were examined yesterday for resident physicians at the Mercy Hospital. There are three to be selected by the highest averages. The result will be made known in a few days.

JAMES KEAN, aged 12 years, who resides with his parents on South Breed street, was attacked by a vicious dog on Thirteenth street while on his way to the mill with his father's dinner. He was badly bitten on the legs and arms before the brute could be driven off.

A Bank Burglarized.

EL ROY, WIS., March 31.—The City Bank at this place was blown open by burglars about 1 o'clock this morning. About $3,500 was secured. The robbers have escaped, but it is supposed that they left on the southbound train, going either to Chicago or Milwaukee, where detectives are on the watch for them.

TWO CENTS A MILE.

The Movement in the Ohio Legislature to Make It Legal Fare.

THE 1,000 MILE BOOK ACT PASSED.

A Short Truce Declared in the Sherman-Foraker Fight in Ohio.

NEWSY NOTES FROM NEARBY TOWNS

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.]

COLUMBUS, March 31.—These House to-day passed a bill amending the law so as to require all the railroads of the State to sell 1,000-mile books at the rate of 2 cents per mile. The author said that the bill has been discussed before the Committee on Railroads, and has been made satisfactory to the representatives of railroads. In his opinion, it does not in the slightest degree interfere with the passage of the bill making 2 cents per mile the legal fare in Ohio. An amendment was adopted, providing that the books shall be good for any five persons presenting the same. An amendment exempting roads under 25 miles in length from the provisions the bill was also adopted.

Still the Cincinnati $6,000,000 water works bill hangs fire in midair, subject to all changes in the political atmosphere of the Ohio Senate, which has become pregnant with factional odor. The enemies of the bill are afraid to call up the motion to reconsider, and its friends are quite as fearful of the result. Both parties desire to gain advantage by delay, and have consented to postpone the consideration of the motion to reconsider the vote by which the bill passed till next Wednesday. In the meantime the wire-pulling will continue, and both parties will nerve themselves for the final struggle.

A DESPONDENT DRUG CLERK

Commits Suicide Because He Sought Employment in Vain.

ZANESVILLE, March 31.—[*Special.*]—"W. A. Scott, Sharpsburg, Pa.: Meet me at the Hotel Winsdor; I am dying," was the message sent by N. E. Pinnell last night. After sending it he went to his room and took morphine. He summoned a physician, but was unconscious before his arrival. He has been under the influence of electric batteries ever since and may recover.

He has been seeking a position as a drug clerk, but was not successful at Belpre, Marietta or this city. He left a note to his mother, stating that he could not get work, and that he had better go. He also asked to be buried in a new suit of clothes which he had just purchased and which he put on before taking the morphine.

Leaving Money to Unknown Heirs.

NEW CASTLE, March 31.—[*Special.*]—Christian Heitzman, a citizen of Wayne township, this county, who died some time ago in a Catholic hospital in Pittsburg, had no relatives here. It has just been learned that he had quite a sum of money deposited in one of the city banks here, and this morning Jacob Young was appointed his administrator, whose duty it will be to find the friends of the deceased living in Germany. Heitzman had been in this country but three years when he died, but seems to have prospered greatly.

Steam Bursts Under a Hearthstone.

UNIONTOWN, March 31.—[*Special.*]—Fire broke out beneath the hearthstone of Henry Turnbull's dwelling at midnight last night. In attempting to put out the flames he poured water down upon the fire. The steam thus generated being unable to escape, filled the space below the hearth and between the plaster and weather boards. An explosion resulted, which tore off all the plaster from the side of the house, and Mr. Turnbull narrowly escaped being severely scalded.

Temperance Buildings Threatened.

JOHNSTOWN, March 31.—[*Special.*]—Since the burning of Temperance Hall in Morrellsville by incendiaries reports have spread that the Methodist Church and other buildings will be burned. Among those threatened is ex-Burgess Patch, whose house is said to be under the ban. The charges against Mr. Patch is that he has been encouraging the "Y" temperance order, and that meetings have been held in his house.

Drank Sulphuric Acid For Water.

SANDY LAKE, March 31—[*Special.*]—L. M. Jackson, physician and druggist at Clark's Mills, made a mistake the other day that may cost him his life. Wishing a drink of water, he took up a glass containing sulphuric acid, of which he took a large swallow. His throat was horribly burned and his suffering was so intense that his life was despaired of. He connot speak or eat a particle of food. The doctors now believe he may recover.

A Prominent Man's Suicide.

DAYTON, March 31.—The city was startled to-night by the suicide of Colonel Harley H. Sage by shooting. He had held minor offices, but saved no money, and in failing health became despondent and fired the shot from which he will die. He was a gallant soldier through the entire war, and came out as Colonel of the One Hundred and Seventy-ninth Ohio Infantry. His present wife is a daughter of the late Colonel Charles Flood, of Columbus.

The Reynoldsville Postoffice Robbed.

REYNOLDSVILLE, March 31.—[*Special.*]—The postoffice at this place was entered last night, the safe blown open and robbed of stamps to the amount of $600. This is the fourth time the Government and the postmaster have made contributions to the knights of the night in eight years. Joseph Morrow's store was also entered and a small amount of goods taken.

Attempted Suicide After a Whipping.

BETHLEHEM, PA., March 31.—Bertha Jones, aged 14 year, daughter of Charles Jones, was whipped by her parents on account of the alleged theft of a cologne bottle. The girl stubbornly denied the charge, and the treatment she received so angered her that she took a large dose of poison. She is now lingering at the point of death.

Tri-State Brevities.

THE L. and O. people have begun their work on the sale of Sunday papers at Johnstown.

THE grip and remorse over marrying his own cousin drove Erland Birath insane at McKeesport.

MEMBERS of the Cooley gang broke into a Fairchance hardware store Wednesday night and made off with revolvers, guns and ammunition. A jewelry store was also robbed.

CAPTAIN ADAM JACOBS, of the steamer James G. Blaine, who was indicted last February for assault upon Miss Carrie Rohr, a passenger on his boat, was arrested at Brownsville and brought to Morgantown. He gave $2,000 bail for his appearance at court.

If you wish a first-class boarding house consult the want columns of the Sunday Dispatch.

His One Ambition.

Samuel E. Stewart, the member of the Legislature from the Eighth district, was in Pittsburg yesterday. He says he is anxious to go back to the Legislature to secure the passage of a uniform road law which he says is needed worse than any other law he can think of.

Boarders and lodgers wanted and rooms to let. Advertised in Sunday's Dispatch. The best houses are represented in the cent-a-word column.

Ocean Steamship Arrivals.

Steamer.	Where From.	Destination.
Gothia	Baltimore	Hamburg.
Kansas	Liverpool	Boston.
Saandam	Rotterdam	Baltimore.
Ohio	Rotterdam	Baltimore.
Amsterdam	New York	Rotterdam.
Hermann	New York	London.
Werkendam	New York	London.
City of N. Y.	New York	London.
Spree	New York	London.
Pommeranian	Glasgow	New York.
Havel	Bremen	New York.
Michigan	London	New York.
City of Paris	Liverpool	New York.
Wyoming	Liverpool	New York.
Moravia	Hamburg	New York.
[illegible]	Antwerp	New York.

JUDGE MAYNARD'S TRIAL.

Testimony of Bar Association Investigators — How He Violated Professional Ethics—What His Offense Consisted Of.

ALBANY, N. Y., March 31.—The Joint Judiciary Committee resumed the hearing in the investigation of Judge Maynard, of the Court of Appeals this afternoon. John Caldwalder, a member of the New York City Bar Association and one of the Committee of Nine which signed the report asking the Legislature to investigate the charges against Judge Maynard, was the first witness. He gave his views as to the details of the Dutchess county election returns case.

"What injury did Judge Maynard do in taking back the returns?" asked Mr. Ridgeway.

"He sat by and did not protest when the Mylod returns were canvassed. Judge Maynard's offense consisted in his determination not to allow the returns to reach the State Board of Canvassers. Judge Maynard had found records in a public office and had no right to inquire how they got there. The fact that he was a Republican did not influence my judgment, and there was no political or other feeling against Judge Maynard in the committee."

Mr. Albert Stickney, another of the Bar Association's Committee of Nine which drew the report against Judge Maynard, was next called. At the time of his appointment he had decided that apparently Judge Maynard was guilty of grand larceny. Mr. Stickney said that he did not fully agree that Judge Maynard had violated the United States law and also the State law, as alleged in the association's report. The witness said that if Judge Maynard had, as he said in his letter, made an arrangement not to receive the returns he would still be the more guilty, for in this case he would have entered into a conspiracy to defeat the law.

Mr. Stickney said the fact that Judge Maynard had been a public officer aggravated his offense. At the association meeting, where the report was adopted, there were about 500 members present, and perhaps ten adverse voters. He violated professional ethics in advising State officers to do anything but their plain duty.

ROBBED A TRAIN IN EIGHT MINUTES.

The Remarkable Work of Bandits Just Out of Birmingham, Ala.

BIRMINGHAM, ALA., March 31.—The Georgia Pacific passenger train, which left here for Atlanta at 11:30 last night, was held up at Weem's station, ten miles out of Birmingham. A young white man boarded the engine, and, at the point of a Winchester, compelled the engineer to bring the train to a standstill. Another masked man boarded the mail car, broke down the door, shot once to bring the agent to terms, and went through letters, taking all the registered packages. He then coolly left. Outside the rest of the gang were firing off their guns to keep the passengers quiet, and not a soul made a movement except the rear flagman, who was shot at for his trouble. The entire job consumed eight minutes.

The scene was at Stinking creek, which is crossed by a high trestle. The men who robbed the train got upon the trestle and brought the train up with the rear coach on the trestle. The gang outside were under the embankment. The extent of the loss is not known. Dogs were procured and a chase began. The packages which had been torn open were found 300 yards off, near the place where the men had been camping. The robbers got 85 packages of registered mail and threw away one package which had no money in it. The dogs tracked the thieves to a suburb of this city, where the scent was lost. The robbers are believed to be local characters.

A NEW CRUISER LAUNCHED.

The Warship Raleigh Weds the Waters at the Norfolk Navy Yard.

PORTSMOUTH NAVY YARD, VA., March 31.—Constructor Francis T. Bowles is the recipient to-day of hundreds of congratulations over the complete success of the launching of the cruiser Raleigh this morning at the Norfolk Navy Yard. Fully 40,000 people witnessed the interesting event. The navy yard, the shores of the river and dozens of steamers, tugs and yachts were covered with spectators. At 11:36 o'clock the signal was given, and Mrs. Alfred W. Haywood, of Raleigh, N. C., daughter of Governor Holt, of that State, standing between the Secretary of the Navy and Ensign Hilby P. Jones, broke the bottle of wine on the bow of the cruiser and she began to move off as easily as if under her own propeller.

It was just three-fourths of a minute from the time the bottle was broken that the Raleigh was stopped by her anchors in midstream. The whole affair was a marvel of success. The shouts of the multitude and the salutes were deafening for several minutes.

BEATEN BY A PORTER.

Conductor Morrison, of the Panhandle, in a Very Serious Condition.

W. T. Morrison, a Pullman conductor of train No. 5, Panhandle route, going west, which left Pittsburg at 9:45 o'clock last night, was assaulted and seriously injured at North Mansfield by John W. Smith, a colored porter of the same train. The reason for the assault has not yet been given. Smith, after the attack, pulled the air cord and stopped the train, and then jumped from it.

Word was immediately sent to Union station and Special Officer David Hanna sent a description of the porter to station No. 8, Thirty-sixth ward. Shortly after midnight Smith was arrested on the Point bridge by Officer Conrad Sill and placed behind the bars at the Thirty-sixth ward station. Orders were given to the police to refuse any effort to release him on bail, this step being thought necessary until the true condition of Morrison is known.

A GRIEVANCE AGAINST CANADA.

Uncle Sam Asks the Privilege of Stationing Immigration Inspectors.

OTTAWA, ONT., March 31.—Colonel Lay, Consul General at Ottawa for the United States, has, at the request of the Department of State at Washington, lodged a complaint with the Canadian Government of the large number of undesirable immigrants who find their way into the United States by way of Canada, and has requested that the American Government be permitted to place inspectors at the chief immigration depots in Canada where immigrants land, for the purpose of reporting their condition and enabling the American Government to make a direct and pronounced remonstrance should it be justified by the reports of the inspectors. No reply has yet been made by the Government.

SCIENTIFIC SEALING.

Government Experts Start on a Cruise to Solve a Problem.

PORT TOWNSEND, March 31.—The United States Fish Commission steamer Albatross and the revenue cutter Corwin left to-day for Alaska on a scientific expedition to investigate the habits of fur seals off the breeding grounds. Both of the vessels took sealing boats, naturalists and seal hunters. It is their intention to follow the herds and kill seals in open sea to ascertain what per centage thus killed are lost. They will investigate the matter fully in connection with the British commission.

Gambling Finds a Cleveland Victim.

CLEVELAND, March 31.—John C. Campbell, the bookkeeper of the big lumber firm of Woods, Jenks & Co., was arrested to-day for embezzling $5,300 from his employers. He made a full confession, and said he had been taking the money in small sums for eight years to make good losses at the gambling table. He is 30 years old, married and of a good family.

THE WEATHER.

For Western Pennsylvania, West Virginia and Ohio: Warmer and Fair Friday With Increasing South Winds, Probably Rain by Saturday Morning.

TEMPERATURE AND RAINFALL.

8 A. M.	45	Maximum temp.	56
12 M.	50	Minimum temp.	40
2 P. M.	52	Mean temp.	48
5 P. M.	53	Range	16
8 P. M.	44	Prec.	03

RIVER NEWS AND NOTES.

Louisville Items—The Stage of Water and the Movements of Boats.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAMS TO THE DISPATCH.]

LOUISVILLE, March 31. — Business good. Weather clear and pleasant. The river is stationary, with 10 feet 9 inches on the falls, 13 feet 1 inch in the canal and 34 feet 5 inches below. Captain W. D. O'Neill, of Pittsburg, is in the city. The Charlie Brown and tow arrived and are at the foot of the canal. The John W. Barrett is due up from St. Louis to-day. The New South passed down for Memphis this morning. The Ohio passed up from Memphis. The Iron Duke is due up to-morrow.

Captain Pink Varble has been gradually sinking all day. He began getting worse last night and has been unconscious the greater part of this morning. The physicians hold out no encouragement. Departures—Big Sandy, for Cincinnati; Big Kanawha, for Carrollton; Tell City, for Evansville.

What Upper Gauges Show.

ALLEGHENY JUNCTION—River 11 feet 8 inches and falling. Clear and pleasant.

MORGANTOWN—River 4 feet and falling. Clear. Thermometer 52° at 4 P. M.

BROWNSVILLE—River 8 feet and falling. Clear. Thermometer 49° at 4 P. M.

WARREN—River 5 feet. Cloudy and mild.

The News From Below.

EVANSVILLE—River 29 feet 8 inches and falling. Clear.

WHEELING—River 16 feet and falling. Departed—Hudson, Cincinnati; Courier, Parkersburg; Bedford, Pittsburg; Scotia, Pittsburg. Cloudy.

CINCINNATI—River 34 feet 7 inches and rising. Clear and warm. Departed—Keystone State, to Pittsburg.

MEMPHIS — Departed — Guiding Star, for New Orleans; City of New Orleans, St. Louis; John F. Walton and tow, Ohio; Kate Adams, Arkansas City. Arrived—Buckeye State, Cincinnati. River 23 feet and rising. Clear and cool.

CAIRO—Nellie Speer, below. Departed—E. M. Norton, St. Louis. River 33.5 feet and rising. Clear and mild.

NEW ORLEANS—Warm and clear. Arrived—H. F. Frisbe and tow, Cincinnati. Departed—New Mary Houston, Cincinnati.

ST. LOUIS—Arrived—City of Providence, Natchez, City of Sheffield, Tennessee river. Weather clear. River 16 feet 5 inches; rising rapidly.

Gossip on the Wharf.

THE marks show 10 feet and falling slowly.

THE H. K. Bedford will leave at noon to-day for Parkersburg.

THE I. N. Bunton left yesterday with four boats and six barges for Cincinnati.

THE Scotia will be the regular Cincinnati packet to-day. She will leave at 4 P. M.

THE Louise is laid up at Ironton for repairs. She will probably be in shape by next week.

FULLY 10,000 people visited the new Pittsburg and Cincinnati steamer, Iron Queen, yesterday. The handsome vessel was much praised by the visitors. She left at 6 o'clock on her maiden trip with a fair cargo and about 150 passengers. George W. C. Johnston was in charge and looked after the personal comfort of the passengers.

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