How the Associated Press Sizes Up the Situation at Minneapolis.

HARRISON MEN ARE FIRM.

Blaine Men Are Hopeful and the Independent Element

NOW TALK ABOUT A COMPROMISE

The Convention Sure to Leave Behind Regrets and Disappointments.

A SUNDAY NOT DEVOTED TO WORSHIP

IBY ASSOCIATED PRESS.

MINNEAPOLIS, MINN., June 5 .- The sauctity of the American Sabbath was sacred to no man to-day. In the mad whirlpool of political hopes and fears men forgot their Christian faith and remembered only their political creed; forgot their Maker and their Savior and worshiped only at the shrine of their political idols.

At 11 o'clock, when the tolling belts called the devout to Christian worship, the labbies of the leading hotels were filled with a surging, seething mass of excited humanity, and when the minister in the neighboring church led the opening prayer the corridors of the hotels were resounding with the cheers and counter-cheers for Beninmin F. Harrison and James G. Blaine All day long this excitement continued and as words go out over the wires to-night the fierce competition of political enthusiasm continues with increasing vigor.

It has been a day of kaleidoscopic changes. The situation has been constantly shifting, constantly varying, and the wave of sentiment that swept over the assemblage in one hour would be followed by a wave of reaction the next, until in the end it was difficult indeed to sum up the total of political sentiment; to ascertain the measure of the ebb and flow, the true drifts of the political feeling. Harrison's Strength a Surprise.

In one respect the day has been one of surprise, and the significance of that surprise can only be weighed by the events of the future. The Harrison leaders have rallied their forces and the demoralization of last night has given place to energy, vigor and resolution to-night. Indeed, of the two great factions into which the Republican party is divided, the administration element is as strong in leadership, pelitical sagacity and organization as even the experienced leaders who head the oppo-All this has been a surprise for those who

have kept aloot from both factions, fully expectant that the wave of Blaine sentiment that swept over the land at 2 o'clock vesterday afternoon would be irresistible in its force, and that to-day would find gathered in its embrace all the scattered uninstructed delegates of the Republican party, But such has not been the case; indeed, to a close observer it is very apparent that the Harrison forces are as strong to-day as they were 24 hours ago. The Blaine people say that all this is the result of organization; that the Harrison managers are holding the rank and file of the delegations lovally to their leader, but that when the decisive hattle comes the Biaine enthusiasm will earry all before it, and the distinguished on of Maine be nominated on the first ballot. The Harrison leaders laugh at these predictions of their opponents, and say that they are stronger to-day than they have ever been and the reason of the increasing strength is that the delegates to the National Convention have become weary of the temporizing of ex-Secretary Blaine, and have found in his retirement from the Cabinet and his entrance into the contest at this late hour an evidence of bad faith, disloyalty and deplicity toward the President of the United States.

Big Claims of the Administration Men.

Men whose fortune it has been to attend all of the Republican conventions of the last 25 years; men who have observed every shifting of the political atmosphere ar have become pilots of politics, say to-night that the convention of 1892 is unique in the discrepancy which it presents between the of the contesting candidates. will be 920 delegates in the convention that is to be called to order by Chairman Clark-son at 12 on Tuesday next. Of this number the Harrison managers officially announce to-night that the Chief will receive the votes of 550, while the Blaine leaders, though scorning to descend to details, maintain with lofty confidence that their candidate will receive at least three-tifths of the votes of the convention and will be nominated by acclamation. Of course these counter-claims cannot possibly both be accurate, and this very discrepancy many to suppose to-night that both are idely extravagant in their assertions. Naturally, therefore, there is a feeling of great incredulity among those who are un-committed to either candidate.

Of one thing only is the casual political observer sure, and that is that bitter feeling is being engendered in the party ranks with every passing hour, and that with Blaine and Harrison in the field the result of the teuth Bepublican Convention-whatever that result may be-will leave behind it poignant regrets, bitter disappointments, and hard feeling of hostility toward the successful candidate.

McKinley's Name Freely Handled,

It is all this rather than the usual sentiment for lavorite sons that gives rise to-night to all the rumors of dark horses and impromise candidates. There is no doubt that the desire for a third candidate, for a man unwedded to and unidentified with either of these political factions, is growing in the public mind, and against this growing sentiment both factions feel that they

must now compete.

The name most frequently mentioned among the list of dark horses is that of William McKinley, Jr., Governor of Ohio. Inamiries are already being made as to his bility to receive the solid support of the Ohio delegation in case the great leaders sensational quarrels of Ohio Republicans are proverbial and the vital question is: "Would Foraker and his friends favor McKinley?" This question is answered in the affirmative to-night by many of Foraker's triends, but the ex-Governor himself

maintains a discreet silence.
It is rumored that John Sherman, the grent Ohio Senator, would be Foraker's favorite in case the Buckeye delegation were called upon to furnish a candidate, as Fornker would almost certainly succeed Sherman in the Senate should the latter be called to the Presidency on the 4th of March. Sherman, too, has hosts of friends in other State delegations, but he is no more popular than the young Napoleon of protection, as the special indorsement which is to be given to the McKinley bill

Alger Still in the Noisy Ring.

The name of Alger is still the watchword of the Michigan delegation, and his name will certainly be presented to the conven-tion. Most of the delegates from his State are for Blaine for second choice, but the General's closest friends are rather cherishishing the hope that recent developments may be such that Blaine people will rally to Alger as second choice.

There is no denial on the part of certain of the Iowa delegates that they are looking longingly for an occasion which will justify

Jeremiah Rusk, of Wisconsin, and White-law Reid, of New York, are also freely dis-cussed, and it is believed each would receive the votes of his State delegation in case of the retirement of both Harrison and Blaine. Cullom is the only one of these men on the ground, and he is a delegate at large from Illinois and an avowed Harrison man. He is evidently sincere in his loyalty to the President, but he kept rather busy this evening denying the rumors of his candi-dacy and in insisting that Harrison must be

#### CAUGHT ON THE FLY.

cago-1 Song and a Surprise-How Some of the Delegates Size Up Blaine's Resignution.

CHICAGO, June 5.-Large crowds of Republicans on their way to the Minneapolis Convention congregated in the hotels today. The topic of conversation was the Blaine resignation, and, while Mr. Blaine's adherents were enthusiastic, the Harrison

Some members of the Cincinnati Blaine Club created a sensation by appearing with hands full of waving pampas, plumes and wheat heads. "American wheat and pro-tection," "The plumed Knight," were the cries, and the crowd took them up. Alger had a little boom early in the day on the arrival of a delegation of prominent lum-

the Graud Pacific and made the corridors ring with their songs. One of them, "Blaine is the Man," took exceedingly well until some one looked over the shoulder of one of the singers and saw that the words were written "Harrison is the Man." On the announcement of the result of his peep a wild yell went up that drowned the

he didn't think Biaine's resignation affects. Harrison's chances in the least. "Blaine's chances in Indiana," said he, "if he be nominated will be fully as good as they were the last time, when Cleveland beat him by 7,000 votes in the State." Mr. Henry thought the pros-pects for a dark horse are exceedingly good, "and if Harrison cannot get it," said he,
"I hope the dark horse will. Our delegates would swing to McKinley, of course."
R. B. Hawley, of Galveston, Tex., de

clared he would vote for Harrison, and if the President is not to be the candidate then for Blaine. He does not want a dark horse. The Texas delegation, said he, is

26. He thinks Harrison can carry the pivotal States. The Connecticut delegation remained in the city but a short time. According to Thomas Wallace, of Ansonia, the majority of the delegates are for Blaine. Governor

B. Wilson Smith, postmaster at Lafavette, Ind., talked warmly for Harrison, and said it is astonishing how many Harrison votes the letter of resignation made in Lafayette

### BLAINE IN ONE BALLOT

Is the Tip Sent Out in a Cipher Dispatch From Minneapolis to Providence-The Scheme to Withdraw the President's

PROVIDENCE, R. I., June 5 .- [ Special. ]-A member of the Republican State Committee of Maine was in town this evening, and gave to a reporter some very interest-ing information. "Mr. Blaine will be nominated on the first formal ballot," said this gentleman. "I speak by the card, for I have here a cipher dispatch direct from Minneapolis May I ask from whom it comes?" aske

the reporter. "I can only say that it could not come from any higher or better authority. It advises me that the present plan is to take an informal ballot by which it will be shown Mr. Blaine has more than enough to nominate him. Then a Harrison man, with formally withdraw the name of Mr. Harrison and move the nomination of Mr. Blaine by acclamation. This will, of course, carry the convention with a whoop, and there you

"Were you surprised at the announce ment of Mr. Blaine's resignation to-day?' asked the reporter. "Frankly, not in the least."

"I am not authorized to speak for Mr Blaine, but I can assure you that his friends have been working very hard and very loyally to bring it about, and there is absolutely no doubt of their success. Mr. Blaine did not resign until it was known beyond the shadow of a doubt that he had surely more than enough votes in the convention to nominate him."

make no disguise of the fact that Mr. Blaine is now personally formally in the race, and that his resignation to-day is virtually a formal announcement of the fact?" "As I told you before, I am not author-

ized to speak for him. That is all I have to say to-night, and perhaps I have said more now than I ought to."

## PEOPLE WHO COME AND GO.

W. H. Slight and A. D. Parsons, of Boston, and T. O. Sullivan, of New York, members of the National Funeral Directors' Association, are at the Central. They are here for the purpose of attending the annual session of the association, which meets here on Wednesday and Thursday. It is expected that 150 members will be present.

on the Valley road last night from Oil City. He was bound for Buffalo, but was unable to get through owing to the cloudburst and he was compelled to return and take another route. S. L. Cowell, conductor of the Uniontown express, has been appointed Assistant Depot Master at the Union station. This makes three assistants, and the watch will be divided into three of eight hours each.

Emanuel DeRoy and family were pas-sengers on the fast line bound for Atlantic City last night. W. M. Brown, of New Castle, and W. W.

J. S. Coxey, the well-known horse dealer

Miss Rose Tucker, of Wheeling, was a guest at the Seventh Avenue yesterday. Ex-Speaker Long went to Philadelphia on the fast line last night.

A. Fink, of Irwin, was at the Seventh Avenue yesterday. W. C. McMahon went to New York on business last night.

## Pittsburgers in New York.

New York, June 5.—[Special.]—The follow-ing Pittsburgers registered at hotels here: E. K. Bennett, Westminster; H. M. Bennett, Hotel Bartholdi: O. M. Bingham, Imperial J. M. Crouse, Park Avenne; J. L. Dempsey, Grand Union: H. P. Dilworth, Imperial; W. S. Eyster, Westminster; H. W. Hartman, Holland; J. B. Ritchey and wife, Sturteyant; K. Solomon, Hotel Imperial; J. D. Weeks,

## Lantern Parade.

The Pittsburg Cycle Company, of 428 Wood street, will open their East End salesroom June II with a lantern parade, in which all cyclers are invited to participate. Lanterns will be furnished free to participants, as will also refreshments after the parade. Leave orders for lanterns now at 428 Wood street.

## LOOKS DOUBTFUL.

Captain Burns May Not Get One of Boston's Pitchers.

MR. BUCKENBURGER'S OPINION.

Ehret Is Trying to Get Himself Into Con-

ANOTHER INTERESTING RELAY RACE

Everybody in any way interested in the local baseball ciub is thoroughly satisfied that another good pitcher is needed. Captain Burns is absolutely certain of this and is trying his best to secure one of the Boston pitchers and also a Boston outfielder. But his efforts do not give much promise of success, as the following dispatch from Manager Buckenberger last evening to this paper shows:

"Mr. Burns has been negotiating with Boston for a pitcher and an outfielder, but has not closed any deal as yet. His chances of getting any of the Boston players do not look very bright."

Captain Burns will be satisfied with any one of the Boston pitchers, but the Triumvirs are not the people to help anybody out of a difficulty. On several occasions they have talked about releasing Clarkson, Lowe and others, but as soon as any other club has made application for the players the releasing idea has been abandoned. The Pittsburg club is prepared to make a big offer for Clarkson and the matter will likely be definitely settled to-day. The Boston Triumvirs cannot be forced to give up any of their players, but as they got such an unduly good share of the "pool" divide be-fore the season commenced it might be expected that they would be a little generous now. But there is little sentiment in base

But if the local club does not succeed in securing a pitcher at Boston efforts will be made elseweere. The management is looking in other directions and it may be that a

good man will be signed this week. A dispatch from Louisville states that Ehret is there and is trying to get himself into condition as fast as he can. His failure to get into condition this sesson has been a very great loss to the club. Had he been all right the team would certainly have been in second place. The directors of the club, however, are still in great hopes of the team keeping up their good work under these difficulties, and that they will do much better as soon as the pitching force is strengthened.

#### Saturday's League Games

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Batteries—Fontz and Dailey; Cuppy and O'Con-

At Baltimore— 

To-Day's League Schedule. Pittsburg at Boston; Cleveland at Brookvn; Cincinnati at Washington; Louisville at New York; Chicago at Baltimore; St. Louis at Philadelphia.

Sunday Western League Games.

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The Fate of Tailenders.

An Eastern writer says: While the New Yorks continue to hover about with the tailenders the attendance is decreasing. This is a reminder of the fact that nothing succeeds like success. To prove this the attendance at Decoration Day's games need only be alluded to. A year ago in the morning the New Yorks played to 3,228 per-sons and this year to 1,497. In the afternoon of the same day a year ago the crowd was 18,162 and this year it was reduced to 7,334, the smallest attendance of the six towns in which the game was played. As a comparison and a recognition of enter-prise and the liberal expenditure of money the attendance at the Brooklyn games may be interesting. A year ago in the morning there were 2,557 persons, and in the morning there were 10,145. This year it led the League in attendance, with a total of 14,770 for the day, of which 11,868 turned

#### out in the afternoon. Meekln at Home.

LOUISVILLE, June 5. - [ Special. ] - Meekin has been suspended indefinitely. D: Stucky telegraphed to Manager Chapman to lay Jouette off, and yesterday morning an answer was received that it had been done. Meekin arrived in Louisville last night. He was sent home as soon as he was suspended. Jouette will practice hard and try to get in condition by the time the Louisvilles return. He is very unfortunate in not being able to control the ball. His absence greatly weakens the team in says that any story of his pitching for his release is untrue, and that he always worked hard. He is at the Fifth Avenue Hotel.

The Diamond, OUR sluggers are just liable to down the cham-lons of Boston to-day. THE local and Johnstown State League teams will play at Exposition Park this afternoon. THE Boston papers say that Baldwin and Mack make one of the star batteries of the country. ANSON has made a bet of \$5 to \$10 that his club will beat out both the Brooklyns and the Bostons. Young McCauley, of Lowell, is said to be a sec-ond Morgan Murphy. Lowell has developed some great youngsters.

PADDY LYONS, formerly second baseman for the Clevelands, has signed to catch for Providence, of the Eastern Association. CHARGES have been made that some of the East-ern League clubs have violated the satary limit, and an investigation is to be held.

THE Browns are "good people" without a leader. At any rate that is Joe Campbell's estimate of them. St. Louis misses Captain Comiskey. THE J. Lyons defeated the St. Benedict Grays on Saturday by a score of 17 to 6. Steele pitched well for the winners. Queen pitched for the Grays. UMPIRE CORCORAN, of the Western League, has been released and E. M. Guenther, a young Chicago lawyer, who has been writing about baseball, succeeds him.

EARLY last April the Louisville directors were maintothe. Now when their sorrow is most polynant they have been titled "The Little Five," -Times-Star.

The lovers of baseball in Baltimore now fully un-derstand that the Orioles in their present condi-tion are no match for the great League teams against which they are pitted, says the Baltimore Sem. Some radical changes must be made, or the season of 1892 in Baltimore will be a great radiure. JONES, the Homestead south-paw of the Louis-ville Club, is not earning the applause of the throng as he did early in the season. The League's heavy hitters are discovering his weak points, and he will soon be retired if he doesn't inyent a new way of fooling them. Jack Chapman hasn't much use for a man who is not useful to his club.—Eagt-ern Paper.

ern Paper.

THE conduct of Captain Pfeffer in publicly humiliating Pitcher Jones on Saturday by taking him out of the box in the presence of nearly 4,000 people, when it could have been done quietly on the bench without attracting special attention, was an arrogant display of authority, and called out many a private comment on the part of the spectators in which Pfeffer's act was severely denounced.—

Boston Hernid. HAVE minor leagues no right to live? President Stacky, or Louisville, believes that there is too much protection, because he has failed to rifle any Western club in his reach for talent to strengthen the Coionels. If Columbus were to surrender Claussen now it would be equivalent to slapping the face of every individual crank in the Buckeye capital. It is wise legislation that keeps the minors in a good state of health al! the year. This is Ren Mulford's opinion of it.

Morris Park Entries. New York, June 5.—The following are the entries at Morris Fark for Menday: Firstfrace, five-eighths mile, handicap—Gold Dol-ar, 128; Great Guns, 126; Key West, 125; Dalsyran, Firstfrace, five-eighths mile, handicap—Gold Dollar, 128; Great Guns, 126; Key West, 125; Dalsyran, 124; Contribution, 124; Yeinen, 122; Uno Grande, 119; Stone Nell, 119; Bengal, 118; Tom Hayes, 118; Lewis, 117; Larish, 117; Treatle, 117; Tom Tough, 117; Captain Browne, 116; Afrplant, 116; Cheddar, 114; Brown Beauty, 112; Billet Doux colt, 112; Berwyn, 112; Bon Voyage, 110; Poor Jonathan, 110. Second race, seven-eighths of a mile, selling—Moderator colt, 102; Lakewood, 102; Yemen, 107; Julie, 107; Wy andote colt, 107; dec Kelly, 102; Acade, 102; Tom Tough, 102; Thanks, 105; Temple, 105; Peruvian, 168; St. Anthony, 112; Crocus, 100. Third race, three-quarters of a mile—Silver Queen 111, Elia F filly 111, Polly Marshall 111, Propriety 108, Minnehain 108, Jersey Queen filly 108, Liseig 108, Mendacity 108.

Fourth race, five and one-half furlongs—Shelly Tuttle 118, Vespasian 118, Courtship 118, Eagle Bird 113, Pearl Top 112, Lindsay 113, Starlight 110, Morello 121.

Fifth race, one and three-sixteenth miles, Hudson River Handicap—Russel 118, Banquet 116, Portchester 105, Kilder 105, Tom Rogers 102, Alian Bane 98, Longevity 98, Livonia 92, Uno Grande 57. Sixth race, one mile, selling—Gertie D 104, Arab. 104, Kirkover 97, Key West 107, India Rubber 107, Cynosure 98, Cerebus 94, Casaway II 106, Now or Never 106, Siryke 111, Kingsbridge 105.

DISPATCH.

The Turf. SIROCCO and Longford have been declared out of all their spring engagements.

An imported Derby stallion valued at \$5,000, the property of John A. Logan, Jr., died yesterday. CHRIS SMITH sa, the filly Yo Tambien is not for sale, and that the offer of \$20,000 for her is incor-rect. He fiatly asserts that he would not take \$30,000 for her.

SATURDAY Secretary Brewster received the formal declaration of Addle from the American Derby. The fair inference is that the filly had not performed to Mr. Lorillard's satisfaction in her training to fate.

R. R. Gibbons, one of the men connected with the colt Merriment, that won the third race at Latonia Wednesday, was fined \$299 by the judges for abusing R. R. Richmond for bidding in the colt. They gave him until noon Saturday to settle, and, as he did not, ruled him off the turi.

GRAND RAPIDS, June 5.- The first relay biovcle race in Michigan will start rain or shine on Monday at 5 P. M., from here. The course is 175 miles, through Grandledge, Lausing, Ann Arbor to Detroit. The message is from I. M. Weston, editor of the Democrat to W. E. Cranby, editor of the Detroit Free Press. The schedule time is 12 hours 55 minutes. Both papers have offered medals and the event is eagerly looked for-ward to by all the bicyclers in the State.

Miscellaneous Sporting Notes, READER-They fought 61 rounds.

THERE will soon be another relay run from Chi ago to New York, but in good weather. PETER JACKSON is 31 years old. He was born in the West Indies, and went to Australia as a sailor. ONE HUNDRED and forty thousand wheels wer constructed in this country last year and 20,000 wer

Imported.

CAPTAIN BOB COOK has taken the Yale crew in hand, and expects not only to win with them, but to lower the record at New London.

AN effort will be made to have some fast riders attempt to lower the one-mile trotting record on a triple bloycle at the Hartford bleycle races July 4.

THE oldest bicycle club in the country is the Boston club, which was organized in 1578. At a banquet the other evening there were is members present.

SOME of the New York papers are backing the Coney Island Athletic Club in its effort to break the Sullivan-Corbett match, so far as New Orleans is concerned, and talking at Sullivan about the legal danger he fears,

# STOCKHOLDERS TAKE A HAND

By Filing a Bill in Equity Against the Reading Combine, Asking for an Injunction and a Receiver-Plaintiffs Hold Stock in the Lehigh Valley,

ampton county on Saturday against the parties to the Reading deal. The solicitors for the complainants will on Thursday, June 30, ask the court for a preliminary iniunction against each of the defendants and move for the appointment of a receiver for the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company. It is alleged that the Philadelphia Reading Company is exerting

all its power to divert passen-ger travel and treight traffic from the lines of the Lehigh Valley to the Reading divert passensystem, and if the lease is not at once set aside, the Lehigh Valley, when finally the surrender of the lease must be decreed by he courts, will not be able for a long period of years to pay any dividends by reason of this freight traffic and passenger travel being diverted.

The directors of the Lehigh Valley Railroad are to be held responsible for this breach of faith as trustees of the stockholders, and are asked to account for all losses that may eventually result. of this mismanagement and breach of faith the stockholders ask for a receiver of the Lehigh Valley to control its affairs until the rights shall be determined. inary injunction is asked for to stop the further waste and mismanagement, all diversion of freight and passenger traffic and all further operations under the lease by an

insolvent corporation until final hearing. The parties to the suit are stockholders of the Lenigh Valley Railroad Company, who sue as well for themselves as for all other stockholders who shall choose to become parties to this suit and contribute to the ex-

Post 3, G. A. R., will hold a campfire in its hall tols evening. THE services in the jail yesterday were conducted by William Marshall, assisted by an East End choir.

on Federal street, Allegheny, yesterday He received several scalp wounds.

WILLIAM CONLEY had his head badly cut by being thrown out of a buggy while driv-ing along Homewood avenue yesterday

OBSERVER O. D. STEWART of the Weather Bureau, lost several valuable papers of no

use except to the burean. Any person find-ing them would confer a favor by returning them to him at the postoffice. CHARLES H. HESSOM, the aged soldier who was struck by a train at Hite's station Fri

OFFICER BECK, of the Eighteenth ward police, who was seriously injured two weeks go by a mob as he was arresting an offender at Millvale, is able to be about, and will be

again on the force the coming week. THE fight for the seat in Select Connei made vacant by the resignation of Mayor

morning on the death of Charles Buch, the 13-year-old Allegheny boy, who died last Friday, and whose death resulted from be-ing struck by a brick thrown by a colored man, who is now in jail.

HENRY RUSH, of Winslow street, East End, was arrested last night for abusing his wife

THE tailor shop of F. Z. Peregrino, on Fourth avenue, was entered by thieves on Saturday night, who took several new saits of clothes, overcoats, and some ladies' clothing. An electric light is in front of the shop, but the thieves cluded the police completely.

If your dealer does not keep Klein's Silver Age and Duquesne ryes go to Max Klein, 82 Federal street, Allegheny, Pa., where you are sure of the genuine. Complete cata-logue mailed upon application.

## A TENEMENT HORROR

The Oil Can Used to Kindle a Fire With the Usual Fatal Result.

TWO MEN DEAD AND-TWO INJURED.

Too Free Indulgence in the Ardent Responsible for the Fire.

NEWSY NOTES FROM NEARBY TOWNS

SEPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH. BRADDOCK, June 5.-At daybreak this norning a distressing scene occurred in a large tenement house, just off Braddock avenue in an alley, in which a Hungarian, Michael Kral, aged 29, and Marko Dekvorvitch, aged 42, were burned to death, while Frank Biawitch, aged 32, had both ears burned off, and Joseph Blawitch, the onelegged boarding house keeper, had the stump so badly burned that it is thought further

amputation will be necessary. Three families occupied the house, which contained nine rooms. In the front part Blawitch lived and kept 17 boarders in three rooms. The boarders had been up all night, having a high time over a keg of beer. Early this morning their appetites began to crave, and the fire was lit in order to prepare some breakfast. The fire did not burn rapidly enough to suit Dekvorvitch. He picked up the oil can, nolding the spout

down upon the burning coal Simultaneously there was a loud report, and Dekvorvitch was covered with flames In an instant his clothing was burned from his body. Kral, the other man who lost his life, was above, asleep in one room and Mrs. Blawitch in another. The men, in their drunken stupor, soon became terror stricken, but one of them, more sober than the rest, sent in an alarm and the Volunteer fire

company soon responded. There was no means of escape from the top story except by a flight of stairs, and these had been shut off by the flames. Ladders were put up to the windows, and by this means the firemen saved Mrs. Blawitch. Her child was thrown from the open window. William Bragton stood be-low with open arms and caught the baby. Kral was never awakened, and his body was not discovered until the fire was extinguished. Dekvorvitch displayed remarks ble nerve after he had been burned, climb ing into a second story window by means of a ladder and saving a trunk that belonged to him. He and the two Blawitches were once removed to the fire department headquarters, where Dekvorvitch died two hours

The bodies of the two dead men were re moved to Flannery's undertaking rooms. 'Squire Holtzman held an inquest this evening, and the jury brought in a verdict of accidental death in Kral's case, and that Dekvorvitch came to his end by his own carclessness. The property belonged to George E. Franset, of Alleghenv. The loss on the building will be about \$500, fully insured.

#### IT BEATS ELECTRIC LIGHT.

A Beaver Falls Man Claims to Have Invented a New Kind of Gas.

BEAVER FALLS, June 5 -[Special.] A Beaver Falls man has invented and patented a process for gas-making which he claims will revolutionize old ways. A company of Beaver Falls gentlemen has been formed, buildings will be erected and machinery placed in it. It will be thoroughly tested.

Those interested are perfectly satisfied that the process will produce gas that rivals electric light in brilliancy and natural gas in heat. The process is very simple. It consists of forcing a column of air through a mixture of certain chemicals, and will produce gas at 2 cents per thousand feet.

Hugh Curry to Be Sentenced To-Day. WASHINGTON, PA., June 5 .- f To-morrow Hugh Curry, who was recently convicted here of arson on eight charges, will be brought into court and sentenced. A short term of imprisonment and a fine is anticipated. During the past week the attorneys for the Curry brothers have been endeavoring to effect a compromise, Marior not wishing so see his brother sent to the penitentiary. Hugh, however, was stub-born, and said he never burned the stacks and would not pay for them. Judge M. J. A. McIlvaine has been very desirous that the case be settled, but states that he can wait no longer and will sentence him on Monday.

Washington's Pioneer Gasser Gives Out, WASHINGTON, PA., June 5. - [Special. ]-Samuel J. McGugin, of near Hickory, was in Washington last week, and said the gas which has been flowing from a well on his farm for the past 15 years has given out and the hole is closed. This was the first well drilled in Washington county, and was known the world over as one of the largest ever brought in. It was also this well that led to the immense developments through-out the county, which has become famous

## for its supplies of oil and gas.

Robbed by a Boon Companion. MARTINSBURG, W. VA., June 5 .-Special. ]-Pankney Warrenfelty and a companion missed the train for Hagerstown vesterday and started to walk to that place. When about four miles from this place the men sat down to take a rest. Warrenfelty soon fell asleep, and his companion beat him and robbed him of about \$20. He was severely cut and bruised. The officers have started in pursuit of his assailant, Charles

## RIVER NEWS AND NOTES.

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

SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.] LOUISVILLE, June 5.—Weather clear and warm. The river is failing, with 8 feet 4 inches on the fails and 10 feet 6 inches in the canal. The Teil City got from Evansville, the Big Sandy from Cincinnati and the Grace Morris from Salt River, and the Grace Morris from Salt River.

The Sam Brown, with a tow of empties, passed up to l'ittaburg. The New South passed up from Memphils to Cincinnati, and the Buckeye State went down from Cincinnati to Memphis. The tugboat Georgia, built for a party in Cincinnati, went up to-day. Departure—Big Sandy, for Cincinnati,

What Upper Gauges Show. WARREN-River 8.3 fect. Heavy rains. MORGANTOWN-River 5 feet 6 inches and sta-lonary. Cloudy. Thermometer 83° at 4 P. M. Brownsvill, E-River 7 feet 6 inches and falling, Roudy. Thermometer 77° at 4 P. M.

## The News From Below.

WHEELING-River 20 feet 6 inches and stationary. Departed-Ren Hur, Pittsburg; Luzzie Bay, Pittsburg; Keystore State, Pittsburg; Congo, Cincinnatt; Courier, Pirkersburg, Fair.
St. Louis-River 34.8 feet 8 inches and stationary. Fair.
PARKERSBURG-Ohlo 14 feet 6 inches and rising.
Little Kanawa rising. Andes up and Congo down.
Oaward up with empties.
VICKSBURG-Failing. Warm and clear.
CAIRO-River 43.9 feet. Clear and warm.
CINCHNATI-River 25 feet 5 inches and falling.
Departed-Scotia, Pittsburg. Hot and pleasant.
MEMPHIS-River stationary. Warm.

Along the River Banks. HORNET No. 2 left yesterday for Cincinnati with

THE Pacific expects to get away to-day with a THE Keystone State is the regular Cincinnational cases scheduled for to-day. THE Fred Wilson left yesterday for Louisville, She had 8 boats, 8 barges and 3 fuels. THE H. K. Bedford arrived yesterday, and will leave at noon to-day for Parkersburg. THE Josh Cook got away in good shape yester-lay morning for Louisville. She had 4 boats and 12 THE Delta left last night with a select party of 20 for a two days' trip up the Mononganela. They expect to reach Greensboro, which is as iar as is navigable.

THE marks show 12 feet 9 inches. Owing to the cloud-burst at Titusville there will probably be 25 feet of water here by this anorming, which is very near the danger line. Craft owners on the Aliegheny were busy yesterday putting out extra lines for protection.

CREEDE'S TWIN IN ASHES.

A \$1,000,000 Blaze Wipes Out the Colorade Mining Camp of Jimtown-Glant Powder Falls to Stav the Flames-Salcons Meanwhile Wide Open.

DENVER, June 5.- The bustling camp of Jimtown, which is separated from the fanous mining town of Creede by a mile and a half, was almost totally destroyed by a fire which started at 2:30 o'clock this morning. The flames were started by an explosion of coal oil, with which a family in the Kinneavey block were starting a fire to

prepare breakfast.

As there was no Fire Department the flames had it all their way, and in a short time they burned through the rows of frame buildings for a mile in the narrow gulch in which the town is situated. Many houses were blown up with giant powder in an at-tempt to stop the fire, but this had no effect, for the flames leaped from one vacant space to another and only stopped for the want of material. Little, if any of the contents were saved, and there are hundreds of fami-lies homeless, who will be provided for by the people of Creede.

While the fire was in progress the num-erous saloons were thrown open to the crowd and liquor was free to all who might desire it. The result was that many drunken men were on the streets, but they did no damage. One hundred Deputy Sheriffs have been sworn in, and they will protect the town against attempt of thieving by persons, who, on occasions of this kind, take advantage of the great distress.

The total loss is estimated at \$1,000,000. The heaviest losers are Alexander Hertler & Co., saloon, building and stocks, \$22,000; Shackleford & Foster, Albany Hotel block, \$6,000; Shimer & Morse, \$7,500; Tompkins Hardware Company, \$20,000; Willoughby & Collier, \$7,000; Levy & Bennedict's block, \$5,000; the Hard Terrace, composed of 20 buildings, \$8,000; Larry Byrne, \$7,000. These are the post provinced lesses but These are the most prominent losses, but there are hundreds of others which will there are hundreds of others which will bring the aggregate loss up to \$1,000,000, with an insurance of about \$250,000. The insurance is distributed among 20 or more companies, among which are the Phoenix, of Brooklyn, \$26,000; Cobb, Wilson & Bennedict, of Denver, \$4,500; Traders, of Chicago, \$4,300; the Providence-Washing-ton, of Providence, \$7,500; the North Ameri-can, \$10,000; the Imperial, of London, \$10,-000; the Springfold Fire Insurance Comcan, \$10,000; the Imperial, of London, \$10,000; the Springfield Fire Insurance Company, \$8,500; the Liverpool, London and Globe, of London, \$10,000; the Security, of New Haven, \$7,500.

#### AND NOW UMBRELLA MEN

Not Only Organize Their \$8,000,000 Trust

But Courageously Call It a Trust. ALBANY, June 5 .- What seems to be a combination of umbrella makers was incorporated to-day under the name of the Umbrella Trust, with a capital of \$8,000,000 divided into \$100 shares. The power is reserved to increase the capital by the issue of first preferred stock in such amounts as may be authorized, and which shall be entitled to cumulative dividends at not exceeding 8 per cent per annum. The business is to be transacted and located in all the States and Territories of the United States and in foreign countries, with the principal office in New York City. The directors are all of New York and Connect In addition to the usual power to borrow money, the corporation shall have power to

issue a form of obligation certificates to the extent of \$2,000,000, which is to be known as debenture stock. The holders of this shall be entitled to interest on this stock unless it is actually earned by the company. IDAHO'S GOVERNOR FEARS TROUBLE.

He Calls Upon All Disorderly Gatherings to Dispers. Boise, IDA., June 5.-Governor Willey has returned to-day from Cour d'Alene mines, where he went to investigate matters between mine owners and the mine union. As a result of the investigation the Govhas issued a proclamation calling upo all unlawful assemblages to immediately disperse and refrain from interfering with

the mine owners and railroad traffic The proclamation further states that unless the men cease interfering with mine owners the necessary force of both the State and the Nation will be invoked to preserve the peace. The Governor fears trouble before the difficulty is adjusted.

## PREACHED AGAINST PROHIBITION.

A German Minister in Iowa Suspended for Disobedience and Disloyalty. DUBUQUE, June 5 .- A council of nine German Methodist ministers tried Rev. Mr.

Pfeiffer here for disobedience and disloyalty and counseling the violation of the prohibitory law, and suspended him.

Pfeiffer is a total abstainer, but the leadin members of the German Methodist ch here, believing in beer drinking, card playing and dancing, seconded and gave him a call to an independent church, which

he accepted. A Good Ontlook for Penches. MARTINSBURG, W. VA., June 5 .- [Special. 1-A prominent peach grower of this

# county was in the city yesterday, and said that the prospect for peaches was good and there would be a large crop.

FOUND CRAZY AND IN RAGS. The fad Plight of an Iowa Man With an

Income of \$18,000 a Year. DUBUQUE, IA., June 5 .- News has been received here that Steward Emerson, a native a year from his law practice in New York, has been found by his brother wandering or the streets of Philadelphia, crazy and in rags. He has been placed in an insane asy-lum at Plainfield. He was here three weeks ago on his annual visit, and a few days after his departure news came from New York that he had not returned and was \$30,000 short.

Austrian Socialists After Mine Owners. VIENNA, June 5.-The Socialist Congress that met in this city to-day denounced the lack of protection afforded miners employed in the Birkenberg pit, and demanded that the owners of the mine be criminally prose-cuted.

Ocean Stermahlp Arrivals. Where From. Destination, New York London, Baitimore London, New York Stettin, New York Kinsale, Havre, New York. Lydian Monarch London. New York.
The Queen Liverpool. New York
Ems. New York Sonthampton.
Aurania. New York Queenstown.
Ainska. New York Queenstown.
City of Rome. New York Mordie.
La Touraine. New York Havre.
Vigilancia. New York Rio,Janeiro. Aurania.....

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THE WEATHER,



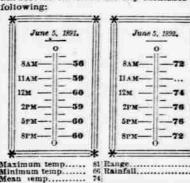
Pennsulvania. Ohio and West Virginia: Slightly Warmer, South Winds, Generally Fair Weather Monday and Tuesday.

For Western

The area of high barometer that rested over New England and caused the cooler ocean winds on parts of the coast Saturday and Sunday, has moved off the Middle and South Atlantic coast, causing ageneral wind movement from the South which will bring a return of hot weather. This type of weather condition usually brings much heat and little or no rain to the Atlantic States, and as there is no prospect of disturbing this state of affairs, a hot spell is impend-

The small cyclonic area that has been moving slowly from Colorado since Friday, has reached Southeast Dakota, but has been attended with very little rain, but will be high winds in the Missouri Valley. This disturbance does not appear to promise much change of weather, except to draw toward itself warmer southerly winds over the Central valleys.

Comparative Temperature, PITTSBURG, June 5.—The United States Signal Service officer in this city furnishes



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A QUIET TIP.



## NOW, SEE HERE!

THERE is only just one thing I have to say to you, he remarked. I don't believe in keeping a good thing to myself; that's not my style. I was looking for a suit, and after spend ing half a day in the different stores I stopped at

IS that all? Well, no, there's no use making a long story of it. I just hit it right. It isn't easy to astonish me, but they did. They sold me one of their own make Worsted Suits for \$15. I never saw the like before for that money or \$5 more.

Facksons'.

A suit to order could fit no better nor could it be made in finer style; besides, they gave me this. I've scarcely looked at it. Why, it's a guarantee that they will keep this suit in repair free of charge for me for one year!

POINTER! I should say it is a good one, indeed, worth knowing. Yes, they do that with every suit costing \$10 or more. "What a snap!"

FOR a bachelor that has no one to mend his clothes for him, just the thing. How on earth they can do it I don't know; that's their business, not mine.

YOU know a good thing when you see it. I don't quote Scripture very often, but I will this time: "Go thou and do likewise." Be sure and let them give you the guarantee stamped at the



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makes its author a peculiarly fitting candi-date just at this time.

the presentation of Senator Allison as the candidate of the Hawkeye State, and the gravity of the political situation in their State adds to the general availability of their candidate.

Senator Shelly Cullom, of Illinois, Hon.

some Straggling Sentiment Secured at Chi-

men held steadily to their faith.

bermen from Saginaw.
The Cincinnati Blaine Glee Club visited

Lingers' voices.

James R. Henry, of Indianapolis, said

largely for Harrison.

J. B. Smith, of Toledo, said the Ohio delegation is divided—Blaine 20, Harrison

Bulkley, heading the delegation, is for Blaine,

Name.

"Then you knew it was coming?" "That I cannot say."
"Well, is it not a fact that Mr. Blaine has all along been scheming to get the nom-

"Then," interrupted the reporter.

J. C. Cronan, of Shelbone Falls, arrived

Dr. Campan and his sister, Mrs. R. S. Wilks, of Detroit, are at the Monongahela House. They are here for the purpose of consulting Father Mollinger.

night,

dition at Louisville.

COLONEL ROBERT HOLLOWAY says that Kine sem, who was cut down in the Decoration Handi-cap at Latonia hast Monday will never face the starter again. She will probably be bred to Teu-

Another Belay Race.

EASTON, PA., June 5 .- A long bill in equity was filed in the courts of North-

penses thereof. SNAP SHOTS AT LOCAL NEWS

J. A. SIMONTON, of Butler street, is slowly recovering from a severe attack of inflammatory rheumatism. WILLIAM Brown was thrown out of a buggy

MRS. MARGARET MULLEN fell down the Murphy street steps yesterday atternoon. Her arm was broken and shoulder dislo-cated. She was removed to her home on

day, died yesterday morning at the home o his relatives in that place. He will be buried to-day in Allegheny Cemetery.

Kennedy is growing hotter each week. Both sides are exerting themselves to their ut-most and it is hard to tell who will be the THE Coroner will hold an inquest this

# COLLIDED WITH THE STATUTES.

JOHN ALEXANDER was arrested by Officer Elmer yesterday morning for refusing to pay his fare on a Wylie avenue car. Robert Lewis and Edward Jack, emlast night charged with stealing \$40 and a