DID LOTS OF WORK,

the Trotting Horse Breeders Hold Their Annual Meeting Here.

EXT YEAR'S PROGRAMME.

be Fall Race Meeting to Be Held on the Indiana Race Track.

TORE DUMPS AT GUTTENBERG.

suager Madden States That Goddard Will Not Meet Slavin.

ENERAL SPORTING NEWS OF THE DAY

It is seldom that such a pleasant and sucsatul meeting is held as the one that was eld yesterday afternoon at the Seventh venue Hotel. It was the annual meeting the Pennsylvania Association of Trotting arse Breaders. The attendance was rood. very member present was there to do bus-As a result a considerable amount business was transacted in a very short

The meeting convened at 12 o'clock and uding a recess for lunch everything was no before 5 o'clock. In the absence of resident Edelblute, J. A. Quay occupied chair. After approving the minutes of previous meeting Scoretary Harbison the report of the association's race setting at Indiana last full. The report sted that it was the best meeting ever on by the association and of course the port was adopted with cheers.

Changed the Constitution,

On motion of Captain McFarland, article section 1, of the constitution was changed read that nine members shall constitute unrum at a meeting. The election of Its for the ensuing 12 months followed the following gentlemen were unanisiy elected new members of the Execucommittee: J. A. Quny, J. H. Ellsworth, lington: C. S. Clarke, New Castle, and J. D. McFariand, Pittsburg, and A. mbers who continue for another year are:

1. J. C. Sibley, Franklin; H. S. Denny,
whier John E. Da Bois, Du Boist N. G.
dibute, Punxsutawney; J. W. Tilley,
corstown, and A. W. Harbison, New was also served that the next race

of the association be held during week of next October at Indiana, There was general praise at the meet-yesterday for the Indiana track, and member piesent at the meeting stated it; still elses half mile track in the State. or track at Indiana, fair grounds and

os cover 40 acres, and to complete min. as we now have done, has cost \$16.000. We have 2H box stalls on our nor-es, and each stall is 10 by 14 Wity horsemen are tickled to death at accommodations we afford. We will a big meeting during the Fourth of July

A Very Speedy Stallion, uring the general conversation Mr. C. S.

ice, of New Castle, talked about his stud - St. Vincent. The latter made a record become very speedy colts next year set by members of the association. he head of his stock farm. The stallion made a mile in 2:18, and is sire of some e most promising youngsters in the

be general meeting the Executive

ting next fall.

Instance stake for yearling trotters, one dark \$5 entrance, \$50 added.

Instance trake, for 2-year-olds, trotting, nexts, \$25 entrance, \$100 added.

Instance take for 3-year-olds, trotting, \$ greats, \$25 entrance, \$100 added.

In 5 heats, \$15 entrance, \$100 added.

In 5 heats, \$15 entrance, \$100 added. repect stake, 245 trotters owned by bers, 525 entrance, \$100 nided.

Some Very Attractive Stake Races. a stone stake for 250 class, stallions, bred owned by members, \$25 entrance. izens' stake for 225 cluss, pacers, owned purpers, \$35 entrance, \$75 added.

spect stake for stallions, 2:28 class, trotwants to be owned by members, enout stake for 300 class stallions by members. Entrance, \$25, \$75

state for 2-year olds, mile heats, to be owned by members, \$25 enor 4-year olds owned by memance \$25, \$100 aided. exhibition prize of \$500 will be amilaed trotting stallions. e meeting Secretary Harbison g Secretary Harbison ion is in a better condi-

PAVORILES REATEN AGAIN.

Talent Once More Get the Worst of It at Guttenberg.

TTENHERG, Dec. 14 - [Special.] - Favorites nguin beaten here to-day, and the bookers did well on most of the races. The and was good. Summaries:

trace, purse \$500, of which \$50 to second, for er to be sold, five furlengs-Renie idio, 8181 Laurensea W. Cunningham, sec-ferquet Ha. Martin, third, Jupiter 194, Carac-land, Jachpot 25, Befrain 100, Avoia 22 and W S. also ran. Time, 1:6614. Betting-2 to 1 and 4 to 5; Laurenska, 7 to 1 and 5 to 2; 2 to 1 and even: Suniter, 8 to 1 and 2 to 1; ens, 5 to 1 and 2 to 1; Jackpot, 50 to 1 and 20 to each, 6 to 1 and 5 to 2; Avols, 60 to 1 and 20 to to 1 and 5 to 2; Avols, so to 1 and 2 to
20 to 1 and 10 to 1;
ce, purse \$40, of which \$50 to second,
cer-olds, winner to be sold, four and
as Kandness filly \$9, Griffin, first Susto 1, 10, McDermott, third. Spot 104,
w 142 Carmelite 18. Deceitful 105, threfe
2 90 and irian coit 100 also ran. Time,
are Kindness filly, 7 to 1 and 4 to 5 Suscer Kindness filly, 7 to 1 and 4 to 5 Susdital and 4 to 1; Bluebird, 2 to 1 and
a to 1 and 5 to 5 Deceitful,
armeline, 12 to 1 and 5 to 1; Deceitful, or 1. Large T. 7 to 1 and 2 to 1. Ada B., to 2. Islan cold, 6 to 1 and 20 to 1. Increase 200. or which \$0 to second, and the further \$0. Second, and the further \$0. Merital 100, Maria 100, 100 for 100. Medical 100, Maria 100, 100 for 100 7 to 1 and 2 to 1; Ada B

190. Watter Keim 163. Cold Stream Time, 1:20. Betting: I O U, 3 to 1 Bun Vorage, 2 to 1 and even; Duke of 3 to 3; Sander, 30 to 1 sed 10 to 1; 2 and 5 to 5; Mart, 100 to 1 and 30 to 1; 100 to 1 and 30 to 1; *Cold Stream, 30 handicap, surse \$500, of which \$50 to urlongs. Bel Pemonio 111, Stevenson, ston 123, Martin, second; Little Fred led Panway #2, and Mohican 102, me, 1:17. Betting: Bel Demonio, 3 is investigation, 4 to 5 and out; Little pdf 7 to 19; Panway, 20 to 1 and 6 to 1; dand 4 to 1.

MISVILLE, Dec. 14 .- [Special.]-The followwals were sold here this evening on erow's meesalt Guttenberg:

\$2: Strap 107. \$2: Suspense filly 103. \$2: Little 19. \$5: Simmle Lambley 78. \$5: Don't Know 114. \$2. Second race. mile, selling. beaten howers—Joe Courtney 128. \$6: Sir George H. 127. \$6: Gemmon Sense 122. \$6: sir George H. 127. \$6: Gemmon Sense 122. \$6: sir George H. 127. \$6: Marry Pretand 122. Power 122. \$5: \$7 sirple: 125. \$6: Marry Pretand 123. \$6: Org. \$15: \$6: Veration gelding 133. \$6: Org. \$6: Veration gelding 133. \$6: Org. \$6: Veration gelding 133. \$6: Org. \$6: Veration gelding 135. \$6: Org. \$6: Veration gelding 135. \$6: Org. \$6: Veration 105. \$6: Marine 105. \$10: Se. \$104. \$6: Red Edm 101. Quibbler 101. Zingara 98. Marmout 96. \$10: Latimer 58. \$10: Mary \$16: Orders \$5: Seach.

Fourth race, three-eighths of a mile, vearlings—West Park 113. \$10: Married \$6: Mily 107. \$13: Seculous \$10: \$10: Married \$10:

Nashville's Big Meeting.

Nashville, Dec. 14. - The Cumberland Park association's committee appointed to arrange for the fall trotting in 1893 determined upon a programme yesterday, and will report to the directors for ratification. The port to the directors for ratingation. The plan proposed does away with the three-out-of-three heat races and substitutes two-out-of-three heat races. It was decided to open the meeting October 16, and to offer for stakes, class races and special events, \$75,000. The meeting will continue two weeks.

AN EXPERT'S OPINION.

Mr. Caylor Explains a Mutter or Two About Changing Bules. O. P. Caylor, who knows more about prac-

tical baseball than all the little clique who back toward the game of rounders, says: "I want to point out one reason why the diamond should not be sularged if the game is meant to be enlivened. By placing the pitcher back as intended it will give him more of a facing position toward first and third base, and make it all the harder for a base runner to get away. With the angle made more obtuse he will be able to deceive made more obtuse he will be able to deceive
the base runner still more as to his intentions to either pitch the ball or throw to the
base. Now, if three feet be added to the
distance which the base runner will have to
go the handicap will be still greater, and
base running will be practically kided.
"The great evil in baseball during the
last few years has been an insane desire to
experiment. A lot of socialistic agitators
who are never content except when they
are trying to make the world believe that

who are never content except when they are trying to make the world believe that they know it all in baseball, put in their time exciting the players to rebellion, inventing millenium plans or trying to earn their pap' by urging 'innovations.' Double seasons, flat bats, livelier balls, 'both feet on the ground,' and such fads have served in their way to take public interest from the sport."

MADDEN'S PLANS.

William Will Not Allow Goddard to Fight

Slavin at N w Orleans. New York, Dec. 14 - Regarding the offer of the Olympic Ciub, of New Orleans, of a purse of \$10,000 for a fight between Goddard and Frank Slavin, Billy Madden, the former's manager, says the proposition will

not be accepted.
"Goddard is quite willing to meet Slavin," said Madden, "but I will not permit him. He has never been deteated, while Slavin and Jackson have both suffered detent. I do not want Goddard to enter the ring un less it is for championship honors. Jackson whipped Slavin in ten rounds, and there whipped Slavin in ten rounds, and there would be no honor for Goddard in a fight with Slavin. Goddard will make one more effort to induce Corbett of fight. He will post \$2,500, and chalenge Corbett to fight for the largest purse offered and \$5,000 a side. Should Corbett again refuse Gousard will then arrange a match with Mitchell and fight him for the championship."

FX-CHAMPION NEEDHAM BESTED,

Billy Smith, of Boston, Lays Him Out in 14 Desperate Rounds.

SAN FRANCISCO Dec. 14 .- Dannie Needham, illy last season at Independence and is sire of several wearlings that have of Boston, engaged in a glove contest for a set in 200 gait. Mr. Clarke thinks there \$2,000 purse at the Pacific Athletic Club tonight. Needham was seconded by Sam Fitzpatrick, Tommy Hogan and Johnny strock farm. The stallion lie in 218, and is sire of some promising youngsters in the meral meeting the Executive and re-elected N. G. Edelent. J. H. Eliswotth, Vice S. Denny, Treasurer, and A.W. & Castle, Secretary. The comed the following stakes for the fall. nearly an hour.

Maher Appears Again.

NEW York, Dec. 14.-[S-ecial]-Peter Maher, according to his own statement, is soon to enter the ring again, and expects to have as an opponent Joe Cuoynski. Last night, in company with Buffalo Costello, Peter visited Warren Lewis' place on Eighth avenue. A San reporter saw him there in the act of drinking. To look at him a casual observer would not dream that he had been engaged in a wind-mill battle three nights

"I guess I'll have to go to work in a very little while," he said, 'and try to get in shape for my fight with Choynski, which takes place before the Olympic Ciub of New Orleans, very shortly. The purse is \$7,500. The affair was arranged before my fight with Goddard, and I was to meet Choynski, win or lose." Maker further remarked that it was his intention to make his permanent home at Philadelphia.

Tricky Mr. O'Rourke. NEW YORK, Dec. 14 .- [Special.]-Tom O'Rourke, manager of George Dixon, writes

as tollows: It has been reported that the Coney Island It has been reported that the Coney Island A. C. has given up all hope of making a match between Dixon and Griffin, as the colored had is arraid. Now, whenever the coney Island Club is ready to give a prize large enough to suit me and when Griffin decides to fi-br at 118 pounds I will make the match for \$10,000 or more. If this match is not made which two weeks I will arrange and with full Experts to take place at the Naone with Bill Baxter to take place at the Na-tional Club, of London, 19r \$5,000 aside next

July.
I consider Griffin only a third-class man and Dixon is not compelled to fight him, but we would prefer to arrange a match with him to any one else.

Tom O'Rouner.

Did Not Materialize.

About 50 sports adjourned to Baldwin station, on the P., V. & C. R. R., about 7 o'clock yesterday morning with the expec tation of witnessing a prize fight between two local pugs of no mean repute. They were however, sadly disappointed, as after arriving upon the contemplated battle ground the battle was declared off. One of the principals declined to fight in any other place than a simil building that would bardly hold two men. The names of the principals were given out as Murray and Miller. The whole party returned to the city disgusted with their trip.

Aknon, Dec. 14 .- One thousand people paid \$1 each to see a seven-round go instnight between George Bennett, of Akron, and Ed Otter, of New York. In the seventh round Otter knocked Bennett to the floor in a clinch and stood over him so that he could not rise. The referee, John Guerin, ordered Otter back to his corner, and, on his refusal, gave the fight to Bennett.

Coney Island Ciub's Programme.

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.-The Coney Island Club has arranged to give the public a large and attractive card on the night or the 28th inst. The principal event will be a fight to a finish between Billy Plimmer, or England, and Joe McGrath, the Irish bantam. It will be to a finish for the H9-pound championship and a purse of \$2,500. Both men are now in training.

McAuliffe Not in a Hurry. INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 14 .- Jack McAuliffe, champion lightweight, says he will accept the offer of the Crescent Club, of New Orleans, to fight Burge, but that the date will lave to be set after his theatrical engage-ments terminate in March.

Yale Athletes Will Compete. New Haven, Dec. H .- Word has been sent to the Boston Athletic Club that the Yale Athletic Association has accepted the offer to enter four men for a team race with A and T to I: Dago. 15 to 1 and 5 to I: to enter to the men of a case who had a thodes, 30 to 1 and 30 to 1.

Harvard at the games to be given on February 1 under the auspices of the Boston Athletic Association. The race will be a mile long, and each college is to send four contrestants who will receive one another at

The Proposed Yacht Bace.

ven's residence early this morning to inform him, in the event of his not having heard the news, that the challenge of the royal yacht squadron for a race for the America cup had been accepted by the New York Yacht Ciub. Lord Dunraven had started for Wales yesterday, and the presumption is that he was not aware that a race is now assured. Leading members of the royal yacht squadron are certain that the race is now a go.

General Sporting Notes.

NOLAN wants to have a foot race against any-ody for 24 or 28 hours. A SUBSCRIBER - The "right-hand man," the right and the other the left. AUGUST BELMONT has been proposed as President of the New York Athletic Club. G. A. MARSHALL - They have not faced each other. We do not answer questious by mail. JIMMY HOWAN, formerly of this city, is matched to fight Rilly Smith, of Chicago, The contest may take place at Wheeling.

CHARLEY ZIMMER is playing with an indoor ball train at Cleveland. The Pythian League there has a membership of six clubs. THE packet Andes did not arrive from Cinch nati yesterday, having broken her macidisery i Marietta. The Husson was due from Cinciana last midnight and leaves to-day at 4 P. M. The Frank Gitmore and Dauntiess passed Park-reburg at 8 A. M. yesterday on their way to Cin-cinnati and Louisville with coal. The former teamer will return with seven empty barges and a coalthest.

MANAGER BUCKENBERGER, of the local ball club, is back from Chicago. He says that Burns agreed to have his case tried without a jury if the Fittsburk club would agree to have the case post-

An unsuccessful effort was made yesterday to settle the suit of Joe Lannon against Jim Corbett. The manager of Corbett offered Lannon 8300, but Lannon wanted \$1.500, and the champion's man-ager refused to give that amount. HENRY PRITZ. Ine youngster who made such a good showing with the Browns at the close of last senson, has been signed by President Von der Ahe. He and Dick Buckey will do the bulk of the catching next season.—St. Louis Republic.

THE purse for the fight between Tom Ryan and Dawson, the Australian, has been raised to \$3,000. The California Athletic Club offered \$5,000 for the nilt, and the raise from New Orieans came as ousequence. Dawson has accepted and will leave a siew days for New Orleans, where he will

THE ashletic clubs of San Francisco have come to the conclusion that the pool rooms are under obligations to them and should contribute a percentage of their winnings for the privileges of doing business on fights decided there. The proprietors of the betting establishments refuse to give a percentage of their earnings voluntarily, so the clubs have determined to retainate.

MILLS SUR LY GUILTLESS.

He Had as Little to Do With the Crisp Affair as the Man in the Moon. Washington, Dec. 14.—Senator Mills, of Texas, to-day sent the following letter to E. Ellery Anderson, president of the Reform Club of New York City, regarding the Crisp

Colonel E. Ellery Anderson, President Reform DEAR SIR-It is stated in the New York Sun of

the 12th inst., that I said to several Democrats Saturday afternoon of the 10th, inst.: "Speaker Crisp has come to town with a speech prepared, but I know that he will not have an opportunity to

deliver it."

The Tribune of the same date says that I am reported to have said: "Crisp has got a speech ready to deliver at the Reform dimer to-alght and has given it to the press, but he won't get a chance to fire it off. He will find this isn't his show."

Both of these statements are false, wholly so. I never koew that Mr. Crisp was invited to speak or had a speech prepared, that he was invited to the hanquet or that he was in the city until I sat down to the table and saw his name on the programme and the seat he was to occupy. He soon appeared on the stand, I advanced and shook hands with him and aided him in finding the seat set apart for him I learned for the first time in the papers Sunday morning that he was indignant at his treatment. I said then and say now that i do not believe that the club or any of its officers intended to show him the slightest disrespect, and I have no more connection with the matter than the 'Man in the Moon.'

R. Mills.

But One Gap in the Double Track. BEAVER. Dec. 14.—[Special]—The double track over the Manoningtown bridge on the Pittsburg and Lake Erie Railroad across the Shenango river is completed. This gives the Pittsburg and Lake Erie a complete double track the entire length of its line, except across the Ohio river at this place.

SNAP SHOTS AT LOCAL NEWS.

THERE were two new cases of diphtheria and six of scariatina reported to the Bureau of Health yeste day.

G. A. R. Post 155, of Mt. Washington, will give an entertainment Saturday evening for the benefit of the Homestead relief fund. Box 381 was pulled at 5:40 o'clock last evening for a fire which destroyed a bedtick in the house of Patrick Duffy on Bismarck

The offering at the special musical serv. ice in Caivary Church, East End, last Sunday, fell \$33 short of the expenses of the

THE Chalfant Mission Band will give an is, in the lecture room of Park Avenue Pres-MRS. KENNEDY CRUMBINE, of Washington, Pa., was elected a member, and Mrs. Dr. Asthalter was placed upon the Board of

Managers at yesterday's meeting of the In was said vesterday that the death of Mrs. Mary Wilsoncrott, of Philadelphia, at Mercy Hospital Saturday was hastened by ire to see an insane brother who was nfined in an asylum.

COLLIDED WITH THE STATUTES.

MARTHA SONNENBERG charges Alexander Kochesky with perjury in testifying against her in a larceny suit,

MICHAEL HARRISON, a conductor on the Pennsylvania Railroad, was arrested at Forty-first street last night for insulting

B. FINEGOLD was committed to jail yesterday by Alderman Richards on a charge of surety of the peace preferred by Harris Leventon. He will have a hearing Friday

THOMAS McCARTHY was arrested last even ing on a charge of disorderly conduct pre-ferred by his wife Margaret before Alder-man McKenna. The hearing will be held

THOMAS RILEY, an escaped prisoner from before Alderman Gripp. Riley was given 60 days to the workhouse on October 6 for disorderly conduct, and escaped shortly after. He was held for court.

PEOPLE WHO COME AND GO.

Lew McQuiston, the Butler politician and lawyer, was at the Seventh Avenue Hotel yesterday. W. S. Brady and L. B. Martin, glass manufacturers of Moundsville, W.Va., are at the Duquesne. Jos. R. Laughrey, the coke man of Daw-son, Pa., was at the Monongahela House yes-

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Lenhart, of Brownsville, Pa., are at the Monongahela Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Loomis, of Oil

City, were at the Hotel Duquesne yester-Dr. and Mrs. W. D. Jessop, of Kittan-ning, were at the Anderson Hotel yester-William J. Scott and M. A. Boyd, of

Philadelphia, are at the St. Charles. S. F. Hood, of Connellsville, was at the Seventh Avenue Hotel last night M. L. Johnston, of Brownsville, was a Pittsburg visitor yesterday. George H. Swearingen, of Dunbar, Pa., e city yesterday. J. M. Barbour, of Franklin, Pa., is stopping at the Anderson.

H. H. Potterfield, of Foxburg, Pa., is at the Hotel Duquesne. J. C. Scott, of Waynesburg, was in Pitts-J. S. Newmeyer, of Dawson, Pa., is in

C. I. Magee went to New York last Pittsburgers in New York.

New York, Dec. 14.-[Special.]-The following Pittsburgers are registered here: J. P. Coleman, Sturtevant; A. F. Denniston, Astor Coleman, Sturtevant: A. F. Denniston, Astor House; C. R. Reno, D. O. Warner, Grand Union: O. W. Wheeler, Brunswick: H. M. Bennett and wife, Sturtevant; D. P. Corrine and wife, Holland; G. R. Haiden, St. Stephen's: Mrs. C. A. McFeeter, Mrs. L. H. Reeves, Imperial: H. Metzger, Gilsey; H. W. Williams, H. O. Worden, Continental; W. Fimock, Metropole; S. M. Rose, Normandie; G. E. Downing, J. McKinne, Mr. Porott and wife, D. C. Ripley, Fifth Avenue.

Loxpon. Dec. 14.—The representative of the Associated Press called at Lord Dunta-

PITTSBURG

Succeeded Garza.

Not a Great Distance Below the Texas

side of the river.

In the battle at San Igancio Saturday

tary court martial at Monterey and con-firmed by the higher military court of Mexico on Colonel Nievarz Hernandez, will be carried out next Monday at sur-rise. Colonel Hernandez was tried on the charge of assisting Catarino Garza to es-cape at the time the latter made his raid into Mexico from the United States last

THEY GO IN DEBT.

The Way Wealthy New Yorkers Avoid Paying Heavy 'axes.

NEW YORK, Dec. 14 .- [Special !- The Company.

Reverting to the question of estates, on his investments by dodging taxes through

LABOR WINS A VICTORY.

The Office That Prints World's Fair Catalogues Will Probably Be Unionized. CHICAGO, Dec. 14.-The dispute concern-

ing of the official catalogue of exhibits to Conkey & Co. is in a fair way to be settled. The Exposition officials have surprised the representatives of organized labor by meetthem more than half way. entertainment on Friday evening, December | The opinion is prevalent that a settlement will be reached by unionizing the Conkey establishment. Mr. Conkey announced to-night that he had no objections to labor unions, and that he intended to pay more than union wages to the men who worked upon the catalogue. The committee appointed by the labor union men met the Executive Committee of

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 14.—The decision of the Supreme Court, holding the Blackboard law constitutional, will probably give rise to a large amount of litigation over the settlement of past offenses. The law the workhouse, was arrested yesterday by Constable Groetzinger and given a hearing assessed shall go to the Proscuting Attorney. In Shelby county Senator A. F. Wray, a a stranger, who gave his name as George Company, amounting to \$17,000.

Senator Wray's fees in these amounts are \$18,350. Prosecuting attorneys in many other counties have been equally industrious, and, if the law hold, these claims against the railroads will find the Black-

THE TRUST BREAKS A CONTRACT,

of the Distilleries It Robbed.

tral Distilling Company, of this city, looking to the enforcement of contracts assumed by Samuel Woolner, of Peoria, Ill., when he purchased the plant for the Whisky

Central Company who held the majority of these contracts, demanded the delivery of some of the spirits, and the trust has failed to comply, though it has filled orders from Baltimore, also called for in the contracts mentioned.

SIX GUARDS SHOT. The Prompt Action of Hippolyte Over the

Jamaica, yesterday. They state that, besination was the result of a conspiracy in which some people in Hippolyte's house-hould were implicated.

And hundreds of other things suitable for the boliday times.

It won't cost you a cent to look at the goods.

By a Cruel Mexican Bandit Who Has

UNCLE SAM'S TROOPS TO THE RESCUE

he killed the Sheriff and three soldiers of the Sheriff's posse and escaped to the Texas

the structure, roasting the six men alive. In addition to this it is stated he killed four other Mexicans in the fight with his own hand. Mexican scouts in attendance at the United States Court in San Antonio to aid in locating the bandits.

joint special committee of the General Assembly on taxation and retrenchment met at the Hotel Metropole this afternoon. Tax Commissioner Thomas L. Feitner told the committee that State and local taxes should be separated. A perplexing question, said, was that of the assessments on estates, because the executors often lived out of the State and could not be reached. He also said that the State lost largely by not being able to assess such properties as the Western Union Telegraph

ing the letting of the contract for the print-

the World's Fair to-day. The matter was thoroughly discussed, and the labor com mittee was requested to present its charges in writing, which it prom-ised to do at 4 o'clock to-morrow afternoon. The World's Fair officials have promised to make the fullest investigation into the matter, and have promised that if any official has been mixed up with the letting of the contract his resignation will be demanded, and, if possible, the contract will be annulled.

An Expensive Statute Which Will Cause

the Hoosiers Much Trouble. speculator, assisted by Attorneys Adams and Carter, brought suit against the C., C., C. & St. Louis Railroad in 74 paragraphs, each of which constitutes a separate offense, making the aggregate of \$19,000. There are 68 paragraphs against the Penusylvania

Sr. Louis, Dec. 14.—Steps are being taken by the directors of the defunct Cen-

Some days since stockholders in the old

Attempt to Assassinate Him. NEW YORK, Dec. 14 - [Special.] - W. A. were passengers on the Atlas line steamer Adirondack, which arrived from Kingston, sides the shooting of the assassin of President Hippolyte, six of the guards were shot for allowing the man to get into the house, and the Lieutenant who commanded them was sentenced to be shot. A son of Hippolyte, how-ever, interceded for the Lieutenant and his life was spared, though he is still in prison. It is believed that the attempted assas-

DISPATCH

AWFUL ATROCITIES REPORTED

Coundary Line.

SAN ANTONIO, TEX., Dec. 14.-A dispaten from Carrizzo says that two companies of United States cavalry have arrived there from Fort McIntosh in search of the Mexican bandits who committed the bloody onslaught on Mexican troops at San Ignacio last Saturday. There is also a large torce of United States deputy marshals in the field, searching for the marauders. The revolutionists are under the command of Eusacardo Ramon, known as a notorious outlaw on the Lower Rio Grande. In an attempt to arrest him for the murder of another Mexican at Carmego eight years ago,

Captain Seegar and Lieutenant Lopez, with four Mexican soldiers, songht refuge in a building from the fury of the insurgents. The place was surrounded and Ramon set fire to have been summarily ordered to the front The sentence of death passed by the mili-

FOR WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA-West Winds; Slightly Cooler.

member of the committee asked Mr. Feitner what was the personal assessment of Jay Gould. He replied that for four years past it had been \$500,000, but for many vears prior to that it was only \$250,000, and Mr. Gould complained not a little about the increase. Mr. Feitner said that the difficulty in getting at the taxable property of wealthy men was that they always pleaded heavy indebtedness. He said that on one occasion Chauncey M. Depew had told him that Commodore Vanderbilt often carried an indebtedness of \$20,000,000 and saved from 5 to 7 per cent

LAWING FOR SPECULATION.

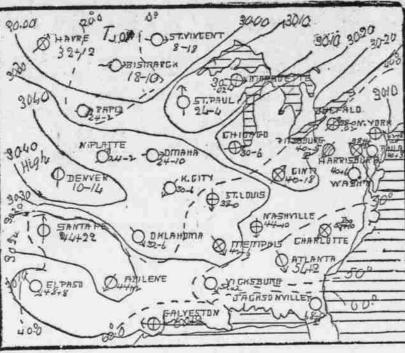
board an exceedingly expensive one.

And Will Be Sued by the Directors of On

Trust. The contracts called for the delivery of about 10,000 barrels of spirits at \$1 10 per gallon in reasonable quantities on

Griffin and Clarence B. Riker, of this city,

TERM OBSERVATIONS TAKEN AT & P.M.



EXPLANATION. PARTLY CLOUDY. Cronda.

marked "High" and the oval trough, or depres-sion "Low." These waves move Eastward on an average of 600 miles per day.

High winds, rain or (if cold enough) snow, South-erly winds, and consequently high temperature, usually precede "Lows" across the country. Arrow nies with wind.

First figures at station indicate temperature: next figures indicate change in temperature; and figure underneath, if any, indicate amount of rainfall or melted snow in hundreths of an inch during man 12 hours. The disease transfer. Arrow files with wind. past 12 hours: T indicates trace of precipitation; isobars, or solid black lines, pass through points of equal pressure; isotherms, or dotted lines, equal temperature,
Storms generally move from West to East in
atmospheric waves, of which the crests are

CLOUDLESS.

When the "Low" passes East of a place the wind changes to North, bringing lower temperature, clearing skies, and often cold waves and Northers. The high area brings sunshine.

(X) RAIN.

Weather Conditions.—The storm central over Lake Huron this morning has moved slowly northward into Canada with greatly diminished energy. Rain has fallen in New England, the Middle States, the Lake regions and on the South Atlantic coast, and snow has fallen in Colorado. Eisewhere generally fair weather has prevailed. A very extensive area of high barometer extends southeastward from the North Pacific coast to the Mississippi Valley, with low temperature in the Central Rocky Mountain region.

FOR WEST VIRGINIA AND OHIO-Fair; West Winds; Slightly Cooler.

PITTEBURG, Dec. 14.—The Local Forecast Official of the Weather Bureau furnishes the fol BAROMETER-S A. M., 30,04; 2 P.M., 30,11; S P. M., 30,19.

TEMPREATURE-8 A. M., 40: 12 M., 41: 2 P. M., 40; 5 P. M., 39; 8 P. M., 40. Highest, 48; lowest, 38; average, 43, which is 70 above the normal. RIVER NEWS AND NOTES.

PRECIPITATION past 24 hours from 8 P. M., .04.

RELATIVE HUMIDITY-5 A. M., 79; 2 P. M., 84; 8 P. M., 84.

Louisville Items-The Stage of Water and the Movement of Boats. INFECTAL TELEGRAMS TO THE DISPATCH. LOUI-VIILE, KY., Dec. 11.—Business good. Weather cold and cloudy. River rising, with 2 feet diuches on the falls, 4 feet 12 inches in the

canal, and 6 feet 8 inches below.

The Carrie Hope arrived from Leavenworth today. Departures—For Cinctinnati, Fleetwood; for
Evansyllie, Tell City; for Carrollton, Big Kana-What Upp-r Gauges Show. ALLECHENY JUNCTION—River 5 feet 5 inches and stationary. Cloudy and pleasant.
Wangen-River 2 feet. Light rain.
Mongantown—River 8 feet and rising. Cloudy.
Thermometer 420 at 4 F. M.
Brownsville-River 8 feet 9 inches and rising.
Cloudy. Thermometer 440 at 5 F. M.

The News From Below. CINCINNATI-River 10 feet 1 inch and rising. pepared—tenly and cloudy.

WHERLING—River 6 feet 3 inches and failing slowly. Departed—C. W. Batchelor, Pittsburg: 1.1zrie Bay, Charleston; Ben Hur, Parkersburg. Cold and cloudy.

St. LOUIS—River 5 feet 3 inches and failing.

ricked Up on the Wharf, THE Iron Queen is due to-night from Cincinnati THE C. W. Batchelor will leave at uoon to-day for Wheeling. THE James A. Blackmore arrived yesterday with THE Hudson left at 5 P. M. yesterday for Cincinnati with a fair trip. THE Scotia arrived from Cincinnati last evening and will leave for that port at 5 P. M. to-day. THE marks show 5 feet 8 inches and stationary. The indications point to another barge rise from the recent rain.

ALL the boats that left here last week were due at Chickmati yesterday. So far as could be learned they met with no mishaps on the down trip. THE prospects of more water will soon bring or side or the other to terms in the coal strike no in progress. The coal men do not seem to ca whether the men go to work or not.

Ocean Steamship Arrivals. From. Liverpool. Antwerp. Liverpool. Liverpool. New York. Raitimore New York.

WORKING PENN AVENUE, The Bogus Check Fiend Secures a Victin in Lawrenceville. A. Zimman, a grocer, doing business at 2705 Penn avenue, reported to the police last night that he had been beaten out of \$22 50 by a worthless check tendered by

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for the purchase. The check was made out in favor of Schreiber by M. Russel & Son

on the Union National Bank. Schreiber indorsed it and received the change, and later, when the grocer presented it at the bank, the check was thrown out, as the maker had no account there. Another Charge Against Hance. Oscar Hance, who was arrested Tuesday on a charge of larceny preferred by Dr. Gill, will have another charge to answer. Charles Marks made information before Alderman Toole yesterday charging Hance with stealing \$10 out of his pocket. The men boarded together at 65 Second avenue.

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