THE TEAMS CHOSEN.

All Arrangements Made for the Big New Year's Football Game.

FAMOUS PLAYERS COMING.

A Receiver May Be Asked for to Look After the Local Ball Club.

RESULTS OF GUTTENBERG RACES.

Fulford Defeats Elliott in the First of Their Shooting Contests.

GENERAL SPORTING NEWS OF THE DAY

Patrons of Rugby football will be delighted to learn that there will be one more great game here this winter at least. Definite arrangements were completed yesterday by Manager Kountz, of the Three A's team, to have a game at Three A Park on New Year's holiday between the Three A's and a team made up of Yale and Princeton players. The credit of getting together the latter team is due to Mr. Messler, and probably most of the credit for the whole undertaking is due Mr. Kountz. Undoubtedly, the contest, if the weather is favorable, will be one of the most important and interesting that has taken place in or about Pittsburg. Some of the players have a national reputation, and it is safe to say that the playing will be of a very high class.

Are Prominent Pittsburg Players.

Most of the players are Pittsburgers who will be at home for the holidays. The contest, if nothing else, will fully demonstrate what a large number of almost first-class football players there are in and about this city. It will further go to show that Pittsburg has an excellent future as far as football is concerned. These teams will line up as follows:

Three A's.	Position.	All College.
Donnelly	Left end	Brown
Trees	Left tackle	Messler
Coates	Left guard	Hickok or Rafferty
Barnard	Center	A. McCrea
Kountz	Right guard	J. McCrea
Faust	Right tackle	O. Rafferty
Flor	Right end	Clarke or Collins
Swing	Quarter back	Wainwright
Valentine	Back	Fisher
Bodine	Back	Edwards
Fiscus	Back	Arbuthnot
McClintock	Back	

It will be seen that the "All College" team comprises some great players. J. McCrea is the famous guard of the Yale University team, who have won the championship this year. The reputation of this young man is great enough to be a big attraction in itself. A. McCrae, of St. Paul's, has done well this year as center in the team of his college. Hickok, of course everybody interested in football knows of Hickok, the celebrated guard of the Yale University team. He is a great player. Gilbert Rafferty is from the Princeton Preparatory School and has done excellent work this year as guard for the "Prep" team.

Captain of the College Team.

Ollie Rafferty, has been playing tackle on the Princeton scrub team this year, and has performed admirably. He will captain the All College team in the local game. Messler is from Yale and has been subtackle for the University team during this year. His work has been praised by the best judges in the country. Clarke is also a player from the Princeton Preparatory School, and as an "end man" has made a good mark on the "Prep" team. Brown is another Princeton man, and during the past season was a sub-end for the Varsity team. Collins is from Yale; Wainwright is from Princeton Preparatory School and Fisher and Edwards are from the Princeton scrub team. Arbuthnot is from Yale, and is considered a good player. Altogether the team has a very formidable look on paper.

The Three A's will have a good team on the field, and the players will, it is expected, be in first-class condition. The promoters will go to the Allegheny Athletic Association, and probably there will be a banquet after the contest. The game will start at 2:30 prompt.

CHRISTMAS FOOTBALL.

All Arrangements Made for the Game Between the Chicago and Local Teams.

There will be a great football game, Association rules, at Exposition Park tomorrow week between the Pittsburg club's team and the famous Chicago Association team. These teams, it will be remembered, played here in the early part of this year, and the contest resulted in a tie under the most exciting circumstances. Since then both teams have become more famous than they were before. During this season the Chicago team have only lost one game in 26 played. Outside of the game lost not a goal has been scored against them. This is, indeed, a remarkable record and one to be very proud of. The Chicagoans are a great team and no mistake.

The local team are expected to show up in much better form against the Chicagos than they did against the Torontos. Two changes have been made in their team. Buck and Windle have been replaced by George Woods, of New Castle, and I. Burbridge, of McKeesport. It is expected that these changes will make an improvement. President Tatem is extremely desirous of having a winning team.

It is certain that people who want to see a good sample of Association football will see it on the 26th inst., at Exposition Park. The teams will line up as follows:

Pittsburgs.	Positions.	Chicagos.
R. Maxwell	Goal	Baister
T. Maxwell	Backs	McFarlane, Campbell
W. Powell		
J. Metcalf	Half Backs	Anderson, Cameron, Bellingall
Burbridge		
Cooke		
Morrall		McCluskie, Cowan, Webb
Woods	Forwards	
Adams, Capt.		T. Bellingall
Watson		C. W. Smith

The game will likely start at 2:30 or 3 o'clock P. M.

Yesterday afternoon the regular local team and the reserves had an interesting practice game. The former played well and finished in good form.

A GREAT PACIFIC COAST GAME.

Stanford and California Universities Play a Tie Match of Football.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 17.—Stanford, 10; University of California, 10, was the score at the end of the greatest football game ever played on the Pacific Coast. Fifteen thousand people witnessed the game.

Football has been a comparatively new game on the coast until this year, but both teams have been under instruction of crack coaches for several weeks. Walter Camp and T. L. McClung, Yale's famous players, taught many of the tricks to the men under their charge. Camp was brought from the East by special cord, and the University secured McClung. The University of California men outweighed the Stanford boys slightly, but the latter made up in quickness what they lost in weight.

The Wilmerdings Won.

A game of association football was played at Wilmerding yesterday between the Wilmerding second eleven and a team from Wall's school. The contest was a good one, the Wilmerdings winning by 3 goals to 0.

ONE FOR FULFORD.

The Harrisburg Man Wins the First Contest Against Elliott, of Kansas City.

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 17.—The first shoot in the matches between J. A.R. Elliott, of Kansas City, and E. D. Fulford, of Harrisburg, Pa., to decide the wing shot championship of the United States, took place at Exposition Park this afternoon and was won by Mr. Fulford. The score was: Fulford, 88; Elliott, 85. The score at the end of the first pair of the match, which was at 100 birds, was Fulford, 41; Elliott, 40, and the friends of the Kansas City man had hoped that he would pass the Easterner, but he could not do it. The full score was as follows:

Fulford—111 111 101 111 022 112 202 022 122 212 120 021 011 011 121 111 112 1x2 212 222 120 122 122 022 122 011 1x2 222 122 121 222 211 1—88.

Elliott—021 222 010 002 121 121 222 220 112 112 220 222 112 022 120 222 41x 122 122 012 212 x21 221 022 021 211 221 122 202 122 222 221 221 1—85.

The figure 2 denotes that the bird has been killed by the second barrel.

A BIG EVENT.

Everything Ready for the Big Shoot at Glenwood Christmas Holiday.

All arrangements have been completed for the Christmas shoot of the Glenwood Gun Club. About 400 live pigeons have been secured and they are from the best lofts in the country. Shooting will commence on Monday at 10 A. M., and will continue all day. Excellent lunch will be provided and in case of rain there will be plenty of shelter. The live pigeon shoot will be as follows:

First, at 7 birds, entrance $3; second, at 5 birds, $3 entrance; third, at 7 birds, $5 entrance; fourth, at 6 birds, entrance $4; fifth, at 5 birds, $5 entrance; sixth, at 5 birds. Valuable prizes will be offered for this event. There will also be shooting at clay pigeons.

On next Saturday there will also be a sweepstake shoot at live pigeons on the club grounds. Altogether the Glenwood Club will have a great time.

A NEW TRAINER FOR BICYCLISTS.

The Pittsburg Athletic Club Put In an Ingenious Contrivance.

There have been quite a number of home trainers invented for bicyclists, but perhaps the most ingenious is the one which has just been completed by Arthur L. Banker for the Pittsburg Athletic Club. By means of this apparatus a rider can get the full benefit of road practice, bring all the muscles into play that are used in general riding. Heretofore training machines have only

given the rider the development in the legs, but Banker's apparatus compels a man to use all the muscles to keep his equilibrium that are usually exercised in road riding. The machine consists of three rollers three feet 10 inches in diameter and placed sufficient distance apart so that the rear wheel bears on two rollers and the front wheel on the single roller. A rubber belt running from the rear to the front roller keeps the front wheel in motion. A picture of the machine in operation is given above.

THE GUTTENBERG RACES.

Favorites Win All the Events and the Public Pocket the Money.

GUTTENBERG, Dec. 17.—[*Special.*]—Favorites had a good time of it to-day, winning all the races. The public won well and the bookies lost heavily. Summaries:

First race, purse $400, of which $50 to second, for beaten horses, winner to be sold, six furlongs—Ocean Queen, 115 lbs. (Hill), 8 to 5 and 7 to 10; Dunblane, 97 (Doyle), second; Tara II., 92 (Sweeney), third. Time, 1:16½. Also ran: Excellency, 99; Jupiter S., 102; Exile, 109; Frank L., 112; Abanaqui, 112; Character, 107 and Shotover, 107. Betting: Ocean Queen, 8 to 5 and 4 to 5; Dunblane, 4 to 1 and 8 to 5; Tara II., 8 to 1 and 3 to 1; Excellency, 50 to 1; Jupiter S., 30 to 1 and even; Jupiter, 20 to 1 and 8 to 1; Exile, 40 to 1 and 20 to 1; Character, 12 to 1 and 5 to 1; Shotover, 20 to 1 and 10 to 1.

Second race, purse $400, of which $50 to second for 2-year-olds, winner to be sold, five furlongs—Maria Stoops, 99 (Griffin), first; Helen, 102, Seemer, second; Mohammed, 102, Ballard, third. Chippewa, 99, Little B., gelding, 99, also ran. Time, 1:05½. Betting: Maria Stoops, 3 to 5 and out; Helen, 7 to 1 and 7 to 5; Mohammed, 3 to 1 and 7 to 10; Chippewa, 20 to 1 and 4 to 1; Little B., gelding, 6 to 1 and 2 to 1.

Third race, handicap, purse $400, of which $75 to second, five furlongs—Bebbemoth, 118, Martin, first; Mabel Glenn, 105, Ballard, second; Brathmallah, 85, Griffin, third. Shellback, 105, Hogan, 87 and Gold Dollar, 107 also ran. Time, 1:04. Betting: Bebbemoth, 1 to 2 and out; Mabel Glenn, 3 to 1 and 7 to 10; Brathmallah, 20 to 1 and 8 to 1; Shellback, 15 to 1 and 4 to 1; Fidget, 20 to 1 and 5 to 1; Gold Dollar, 10 to 1 and 3 to 1.

Fourth race, purse $400, of which $50 to second, beaten horses, winner to be sold, six furlongs—Woodchopper, 106, Martin, first; Brown Charlie, 107, Lamasey, second; Mayor B., 101, W. French, third. Dago, 96, Gladiator, 107, Signature, 102, Parsdale, 111, Peralto, 107, Mucilage, 107 and Dr. Helmuth, 113½, also ran. Time, 1:18¾. Betting: Woodchopper, 4 to 5 and out; Brown Charlie, 15 to 1 and 5 to 1; Mayor B., 6 to 1 and 1 to 1; Dago, 4 to 1 and 7 to 5; Gladiator, 12 to 1 and 4 to 1; Signature, 30 to 1 and 15 to 1; Paradale, 100 to 1 and 20 to 1; Peralto, 4 to 1 and 12 to 1; Mucilage, 6 to 1 and 2 to 1; Dr. Helmuth, 20 to 1 and 8 to 1.

Fifth race, handicap, purse $400, of which $50 to second, mile and a quarter over four hurdles—Manzeo, 160, T. Lynch, first; St. John, 147, Marshall, second; Ecarte, 154, Pines, third. Adelina, 155, and the Countess, 136, also ran. Time, 2:21½. Betting: Manzeo, 5 to 2 and 4 to 5; St. John, 7 to 5 and 1 to 2; Ecarte, 3 to 1 and 6 to 5; Adelina, 7 to 2 and even; The Countess, 15 to 1 and 5 to 1.

Sixth race, purse $400, of which $50 to second, winner to be sold, seven furlongs—Westchester, 118, T. Flynn, first; Blackfoot, 102, W. Penny, second; Hesperus, 91, Sweeney, third. Balbriggan, 103, Addie B. 105, Helwood, 105, Reporter, 108 and Alma T. 94 also ran. Time, 1:33½. Betting—Westchester, 1 to 4 and out; Blackfoot, 30 to 1 and 10 to 1; Hesperus, 10 to 1 and 3 to 1; Balbriggan, 15 to 1 and 4 to 1; Addie B., 20 to 1 and 8 to 1; Helwood, 25 to 1 and 7 to 1; Reporter, 5 to 1 and 8 to 5; Alma T., 50 to 1 and 15 to 1.

Corrigan Arrested.

CHICAGO, Dec. 17.—Edward Corrigan, chief promoter of the Hawthorne race track, against which a crusade has been inaugurated similar to the successful struggle against the Garfield Park, was arrested this morning. An hour later the other proprietors and officials at Hawthorne were taken into custody. The warrants are under the anti-gambling statutes.

WILL REORGANIZE THE CLUB.

Latest About the Trouble Among the New York Baseball Magnates.

NEW YORK, Dec. 17.—[*Special.*] The stockholders of the New York Baseball Club will hold a special meeting at Spalding's on Monday afternoon. The affairs of the club are in such a muddled state just at present that the heavy stockholders have refused to put up any more money until things are straightened out. The plan of action has been decided upon. The first move will be the retirement of President John B. Day. The stockholders say they have nothing particular against Mr. Day, but that a change is desirable for business reasons. It is said that Mr. E. B. Talcott will be asked to accept the Presidency, as he is energetic and is strongly in favor of radical changes in the method of handling the club's affairs.

The number of stockholders will be reduced so that the club may be more of a local affair. Stock held by other League clubs will be bought in if possible, and the club will be thoroughly reorganized. The policy adopted last season to run matters on a cheap basis has been condemned by three of the heaviest owners, who have admitted that the *Herald* was the only paper that was right in the matter of criticising the work of the team.

Certain players who are friendly with certain stockholders have been telling some tales out of school, and "Jim" O'Rourke in particular has had some unfavorable things to say about Manager Powers. Messrs. Robinson, Talcott, McAlpin and Van Cott are unanimous in the opinion that New York must have a star team next season and that it must be managed with rare skill. At least two of these gentlemen have expressed dissatisfaction with Manager Powers.

CHICAGO'S NEW BASEBALL DEAL.

It Probably Means Sunday Games With Anson Still at the Helm.

CHICAGO, Dec. 17.—The National League franchise of the Chicago Baseball Club has been transferred by John R. Walsh, A. G. Spalding, A. C. Trego and James Whert to Charles N. Sherman, Thomas Barrett and James A. Hart. The new management made application to-day to incorporate, with a capital of $100,000. There are a number of small stockholders besides.

The reason given by Mr. Hart for the transfer is that by its recent purchase of new ball grounds on the West side and at Hot Springs, Ark., the Chicago ball club became, from a financial standpoint, more of a land than amusement company. It was, therefore, concluded to separate the two branches and allow the old corporation to look after the land end of the business, while the new corporation will do nothing but hunt the pennant. Captain Anson will retain his old position, and hold not only what stock he now has, but a good-sized block in addition. Mr. Hart says the new movement means Sunday games, especially in this city during the World's Fair.

QUITE A SURPRISE.

A Receiver May Be Asked for to Look After the Local Ball Club.

There is a possibility that a request may be made for the appointment of a receiver for the Pittsburg Baseball Club. This piece of news may be startling, but it is, nevertheless, true. Since the close of the season not a stockholder except two has put up a dollar. W. C. Temple has anted up $4,000 and P. H. Auten, of Chicago, has put up $1,000. The other stockholders have played "shy." As a result a very reliable authority states that if the balance of the stockholders do not put up there will be application made for the appointment of a receiver.

A gentleman personally interested in the club's affairs said yesterday: "This financial feature does not at all threaten the status of the club. Two or three of the stockholders are willing to take the entire club, but they do not desire to pay all the money and allow other people to reap the benefits. The club is a profitable investment, and if stockholders want to have the profits they must put up the required capital. That's all there is about it."

Manager Buckenberger, accompanied by his wife, left for Wheeling yesterday to spend the holidays. Before he left he had a long conference with Mr. Temple, of the local club. Mr. Temple told the new President in definite terms that he (the new President) would have absolute charge of the club and its team during next season. After the conference Mr. Temple said: "I have told Mr. Buckenberger that I do not want him to talk baseball to me until next November. He has full charge of the team and the policy of the club. If he wants to play Sunday ball away from home he can please himself. He is the authority, and to him I will look for results. I have not the time to spare to look after baseball any more than being an ordinary spectator."

The declaration of Mr. Temple is an important one and it may be a wise one. If Mr. Buckenberger is capable at all of fulfilling the duties assigned him he will be the better able to do so if given absolute control. The necessities of the times may compel him to play the team on Sundays away from home. If he does participate in Sunday games it will be because he has the very best reasons for so doing.

A Baseball Challenge.

The following interesting challenge was received at this office last evening: "The Standard baseball team would like to play the Hill Top team a game of baseball on New Year's Day. I will meet the manager of the Hill Tops at THE DISPATCH office at any time to make arrangements.

"Yours, etc.,
"M. F. KRIEG,
"Manager Standard Baseball Club."

Reading Also in Line.

READING, Dec. 17.—Parties in this city are at the head of a movement to form a Middle States base ball league to embrace twelve clubs in New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania and Rhode Island. A meeting will be held in New York next Tuesday.

Ed. Reilly Wins a Wrestling Match.

NEW CASTLE, Dec. 17.—[*Special.*]—The rooms of the Neshannock Athletic Club were comfortably filled to-night, there being quite a delegation of Pittsburgers, as well as the local sports and club members, to witness the wrestling match between Ed. Reilly, of Pittsburg, and Charles Ward, of Buffalo. Reilly weighed 141 and Ward 143. The match was for the gate money and one so-called welter-weight championship of this State. The falls were three in five. Reilly won in three straight, with ten-minute intervals, the first fall in eight minutes, the second in nine minutes and the third in two minutes.

Pigeon Flying Challenge.

The following challenge was left at this office last evening by William Woods, of Mt. Washington: "I will match one of my pigeons to fly a race against any pigeon that Thomas Colbourch, of Belzhoover, owns. The match can be for $50 a side; take place on New Year's holiday, and the distance be anywhere from 7 to 100 miles. I now deposit and forfeit of $5 with the sporting editor of THE DISPATCH, and will be at the latter office next Saturday evening at 7:30 o'clock to make a match."

The Proposed Yacht Race.

LONDON, Dec. 17.—The *Field* to-day makes scant reference to the acceptance by the New York Yacht Club of the challenge of Lord Dunraven for a race for the American cup. All the paper has to say on this subject is that, according to the latest advices from New York, the challenge has been accepted but that no intimation is given as to whether the New York Yacht Club will undertake to modify the conditions of the new deed of gift, as it was requested to do in the challenge.

The Eagle Gun Club.

What promises to be an interesting all-day shoot will take place on the 26th inst. under the auspices of the Eagle Gun Club, Allegheny. Several sweepstakes will be shot off and a good attendance is expected. Yesterday the club members had a practice shoot on their grounds. The shooting was good. All communications to the club should be addressed to Charles Mellars, 75 Beaver avenue, Allegheny.

Settled Their Trouble.

CHICAGO, Dec. 17.—The athletic war, which has been waged between the Western Athletic Association and the Amateur Athletic Union, has been brought to an end by the elimination from the by-laws of the A. A. U. of the obnoxious rule prohibiting clubs from giving open games on Sunday. The two bodies have now come together and peace reigns once more.

A Challenge at Bird Shooting.

I. J. Quinn called at THE DISPATCH office last night to say that he has a man whom he will back to shoot either of the men who shot at Homestead Park yesterday with three-fourths of an ounce of shot, 21 yards rise, 60 yards fall, for $100 a side, the shoot to take place Monday, December 26, Christmas Day.

General Sporting Notes.

PIKES—The statement was published as a news item and was entirely correct.

PUGILIST: The weight of Fitzsimmons when he fought Dempsey was 160½ pounds.

THE California Club lost money on the Dawson and O'Connell fight, as the attendance was very light.

JAKE BECKLEY, the local first baseman, arrived in the city yesterday. He is looking well, and will stay here a short time.

THE proposed inter-class football games at the Western University did not take place yesterday, owing to the sickness of some of the players.

JOHN J. CARNEY, who has played with New England and National League clubs, has signed to manage and captain the Charleston (S. C.) club of the Southern League.

A PROMINENT sporting man of Bridgeport writes to Patsey Sheppard that he has an unknown that he will match against Billy Frazier at 120 pounds for $500 a side and a purse of the same amount. As soon as Frazier posts a forfeit it will be covered.

IN Philadelphia it is said that the day does not seem far distant when the Athletic Club of the Schuylkill Navy will cease to be an athletic club except in name. Athletics are being crowded to the wall by social features, and the club is not fostering its old object of encouraging the amateurs.

JOE MCGRATH, the Irish champion bantam who is to fight Billy Plimmer at the Coney Island Club, December 28, has been tried out by several well known pugilists and has shown himself to be a game fighter. He is not as clever as Plimmer, but will put up a game fight. Plimmer is picked as the winner.

Unpurchased Pre-Eminence.

In an exhaustive and critical report of the meeting of the Music Teachers' National Association the musical critic of Freund's Music and Drama, who was in the city as special correspondent, wrote: "Certainly, the success of the Henry F. Miller piano at the Music Teachers' National Convention was most obvious, despite the presence of noble competitors."

Merit will always be recognized without much heralding and great ado. A striking example is the wonderful success in the sales of the Henry F. Miller piano, whose matchless musical value is recognized by societies and artists of ability when wanting a piano on which they can depend. In the sale of another Parlor Grand "Miller" to one of the finest pianists in Allegheny county, the above facts have again been emphasized.

The public is cordially invited to inspect these wonderful instruments at W. C. Whitehill's Musical Parlor, 148 Third avenue, opposite postoffice.

THE largest variety of diamond and pearl pendants of any store in the city at prices ranging from $15 up, at Kingsbacher Bros.' special sale, 516 Wood street.

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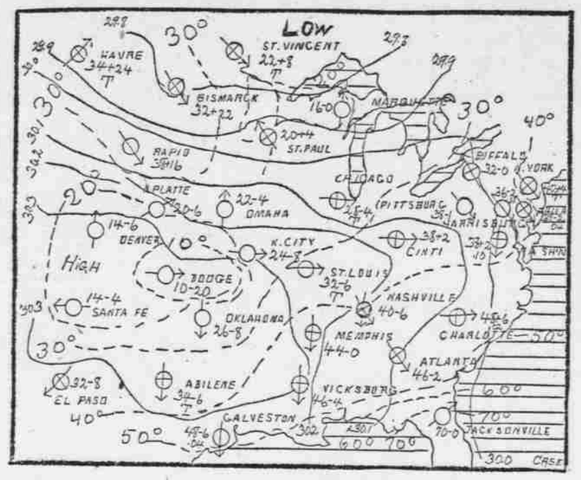

EXPLANATION.

CLOUDLESS. PARTLY CLOUDY. CLOUDY. RAIN. SNOW.

Arrow flies with wind.

First figures at station indicate temperature; next figures indicate change in temperature; and figures underneath, if any, indicate amount of rainfall or melted snow in hundredths of an inch during 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 marked "High" and the oval trough, or depression "Low." These waves move Eastward on an average of 600 miles per day.

High winds, rain or (if cold enough) snow, Southerly winds, and consequently high temperature, usually precede "Lows" across the country.

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.

FOR WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA, WEST VIRGINIA AND OHIO—Generally Fair; Falling Temperature; Variable Winds.

WEATHER CONDITIONS—The barometer has risen over the Lower Mississippi Valley, and has fallen on the Atlantic coast during the day. It has also fallen very decidedly in the Northwest. The very extensive area of high barometer still prevails over the Rocky Mountains and on the North Pacific coast, extending southward into Texas. Rain has fallen on the Atlantic coast from New England to Georgia and on the West Gulf coast.

PITTSBURG, Dec. 17.—The Local Forecast Official of the Weather Bureau furnishes the following:

BAROMETER—8 A. M., 30.01; 2 P.M., 30.00; 8 P. M., 30.06.

RELATIVE HUMIDITY—8 A. M., 71; 2 P. M., 58; 8 P. M., 67.

PRECIPITATION past 24 hours from 8 P. M., .00.

TEMPERATURE—8 A. M., 29; 12 M., 40; 2 P. M., 41; 5 P. M., 39; 8 P. M., 38. Highest, 45; lowest, 35; average, 40, which is 5° above the normal.

RIVER NEWS AND NOTES.

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

(SPECIAL TELEGRAMS TO THE DISPATCH.)

LOUISVILLE, KY., Dec. 17.—Business good. Weather cloudy. River rising, with 5 feet 8 inches on the falls, 8 feet in the canal, and 12 feet 3 inches below.

The John H. Wood and the B. D. Wood, with tows, arrived from Pittsburg to-day. They left for the South. The John Barrett and tow is due down to-night. The Sam Brown, with empties, and the Charlie McDonald will pass up to-morrow. The Sea Lion is laid up in New Albany with a broken shaft.

The Raymond Horner, Enterprise, Joe Nixon, Fred Wilson and Tom Dodsworth, with tows of coal, arrived here last night. They left for Pittsburg to-day. Owing to the arrival of the coal fleet coal fell 1c at Cannelton, Captain Oscar Barrett and A. O. Blackburn are in town looking after their coal interests. Departures—For Cincinnati, Big Sandy; for Carrollton, Big Kanawha; for Evansville, City of Owensboro.

The News From Below.

WHEELING—River 10 feet 3 inches and falling. Departed—Iron Queen, Cincinnati. Cool and cloudy.

NEW ORLEANS—Weather cold and raining. Arrived—Santa Lucia, from Pittsburg; Joseph Henry, Cairo.

CINCINNATI—River 16 feet 7 inches and stationary. Fair and cool. Departed—Hudson, to Pittsburg; Buckeye State, to Memphis.

ST. LOUIS—Arrived—City of Savannah, Natchez. Departed—City of Sheffield, Natchez; Eagle, Paducah. River 6 feet 4 inches and falling. Cloudy and mild.

CAIRO—No arrivals or departures. River 13.4 feet and rising. Cloudy and cooler.

Ocean Steamship Arrivals.

Steamer.	From.	To.
Westmoreland	New York	Lizard
Wyoming	New York	Queenstown
Aurania	New York	Queenstown

PEOPLE COMING AND GOING.

C. A. Baird, commercial agent of the Queen and Crescent road at Cleveland, and A. J. Mair, of Highland, are at the Monongahela House.

F. H. Siegfried, of New Castle, and Thomas B. Sweeney, of Wheeling, put up at the Duquesne last evening.

Miss Jessie Merritts, and Mrs. R. Merritts, of Connellsville, were guests at the Central Hotel yesterday.

Charles Brand, of Urbana, and J. L. Davidson, of Greensburg, are registered at the St. Charles.

C. G. Magee, of New York, and J. T. Rogers, of Waynesburg, are stopping at the Newell House.

R. J. Phillips, of Butler, and George P. Bible, of Indiana, are at the Seventh Avenue Hotel.

C. R. Kearns, of Virginia, and W. Edson, of Washington, were at the Anderson yesterday.

Thomas B. Simpson and wife, of Oil City, registered at the Schlosser yesterday.

Ex-Congressman J. W. Ray, of Waynesburg, was in the city yesterday.

S. A. Burtnett and wife, of Carmichaels, Pa., are at the St. Charles.

C. L. Magee returned from Philadelphia last night.

THE FIRE RECORD.

Cincinnati—The Cincinnati Lead Pipe and Sheet Lead Works, Clark & Hawley's lead pipe store, a restaurant and boarding house. John D. Abram, proprietor of the lead pipe and sheet works, estimates his loss on stock at $50,000. The building belongs to the Cunningham estate and was valued at $5,000. The losses of the other parties will bring the total up to $100,000, on which there is about $75,000 insurance.

Brooklyn—The graystone storehouse No. 1, three stories high, of the storehouses belonging to David S. Arnott, with 5,000 bales of cotton and an immense quantity of bagging and jute. Loss, about $30,000; insurance unknown. Falling walls crushed a fire engine and badly injured several firemen.

New York—The Empire Storage Company's warehouse. Loss, $300,000. Cause of fire unknown.

Carthage, N. Y.—Business property valued at $50,000; insurance, $14,000.

Dallas, Tex.—The Jacksboro flouring mill. Loss, $40,000; insurance, $7,500.

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If you are looking for the largest selection of fine pure candies and elegant selection of fancy Christmas and New Year's boxes, drop in at E. Maginn's, 913-915 Liberty street, or 80 Federal street, Allegheny. The public should remember that Mr. Maginn's candies are all guaranteed to be pure, as they are manufactured in his own establishment.

ALL the finest imported cordials and liquors at Max Klein's, Allegheny, Pa.

SNAP SHOTS AT LOCAL NEWS.

THE Bureau of Health yesterday reported six cases of diphtheria and nine of scarlatina in the city.

THE St. Louis express was three and a half hours late last evening. The delay was caused by a freight wreck on the Vandalia line.

A HEAVY girder fell on Daniel O'Connell at Chartiers yesterday, breaking his left leg below the knee and the bones in his left hand.

CAPTAIN SCOTT, of the Southside, states that the Salvation Army will hold a meeting in Lafayette Hall this evening, beginning at 8 o'clock.

THE Academy of Teachers held a secret meeting yesterday afternoon in Loyal Legion Hall, Sixth avenue, which was addressed by Prof. Ford.

CAR No. 15 of the Birmingham line mashed William Doyle's buggy on Carson street yesterday afternoon. Mr. Doyle, who was in the buggy, escaped uninjured.

THE Ornithological Association of Western Pennsylvania will hold its annual meeting in the Academy of Science and Art building Wednesday morning.

OWING to the breaking of a grip on one of the cars at the East Liberty loop last night that branch of the Citizens' traction road was blockaded for about three-quarters of an hour.

STEPHEN LOX, a Welshman, aged about 59 years, had his left hand badly crushed yesterday by getting it caught in machinery in Shaff's machine shop on Second avenue, near Wood street.

PICKED UP BY THE POLICE.

LOUIS LOCHINGER, of 1726 Mary street, is charged with wife beating.

JOHN DUER was arrested yesterday for robbing Snyder's cigar store at Fourth avenue and Market street.

E. HESS was placed in jail last night on a charge of embezzlement, preferred by P. Riesiek before Alderman Gripp.

THOMAS WHITTAKER, editor of the *Gatling Gun*, was yesterday sent to jail for court in default of $10,000 bail. He is charged with criminal libel.

ROBERT ARMSTEAD and Charles Monroe, colored men, were fighting on Wylie avenue last evening, and it is alleged that Armstead cut Monroe on the hand with a razor.

A GERMAN, who pretends not to speak English, was arrested in Kaufmanns' store yesterday on a charge of trying to steal a woman's pocket book. He is at the Central station.

THE place to buy fine diamonds, watches, jewelry, silverware, etc., is where you can get the best selection and lowest prices, and that is at M. G. Cohen's, 35 Fifth avenue. Call and see for yourself. Our goods and prices will please.

BEAUTIFUL Dresden china clocks, handsome onyx clocks, 33 per cent less than regular price, at Kingsbacher Bros.' great holiday sale, 516 Wood street.

TABLES for ladies and gentlemen at the Rustic. Breakfast and supper, you can get 5 cents worth or $5, just as you please. 35 and 37 Diamond street.

FOUR-PLY linen, 2,100 fine, collars and cuffs of latest styles. Collars at 7 cents, cuffs 11 cents. SALLER,
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THE Christmas time is drawing near
When loving gifts to friends we make,
When tables groan with bounteous cheer,
Flanked by "Marvin's bread and cake."

Then, too, his crackers hold their place,
Light as the snow with creamy flake;
Who could not say his Christmas grace
When flanked by "Marvin's bread and cake?"

Confections, too, do grace the board,
Of which with zest we may partake,
And for them all we thank the Lord
For Marvin's toothsome bread and cake.

The merry Christmas far and near,
From ocean to the farthest lake,
And hope you all may have good cheer,
And lots of Marvin's bread and cake.

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IRON Molder's Union No. 46 will hold a special meeting Sunday, December 18, 1892, at No. 81 Fourth av., at 7:30 P. M. By order of the President, F. Barle.

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Meetings.

SPECIAL MEETING—ADELAIDE NICHOLSON R. D. Lodge No. 186, I. O. O. F., will be held at Odd Fellows' Hall, Frankstown avenue, East End, MONDAY, 19th at 1 P. M. to make arrangements for attending the funeral of Mrs. Peter Schwartz. All members of sister lodges are invited to attend.

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Christmas only comes once a year, and it is the season to make the young folks happy, but don't do it by filling them with impure candies when you can get guaranteed pure candy at the house of E. Maginn, 913 and 915 Liberty street, Pittsburg, or 80 Federal street, Allegheny; in stock, full line of Christmas tree ornaments, glass balls and beads, animals, gold and silver, moss and tinsel, etc., etc.

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