ELLIOTT GETS ONE,

He Defeats Fulford in the Third of Their Shooting Contests.

WINNER'S GREAT WORK.

Stamboul's and Kremlin's Records May Not Be Accepted.

RESULTS OF GUTTENBERG RACES.

The Local Pacer Dallas to Be Changed Into a Trotter for Next Year.

GENERAL SPORTING NEWS OF THE DAY

About 400 or 500 people were at Exposition Park yesterday afternoon to witness the third of the series of five shooting matches between Messrs. Fulford and Elliott. The former is from Kansas City and the latter from Harrisburg. They are two of the best wing shots in the country. Each contest is for $200 a side, or, in other words, the total stakes amount to $1,000 a side. Previous to yesterday's contest Fulford had won two, having been the victor in both the Kansas City and Indianapolis contests. As a consequence he was favorite for yesterday's event. There was little or no betting, as nobody was inclined to back Elliott.

Elmer E. Shaner was referee and Jim Crow was trap-puller. Both performed their duties well. C. M. Hostetter was handler for Fulford and Elmer E. Smith for Elliott. The last named shot in excellent form after the first 25. He had five misses in the first quarter, but in the next 75 birds he only missed two. At the end of the first 25 he was two birds behind, but at the end of the next 25 he was one in the rear. In the second 25 Fulford had three misses. In the second 50 Elliott killed every bird. His form was really first-class.

The birds were tolerably fair. Some of them were very strong and left the trap like demons. Fulford was not quite at home with these customers. He also had difficulty in downing birds that took an upward course. Several of the birds were very poor and couldn't very well be missed. Taking everything into consideration the contest was a good one and those who managed it deserve credit for the way it was conducted.

The men will shoot to-morrow at Williamsport, and will end their series of contests at Harrisburg on Monday. If Elliott wins again to-morrow, matters will be very interesting. If Fulford wins a majority of the contests, Elliott says he will make another match to shoot him as soon as he desires. Following is the score of yesterday's contest, the figure "2" denoting that the bird was killed with the second barrel:

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Fulford—

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GOOD FOR THE BOOKIES.

They Have Much the Best of It at Guttenberg Races.

GUTTENBERG, Dec. 22.—*[Special.]*—The bookies had much the best of it to-day, as the public favorites were all beaten. The betting was heavy, the track good and the racing excellent. Summaries:

First race, purse $400, of which $80 to second, for 2-year-olds, five and one-half furlongs—Bob V 97, Mason, first; Leigh 108, Snedeker, second; Lizzie T 104, McDermott, third. Time, 1:10½. Cœur de Leon 103, Suspense filly 97, Carmelite 103, Heads or Tails 103, Fancy colt 105, Culpepper 97, La Gloria filly 97, J. Lamley 109, Levee filly 96, and Postmaid 93, also ran. Betting: Bob V, 6 to 1 and 2 to 1; Leigh, 8 to 5 and 2 to 1; Lizzie T, 6 to 1 and 2 to 1; Cœur de Leon, 3 to 1 and 3 to 1; Suspense, filly, 15 to 1 and 6 to 1; Carmelite, 20 to 1 and 8 to 1; Heads or Tails, 12 to 1 and 5 to 1; Fancy colt, 6 to 1 and 2 to 1; Culpepper, 12 to 1 and 5 to 1; La Gloria filly, 20 to 1 and 10 to 1; Jimmy Lamley, 8 to 1 and 3 to 1; Levee filly, 40 to 1 and 20 to 1; Postmaid, 30 to 1 and 10 to 1.

Second race, purse $400, of which $80 to second, winner to be sold, one mile. Balbriggan 110, Penny, 97; Bob Sutherland 118, Snedeker, second; Addie H 91, N. Hill, third. Joe Courtney 112, Jester 103, Excelsior filly 100, Fancy gelding 103, Milo 105 and Brown Charlie 112, also ran. Time, 1:45½. Betting: Balbriggan, 4 to 1 and 7 to 5; Bob Sutherland, 5 to 2 and even; Addie H, 30 to 1 and 10 to 1; Joe Courtney, 4 to 1 and 2 to 1; Jester, 15 to 1 and 6 to 1; Excelsior filly, 6 to 1 and 2 to 1; Fancy gelding, 30 to 1 and 10 to 1; Milo, 7 to 1 and 2 to 1; Brown Charlie, 8 to 1 and 3 to 1.

Third race, purse $400, of which $80 to second, winner to be sold, six furlongs—Skadi 76, H. Lynch, 101; Mohican 103, J. Barrett, second; Greenwich 93, Metlone, third. Jack Rose 103 and Airplant 106 also ran. Time, 1:15¾. Betting: Skadi, 3 to 1 and even; Mohican, 2 to 1 and 4 to 5; Greenwich, even and 1 to 2; Jack Rose, 7 to 1 and 2 to 1; Airplant, 20 to 1 and 7 to 1.

Fourth race, purse $400, of which $80 to second, for 2-year-olds, three furlongs—Patroness filly 106, McDermott, first; Matilda filly 106, T. Flynn, second; Jersey Lass filly 109, Griffin, third. Anna Belle 104, Chevalier 112, Fagan 112, Briar colt 112, Pacific filly 99 and Patti King 110 also ran. Time, 36¾. Betting: Patroness filly, 10 to 1 and 4 to 1; Matilda filly, 8 to 1 and 3 to 1; Jersey Lass filly, 7 to 1 and 3 to 1; Anna Belle, 8 to 1 and 3 to 1; Chevalier, 6 to 1 and 3 to 1; Fagan, 4 to 1 and 2 to 1; Briar colt, 10 to 1 and 10 to 1; Little filly, 20 to 1 and 10 to 1; Patti King, 7 to 1 and 2 to 1.

Fifth race, purse $400, of which $80 to second, winner to be sold, five furlongs—Berwyn 107, McDermott, first; Zenobia 111, T. Flynn, second; Johnstown 107, Hamilton, third. Duke John 110, Vardee 112, Mayor B 109 and Hazelhurst 107, also ran. Time, 1:03. Betting: Berwyn, 4 to 1 and 2 to 1; Zenobia, 4 to 1 and even; Johnstown, 5 to 1 and 7 to 5; Duke John, 20 to 1 and 8 to 1; Vardee, 20 to 1 and 8 to 1; Mayor B, 100 to 1 and 30 to 1; Hazelhurst, 60 to 1 and 12 to 1.

Sixth race, purse $400, of which $80 to second, winner to be sold, seven furlongs—Hesperus 104, T. Flynn, first; Hermore 118, Marshall, second; Eugenie 98, Donohue, third. Prince Fortunatus 108, Spot 93, Miss Bess 101 and Gonzales 121, also ran. Time, 1:31¼. Betting: Hesperus, 8 to 5 and 2 to 5; Hermore, 8 to 1 and 3 to 1; Eugenie, 2 to 1 and 4 to 5; Prince Fortunatus, 6 to 1 and 2 to 1; Spot, 7 to 1 and 5 to 2; Miss Bess, 2 to 1 and 3 to 5; Gonzales, 20 to 1 and 7 to 1.

To-Day's Guttenberg Card.

LOUISVILLE, Dec. 22.—*[Special.]*—The following pools were sold here this evening on to-morrow's races at Guttenberg:

First race, five-eighths of a mile, selling—Kerry Gow 112, Kenwood 112, $10; Priscilla 109, Caracas 107, Menthol 107, $10; Jewel H. 104, $3; Harry Ireland 104, Extra 102, $5; Freedom 102, Prunty 102, The Countess 94, Lady Ballard 94, $3; Gloriana 109, Volunteers $2 each.

Second race, three-quarters of a mile, selling—Vespasian 110, $16; Hightaway 110, $8; Don't Know 110, $; Lady Mary 105, $5; Violet 105, $5; Postmaid 99, $2.

Third race, six and one-half furlongs—Eclipse 118, $5; Logan 112, $5; Uncertainty 103, $2; Riot 106, $2; Mabel Glenn 97, $8; Flattery 93, $5.

Fourth race, selling, one mile—Thorndale 106, 6; Harry Alonzo 105, $8; Headlight 102, $3; Balbriggan 107, $3; Little Jake 99, $2; Merry Duke 98, $2; Jamestown 93, $2.

Fifth race, selling, four and one-half furlongs—Cadestream 111, Duke John 111, Fleurette 110, $10; Dunlage 109, $3; Miss Olive 108, $3; Bon Voyage 107, $6; April Fool 107, Mamie B 106, Red Im 106, $10, Van 8 105, $10; Magic 102, Krikina 102, $5; Lanreska 102, Cloine 102, Mayor B 100, others $2 each.

Sixth race, selling, seven-eighths of a mile—King Mac 117, Hamilton 112, Transit 108, Running Bird 104, Revie 101, Tammany Hall 98, Lallah 95, High 93, Marmont 93; no pooling.

American Sprinters in England.

A number of American sprinters have entered for the English handicap races which have been arranged to take place shortly at Manchester and Sheffield. That the swiftness of the Americans is not despised is shown by the fact that the most of them have been placed on short marks. At the Manchester Pedestrian Company 125 yards handicap for a $500 prize, R. D. Budd, 2½ yards; J. F. Boyle, 3 yards; J. Collins, 3 yards; S. Farrel, 3½ yards; D. Sully, 3 yards; M. Dolan, 6 yards, and C. R. Huntley, 6 yards, are among those with allowances, while Harry Hutchins is on the scratch mark. In the Sheffield Christmas Handicap pretty much the same men are entered, and Hutchins is also scratch man in this event.

Declared the Fight Off.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 22.—Before the Newport Athletic Club, of Newport, Ky., Mike Norton, of Cincinnati, met Abe Lloyd, of Terre Haute, Ind., last night in a glove contest for a purse of $300. Charles Gaulinger, ex-President of New Orleans Olympic club, was time keeper for Lloyd, and among Lloyd's seconds was Billy Myers, the Streator cyclone. Lloyd's fighting was tame. Norton fought gamely for 25 rounds with both hands broken. At the end of the 44th round, after 14 rounds had passed without a blow, the fight was declared off.

STAMBOUL'S RECORDS.

Reason Why He May Not Likely Be Credited With Them.

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—In the discussion over the low price realized for the stallion Stamboul, the fact is developed that both Stamboul and Kremlin are not likely to get their big records of this fall. Secretary Steiner, of the American Trotting Horse Register, has announced that according to special reports received from the National Trotting Horse Association, all performances from October 13 to November 27, inclusive, at Stockton, will probably have to be rejected on account of their not being in accordance with the rules adopted in April.

Steiner is reported to have said that the performances of Kremlin at Nashville would have to be thrown out, as well as those of Stamboul if the rules adopted in April were enforced. This would put Kremlin back to his race record of 2:11¾, and Stamboul to his record of 2:11, made last year, thus leaving the dead Palo Alto, 2:08¼, the king of the trotting turf. Neither association had enforced all the April rules, which stipulate that there must be races on the same day; that the performance must be advertised, and that the start must be made before 10 o'clock, and it remains to be seen what will be done.

WATKINS HAS NERVE.

He Puts in a Claim for Pitcher Barnett, Claimed by Pittsburg.

Manager Watkins, of the St. Louis ball club, has written Manager Buckenberger that he, Watkins, has accepted the terms of Pitcher Barnett, claimed by the Pittsburg club. This piece of news was exceedingly interesting to Mr. Buckenberger simply from the fact that Watkins had no right whatever, according to baseball law, to make overtures to Barnett.

Manager Watkins had not the name of Barnett on his list submitted to President Young, nor has Manager Watkins at any time put Barnett's name to his list. The Pittsburg club, on the other hand, some time ago notified President Young to put the name of Barnett on the Pittsburg list, and President Young did so. He notified the local club to this effect, and that means that no other club in the League had a right to approach Barnett.

It may be that Manager Watkins expects to secure Barnett by the aid of the League "combine." If the latter has to deal with it Pittsburg need not hope to get anything at all.

CHANGING HIS GAIT.

Mr. McCormick Trying to Make the Pacer Dallas a Trotter.

Mr. M. McCormick, owner of Dallas, the famous local pacer, is making efforts to convert his horse into a trotter. During a conversation yesterday Mr. McCormick said:

"I have Dallas on a farm at Latrobe at present, and he has commenced trotting without any teaching or training. When in the field he trots and shows remarkable speed. I have made my mind up to try and make a trotter of him. If I can succeed and he shows good speed I will consider myself a very lucky man."

Harvard Athlete Dead.

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—Herbert Tufts Allen, Harvard, '86, died yesterday afternoon of peritonitis. He was sick only a few days. Bert Allen was a famous Harvard baseball player. "Nichols and Allen," the famous Harvard battery, were known all over the country in 1885 and 1886. Allen pitched one year and caught three years that he was in Harvard, and was considered the best backstop ever at the college. Up to the time of his death he was engaged in the real estate business in this city.

Signed Vickery.

NASHVILLE, TENN., Dec. 22.—T. P. Sullivan states that he has signed Vickery, Baltimore's crack pitcher of last year, and William Sommers, catcher of the Chattanooga club for Nashville. There will also be a few National League games played here before the regular Southern League season opens.

CONEY ISLAND WILL GET THEM.

Its Offer for the McAuliffe-Burge Fight Too Much for the Crescents.

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—The lightweight championship match between Jack McAuliffe and Dick Burge will unquestionably be fought on Coney Island. The Athletic Club secured the contest by offering a purse of $45,000. The Crescent City Club officials did not give up hopes of getting the lightweights until this afternoon, when Captain Williams, their representative here, was instructed by telegraph to come home immediately.

During this afternoon Captain Williams signed Austin Gibbons, of Paterson, N. J., to fight Billy Myers, "the Streator Cyclone," before the Crescent City Athletic Club, of New Orleans, for a purse of $5,000.

Lasker Holds the Lead.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 22.—In the chess game here this afternoon between Herr Lasker and A. W. Robinson, the latter resigned at 28th move. The German champion defended with the Sicilian.

Caldwell for St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 22.—The St. Louis Jockey Club has secured the services of Mr. J. F. Caldwell as starter for their spring meeting, April 29 to June 23.

General Sporting Notes.

C. F. W.—He played with the Pittsburg club.

THE boxers are certainly in clover at present.

ELLIOTT was certainly in great shooting form yesterday.

JAKE BECKLEY will remain in this city during the winter.

ELMER E. SHANER is an excellent referee for a big shooting match.

THE Chicago football players will arrive in this city Sunday morning.

THERE will be a sweepstake shoot at live pigeons to-morrow at Glenwood.

ELMER SMITH, of the local ball club, and J. A. R. Elliott, the shooter, are very intimate friends.

COLONEL JOHN I. ROGERS has been dubbed the Wanamaker of baseball by the wicked scribe of the Louisville *Times*.

FRANK WHITMORE, Chicago's wrest ing fire laddie, was defeated by Mort Kyzar in their catch-as-catch-can match after two fiercely contested bouts, lasting 1:10 and 40 minutes respectively.

BEN WALKER ties Ryland T's tongue down when in a race so he cannot get it over the bit, and Ben won more money with him in one month than Ryland T ever won before in all his racing career.

JIMMIE O'CONNELL comes back at Frankie McHugh with the gaffs and says he will split the difference and meet him at 114 pounds, to weigh in three hours before entering the ring. He laughs at the "unknown" gag, and says that he is only after McHugh just at present.

"BOWLING" is the title of a new publication placed on the market by the American Sports Publishing Company, of 241 Broadway, New York. It is, without doubt, the most complete pamphlet ever issued in this popular winter sport, and should have a large sale. How to bowl, how to score, how to handicap, and how to make all difficult shots are all fully illustrated. The book retails for 10 cents.

COUNTERFEITERS UNEARTHED.

One of a Bold Gang of Bogus Mint Men Is a Prominent Merchant.

WEST SUPERIOR, WIS., Dec. 22.—The discharge of Captain McRae, of the Superior police force, has led to startling developments. For some time the United States Government has been in pursuit of the most daring gang of counterfeiters known in the past 20 years. For the past few weeks silver dollars and half-dollars, well executed, have been floated in immense quantities.

Some time ago the Superior police, searching for stolen property, discovered a quantity of dies and other counterfeiting apparatus. It was then known the dangerous coin was minted in them. No arrests have yet been made, but they are expected soon. Among the men said to be involved is one of Superior's prominent business men. Chief of Police McRae was suspended, it is said, for the indiscreet use of his knowledge of the affair.

THE FIRE RECORD.

Bellefonte, Pa.—McCalmont & Co.'s blacksmith shop, office, coalhouse, elevator and coal, grain, lime and implement sheds, with five horses, six mules, two dogs, a buggy, 14 sets of harness and a great quantity of grain, phosphate and plaster. Loss heavy, but partly insured.

East End Stock Yards—A small fire in a shed at the East End stock yards yesterday was extinguished by employes before the arrival of the fire department. Damage, about $25.

Savannah—The Spanish steamer Grao, with 1,200 bales of cotton aboard, is burning here. She was loading for Barcelona. The loss will be heavy.

Wolverton, Ind.—The large general store of the Stephens Store Company. Cause unknown. Loss, $30,000; insurance about $20,000.

Little Rock—The carpet establishment of D. P. Ottenheimer and the Little Rock Grocery. Loss, $30,000; insurance, $36,000.

Valley Falls, R. I.—The plant of the Home Bleach and Dye Works. Loss, about $60,000; insurance, $50,000.

Everett, Mass.—The West End Street Railway Company's car house and other property. Loss, $125,000.

Gothenburg, Sweden—The oldest theater in the city, built in 1816.

RIVER NEWS AND NOTES.

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

[SPECIAL TELEGRAMS TO THE DISPATCH.]

LOUISVILLE, KY., Dec. 22.—Business good. Weather clear and cold. River rising, with 6 feet on the falls, 8 feet 4 inches in the canal, and 14 feet 7 inches below.

The Golden Rod passed up early this morning. The John C. Fisher and tow arrived from below. The Sam Brown left for Memphis with a tow of coal. The Cruiser arrived from Pittsburg with a tow of coal. She left for the South with her tow. The Mariner and Sam Clark arrived and departed for Pittsburg. Departures—For Cincinnati, Fleetwood; for Evansville, E. G. Ragon; for Carrollton, Big Kanawha.

What Upper Gauges Show.

ALLEGHENY JUNCTION—River 3 feet 6 inches and falling. Cloudy and cold.

WARREN—River 1 foot. Snowing.

MORGANTOWN—River 5 inches and stationary. Clear. Thermometer, 24° at 4 P. M.

BROWNSVILLE—River 5 feet 9 inches and stationary. Cloudy. Thermometer, 22° at 5 P. M.

The News From Below.

WHEELING—River 6 feet 1 inch and falling. Departed—H. K. Bedford, Pittsburg; Sunshine, Parkersburg; Iron Queen, Pittsburg; Hudson, Cincinnati. Cold and cloudy.

CINCINNATI—River 15 feet 11 inches and falling. Fair and cool. Departed—Keystone State, to Pittsburg; Guiding Star, New Orleans.

ST. LOUIS—River 1 foot 5 inches—the lowest in 40 years. No traffic. Clear and cold.

Local River Brevities.

THE Elizabeth left for Elizabeth at 2:30 P. M. yesterday.

THE new towboat John W. Alles left the wharf yesterday.

THE Delta went below to help the Smoky City up with her tow yesterday.

THE Adam Jacobs left at 3 P. M. for Morgantown with a good trip yesterday.

THE Crescent returned with a tow of 11 pieces from Cincinnati yesterday.

THE Cyclone came down with a tow of rafts from Morgantown yesterday.

THE Iron Queen was due from Cincinnati last night and leaves at 4 P. M. to-day.

THE Stella Moren, Clifton and Little Dick passed down the river yesterday afternoon.

THE stages of water at Pittsburg and Davis Island dam, 3.4 feet and 5.2 feet. River falling.

THE Charles Brown and Volunteer returned from Cincinnati with a tow of empties yesterday.

THE C. W. Batchelor arrived yesterday morning from Wheeling, and left at noon with a good trip.

MOST of the coal boat fleets have returned from Cincinnati and Louisville, bringing up empty tows.

THE Tide came down from the fourth pool with 10 flats and a tow of coal, returning with 10 empties yesterday.

THE Sam Clarke arrived at Louisville at 11 A. M. and started on the return trip with 17 empty barges yesterday.

THE Hustler made a trip down from the pools with a tow of coal and returned with a tow of empties yesterday.

THE Onward returned with an empty tow of 10 coal-boats, and the Diamond came up with 17 empty barges yesterday.

JOHN N. McCONNY and Andrew Easton had their chief and second engineers' licenses renewed and Captain William Crookshank his pilot's license renewed yesterday.

THE towboats John Moren and Persey Kelsey collided at Brown's Island early yesterday morning. The former boat was on the way to Cincinnati with a full tow and the latter was on the return trip with empties.

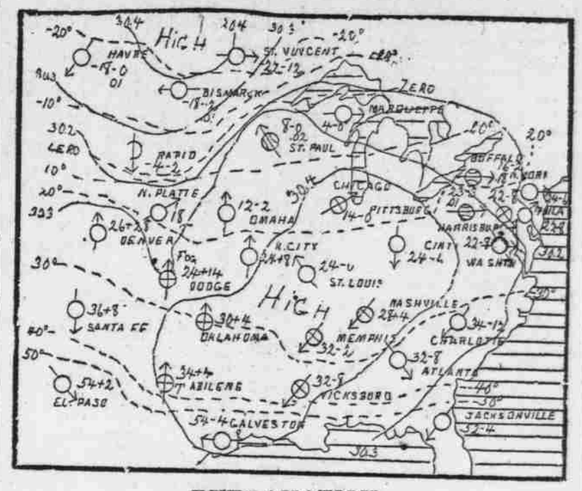
THE new towboat Charles A. Turner was inspected by Captains Neeld and Atchinson a few days ago, but the papers were withheld owing to the boat being registered as the Charles Turner. The name painted on the boat will have to be changed.

Ocean Steamship Arrivals.

Steamer	From	To
Nessmore	Boston	New York.
Trave	New York	Southampton
Minnesota	Philadelphia	London.
Massachusetts	New York	London.
Werra	New York	Genoa.
Thingvalla	New York	Copenhagen
La Bourgogne	New York	Lizard.
British Queen	London	Philadelphia

OUR DAILY WEATHER MAP

FROM OBSERVATIONS TAKEN AT 8 P.M.



EXPLANATION.

CLOUDLESS. PARTLY CLOUDY. CLOUDY. RAIN. SNOW.

Arrow flies with wind.

First figures at station indicate temperature; next figures indicate change in temperature; and figurs underneath, if any, indicate amount of rainfall or melted snow in hundreths 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; Variable Winds.

WEATHER CONDITIONS—Fair weather has prevailed throughout the day, except snow flurries in the Lake regions and northwest and light rain in Southern Texas. A storm appears to be developing in Wyoming. It remains very cold along the Northwest border, and the temperature has fallen very rapidly in Southern New England. A rise of 56° in temperature has occurred in Wyoming. The pressure has decreased very rapidly in the Plateau region, and has fallen throughout the entire country.

PITTSBURG, Dec. 22.—The Local Forecast Official of the Weather Bureau furnishes the following:

BAROMETER—8 A. M., 30.47; 2 P. M., 30.42; 8 P. M., 30.35.

RELATIVE HUMIDITY—8 A. M., 65; 2 P. M. 57; 8 P. M., 80.

PRECIPITATION past 24 hours, .01.

TEMPERATURE—8 A. M., 18; 12 M., 22; 2 P. M., 23; 5 P. M., 23; 8 P. M., 23. Highest, 23; lowest, 15; average, 19, which is 15° below the normal.