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FLIGHT THE ONLY REMEDY.

YELLOW JACK WILL STOP WHEN HE FINDS NO NEW VICTIMS.

Otherwise He Will Run His Course Until the Frost Comes—Many New Cases of Fever Reported in Jacksonville and Greater Mortality Expected—Distress and Deprivation at Camp Perry.

[SPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD.]

JACKSONVILLE, Sept. 5.—With such rapidity does the fever scourge's list of new victims increase that the city's corps of physicians is greatly overworked. An accurate list of the new cases cannot be given, for the spread of the disease has called Dr. Mitchell from his duties in the Health Board to the bedsides of the sick, and many physicians have been unable to report their cases.

Other doctors, like Dr. Bettes, who attended the man Tyler who died Monday, make no report at all. Physicians who, like Dr. Bettes, transgress the health laws by failure to report fever cases will be vigorously prosecuted by the Board of Health.

Since my report of yesterday there have been forty-one new cases. The death rate, however, is very low, indicating the mild type of the disease, which is undoubtedly running its course until frost comes to nip the microbes' toes.

The large crop of new cases which has been harvesting for the past two days is due to the horrible weather which the city has experienced during the past week.

New victims of the plague and men who cannot be spared by us are the faithful physicians who have so long and heroically ought the dread monster. Dr. W. L. Baldwin died Monday. Dr. J. D. Fernandez, of St. Luke's Hospital, is stricken, as is also Dr. Stollenwerck, his assistant, and the institution is now without a medical attendant. The Auxiliary Committee yesterday recognized the necessity for additional professional aid, and passed a resolution accepting the proffered aid of physicians, druggists and nurses.

The patriotic American citizen's mind cannot be turned from politics, even were he to die the next moment a victim to the fever scourge. Primaries were held by the Republicans Monday night, and to-day the Republican County Convention is in session. Such large gatherings of people are a fruitful field for microbe missionary work and have been prevented as much as possible. Only delegates and newspaper men were allowed to attend the convention.

An addition of a new ward to the Sand Hills Hospital has been made necessary by the large increase in the number of new cases, that institution being greatly overcrowded.

The Florida Railway and Navigation Company have offered to transport passengers in closed coaches from this city to points beyond Nashville, and Acting Mayor Gerow and Dr. Mitchell are in consultation with Surgeon-General Hamilton at Camp Perry, trying to arrange for the transportation of those who desire to remove from the city.

This hegira of healthy Jacksonvillians seems to be the only remedy for the fever. All that can be done to prevent its ravages is to deprive it of material to work upon.

Telegrams to Gov. Scales and the State Board of Health of North Carolina asking for refuge among the pines of that State remain unanswered. If any of the North Carolina towns will receive them many of the refugees will find safety there.

Reports from Camp Perry give a dismal account of the discomforts the 182 campers are experiencing. The tents are said to be old and leaky and the food and its manner of preparation execrable.

Added to others is a forced social equality to a certain degree between refined white people and the lowest, laziest negroes of the city, who have gone to Camp Perry to obtain free board.

There is little doubt but the mortality for the next day or two will be materially increased because of the alarming increase in the number of people attacked.

Late this afternoon it was understood the city was to be depopulated, by force if necessary.

At a meeting of the City Council this afternoon outside aid will probably be called for.

JACKSONVILLE, Sept. 5.—Ten new cases and three deaths this morning. On account of Hamilton's refusal yesterday to do anything for our people, much feeling exists and the people are discouraged and almost disheartened. The big jump of yesterday's cases had its full effect and the situation is worse than ever before. Doctors are worked to death. Good, experienced nurses are scarce and money is needed.

ELIZABETH HAS A SURPLUS.

And Her Councilmen Sat Until Midnight to Dispose of It.

[SPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD.]

ELIZABETH, N. J., Sept. 5.—The Elizabeth City Council held a secret session last night, lasting up to midnight, to decide what disposal should be made of the surplus of $35,000 in the city treasury. Half the Councilmen wanted to establish a paid fire department and the remainder wanted to spend the money on the streets.

A resolution finally prevailed to pave a number of streets and provide a new fire engine for Elizabethport.

The city scavengers formed a combine and notified the Council that unless their salaries are raised they will all strike. It was decided to discharge them and let the work out by contract.

Congressman Scott Renominated.

[SPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD.]

UNION CITY, Pa., Sept. 5.—The Democratic Congressional Conference for the Erie-Crawford District, in session here this afternoon, unanimously nominated Wm. L. Scott on the first ballot. Resolutions strongly indorsing his record in Congress and the present Administration were adopted with great enthusiasm.

The Ossipee Back in Port.

The United States man-of-war Ossipee, Capt. William Balmuridge Hoff, arrived at the Navy-Yard at 8.30 o'clock this morning, from Halifax, where she was sent to protect the American fishing vessels.

A Coffee Dealer Fails.

James P. Bennett, the coffee dealer of 65 Vesey street, made an assignment this morning to James P. Becker, with liabilities of $21,329. Among his creditors are the Fulton and Fourth National Banks.

A BASEBALL COMEDY.

It Will Be Presented for as Many Runs as Possible On Friday.

If there is any one in this big city who doesn't want to enjoy a big laugh, let that person stay away from the actor-journalist baseball game to be played on Friday afternoon at the Polo Grounds.

As a ball game it probably won't have much merit. As a farce it will be unequalled.

The proceeds are for the benefit of Carl Rankin, the minstrel, now lying ill with consumption, at his home in Philadelphia.

Ten men are to play on each side in order that Digby Bell may show his prowess as right short stop.

The other actors who will figure in the cast are Lew Dockstader and Charlie Reed, managers; Harry Clarke, De Wolf Hopper, Harry Dixey, Charlie Evans, William Hoey, Francis Wilson, Jimmy Powers, Louis Harrison, and Richard Golden. The team opposed to these is made up of the base ball reporters, who have adopted pseudonyms, feeling sure that their best friends won't recognize them in the uniforms in which they are to appear. Nothing is known concerning these uniforms except that it is probable that the centre-fielder will wear long trousers and his own name.

The actors, however, are not so close-mouthed. De Wolf Hopper is to wear a full suit of Roman armor and Harry Dixey will appear in ballet costume. Jimmy Powers says he hasn't fully decided between a pair of pajamas and a nightcap, but that his suit won't amount to much, anyway. The umpires are P. Doley and Thos. Ward, and their decisions will be backed and themselves guarded by Henry Dixey's giant, who, encased in steel armor and armed with a battle-axe, will stand near third base.

The pitcher's box is to be of pasteboard and four feet in depth. It will be placed five feet further back than the rules allow. This is to prevent twenty-seven strike-outs on a side. Nick Engel, who is in a large measure responsible for the game, will guard first base with a keg of beer and to each player who makes a hit a glass of the fluid will be given. Other things somewhat foreign to the game will be enacted, but the intense rivalry felt by the opposing nines gives promise of excitement. Many tickets have been sold already, and a large attendance is expected.

A BAKER WITH A TITLE.

Count Fritz Von Haaren's Romantic Story Learned After His Death.

[SPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD.]

NEWARK, Sept. 5.—Yesterday afternoon Officer O'Meally, of the East Orange police, was called to the bakery of Henry James, on North Park street, where he found one of the bakers lying on the floor of the barrel shed, in the rear of the bakery, bathed in blood, which was pouring from his mouth. The man was suffering from hemorrhage, and before medical assistance could be procured, he died.

Inquiry concerning the dead man developed a story whose romantic features seem like a novel.

The unfortunate man was Count Fritz von Haaren, only son of Baron Ludwig von Haaren, of Wurtemberg, Germany, one of the oldest and wealthiest of the noble families of that municipality. Some years ago this son was the petted favorite of the Count. He fell in love with one of the noble ladies in the suite of the reigning Prince, and his passion was returned. Their love escapade being discovered, the lady was placed in a convent, and the stern father of Von Haaren ordered him to think no more of her, but to marry at once a bride selected for him from the family of a neighboring nobleman. He refused, and after a stormy scene was disinherited and driven from home with nothing more than the clothes he then wore.

He came to America and sought employment, but failed in securing it. Finally, when on the verge of starvation, he took the first opening that was offered to him as a baker's assistant. He became an expert baker in time, and was employed in various places. He continued brooding over his misfortunes, which, together with the attempt to drown his sorrows in the wine cup, broke up his constitution, and pulmonary troubles followed quickly.

Yesterday morning he had a succession of hemorrhages, all of which were checked. Soon after dinner Mrs. James, wife of the proprietor, was called downstairs by a cry of "Come quick, Fritz is dying." When she reached his side Fritz was dead. The family of the young man at Wurtemberg will be notified.

The Closing Quotations.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Clos.
Canada Southern	53	53¾	52¾	53¾
Canadian Pacific	57¾	57¾	57¾	57¾
Cent., Col., Cin. & Ind.	60	60¼	60	60¼
Ches. & O. 1st pfd. R. C.	11⅛	11⅛	11⅛	11⅛
Ches. & O. 1st pfd. English	13½	13½	13½	14¼
Ches. & O. 2d pfd. Engl'sh	12½	12½	12½	12½
Chic., Burl. & Quincy	114¾	115	114¾	114¾
Chicago & Northwest	115¾	116	115¾	115¾
Chicago & Northwest pfd	145¾	145¾	145¾	145¾
Chic., Mil. & St. Paul	73¾	73¾	73	73
Chicago, Mil. & St. P. pfd	112¾	112¾	112¾	112¾
Chic., Rock I. & Pac	112¾	112¾	111¾	112¾
Chic. & Eastern Ill. pfd	93	93	93	93
Cin., Ind., St. L. & Chic	8⅝	8⅞	8⅝	8⅞
Col. & Hocking Valley	31¼	32	31¼	31⅞
Col. & Hocking Coal	24⅞	25	24¾	25
Colorado Coal & Iron	38¼	38¼	38	38¼
Consolidated Gas	82⅞	82⅞	82⅞	82⅞
Del., Lack. & Western	144¾	144¾	144¾	144¾
Delaware & Hudson	118⅞	119	118⅞	119
E. Tenn., Va. & Ga.	10¾	10¾	10¾	10¾
E. Tenn., Va. & Ga. 2d pfd	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝
Ind., Bloom. & Western	18⅝	18⅞	18⅝	18⅞
Louisville & Nashville	60⅝	61⅛	60⅝	60⅝
Lake Shore	98	98⅛	97⅞	98⅛
Lake Erie & Western	18⅞	18⅞	18⅞	18⅞
Lake Erie & Western, pfd	54	54	53⅞	54⅛
Manhattan Beach	10	10	10	10
Manhattan Consol	93	93	93	93
Memphis & Charleston	50	51	50	51
Mich. Central	86¼	86¼	86¼	86¼
Minneapolis & St. Louis pref.	15	15	15	15
Missouri Pacific	81⅞	82⅛	81⅞	83⅛
Missouri, Kansas & Tex	13⅞	13⅞	13⅞	13⅞
Nash., Chatta. & St. L	85	85	84⅞	84⅞
New Jersey Central	90	90⅞	89⅞	90⅞
New York Central	109⅛	109⅛	108⅞	109
New York & New England	43⅞	44	43⅞	43⅞
N. Y., Chicago & St. Louis	18¼	18⅜	18¼	18⅜
N. Y., Chic. & St. Louis 2d pfd.	40⅞	40⅞	40⅞	40⅞
N. Y., Lake Erie & Western	28⅞	29⅞	28⅞	29⅞
N. Y., Lake Erie & West. pfd.	65⅞	66⅞	65⅞	66⅞
N. Y., Susq. & Western	9⅞	9⅞	9⅞	9⅞
N. Y., Susq. & Western pfd.	34⅞	34⅞	34⅞	34⅞
Norfolk & Western	20	20⅞	20	20⅞
Norfolk & Western pfd	58⅞	58⅞	58⅞	58⅞
Northern Pacific	28⅞	28⅞	28	28⅛
Northern Pacific pfd	62⅞	62⅞	61⅞	62⅞
Ohio & Mississippi	23⅞	24⅛	23⅞	24⅛
Ohio & Western	16⅞	16⅞	16⅞	16⅞
Oregon Railway & Navigation	95	95⅛	95	95
Or. Transcontinental	30⅞	30⅞	29⅞	30⅛
Oregon Improvement	69⅛	69⅛	69	69
Oregon Short Line	34⅞	34⅞	34⅛	34⅛
Pacific Mail	37⅞	38	37⅞	37⅞
Philadelphia & Reading	33⅞	34⅛	33⅞	34⅛
Philadelphia Gas	90⅛	90⅛	90	90
Peoria, Decatur & Evan	26⅞	26⅞	26⅞	26⅞
Pullman Palace Car Co	168	168	167	167
Rich. & West Point. Ter.	26⅞	26⅞	26⅛	26⅛
St. Paul & Omaha	41⅞	41⅞	41	41⅞
St. Paul & Omaha pfd	110	110	110	110
St. Paul, Minn. & Manitoba	107	107	107	107
St. Louis & San Francisco	32⅞	32⅞	32⅞	32⅞
St. Louis & San Francisco pfd.	72⅞	73⅛	72⅞	73⅛
Texas Pacific	26⅞	26⅞	25⅞	25⅞
Tennessee Coal & Iron	28⅞	28⅞	28⅞	28⅞
Union Pacific	61⅞	62	61⅞	62
Wab., St. L. & Pac.	15	15	15	15
Wab., St. L. & Pac. pfd	27⅞	28	27⅞	27⅞
Western Union Telegraph	85⅞	84⅞	85⅞	84⅞
Wheeling & Lake Erie	58⅞	59	58⅞	58⅞

New York Markets.

WHEAT.—December wheat opened 8 points below last night's closing quotation, at $1.03⅝, and declined to $1.03⅛ soon afterwards. Subsequently the quotation advanced to $1.04⅝. October opened at $1.01⅛; Nov., $1.02⅛; May, $1.07⅝. Market about steady.

COTTON.—Market opened firm at 2 to 3 points advance over last night's closing quotations. Sept., 9.70; Oct., 9.79; Nov., 9.75; Dec., 9.74; Jan., 9.81; Feb., 9.88; March, 9.96; April, 10.04; May, 10.13; June, 10.20; July, 10.26.

COFFEE.—Sept. opened unchanged at 13c.; Oct. advanced 15 points, opening at 11.45; other months unchanged. Nov., 10.85; Dec., Jan. and Feb., 10.65; March, April, May, June and July, 10.70; Aug., 10.65. Market steady.

MR. BECKER DID NOT SAIL.

HIS ANXIOUS FRIENDS WOULD LIKE TO KNOW HIS WHEREABOUTS.

The Strange Disappearance of an Industrious German Who Had Bought a Passage on the Elbe—He Was Last Seen as He Left a Car at Desbrosses Street, Going to the Steamer's Dock.

Where Robert Becker is at present, whether he is dead or alive, in this city or on his way to Germany, are the perplexing questions by which his relatives in this city are just now worried.

Becker is a marble polisher by trade and came to this city from Germany some twenty-six years ago. He was a temperate man and worked steadily at his trade. By taking care of his earnings he accumulated about $600, which has disappeared with him.

The circumstances surrounding his disappearance are of the most peculiar character.

Becker, who is but forty-four years of age and for the past five years has worked for Thies in East Twenty-eighth street, at his trade, returned to the home of his sister, Mrs. Vitting, at 113 Columbia street, on Wednesday night, saying that he intended starting for the Fatherland, Saturday. Becker's sudenly declared determination did not surprise his sister and arrangements for his departure were at once begun. On Friday, he visited Townsend's ticket office at Avenue A and Third street and secured a first cabin passage on the steamer Elbe, which sailed Saturday.

Early on Saturday morning he, with Mrs. Vitting's two sons, repaired to the house of another sister, Mrs. Zimmerman, who lives at 72 Clinton place, taking with him a small-sized trunk. It was 10 o'clock when the party left there and went to the corner of Avenue C and Third street, where they intended to board a car for Desbrosses street ferry. A squabble arose between the driver of the car, one Kennedy, nedy and Becker regarding the trunk which the driver refused to permit Becker to take on the car. In the excitement, the car started off with Becker inside, leaving the trunk behind. One of the party brought the trunk back to Mrs. Vitting's, where it now is, and the others boarded the next car.

Since then, nothing has been seen or heard of Becker.

Mrs. Zimmerman and her friends went to Desbrosses street ferry and searched high and low for the missing man, but without avail. They next crossed the ferry and went to the Elbe's dock, where they instituted a search of the steamer, also without finding the man. They waited until the steamer sailed, but still no trace of the wanderer.

Finally, the party returned to Mrs. Vitting's, expecting to find Becker, but there again they were doomed to disappointment.

Driver Kennedy was next found, but he knew nothing other than that Becker left his car at Desbrosses street.

Finally the police were notified and a general alarm was sent out from Police Headquarters last night.

Becker knew the city well. He was 5 feet 7 inches tall, stout, broad-shouldered, had dark brown hair, closely cropped, and a mustache of the same color. He is slightly lame in his left leg. When he was last seen he wore a white derby and a light colored suit of clothing.

While Becker was a man of a retiring disposition, there is just a possibility that he has made the acquaintance of some of the bunco men who infest the neighborhood of the ferry-house, and his friends fear he has been foully dealt with.

BRAVE TAMMANY PILGRIMS.

They Will Be Entertained at Troy on Their Way to Buffalo.

[SPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD.]

TROY, Sept. 5.—The Democrats of this city are making great preparation to receive the Tammany Hall braves, next Monday evening, the Wigwamites having accepted an invitation to stop here four hours on their way to the Buffalo Convention.

They will be received at the depot at 7 o'clock P. M., by the local Democracy, headed by ex-Mayor Edward Murphy and a band of music. A parade is to take place, and Troy is to be painted red. A banquet is to follow.

The Tammany Hall leaders held a meeting last evening to arrange for their departure for the State Convention next Monday afternoon. They accepted the invitation of the Troy Democracy to spend a few hours in that city. The Trojans, to the number of 2,000 will escort them through the streets of the city, and fireworks will be burned without stint. The Wigwam pilgrims will number 300.

The speakers at the Tammany Hall Thurman stand to-morrow evening, at Twenty-sixth street and Madison avenue, will be Daniel Dougherty, Bourke Cockran, S. S. Cox, Gen. Spinola, ex-Senator Grady, Senator Reilly and Senator Cantor.

American Order of Firemen.

The "Order of American Firemen," which exists for the purpose of effecting legislation favorable to firemen, and pays 25 cents a head for certificates of membership, is still in session at the Astor House, with Second Vice-President F. G. Tower in the chair.

The President, Chester B. Bradley, disappeared some months ago in bad odor, and Vice-President H. H. Mitchell has resigned.

The methods of Secretary Thomas A. Raymond have been called in question by prominent firemen, and by Historian Weeks, of the order. Lawyer W. A. Cotton, of New Jersey; T. C. Vermilyea, of Staten Island, and Jesse Browne, jr., of Jamaica, committee to investigate, reported to-day, exonerating Raymond.

The order is $67,11 in debt, Mr. Raymond being paid in the past year $700 clerk hire and the rest of the $3,200 in his hands for printing over eighteen thousand circulars which he has mailed. He certainly has the vouchers for these sums.

The committee censured the system by which the Secretary spent the money without the intervention of the Treasurer, C. G. Braxmar, the badge man.

Waiting for Their Bosses' Action.

Three hundred and fifty members of the Slate and Metal Roofers' Protective Union are assembled at Clarendon Hall, in East Thirteenth street, to-day, awaiting the action of the Bosses' Association in regard to an agreement to maintain the hours and wages of the past year, ending Sept. 1. The wages demanded is $3.50 a day o nine hours.

There are 6,501 men in the union, and 300 of them who went out have been taken back by the twenty-six bosses who signed the agreement. Fifteen of the bosses who signed are members of the Employers' Association, which opposes the old arrangement. The men still out are confident of success.

Death of a Promising Young Man.

William J. Walsh, a promising young man of the Fifth Assembly District and a son of Assistant United States Inspector of Steam Vessels John F. Walsh, died last night. He was twenty-one years of age. The funeral will take place on Friday morning from St. Anthony's Church, Sullivan street.

A WELL-KNOWN BANK IN TROUBLE.

A Once Fat Surplus All Gone—No Defalcation Admitted.

A well-known bank of this city appears to be in trouble. Its directors were in session all day to-day, but what was done THE EVENING WORLD could not ascertain.

It is understood that the bank's very large surplus has been wiped out.

It is asserted that there has been no defalcation, and that no one is directly to blame for the depleted finances.

Bad business is said to be at the bottom of it.

THE GIANT'S BATS.

Let the Number of Contributors be Made a Round Thousand.

There are already about five hundred subscribers to the Giants' testimonial bats. The total amount received thus far is $56.43, thus making an average subscription of a little over a dime. It is purposed to call time when the number of subscribers has reached one thousand. This is done in order that the bats may be ready for the boys when they return to complete the championship schedule of games upon the Polo Grounds.

Now, then, is the time for the lovers of the national game, the admirers of the local team and all cranks and croakers to step from behind and come to the front with the shekels necessary to buy bats, which the Giants can hang on the walls, as well as use in the field.

The following subscriptions came in this morning's mail:

A Daily Contribution.

To the Editor of The Evening World:

Slow but sure. Seventeen cents more found in box placed on counter by employees of Brill Bros., men's furnishers, 45 Cortlandt street.

From the Metropolitan Hotel.

Through Metropolitan Hotel cigar counter: E. J. C., 10 cents; C. C. R., 10; J. G. P., 10; Cyrus Prell, 10. Total, 40 cents.

From Fulton Market.

Through Hena & Freeman, 17 Fulton Market; C. E. Mendenhall, 398 Front street, 25 cents; Charles Hena, 50 cents; Louis Hena, 14 Fulton Market, 10 cents; F. W. Corwine, 14 Fulton Market, 10 cents; Oscar de Nyse, 1 cent. Total, 96 cents.

From a Female Admirer.

To the Editor of The Evening World:

Inclosed you will find the small sum of 10 cents to assist the coming champions, the New Yorks, towards buying new bats to insure them the pennant. SADIE GROSS,
15 Main street, Flushing, L. I.

For the Diamond Giants.

To the Editor of The Evening World:

Please find inclosed a dime for the giants of the diamond. EDWARD SHERRY, 1386 Ninth avenue.

It Will Help the Pennant Fly.

To the Editor of The Evening World:

Inclosed you will find 25 cents to help buy the bats which will make the pennant fly over the Polo Grounds and make them strong enough to keep it there. R. F. H.,
Seventh Avenue RR. Depot, Brooklyn.

Tenpin Boys in Line.

To the Editor of The Evening World:

Inclosed please find 10 cents from three tenpin boys. CLARENCE,
OLLIE GERT,
FRED.

Other Contributions.

Further contributions as follows: Through list at Alderman Divver's saloon, Folio, 25 cent; through list at John E. Cameron's, 840 Broadway, Dan Waldron, 10 cents; W. H. Smith, 25 cents; total, 35 cents. A. L. W., one cent.

ON THE DIAMOND.

Standing of the Clubs This Morning.

LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost.	Played.	Tied.	Post-poned.	To play.	Per-centage.
New York	66	42	108	1	10	38	.647
Chicago	58	46	104	1	7	36	.558
Boston	56	48	104	2	7	36	.538
Detroit	54	47	101	1	10	39	.535
Philadelphia	51	49	100	1	11	40	.510
Pittsburg	49	50	98	3	11	41	.495
Washington	35	65	103	1	9	37	.369
Indianapolis	37	68	105	0	7	35	.352

ASSOCIATION.

St. Louis	69	33	102	2	3	38	.676
Athletic	68	37	100	1	5	40	.630
Brooklyn	63	43	106	2	1	34	.594
Cincinnati	60	41	101	3	5	39	.594
Baltimore	42	63	105	0	1	35	.400
Cleveland	40	60	100	1	7	40	.400
Louisville	38	65	103	1	4	37	.369
Kansas City	34	67	101	0	5	39	.337

Although Brooklyn and Cincinnati show the same apparent percentage, Brooklyn took third place yesterday by 3-10,000 per cent. over Cincinnati.

Chips from the Diamond.

Boston's third is dangerously close to Chicago's second.

The results of yesterday's games places the Giants further ahead than ever.

Manager Mutrie is going to take eight silk hats and four suits of clothes away from Chicago this trip.

It is rumored that South Paw Morris, the little left-hand Pittsburg pitcher, will next season become a Giant.

Brooklyn, with the kindly assistance of the Athletics, took third place in the Association race yesterday by 3-10,000 of 1 per cent.

It is a pity that a pitcher so wonderfully good as Titcomb is apparently wholly unable to even face a ground ball, no matter how slowly it is batted at him.

Ewing is mad. His Charley horse has now attacked him in what he called his "good leg." But Buck swears he will catch to-day's game, "leg or no leg."

Bill Terry, with his wild pitching, constantly keeps the Brooklyn crowd on the ragged edge, but when he wins a game he is readily forgiven his desire to keep the bits down.

President Von der Ahe, of the St. Louis Browns, sat dejectedly nursing the handle of his umbrella as he witnessed his club's defeat yesterday. Even the pennant will hardly suffice to console him for these Brooklyn defeats.

Titcomb's popularity among the dwellers in Haverhill is shown by the fact that a delegation of his friends came down from that town while the Giants were in Boston and bought for Titcomb an accident policy for $15,000.

To-day's is the last League game on the Polo Grounds until the boys return from their Western trip. Fourteen Giants and Manager Mutrie leave to-night for Indianapolis. President Day will join the club in Chicago, the second stopping place.

The game of ball which is to be played on Friday at the Polo Grounds between the actors and reporters for the benefit of Carl Rankin, the well-known minstrel, will doubtless eclipse anything ever given in the way of a muffing match, and is sure to provoke mirth from the sourest old maid who never refused to be married.

"The Evening World" Score Cards.

All amateur ball-players desiring to use THE EVENING WORLD score cards will be supplied without charge upon application to the publication office of THE WORLD, at 33 Park row; at THE WORLD'S Brooklyn office, 359 Fulton street, or at the uptown office, 1357 Broadway. Application by mail should be accompanied by a two-cent stamp to cover postage.

Canadian Football Players Win.

BELFAST, Ireland, Sept. 5.—The Canadian football team defeated the Belfast Clarence Club by a score of three goals to two to-day in a well-played contest.

WORTHY THE OLD ROMAN.

MR. THURMAN'S RECEPTION HERE TO-DAY TO BE A NOBLE ONE INDEED.

Distinguished Democrats to Meet Him on His Arrival This Afternoon and Escort Him Through the City—Great Preparations by the National and State Democratic Committees—The Mass Meeting.

While Judge Thurman is being whirled eastward over the Pennsylvania road in Col. Brice's private car, the Democratic clans of this city are preparing to give the Old Roman such a reception as shall rouse the army of workers in this part of the country to renewed energy and activity.

At the National Headquarters everything was astir at an early hour this morning, and visitors began to drop in as soon as they had finished their breakfasts.

Judge Thurman will arrive at the Pennsylvania depot in Jersey City by the Atlantic express, which is due at 4 P. M. Chairman William H. Barnum, Col. Calvin S. Brice and Herman Oelrichs of the Executive Committee will go over in a carriage to meet him and escort him to his hotel. They will be on hand to welcome him when the train arrives, and no others will be admitted to the special car.

There will be a big delegation from the National Headquarters to welcome the distinguished visitor at the Desbrosses street ferry on his arrival on this side of the river. They will go down in carriages at 3.30 this afternoon. The procession bids fair to be an imposing one, for besides members of the National Committee, Senators, members of Congress and distinguished visitors in town, the officers and members of a great many of the local Democratic organizations will be represented, and applications are still pouring in for places in the line of carriages which will form the escort.

From the ferry the carriages will move up Hudson street, through Hudson to Spring; thence to Macdougal street, to Washington Square, up Fifth avenue to Twenty-ninth street, passing the National Headquarters, to Broadway, and thence down to the Fifth Avenue Hotel, where a suit of apartments has been engaged for Judge Thurman by the National Committee. They are the same which were occupied by the Maine statesman during his recent stay in New York.

In addition to the arrangements for the mass-meeting to-morrow evening already announced, the musical programme will be enlarged by the singing of a big chorus which has been organized under the direction of the leader of the Beethoven Society. They want more singers, however, as the following, which appeared in the morning papers, will show.

Wanted—Democrats to volunteer to sing at the great Madison Square Garden Thursday evening. Those wishing to sing will meet for rehearsal this (Wednesday) evening, at 8 o'clock, at 7 Cooper Union. Entrance on Third avenue.

According to the members of the Cleveland Quartet Club, who issued the call, the supply of ambitious vocalists will far exceed the demand.

The following gentlemen will be among the delegation who will go to the Desbrosses street ferry in carriages to meet Judge Thurman:

Members of the Democratic National Campaign Committee in five carriages, including S. S. Sheehan, Secretary; Charles J. Canda, Senator Arthur P. Gorman, of Maryland; Congressman William L. Scott, Miles Ross, Arthur Sewell, Senator M. W. Ransom, John S. Barbour and William McClelland, Gen. Le Febre, ex-Mayor Frederick G. Prince, of Boston; ex-Senator J. M. Camden, ex-Gov. James E. English, of Connecticut; ex-Gov. Leon Abbett, of New Jersey; Gen. P. C. Doyle, William E. Russell, of Buffalo; John McSweeney, of Ohio; William P. Mitchell, sheriff Hugh J. Grant, Congressman S. S. Cox, C. W. Constantine, Frank Jones, of New Hampshire; Hiram Atkins, of Vermont; Henry Watterson and Bradley B. Smalley, of Vermont.

Chairman Brice has received the following telegram from Judge Beriah Wilkins, which was dated at Harrisburg:

Old Roman all right. Great crowds at Harrisburg.

The bustle and activity at the rooms of the National Committee increased during the morning hours, and at noon the reception-room was crowded. Applications are pouring in upon the committee for seats upon the platform at to-morrow evening's meeting, but a great majority of the applicants will have to be disappointed, as the places have nearly all been assigned already, and the supply of tickets in the hands of the committee is running very low.

The National Committee announce the early publication of the Democratic campaign text book, which will be much more complete in every respect than anything that has ever been issued. It contains a complete history of the administration of President Cleveland by departments, showing the methods which have been followed with such success, and it very complete on questions relating to the tariff, and contains a collection of speeches and letters of Grover Cleveland on all questions of interest, whether political, religious, personal, agricultural, commercial or general. It is the only authorized book issued by the committee and will sell for $1.

JUDGE THURMAN'S TRIP.

He Passed Through Pittsburg at 3 O'Clock This Morning.

[SPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD.]

PITTSBURG, Pa., Sept. 5.—The train bearing Judge Allen G. Thurman arrived here at 3 o'clock this morning. He is on his way to New York where he will speak to-morrow night. His special car on the Atlantic express was darkened and the Judge was sleeping.

There would undoubtedly have been a demonstration had the hour been later.

Parade of Wheelmen in Buffalo.

[SPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD.]

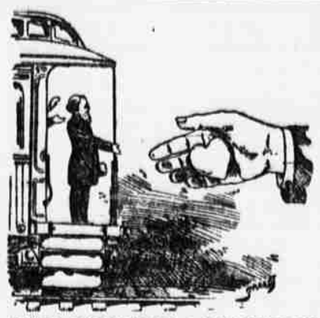
BUFFALO, Sept. 5.—The New York State Division, League of American Wheelmen, gave their annual parade this morning. About one thousand wheelmen formed on Linwood avenue and at 10 o'clock rode through the principal streets. Over thirty States were represented in line. They presented a splendid appearance and were heartily cheered. A new feature in the parade were twenty-five members of the Ladies' Tricycle Club, of this city.

Three Notes Mailed and Missing.

Three promissory notes for $5,000 each are among the things lost through the United States mails. The three notes were mailed on Friday last by Blake Brothers & Co., of 5 Nassau street, to their bankers at Litchfield, Conn. Since that time they have not been seen. Notice has been sent to banks all over the country.

A Modest, Sensitive Woman

often shrinks from consulting a physician about functional derangement, and prefers to suffer in silence. This may be a mistaken feeling, but it is one which is largely prevalent. To all such women we would say that one of the most skilful physicians of the day, who has had a vast experience in curing diseases peculiar to women, has prepared a remedy which is of inestimable aid to them. We refer to Dr. PIERCE'S FAVORITE PRESCRIPTION. This is the only remedy for woman's peculiar weaknesses and ailments sold by druggists, under a positive guarantee from the manufacturers, that it will give satisfaction in every case or money refunded. See guarantee printed on bottle wrapper. *,*



A BIG HAND WITH A HEART IN IT. That's What New York Extends to the Grand Old Roman.

MANGLED BY CAR WHEELS.

Custom-House Inspector McMillan Run Over by a Broadway Car.

Frank McMillan, a Custom-House inspector, of 319 West Twenty-second street, fell from the front platform of Broadway car No. 247 at the corner of Broadway and Twenty-fourth street at 2 o'clock and was run over, the whole car passing over him.

His left arm was almost severed and his legs were badly bruised and cut.

He received several bad scalp cuts and was injured internally. His uniform was torn into shreds.

Dr. Cecil Fenwick, of the steamship Celtic, attended him until the ambulance from the New York Hospital arrived. He will probably die.

BUFFALO IS BUSY.

The Liquor-Dealers Are Doing the Town and the Democrats Are Coming.

[SPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD.]

BUFFALO, Sept. 5.—The Liquor-Dealers' Convention adjourned at 11 o'clock last night after re-electing the old officers and adopting a platform which is conspicuous for its moderation in tone.

The report of the year was received with much enthusiasm and the allusion to Governor Hill in vetoing the High License bill was warmly received, but with no outward demonstration.

To-day the delegates are out sight-seeing. This morning they started out in fifty carriages to take in the town. They lunched at the Parade. At 2.30 they boarded a steamboat three hundred and fifty strong to go to Grand Island, where they were invited to a beautiful spread at the hands of their Buffalo entertainers. The delegates are all pretty tired, but express themselves as delighted with the hospitality that has been showered upon them since they have been here.

The re-election of President Keans meets with undisguised approval. As a presiding officer he won the hearts of the convention by his knowledge of parliamentary rules, his impartiality and force.

Buffalo is filled with strangers and politicians. Clinton B. Fisk, the Prohibition candidate for President, is to speak here on Friday and Saturday to counteract the influence of the Liquor Dealers' Convention, and the Prohibitionists are in high fettle over it.

The hotels are preparing for the Democratic convention of next week and the hotels are already packed with cots and mattresses to accommodate the Democratic hosts. Buffalo is determined that no complaint shall be made this time that she cannot take care of a convention.

THE DEAD NEGRO GIANTESS.

Winnie Johnson Was the Biggest Woman in the World and Weighed 860 Pounds.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 4.—Winnie Johnson, or "Big Winnie," the enormously fat colored woman of Sharp's Dime Museum, who died on Monday, was as great an attraction in death as in life. Crowds thronged to see her in her coffin until the hour of the funeral, passing in one continuous line at all hours of the day.

Winnie was beyond doubt the biggest woman in the world. She weighed 860 pounds and was so immense that a special coffin had to be built for her. The coffin was 5 feet 11 inches in length, 3 feet 6 inches wide and 3 feet 2 inches deep.

It had to be braced on the inside to sustain the tremendous weight, and was provided with eight strong iron handles. A derrick had to be used to lower it into the grave, which was 15