

Every Lover of Sport in the Country Will Be Anxious to See THE SUNDAY WORLD'S BASEBALL PAGES TO-MORROW. Its Baseball Pages To-Morrow Will Make an Enormous Hit.

SHOT FOR COCKRAN. Testimony Against His Firm Before the Fassett Committee. Mayor Grant Solid Against the Electric-Light Conspiracy.

Thousands of Lamps Ready for Lighting the City by Gas Again. Aldermen on Hand Ready to Be Put on the Rack.

The proposal of another interesting and sensational chapter in the history of the New York City Fathers attracted a big crowd of citizens and politicians to the session of the Fassett Committee in Part II. of the Superior Court this morning.

It's a big combination, and it has marked the effort to victimize, if I don't propose that the city shall be victimized," said Mayor Grant.

There were lots of ex-Aldermen in the court-room, and Chief Justice Tweed was on hand early with a whole truck-load of books and documents.

A similar attempt was made by these companies last year. In their attempt to obtain the franchises of the Subway Commission they bid an excessive price for rights in various districts.

Among the familiar faces present were those of Commissioners of Accounts Holahan and Barker, Aldermen Storm, Blanche and Barry, ex-Alderman Van Rensselaer, Corporation Counsel Beckman, Lawyer F. A. Bartley, and a dozen or more local politicians.

The electric light companies can either furnish light to the city at reasonable rates or the city will be forced to do so.

It afterwards learned that Aaron had the money, but all the money was in New York, and wanted to know what I would do with it.

The Gas Commission proposes to force the street-lighting to comply with its charter and furnish street-lamps along its lines of main at the rate of \$1.50 per foot.

At the request of Mr. Cockran Corporation Clerk Clark was allowed to take the stand, and he testified that he had received \$100,000 from the Fassett Committee.

Mr. Daggert's contract price is 25 cents per foot for the use of the underground conduit.

BURNED WITH HER CHILDREN. Inaene Michigan Mother Sets Her House on Fire.

At 10:30 P. M. on April 18, a fire broke out in a tenement house in the city of New York.

IT'S CASTLE COLUMBIA NOW. The Re-Christened Barge Office Receives Its First Batch of Immigrants.

Hail Castle Columbia! The first immigrants to land at the new Landing Bureau in the Barge Office annex were brought from Hamburg on the steamer Columbia.

The Columbia brought over 734 immigrants, all of whom were young Germans.

Dr. Guiteras, detailed from the Marine Hospital, had no patients, luckily, for the wards not yet ready for occupancy.

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BASEBALL'S ANNUAL REIGN. The King Game of America Takes Its Throne Again To-Day.

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EXTRA 2 O'CLOCK. FIRED BY A MADMAN. Twenty Shots at a Gang of Laborers in Newburg.

One Man Reported to Have Died of His Wounds. The Lunatic Chased, Wounded and Narrowly Saved from Lynching.

WHAT SHIP CUT HER DOWN? Pilot-boat Hope No. 1 was placed on the screw dock in the East River off Market street this morning with her bow cut away to the water line.

GLAFLIN & CO. TO DISSOLVE. The Big Dry Goods Firm Will Be Made Into a Stock Company.

MURAT HALSTEAD'S NEW ROLE. The Noted Republican to Be Editor of the Brooklyn Standard-Union.

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DALTON BECOMES DEPUTY. Ex-Assemblyman William J. Dalton was this morning appointed Deputy Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

RACING POINTERS. Opinions of the Tipsters as to the Winners at Elizabeth.

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