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MAJOR DOMO.

Wins the Parkway Handicap from Russell in Very Fast Time.

KINGSTON GALLOPS IN.

Lepanto Dazzles the Talent and Wins at Odds of 15 to 1.

(SPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD.)

GRAVESEND RACE TRACK, May 25.—Beautiful weather, a splendid track, an interesting programme and the prospect of glorious sport, formed an irresistible combination to nearly 10,000 race-goers today, fully that number of people were present when the silver-toned bugle called the horses to the post in the first race.

There were only two entered, but the fact that those two old-time rivals, Garrison and McLaughlin, were to meet in what promised to be an exciting duel lent more interest to the race than if other entries had started. McLaughlin had the mount on the "Brown Whirlwind," as Kingston is sometimes called, and Garrison rode Fairy, the California mare, who has been breaking watches in her races out West. Kingston was a strong favorite at odds on. The plungers bet on him, but the public took the long end of it, and played Fairy, relying on Garrison's great finishing powers and skilful jockeyship. Garrison took Fairy out in front and made the running to the head of the stretch, then he sat down and rode his hardest, but Kingston easily passed him and won in handy fashion by half a length.

The feature of the second race was the finish between the Lambley brothers, Jimmy and John. The youngster was on Lepanto, and though he got away badly he saved a lot of ground by cutting through on the inside and getting a lead of a length on the others. Castaway II., who was ridden by John Lambley, nailed him at the last furlong and, in a furious finish, Jimmy landed the horse by a head. Both were at 15 to 1. Sir Catesby, also at 15 to 1, was third after making all the running. Masterlode, the favorite, finished fourth. He was shut out and interfered with many times.

The third race saw Russell the favorite, strange to say, for Major Domo beat him very easily when they last met. The Major was quoted at 7 to 5, but both horses had a tremendous following. Lambley took hold right out at flag fall, and making all the running won handily in the fastest time for the distance ever made on a circular track in the East and within three-quarters of a second of the fastest on record. Russell was second and Roquefort third. The fractional time (official) was as follows: Quarter, 0.24¾; half, 0.50¾; six furlongs, 1.14¾; mile, 1.41. The last sixteenth was run in 0.05¾ seconds.

FIRST RACE.

Sweepstakes of $20 each, for three-year-olds and upward that have run and not won at this meeting; with $1,000 added; six furlongs.

Starters.	Weights.	Jockeys.	Sta't.	Fin.	Fin.
Kingston	124	J. McGlone	2	2	1½
Sir Catesby	117	Garrison	1	1½	2

Pool Betting—Kingston, 1 to 3 and out; Fairy, 5 to 2 and out.

Fairy made the running to the head of the stretch, where McLaughlin sent Kingston up on even terms. The Snapper went to the whip, but his efforts were fruitless. Kingston winning nutnutched by whip or spur by half a length. Time—1.14.

Mutuels paid $3.60.

SECOND RACE.

Handicap sweepstakes of $20 each, with $1,000 added; one mile and three sixteenths.

Starters.	Weights.	Jockeys.	Sta't.	Fin.	Fin.
Lepanto	92	J. Lambley	6	5	1½
Castaway II.	100	Lambley	2	1½	2
Sir Catesby	95	Hutsell	5	3½	3
Masterlode	114	Taral	1	6	4
Tom Rogers	114	Thompson	9	9	5
Portchester	107	Sims	8	8	6
Isaac Lewis	105	McCarthy	4	7	7
Westchester	105	Blake	3	2½	8
Almond	100	Narvice	7	9	9

Pool Betting—Masterlode, 4 to 5 and out; Portchester, 3 to 1 and 8 to 5; Tom Rogers, 8 to 1 and 3 to 1; Isaac Lewis, 10 to 1 and 3 to 1; Sir Catesby, 12 to 1 and 4 to 1; Lepanto, 15 to 1 and 5 to 1; Almond, 15 to 1 and 5 to 1; Castaway II., 15 to 1 and 5 to 1; Westchester, 40 to 1 and 12 to 1.

Sir Catesby and Westchester made the running head and head for nearly a mile, with Castaway II. and Almond next. On the turn for home Taral moved up with Masterlode, with Tom Rogers close at his heels. As the field swung into the stretch young Lambley cut through close to the rails and got a lead of two lengths before the others fairly awoke. Castaway II. then set sail for him, but Jimmy fairly urged his brother and landed Lepanto a winner by a very short head. Castaway II. was two lengths in front of Sir Catesby. Time—2.00.

Mutuels paid: Straight, $110.35; place, $20.65. Sir Catesby paid $70.60.

THIRD RACE.

The Parkway Handicap, for three-year-olds and upward; $20 each, with $1,500 added; mile and a sixteenth.

Starters.	Weights.	Jockeys.	Sta't.	Fin.	Fin.
Major Domo	129	Lambley	2	1½	1½
Russell	117	Littlefield	1½	2½	2
Roquefort	98	J. Lambley	4	3½	3½
Arlington	95	W. Magee	3	4	4

Pool Betting—Russell, 9 to 10 and out; Major Domo, 7 to 5 and 1 to 4; Harlem, 10 to 1 and 3 to 1; Roquefort, 30 to 1 and 8 to 1.

Major Domo went out in front, and making the running won handily by three lengths from Russell, who, whipped out, beat Roquefort eight lengths. Time—1.46¾.

Mutuels paid: Straight, $13.05; place, $3.80. Russell paid $2.25.

FOURTH RACE.

Selling sweepstakes of $20 each, for three-year-olds, with $1,000 added; one mile.

Starters.	Weights.	Jockeys.	Sta't.	Fin.	Fin.
Carolus	107	Sims	2	1½	1½
Vera	105	Lambley	7	6	2½
Talbotte colt	107	Taral	1	2½	3
Ben Kingsbury	106	Doggett	5	5	4
Alibi	109	Littlefield	3	4	5
Mattie Levan	107	Bergen	8	8	6
Sir Mark	102	A. Covington	6	7	7
Ed Mack	107	J. Lambley	9	9	8
Pilgrim	105	Bender	4	3	9
Moderator colt	102	W. Midgeley	9	9½	9

Pool Betting—Wanderoo, 2 to 1 and 4 to 5 against, 14 to 1 and 4 to 1; Carolus, 6 to 1 and 2 to 1; Count Zo, 10 to 1 and 4 to 1; Bismarck, 6 to 1 and 4 to 1.

Talbotte colt, 10 to 1 and 4 to 1; Moderator, 15 to 1 and 5 to 1; Sir Mark, 15 to 1 and 5 to 1; Dr. Wilcox, 50 to 1 and 15 to 1.

Carolus led from start to finish, winning in a rattling finish by a head from Airplant, who was a length and a half in front of Wyandotte colt. Time—1.44.

Mutuels paid: Straight, $38; place, $16.95. Airplant paid $9.85.

FIFTH RACE.

Sweepstakes of $20 each, for two-year-olds that have run and not won at this meeting, with $1,000 added; five furlongs.

Starters.	Weights.	Jockeys.	Sta't.	Fin.	Fin.
Integrity colt	113	Moser	1	5	1h
Bounce filly	110	McCarthy	4	3h	2h
Hiram	113	Lambley	2	2h	3h
Pioneer	113	Sims	6	6	4
Bliss colt	113	Taral	3	1h	5
Beatrice colt	113	Narvice	5	4	6

Pool Betting—Bliss colt, 3 to 5 and 7 to 10; Integrity, 4 to 1 and 6 to 5; Beatrice, 4 to 1 and 6 to 5; Bounce filly, 6 to 1 and 2 to 1; Pioneer, 6 to 1 and 2 to 1; Hiram, 12 to 1 and 4 to 1.

Bliss colt led into the stretch, where the other closed on him. A red-hot finish from that point home between Integrity, Bounce filly, Hiram and pioneer resulted in a head finish between the four as named. Time—1.04⅘.

Mutuels paid: Straight, $21.70; place, $13.15. Bounce filly paid $17.

SIXTH RACE.

Selling sweepstakes of $20 each for three-year-olds and upward, with $1,000 added; one mile and a furlong.

Starters.	Weights.	Jockeys.	Sta't.	Fin.	Fin.
Now or Never	108	Bergen	4	1	4
Mitt Young	102	French	6	1	2
Chaos	111	W. Midgeley	7	1½	3
Ben Kingsbury	106	Doggett	5	1	5
Cynosure	106	Lambley	15	1	6
Mary Stone	117	Littlefield	10	1	1
Tammany	112	Thompson	4	1	8
Julio	91	A. Covington	8	1	3
Alibi	109	Blake	3	1	7
Snowball	111	Taral	10	1	4

Won by Snowball, Now or Never second, Mary Stone third. Time—1.51⅘.

Gloucester Races.

(SPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD.)

GLOUCESTER RACE TRACK, May 25.—First Race—Four and a half furlongs.—Ellen first, Sierra Nevada second, Kilkenny third. Time—1.00.

Second Race—Four and a half furlongs.—Happy Maid first, Helen Block second, Clover third. Time—1.02¼.

Third Race—Four and a half furlongs.—Ecstasy first, Anarchist second and Henry Mack third. Time—0.59¾.

Fourth Race—One-eighth of a mile.—Juggler won, with Milo second and Fernwood third. Time—1.35¾.

Fifth Race—Mile of Blarney first, Register second, Zingara third.

Sixth Race—Seven furlongs.—Emigrator first, Count Luna second and Bias third. Time—1.37.

HE ACCUSES W. S. KENWORTHY

An Immigrant Says the Inspector Extorted $10 from Him.

John Greenwood, who reached New York on the steamer Teutonic on May 5, and who claims to have been mulcted out of $10 by an employee of the Imigration Bureau on Ellis Island, arrived in the city this morning from Fall River, Mass.

He was taken at once before Col. Weber, who had sent for him, and was questioned closely regarding his charges against the department's employees.

Greenwood said that when he arrived at Ellis Island he was detained for several hours as a suspected contract laborer. He says he was taken before a man whom he heard addressed as "Major," and after answering a number of questions put by the official, he was informed by him that if he, the official, sent his report to his superior that Greenwood would have to return to England.

Greenwood says he was not a contract laborer, and could not see why he should be debarred from landing. The "Major" told him he would allow him to land if he gave him a box of cigars.

Greenwood said he had no cigars. Money was then demanded, and rather than have to return to England he gave the official $10—one-half of all the money he had.

Col. Weber told Greenwood that his charge was a serious one, and the Immigrant was then taken through the rooms of the contract labor department and asked to point out the man to whom he gave the $10.

He was then led into the main examining room and without a moment's hesitation pointed to Immigrant Inspector W. S. Kenworthy, who was seated behind his desk, and said, "That is the man."

Col. Weber directed Mr. Gillily, Chief of the Contract Labor Bureau, to take the statements of both men and reduce them to writing, which, with the affidavits, will be forwarded to the department at Washington.

Kenworthy was at once suspended from duty. He denies the charge and says that at no time has he ever been alone with any immigrant.

He was appointed by Acting-Secretary Spaulding, and started in on his duties on May 4, one day previous to the day of Greenwood's arrival. He came from Oskaloosa, Ia., where he had practised law and had filled a judicial position.

CRANE IN THE BOX TO-DAY.

The New Yorks Finishing Up Their Series in Boston.

(SPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD.)

BOSTON BASEBALL PARK, May 25.—The last game of the series between the New Yorks and Bostons was played at these grounds today. The Bostons had as their battery Stivetts and Ganzel, while "Thunderbolt" Crane and "Jocko" Fields looked after the New Yorks' battery work. The umpire was Mr. Sheridan.

SCORE BY INNINGS.

Boston	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	2
New York	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	1—3

Brooklyns and Washingtons.

(SPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD.)

EASTERN PARK, BROOKLYN, May 25.—The Washingtons appeared on this field to-day for the last game of the present series.

The Brooklyns put in their pet battery, Stern and Kinslow, while the Washingtons looked upon Foreman and Millican to win the game for them. Umpire—Mr. McQuillan.

SCORE BY INNINGS.

Brooklyn	3	0	0	0	3
Washington	0	0	1	1	2

SUNK BY THE CITY OF PARIS.

The Ocean Liner Runs Down a Pile-Driver in North River.

The steamship City of Paris, on her way up the North River to her pier, ran down a pile-driver off Pier 39 at 8:30 o'clock this afternoon. The pile driver was sunk. It was owned by the Staats Brothers, of 20 Broadway.

Broadway Merchant Fails.

William Hicks Thorne, dealer in hosiery at 404 Broadway, made an assignment to-day, giving preferences amounting to $15,500.

MILITARY MEN

can get white duck TROUSERS for $1.25 at HACKETT, CARHART & CO.'S, Broadway and Canal st.

DAILEY SUSPENDED.

Miss Hannan Insists Her Charge Against the Officer Is True.

But for Her Mother's Arrest It Would Not Have Been Made.

Lizzie Lawlor, an Important Witness, Is Not to Be Found.

Some doubt has developed to-day as to the real facts in the case of Roundsman Mathew F. Dailey, of the Delancey street police station, who is accused of having assaulted Mamie Hannan, the pretty sixteen-year-old daughter of Mrs. Annie Hannan, of 318 Monroe street.

MAMIE HANNAN.

The girl still insists that her charge is true. She tells a straightforward story and is specific in her allegations. Mamie declares that Lizzie Lawlor, a sister of Policeman Lawlor, of the East Twenty-second street station, was with her in Joseph Geller's saloon, at Broome and Pitt streets, where she claims the alleged assault was committed on the night of March 26, but the Lawlor woman cannot be found to substantiate Miss Hannan's charges.

ROUNDSMAN DAILEY.

On the other hand, Roundsman Dailey is firm in his denial of the girl's allegations, and his denial is to a certain extent substantiated by Saloon-Keeper Geller, by President Rody, of the John Simpson Coterie, which Society is said to have held a meeting in the rear room of the saloon on the night of the alleged assault, and by other persons, who allege that the Lawlor woman had Mamie Hannan at her house frequently under questionable circumstances.

Roundsman Dailey's trouble grew out of his arresting Mrs. Hannan in front of her home on Monday night on a charge of disorderly conduct. She was locked up at the Delancey street station. Yesterday, when arraigned in the Essex Market Court before Justice Taintor, she turned on her accuser and denounced him for the alleged assault upon her daughter.

She accused him of having taken Mamie to Geller's saloon in company with the Lawlor woman and a police sergeant, and of having, in their presence, forcibly accomplished the girl's ruin. She did not learn of the affair, she told Justice Taintor, until two weeks later, when Mamie made a confession.

MRS. HANNAN COMPLAINED TO DAILY'S WIFE.

"Then I went and saw Dailey," said Mrs. Hannan, "and he denied that he knew Mamie. The same evening a man came to my house and told me that Dailey wanted to see me at the Grand street ferry. I went there and he asked me to keep quiet about the matter because it would ruin him if I talked about it.

"I told him that he did not think of that when he ruined my girl, and left him. A week ago Mamie took sick. I found out where Dailey lived and told his wife the whole story. She said she would make me tell him to his face what I had told her.

"Last night she brought him to my house, and I repeated in her presence just what I had told her before. Dailey then shook his club in my face and threatened to arrest me if I made any more trouble for him. I told him I would have him punished, and then he arrested me."

Mamie was sent for, and in court she corroborated her mother's story and detailed the circumstances of the alleged assault. Mrs. Hannan was allowed to plead her own recognizance until 3 o'clock to-day, while Roundsman Dailey's arrest was ordered by Justice Taintor, who subsequently paroled the officer in the custody of Capt. Eakins.

THE GIRL'S OWN STORY OF THE ASSAULT.

Mamie was seen at her mother's flat, on the second floor of 318 Monroe street, this morning. She was preparing to go to the police station and was dressed in the same costume, she said, that she wore on the evening of March 26. Her hat was a jaunty affair that harmonized well with her light, cream colored dress.

The girl will be seventeen years old next October. She is remarkably bright, has light brown hair, blue eyes and a trim figure. Her

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FOR CLEVELAND.

New Jersey's Delegation Instructed to Vote for Grover.

Large Assemblage at the State Convention To-Day.

Gov. Abbett and Senator McPherson Two Delegates-at-Large.

(SPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD.)

TRENTON, N. J., May 25.—The Democratic State Convention, to nominate delegates to the National Convention at Chicago, met here at noon to-day. It was one of the largest Conventions ever held in this State.

Judge Chauncey Beasley, of Mercer, was made temporary Chairman, and M. T. Barrett, of Essex; T. F. Lane, Union; J. H. Madison, Somerset; Samuel Thompson, of Warren, and A. C. Warren, Cumberland, were chosen Secretaries.

Judge Beasley made a long address, praising the Cleveland administration and reviewing the triumphs of the party.

After the call of delegations and appointment of committees a recess was taken until 2 o'clock.

When the Convention assembled Congressman Edward F. McDonald, of Hudson, was made permanent Chairman, and Senator Michael Barrett, of Essex, secretary, with several assistants.

In his address to the Convention Chairman McDonald referred to the evidences of discord in the party in New Jersey, but he believed that there would be harmony in the fight against Republicanism. He made a ringing tariff-reform speech and was frequently cheered.

Chairman Allan McDermott, of the Committee on Resolutions, read the report of that committee. The only change made in it was the insertion of a resolution instructing the New Jersey delegation to vote for Cleveland as long as his name should be before the National Convention.

This was the signal for a tremendous outburst of approval. Cheering rent the air and every one went wild. Delegates snatched the flags used in decorating the hall and waved them frantically. The resolution was adopted amidst intense enthusiasm.

Senator McPherson, Gov. Leon Abbett, James Smith, Jr., and Miles Ross were chosen delegates-at-large.

The District delegates are:

First District—W. J. Thompson, Camden; George H. Barker, Gloucester.

Second—John R. Scudder, of Mercer, and T. E. Prichett, of Burlington.

Third—Millard F. Ross, of Middlesex, and John Hone, of Monmouth.

Fourth—Johnson Cornish, of Warren, and J. Nelson Pidcock, of Hunterdon.

Fifth—J. F. Carrigan, of Bergen, and Louis Braun.

Sixth—Gottfried Krueger, of Essex, and J. B. Dusenberry, of Essex.

Seventh—Dennis McLaughlin, of Hudson, and Robert S. Davis, of Hudson.

Eighth—Joseph Yates, of Plainfield, and Foss Nedius, of Orange.

The platform reaffirms the National platforms of 1884 and 1888, and declares that the efforts to secure tariff reform should be continued until the reform is embodied in the law.

Republican reciprocity is denounced as a feeble step in the direction of tariff reform.

It denounces the McKinley bill and arraigns the present Administration for its extravagance.

The paragraph indorsing the action of Gov. Abbett in vetoing the Reading Railway combine's bill was stricken out before the report was read. The Convention adjourned at 4 o'clock.

CLEVELAND MEN IN KENTUCKY.

They Grow Stronger—Carlisle Delegation Giving Up Hope.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

LOUISVILLE, KY., May 25.—The opening of the day finds the Cleveland sentiment among the delegates to the Democratic State Convention growing stronger. The anti-Cleveland element appears to have abandoned all hope of securing instructions for Carlisle and will probably exert their entire influence in preventing instructions for Cleveland.

If the Convention instructs for Cleveland, it is believed Mr. Watterson will decline to be a delegate to the National Convention.

VERDICT AGAINST MAXWELL.

The Grand Jury Will Now Learn of a Charge Against Him.

Robert Somerville, the art auctioneer, in the city court before Chief Justice Ehrlich to-day secured a verdict for $1,117 against Charles M. Maxwell, the proprietor of the Fifth Avenue Storage Warehouse, in a suit to recover the value of a note for $1,000. The verdict was for the amount of the note, with interest.

The case was tried some time ago, but resulted in a disagreement of the jury. After that trial one of the witnesses for Maxwell called upon David Welch, who was then one of the Assistant District-Attorneys, and confessed that Maxwell had induced him to commit perjury in the trial. He expressed sorrow for what he had done, but made the confession in the hope that he would not be prosecuted.

A panel was filled to-day Judge Ehrlich directed a verdict in favor of Somerville and Mr. Welch, in open court notified Maxwell that he would be held to present the case to the Grand Jury on a charge of subornation of perjury.

Republican National Committee.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

WASHINGTON, MAY 25.—The Associated Press is authorized by Mr. Carson, Chairman of the Republican National Committee, to say that a meeting of the committee will be held at the West Hotel, Minneapolis, Saturday, June 4, at 11 A. M.

Two Men Stabbed in a Saloon.

Antonio Mazzo, of 113 Elizabeth street, and Frank Woods, of 113 Mulberry street, got into a fight with an unknown Italian in the saloon at 156 Mott street this afternoon, during which Mazzo was stabbed twice in the breast and once in the back and Woods was stabbed in the arm. Their injuries are not serious. Their assailant escaped.

THEY WIN AGAIN.

Strikers' Demands Conceded To-Day by the Union Granite Quarry at Friendship, Me.

This Furnishes the Stone for the Grant Monument.

Manufacturers Propose a Ten-Year Scale of Wages.

Work of Repaving With Old Blocks Begun by Commissioner Gilroy's Orders.

(SPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD.)

FRIENDSHIP, Me., May 25.—The granite cutters employed by the Union Granite Company, of this place, met the officers of the company to-day and signed an agreement whereby the men will return to work at once. The bill of prices was made for one year, dating May 24.

None but union men will be employed.

This company has the contract for Gen. Grant's monument in New York, also for the memorial arch in Brooklyn.

The men have been locked out twenty-one days.

Michael Bowdoin, of Concord, N. H., a member of the Executive Committee of the Union, was present at the meeting.

FOR A TEN-YEARS WAGE-SCALE.

Proposition to Be Made by the Manufacturers' Association.

(SPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD.)

BOSTON, May 25.—While the official statement to the public decided upon at yesterday's meeting of the Executive Committee of the New England Granite Manufacturers' Association will not be given out this evening its tenor has been learned from authoritative sources. It is said that the meeting at the Quincy House was not only largely attended, but was in every respect harmonious and satisfactory to those concerned. Members who were present declare that the meeting was not called for the purpose of surrendering to the unions, and that that course was not even suggested.

All the members seem make light of the break from their ranks of the Cape Ann Granite Company, which was announced exclusively by the EVENING WORLD. The reported settlement with the workmen by the Webster & Morse Company, of Barre, Vt., was not officially known to the Committee, and members professed to disbelieve the story.

In substance the statement to be issued tonight will say:

"For five years the wages paid to workmen have increased, and the prices for granite have diminished. Not this alone drove the manufacturers to combine, but the competition by the soft steam plants hammered prices down, while the powerful labor organizations lifted wages up. Between the two the granite manufacturers were being ground to the point of putting out their products without profit.

"Then came the organization of the Granite Manufacturers' Association of New England. A year ago the men made demands which the manufacturers were in no position to resist, and they yielded. Then came the deliberation to force matters to the issue, for self-protection and to forever settle the question as to whether the men or the manufacturers should control the business. All contracts since that time have been made with a proviso which protected the manufacturer in case of long shutdowns if the men should resist.

"The manufacturers do not reply to the manifesto of the cutters, recently issued, but they call attention to the fact that for only 40 hours work has been heard, and that the workmen's wages average higher than those paid in most industries. They dispose of the assertion made by the men that the manufacturers wish to make their last date from the hard mid-winter season, by declaring their willingness to make the list binding for five or for ten years.

"The manufacturers claim that all they want is security against demands by the men for work upon contracts which have already been made at certain prices and where these demands if granted would entail a loss."

GILROY BEGINS RE-PAVING.

Non-Union Men Put at Work Laying the Old Blocks.

Pursuant to the orders of Water Purveyor Burke, who is superintendent of Streets, preparations were begun at Forty-third street and Third avenue this morning for the work of relaying old paving-stones at that point with a gang of about twenty-five non-union pavers, mostly Italians, in the employ of Contractor Kelly.

The blocks are the property of the Department of Public Works, and ten wagons were busy hauling them from the Corporation Yard, at Sixteenth street and North River.

The space to be paved extends from Forty-third street to Forty-seventh street. Foreman Myers said that the paving should be completed in a week, if the weather was fair.

Encouraging reports are being received daily at the strike headquarters at 226 East Thirty-ninth street. He does the reported withdrawal from the New England Granite Manufacturers' Association of the big Webster & Morse Granite Company, of Barre, Vt., word was received that the McKay Granite Works, of Oneco, Conn., had abandoned the Association and signed the May scale of wages.

Harvey Brothers, of Long Island, are also said to be considering the advisability of leaving the Association.

No decision has been reached yet by District-Attorney Nicoll, at the request of the granite-cutters, for an injunction against striking employers for alleged conspiring to lock out the men and tying up all the stone sheds to effectually keep them.

The District-Attorney said to-day that he was awaiting the evidence from the cutters before he could pass upon the advisability of asking the Grand Jury to issue a warrant.

The work of repaving West street with old blocks was begun this morning by men in the employ of contractors Smith and Smith.

Secretary Grant, of the local strike committee, said that the committee would propose that a five or ten years' scale of wages from Jan. 1 would have to be submitted to the executive committee of the strike for consideration. He thought, however, that there was very little chance of its being accepted.

The chief object of the strike is to have the scale signed May 1, annually, and it is hardly probable that any proposition that has to do with Jan. 1 would prove acceptable.

A committee of the parks and Commissioner Gilroy to-day to discuss the matter of allowing union men to do the work of laying temporary pavement with old stones. One of the Committee said the Commissioner promised to give the union men the preference.

THE INDICTMENT THROWN OUT.

Judge Ingraham Sustains the Demurrer of the Old Excise Board.

The decision given by Judge Ingraham in the Court of Over and Terminer upon the demurrer interposed to the indictment for misdemeanor against Excise Commissioners Meakim, Koch and Fitzpatrick this afternoon is in favor of the Commissioners, and relieves them of the indictment and of any punishment thereunder.

The Commissioners were indicted for neglect on April 8, 1891. A complaint was made to the Board that Henry Ahrens had violated the Excise laws by keeping his place open on Election Day, 1888. He was summoned before the Board and a hearing had, but no action was taken upon the complaint, and for this neglect of duty the Commissioners were indicted.

Upon their first trial in the court of general sessions they were acquitted because of a technicality. Another indictment was handed then the Commissioners were brought up in the court of Over and Terminer. There they demurred to the indictment, claiming that under the Plunkitt act passed by the last Legislature they could not be tried for the crime upon which they were indicted. Judge Ingraham holds that the point is well taken.

DOWNED THE STARS AND STRIPES

Montreal Militiamen Object to the American Flag.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

MONTREAL, May 25.—Yesterday three petty officers and thirteen of the brigade of Montreal garrison artillery stepped into the store of Lodge & Co., battery, of St. Lawrence Main street, and demanded that the Stars and Stripes flying outside be taken down.

The clerk in charge pointed out that French, Belgian, Swiss and British flags were also flying as well as the American flag, for commercial purposes, and refused to comply with the request. The men insisted on the removal at once of the American flag. To avoid trouble the Stars and Stripes were taken down.

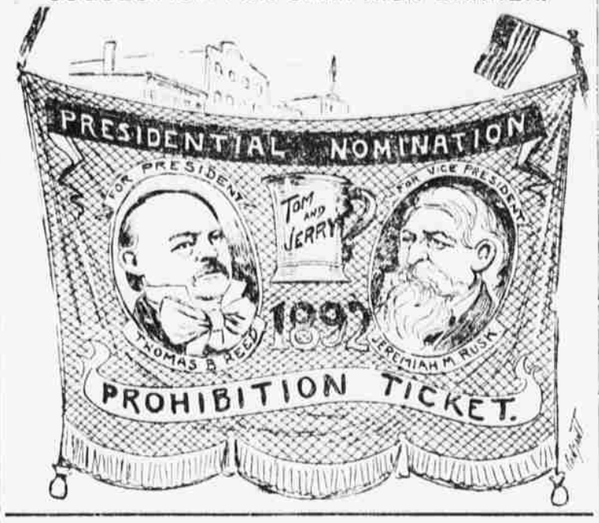
The same lot of militiamen then visited the store of one Hart, on Notre Dame street, and made similar demands as to the American flag. Words with others were floating in the breeze. Again trouble threatened, but no further was taken than the clerk in the store. Several others in the vicinity were visited, and the owners were compelled to take down the American flag from its position.

The matter has been reported to the Brigade Major, and an investigation will be held.

Broke a Bicycler's Arm.

George Stevenson, of 1 Monroe place, Brooklyn, while riding a bicycle in Prospect Park, collided with a carriage and was thrown to the ground. His arm was broken.

SUGGESTION FOR CAMPAIGN BANNER.



FIRE NEAR A BIG GASOMETER.

Two Alarms Were Sounded and an Explosion Expected.

Prompt Work by Firemen Averted Danger in a Tenement District.

At 1 o'clock this afternoon a fire broke out in a low, one-story frame structure in the rear of the Consolidated Gas Company's mammoth gasometer, which extends from Fifteenth to Sixteenth streets on Avenue C.

The building where the fire occured was filled with broom brush, empty oil barrels and divers other stuff of a combustible character, none of which, however, was of much value. The fire spread rapidly, and in a short space of time the entire structure was enveloped in flames.

The fire was only about fifty feet from the gasometer, which contained about 1,500,000 cubic feet of illuminating gas. In the block west, between Fourteenth and Fifteenth streets, and only a short distance away, were a number of other gas tanks, all of which were filled.

Two alarms were sent out and nine engines were soon at the scene. For a time the firemen were fearful that the fire would communicate to the tank and cause an explosion, to the great destruction of contiguous property and perhaps of life.

Employees of the company were also in a highly excited state of mind for a time, but as soon as water was turned on the flames, fears of any further destruction were dissipated.

The Willard Parker Hospital for Contagious Diseases is just opposite the scene of the fire on Sixteenth street. Clouds of sparks and smoke were wafted by a stiff breeze in that direction. There was, however, no panic among the patients, many of whom watched the progress of the fire from the windows.

At 2 o'clock the flames were extinguished, but the engines were kept at work until every spark was out, and the charred timbers which remained standing were torn down. There was much excitement among the occupants of nearby tenement-houses during the fire, and one or two families fled from the neighborhood.

An ambulance of the Health Department carrying a small-pox patient was stalled for a few moments on Avenue C. The driver finally drove around through Avenue D to the Reception Hospital.

The total damage will not exceed $500.

ANTI-SNAP PRIMARIES.

Delegates Being Chosen To-Day to the Syracuse Convention.

Primaries for the election of delegates to the Syracuse Convention are being held in all the Assembly districts of the city to-day. The polls opened at 9 o'clock this morning, and will remain open until 9 o'clock this evening, only those whose names are enrolled in favor of the Cleveland movement are allowed to vote.

At the headquarters of the Provisional Committee, 52 William street, it was said that a very large vote was being polled, but Secretary Monroe declined to give an estimate of the total.

The delegates to the Convention will leave the city next Monday, at 10 A. M., on a special train over the New York Central Railroad. The train will consist of eleven sleeping cars, which will be sidetracked at Syracuse and the delegates will make it their headquarters.

The Kings County delegates will form a separate party, going by way of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad.

This convention will not last more than one day. It is thought there will be 1,500 delegates and alternates and large numbers of visitors from all over the State. Buffalo promises to have a delegation of 1,000 present. The Convention will be held in the Alhambra Rink, which has accommodations for 8,000 people.

RUN DOWN BY A BICYCLIST.

Spooner's Skull Was Fractured and He May Die of His Hurts.

Robert Spooner, of 900 President street, Brooklyn, while standing in the roadway at the corner of Flatbush avenue and Prospect place, shortly after midnight this morning was ridden down and run over by a bicycle rider. He was picked up and taken to the Seventh Regiment Hospital, where it was found that he had sustained a fracture of the skull. He will probably die of his injuries.

A bicycle rider, James L. Borland, of 84 Dean place, was arrested and is held on suspicion of being the bicyclist who ran Spooner down.

Dropped Dead at Long Branch

(SPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD.)

LONG BRANCH, N. J., May 25.—J. L. Townsend, fifty-five years of age, one of the leading merchants of this place, dropped dead in the yard in the rear of his store. A rush of blood was paralysis of the heart.

BETWEEN THE ACTS & BRAVO, 10c. HALF PRICE, 5c., all tobacco cigarettes, are the only brand made by Thos. H. Hall. Estabd 1862.

BROOKLYN POOL-ROOM RAID.

It Is Said that Charley Johnston Was Its Financial Backer.

Eleven Prisoners and $86 in Money Captured.

The pool-room opened at 353 Fulton street, Brooklyn, opposite the City Hall, about a week ago, was raided to-day at 1:25 P. M. by Capt. Campbell, Sergeant Hodge, Detectives Kelley and Carrett and four policemen.

The officers had warrants for John Doe and others, issued by Justice Walsh, of the Adams Street Police Court.

All the men engaged in conducting the business of the poolroom were arrested and taken to the First Precinct Police Station.

Detective Rodiy, Policeman Falls and a telegraph operator furnished the evidence on which the warrants were issued.

Charley Johnston, the sporting man, one of John L. Sullivan's backers, is the reputed backer of this room, which it was thought could be run openly, despite the law. Jack McAuliffe kept the room formerly.

The following persons were arrested: Edward Purcell, twenty-six, of 216 East Twenty-eighth street, New York; John Connolly, thirty-five, of the Brewer House, New York, telegraph operator of the pool-room; Frank C. Rogers, thirty-four, of 501 Amsterdam avenue, N. Y., clerk in the pool-room; Thomas Fischer, thirty, of 240 East Eighty-sixth street, New York, clerk; George Philipps, sixty-two, of 240 East Forty-seventh street, clerk; Michael Connors, twenty-eight, of 1508 Third avenue, New York, telegraph operator; Frank White, forty-five, of 464 West Fifty-fifth street, New York, clerk; Charles Harold, fifty, of 2902 West Fifty-third street, New York, clerk; James Joseph, thirty, of 312 East One Hundred and Tenth street, New York, clerk; James Lawler, twenty-two, of 540 Hicks street, Brooklyn, clerk; James Dwyfoss, thirty years old, of 184 Jay street, Brooklyn, clerk.

The prisoners retained Lawyer Luke T. Stapleton, who drew up a petition for a writ of habeas corpus in the station-house on the ground that the warrant described the arrested men as John Doe and others and not by their individual names.

Judge Bartlett, of the Supreme Court, granted the writ and the eleven prisoners were taken to the court to have the question decided.

In an interview this afternoon with Charles Johnston he said that he had absolutely nothing to do with the pool-room and was not its backer.

In the raid the police captured, in addition to a lot of totally useless "sheets," about $80 in money and a number of telegraph instruments.

Prisoner "James Joseph" turned out to be James McAuliffe, brother of Jack McAuliffe, who was named in the warrant. He was held in $500 by Judge Walsh for examination next Wednesday.

The other ten men were released by Justice Bartlett, of the Supreme Court.

EXTRA

THE TURF.

Patron, Winner of the Brooklyn Derby, Proves Himself a Crack.

MESSENGER BOYS ARRESTED.

Big Coup on Hammie—Bolero Wins in Race-Horse Style.

The feature of the racing at Gravesend yesterday was the victory of Patron in the Brooklyn Derby. This grand son of Falsetto and Patrimony simply galloped away from Charade, Mars, Actor and others, finishing in a canter in the good time of 2.40¾. Patron won in such commanding style that he must be placed in the foremost rank of the three-year-olds. Hayward had the mount yesterday instead of Pickering, who rode Patron in the Carlton Stakes a few days ago. There is no doubt now that the latter stake was lost purely and simply through this boy's bad riding. Hayward handled Patron in superb style, making all the running but never taking an unnecessary ounce out of the horse.

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The messenger boys who make bets for women at the race tracks are at their old tricks of passing bogus tickets on their customers. This practice was carried on at Guttenburg and was suppressed by THE EVENING WORLD. Yesterday the boys were caught passing bogus tickets and were arrested and locked up.

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The pool-rooms were badly hit in the victory of the Ethie colt yesterday. The colt has been named Hammie. He should have been scratched in the entries as Hammie, formerly Ethie colt. This was not done, and the books, ignorant of who Hammie was, laid a long price against the youngster. This may be a good joke on the pool-room men, but it is hardly a square deal.

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Bolero landed the second race in true race-horse style yesterday. He was shut out on the home stretch and in the last furlong, and was badly handled throughout. Once straightened out in the stretch he came away and won easily. Bolero's trainer has worked wonders with him. His bad leg has come round all right and the s