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RACING IN SNOW.

Rochelle Leaves the Maiden Class by Winning Opening Event To-Day.

LALLAH DEFEATS POLYDORA.

Poor Jonathan Captures the Third---Sandowne Wins a $500 Handicap.

GUTTENBURG RACE TRACK, NOV. 29.—The racing at this hilltop was continued to-day in a blinding snowstorm, but luckily the wind blew down the track and the jockeys and horses were not blinded coming through the stretch.

The track was deep in mud and slush, and the numerous scratches took lots of interest out of an otherwise very good card.

The chief topic of conversation was last night's big fight, and the opinion is about evenly divided, but all agree that the Californian showed a great deal of pluck.

The regulars were present in their usual force, it taking more than a snowstorm to keep them away.

Two handicaps were down for decision, one at five furlongs for two-year-olds, with such good ones as Sandowne, Pidget and Helen. The other, at six furlongs, brought together Burlington, Blitzen, King Crab, Lord Harry and Little Fred, and the betting was brisk. Both events drew out much interest and furnished good contests.

The opening race, at four and one-half furlongs, for maidens two years old, had eleven starters. Rochelle opened and remained favorite all during the betting, with the Lillie H. gelding second choice. There was a big plunge on Crown Prince. Lillie H. gelding led into the stretch, where she went to pieces, and Rochelle, Cultivator and Lady Hi Ban, drawing away, showed a rattling finish, the three finishing necks apart in that order. Martin again exhibited a burst of temper on his mount, and after dismounting cut his horse savagely with his whip. Martin was roundly admonished by the owner and will gain few friends by these actions.

Lallah and Polydora opened up equal favorites in the second race and remained so during the betting. The field was sent away fairly well bunched, but before they had gone a sixteenth they were all spread out, with the two choices in front. The race lay between these two, Lallah winning at the end easily by a length. Polydora was six lengths before Turk II.

Flatlands was the favorite for the third race, with Poor Jonathan a close second choice. The horses were delayed at the post for some time, caused by Katontown, who ran away. The favorite was never in it after the first furlong, where Gladiator and Poor Jonathan were racing in front. In the stretch the latter took command and won clever by a neck. John H. was third, eight lengths away.

FIRST RACE.

Purse $400, for maiden two-year-olds; four and a half furlongs.

Starters.	Wt.	Jockeys.	Str.	Hlf.	Fin.
Rochelle	119	Sweeney	3	1½	1n
Crown Prince	112	McDermott	6	5n	2n
Lady Hi Ban	120	Bergen	5	3½	3½
Heads or Tails	103	J. McGlone	4	5	4
Electrical cut	106	Clare	2	4	5
Crown Prince	100	Littlefield	11	6	6
Constant	103	E. Tribe	7	8	7
Henlopen gelding	107	C. Boyd	8	9	8
Lillie H.	103	Cassin	12	2	9
Millie filly	102	Broker	10	10	10
Lillie H. gelding	108	Martin	1	1n	11

Pool Betting—Rochelle, 2 to 1 and 4 to 5; Lillie H. gelding, 3 to 1 and 6 to 5; Heads or Tails, 4 to 1 and 8 to 5; Crown Prince, 8 and 3 to 1; Cultivator, 8 and 3 to 1; Lady Hi Ban, 12 and 4 to 1; Constant, 15 and 5 to 1; Electrical cut, 12 and 6 to 1; Millie filly, 30 and 10 to 1; Henlopen gelding, 40 and 15; La Gloria filly, 60 and 20 to 1.

They were delayed at the post for nearly fifteen minutes, when they got away to a straggling start. The Lillie H. gelding led into the stretch, where she went to pieces. The finish was a hot one between Rochelle, Cultivator and Lady Hi Ban, the three finishing in that order, necks apart. Time—0.50¾.

Mutuels paid straight, $0.50; place $4.75; Cultivator paid $10.35.

SECOND RACE.

Purse of $400; six furlongs.

Starters.	Wt.	Jockeys.	Str.	Hlf.	Fin.
Lallah	99	F. Tribe	2	2n	1l
Polydora	100	Martin	3	1n	2n
Turk II.	91	Penny	7	3d	3½
Liberty	110	Shields	5	5	4
Mamie B. B.	113	C. Hill	1	4	5
Ondawa	92	Donahue	6	6	6
Jury colt	99	Griffin	4	7	7
Muscovite	94	Stewart	8	8	8
Big Man	104	C. Williams	9	9	9

Pool Betting—Lallah, 10 to 5 and 1 to 4; Polydora, 8 to 5 and 1 to 2; Turk II., 6 to 1 and 2 to 1; Liberty, 10 and 3; Mamie B. B., 15 and 6; Ondawa, 20 and 7; Jury colt, 30 and 10; Big Man, 40 and 15; Muscovite, 50 and 20.

Polydora and Lallah made all the running necks apart. At the head of the stretch Lallah looked beaten, but in the stretch came on and won easily by a length. Polydora beat Turk II. six lengths for the place. Time—1.19¼.

Mutuels paid: Straight, $5.70; place, $2.55. Polydora paid $2.40.

THIRD RACE.

Purse of $400; five furlongs.

Starters.	Weights.	Jockeys.	Str.	Hlf.	Fin.
Poor Jonathan	102	Sweeney	4	2d	1n
Gladiator	104	Mc Dermott	2	1n	2n
John H.	99	F. Leigh	5	6	3l
Cheddar	97	Howe	6	4	4
Carmelite	112	H. Jones	7	7	5
Katontown	104	F. Flynn	1	3d	6
Flatlands	100	Ballard	1	3n	7
Frisco	107	Clare	7	8	8

Pool Betting—Flatlands, 9 to 5 and 7 to 10; Poor Jonathan, 11 to 5 and 4 to 5; Gladiator, 5 and 8 to 5; Cheddar, 6 and 2; John H., 20 and 9; Katontown, 20 and 8; Carmelite, 20 and 10; Frisco, 100 and 40.

Flatlands got away in front, but Gladiator soon outfooted him and held the lead into the stretch, where Poor Jonathan challenged him, beating him Long by a neck. John H. was third, eight lengths away. Time—1.04¾.

Mutuels paid: Straight, $6.65; place, $4.50. Gladiator paid $4.30.

FOURTH RACE.

Purse $500; handicap, for two-year-olds; five furlongs.

Starters.	Weights.	Jockeys.	Str.	Hlf.	Fin.
Sandowne	115	N. Hill	1	2½	1½
Rightaway	100	Griffin	4	5	2n
Helen	104	McDermott	3	3d	3n
Pidget	105	H. Jones	2	1n	4
Play or Pay	101	E. Tribe	5	6	5

Pool Betting—Sandowne, 8 to 5 and 3 to 5; Play or Pay, even; Helen, 7 to 2 and even; Pidget, 3 to 1 and 8 to 5; Rightaway, 6 to 1 and 1 to 2.

Sandowne opened an even money favorite and his price slowly receded to 8 to 5. Pidget made the running to the stretch, where the favorite which was second went on and won handily by half a length.

Rightaway came with a rush in the last furlong and beat Helen a neck for the place. Time—1.05¾.

Mutuels paid: Straight, $4.75; place, $3.50. Rightaway paid $10.

FIFTH RACE.

Purse $300; handicap; six furlongs.

Starters.	Wt.	Jockeys.	Str.	Hlf.	Fin.
[illegible]	117	[illegible]	4	3d	1d
King Crab	115	Horton	2	4	2n
Lord Harry	112	Ballard	1	1n	3l
Little Fred	112	J. Flynn	2	2½	4
Uncertainty	99	F. Tribe	5	5	5

Pool Betting—Little Fred, even and 1 to 3; Blitzen, 11 to 5 and 3 to 5.

Lord Harry, 20 and 5 to 1; King Crab, 8 to 1 and 6 to 5; Uncertainty, 20 and 8 to 1.

Little Fred cut out the running to the half, where Lord Harry went to the front.

In the stretch Blitzen came on and won easily by four lengths. King Crab beat Lord Harry a neck for the place. Time—1.11¼.

Mutuels paid: Straight, $6.30; place, $3.40. King Crab paid $4.75.

SIXTH RACE.

Purse $400; seven furlongs.

Starters.	Wt.	Jockeys.	Betting Straight.	Betting Place.
Quartermaster	102	McGlone	20—1	8—1
Monsoon	107	Tribe	6—5	3—5
Power	101	G. Williams	10—1	4—1
Thanks	99	Broker	50—1	12—1
Running Bird	103	McDermott	3—1	even
George C.	99	Stewart	6—1	2—1
Peralto	104	N. Hill	10—1	4—1
Joe Courtney	113	E. Lewis	6—1	2—1
Shotover	99	H. Jones	10—1	4—1
Sir George II	107	Ballard	6—1	2—1

Running Bird won.
Shotover was second.
Monsoon was third.

PROTEST AGAINST THE SPUR.

Property Owners Don't Want a Cortlandt Street "L."

A number of property owners along Cortland street appeared before the Rapid Transit Commissioners at their meeting at 22 William street, this afternoon, to protest against granting permission to the elevated railroad to construct a span from the Ninth avenue "L" to the Cortlandt street ferry.

Those who were present to protest were Jefferson M. Levy, Ira C. Miller, 61 Cortlandt; G. W. Jardine, 63 Cortlandt, and Frank McIntosh, for D. M. Martin, 61 Cortlandt street.

The full Board of Commissioners were present, with William Steinway in the chair.

Mr. Levy said he owned property along Cortlandt, Church and West streets.

He said that in no way would the property-owners of Cortlandt street be benefited by the branch from the Ninth Avenue "L."

On the contrary, the property-owners would be injured to a great extent. Their property would be depreciated over 100 per cent. in value.

At the present time there is a great tide of people from the ferry who walk up Cortland street, making adjacent property very valuable.

It would ruin this property if the branch "L" were built. There would be no benefit to the public, for the distance is only 450 feet, and the people who come over the ferry do not use the Ninth avenue "L."

Many of them use the Sixth avenue "L." He said the "L" road people were always looking for some ground on which to fight property holders.

They had their eyes on connecting the Cortlandt street ferry with the Sixth avenue L, but were waiting until College place was opened at the expense of the property owners and then they would jump in to seize it. They did not offer to open it at their own expense.

Mr. Miller then addressed the Board, and said the property owners had made up their minds to protest strongly against the construction of the branch road and would fight the matter in the courts if their protests did not avail.

They did not propose to have their property ruined without compensation. There would not be any room on the street for people if the road were constructed.

Mr. Jardine said thirty adjacent property owners were united in the protest against the road. He said the "L" road "had a nigger in the woodpile."

They were after a monopoly of Cortlandt, West and Washington streets to prevent any other plan of rapid transit to rival the "L" road.

If the road secured this concession, the Rapid Transit Commissioners would be prevented from putting any system along West street in the future.

Mr. McIntosh requested the Commissioners to compel the people to give compensation before erecting a single pillar should the project not be granted.

The Commissioners said they would consider what had been said.

BRISSON IN PLACE OF LOUBET.

Invited by President Carnot to Form a New French Cabinet.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

PARIS, NOV. 29.—Later in the day President Carnot summoned M. Brisson and asked him to form a Ministry, retaining in the Cabinet M. Ribot and M. de Freycinet.

M. Brisson promised to communicate his decision to President Carnot to-morrow, after conferring with his friends.

THE RACING AT GLOUCESTER.

GLOUCESTER RACE TRACK, N. J., NOV. 29.—Results of to-day's races were as follows:

First Race—Purse $300; six and a half furlongs.—Won by Hourl, Sea Bird second and Sue Ryder third. Time—1.30¼.

Second Race—Purse $300; five furlongs.—Won by La Galatea, Bert second, and Ipswich third. Time—1.00¼.

Third Race—Purse $300; five furlongs.—Won by I. O. U., Crocus second, Forest third. Time—1.07.

Fourth Race—Purse $300; seven furlongs.—Won by Jack of Diamonds; Coriolanus second, Lamar third. Time—1.38.

THE GLOUCESTER ENTRIES.

GLOUCESTER RACE TRACK, NOV. 29.—The following are the entries and probable starters for to-morrow:

First Race—Seven-eighths of a mile; maidens; selling.—Ralphie, 110; Anthemo colt, 106; Agnes T., 103; War Lass colt, Walter Campbell, Anawan, 101 each; Harlesme filly, Lady Worster, 98 lb. each.

Second Race—Two-year-olds; selling; five-eighths of a mile.—Drummer, 102; Lyrist, 100; Empera, 99; Lindsay, 92; Carousal, La Juive filly, Tube Rose, 89 lb. each.

Third Race—Selling; seven and a half furlongs.—Carroll Reid, 122; Telephone, Glenall, 115 each; Bigs, Vendetta, 110 each; Hettie, 107; Jim Clare, 101 lb.

Fourth Race—Five-eighths of a mile; selling.—Needmore, 107; Little Silver, 105; Censor, 104; Zelie, 102; Leo Brigel, 101 lb.

Fifth Race—Three-quarters of a mile.—Tom Flynn, Text, Schuylkill, Calculus, Selah, Come to Taw, Rafter, 105 lb. each.

Sixth Race—Three-quarters of a mile.—Lagar, Apollo, Harry Russell, Character, Startle, Monroe 105 lb. each; Maid of Screen, 102 lb.

Murderer Hayes Pardoned.

It was learned to-day that Gov. Flower had a month ago pardoned Thomas Hayes, who was sentenced to imprisonment for life in January, 1875, for shooting and killing Thomas E. Delany, a campaign orator, Sept. 7, 1874.

Too Rough.

[From the Clothier and Furnisher.]

Maud—When you said yes, did he draw you gently to him, kiss you passionately, and then did you hide your blushing face on his breast?

Angelina—Not much. He had on one of those Scotch tweed suits.

Effectually Disguised.

[From Truth.]

Flickers—They say that young Taddles is a college graduate.

Cawker—I wouldn't have suspected it. His grammar is perfect.

PRISON CELL FOR M'GONIGAL.

Judgment Affirmed Against the Slayer of Annie Goodwin.

Decision Handed Down by the State Court of Last Resort.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

ALBANY, NOV. 29.—Court of Appeals to-day affirmed judgment in the case of Henry G. McGonigal, convicted in New York of manslaughter in the case of Annie Goodwin, the cigarette girl.

Dr. Henry G. McGonigal was convicted of manslaughter in the first degree by a jury in the General Sessions Court before Judge Martine in October, 1890, for having caused the death of pretty Annie Goodwin, a cigarette girl, by malpractice.

An appeal was taken and the conviction affirmed by the General Term of the Supreme court.

Another appeal was taken to the Court of Appeals, which has just handed down its decision affirming the previous conviction and decision.

The circumstances attending the death of Annie Goodwin were sensational and shocking to the last degree. McGonigal himself, it was shown on the trial, had carried the dead body in his arms from the room where the girl died, at 117 East One Hundred and Fifth street, down several flights of stairs to the undertaker's wagon, in order to escape detection.

McGonigal had made out a bogus certificate of death while the girl was still alive. It set forth that "Mrs. Jane Wilbur," aged twenty-nine, had died on July 11, 1890, of rheumatism of the heart. Jane Wilbur was a fictitious name, but it served McGonigal's purpose to conceal the identity of Annie Goodwin under that name, and so, having paid Undertaker Cornelius Merritt, of 204 East One Hundred and Twenty-third street, $20 for the job, Annie Goodwin's remains were buried in St. Michael's Cemetery and marked as Jane Wilbur.

For a long time the Judges refused to fix any bail for McGonigal, pending his appeal. At length Judge Pratt, of Brooklyn, admitted him to bail in $5,000. This was declared to be insufficient by the District-Attorney, whose fears that McGonigal would not surrender himself if the appeal was dismissed were later proven well founded.

When the General Term's decision was handed down a bench warrant was immediately issued for McGonigal's arrest, but he had flown. His whereabouts might, to this day, not have been discovered had not McGonigal become involved in new difficulties.

On July 27 last, in company with Dr. Marion A. Dale, one of his pupils, he was arrested on suspicion of having been connected with the suspicious death of Mrs. Louisa Webb, at Ravenswood, Long Island City, two days previous.

Both prisoners were locked up in the Queens County jail, but a coroner's jury, on July 9, exonerated them, by finding that Mrs. Webb's death was due to a criminal operation "performed by a person or persons unknown to the jury."

The verdict was a surprise in the face of positive evidence that Mrs. Webb was attended during her illness almost solely by Dr. McGonigal, accompanied by Dr. Dale, Dr. McGonigal having no legal right to practise medicine at that time.

DR. BRIGGS'S TRIAL.

The Prosecution Objects to Withdrawing the Offensive Charges.

The court of ministers and elders appointed to try Rev. Dr. Charles A. Briggs for heresy, began the second day of its sitting in the Scotch Presbyterian Church this afternoon.

After the minutes were read the Court began the discussion of the question left over yesterday, namely, the motion of Rev. Dr. George Alexander, of the University Place Church, to strike out charges four and seven in the amended charges against Dr. Briggs.

Col. John J. McCook, of the law firm of Alexander McCook, a member of the Prosecuting Committee, said the charges had been drawn in strict compliance with the Book of Discipline.

The charges objected to, he said, contained a question of fact. The committee would not, in the interests of truth, withdraw these charges because Dr. Briggs in his address yesterday took issue upon them.

Col. McCook said that if in at some length to explain why the Committee did not wish to have the charges withdrawn.

MR. CLEVELAND'S HARD LUCK.

To-Day a Northeast Gale Prevents His Sport at Broadwater.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

EXMORE, Va., NOV. 29.—A cold northeast gale this morning swept over the Broadwater, which gives its name to the inlet dividing Hog Island from the main land, effectually cutting off any communication between President-Elect Cleveland and his friends ashore.

There was something very tantalizing in the way that wild fowl of every description flew hither and thither, seeking to find shelter from the pitiless storm. The distinguished visitor watched them with evident eagerness, but abandoned all hope of sport for the day when at 9 o'clock the beating rain added fierceness to the raging elements.

After breakfast Mr. Cleveland turned his attention to his mail, which is daily increasing in volume. This had been brought to him in a sailboat which was sent to Exmore last night for that purpose.

It is now said that the President-elect will abandon his proposed visit to Thomas Upshur's estate at Bromnsville because of the publicity which has attended his movements, and he may prolong his stay at Hog Island with the hope that milder weather will afford him greater opportunity for sport.

ANOTHER WEDDING AT NEWPORT

Miss Charlotte Winthrop the Bride of Harry S. Cram.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

NEWPORT, NOV. 29.—To-day's society event was the wedding of Harry Spencer Cram and Miss Charlotte Troup Bronson Winthrop.

Rev. G. J. Magill performed the ceremony assisted by Rev. Dr. Herbert, of New York. The bridesmaids were Miss Henrietta Cram, sister of the groom, and Miss Charlotte Hunnewell, cousin of the bride. J. S. Cram, brother of the groom, was best man and the ushers were Nicholson Kane, E. R. Cutting, C. Hitchcock and Bronson Winthrop, brother of the bride.

After the ceremony a breakfast was served at the Winthrop villa. The couple left in the afternoon on a long tour and will not return here until Spring.

Advent Services for Women.

Services for women for the first week in Advent of the Archdeaconry of New York, held in the Church of the Heavenly Rest, Forty-fifth street and Fifth avenue, to-day, were conducted by Bishop Doane, of Albany, assisted by the Rector, D. Parker Morgan.

Revolutionary Tablets at City Hall.

A resolution was passed by the Board of Aldermen to-day giving the Society of the Sons of the American Revolution permission to place tablets commemorative of historical events in the City Hall and Hall of Records.

80 ROUNDS TO A DRAW

Greggains-Costello Battle at Coney Island Athletic Club.

Referee Declares All Bets Off and Orders the Purse Divided.

The Exhibition Unsatisfactory to the Thirty-five Hundred Spectators.

Martin Costello and Alex. Greggains finished the eightieth round at 3.30 o'clock this morning of a glove fight before the Coney Island Athletic Club for a purse of $2,500, and neither man scored a victory. The referee decided that the affair was "no contest," that the Club should divide the purse between the two men and that all bets were off.

It was not a fight that satisfied the 3,500 spectators who braved the elements last night. The lookers-on thought it was a good deal on the order of a six-day walk.

The men entered the ring at 9.43, each having weighed in at 158 pounds in the afternoon, and they stayed within the ropes for five hours and forty-seven minutes. Both men were in excellent shape. Costello was the favorite in the betting at $100 to $70.

Greggains, perhaps, had a slight advantage in a longer reach. For several rounds, up to the twentieth, the men landed thumping whacks on face and body, and Greggains, who did about all the leading, had a shade the best of it. He was marvellously quick on his feet, and dodged and ducked with great cleverness all of Costello's vicious swings and upper cuts.

The latter became very wary at this stage of the contest, and the word went around the ringside that he had broken a small bone in his right hand. This was the hand he injured by falling over a chair on the island on the night of the Choynski-Godfrey affair.

Costello favored his right and did about all his work with the left. Greggains did not try to hurry matters, and was content to stand off and land once in a round and then spar for safety until the gong sounded.

Up to the fortieth round it was mostly a contest where a good deal of science was exhibited and where each man showed that he did not intend to take the slightest chance by carelessness of getting a knock-out blow. In the fortieth round, though, both started in to mix it up, and the claret spattered all over Greggains's face. They pounded one another savagely, and just as the gong sounded Costello was knocked down.

After that the character of the mill changed altogether and it was marred by the most phantom kind of fighting. Round after round followed and not a blow was struck. It was frightfully monotonous to the spectators by the time the forty-fourth round, when Fred Burns, the announcer, mounted the platform and said the Club would permit the men to fight eighty rounds, when, if not finished, the fight would be declared "no contest."

The eighteenth round was ended at 3.30, and so the eighty-fifth round, Tuesday, the tired sports freely commented on the ability of the sparrers to keep away from each other so nicely for so many rounds, and the criticisms were in some instances violently expressed.

It cannot, perhaps, be said that the fighters are to blame, for neither wanted the small end of the purse, and they were content to needle the air for even money. Each got $1,250.

Greggains was admirably handled by Martin Murphy, Mike Cooney, Johnny Murphy and Howie Hodgkins, and behind Costello were Billy Delaney, Jimmy Carroll, of Brooklyn, Joe Choynski and Tom Clark. Joe Lewis, of Boston, was timekeeper.

Before the fight came off a red-hot bout was put up by Danny McBride and Jon Donovan, bantam weights, who scaled in at 111¼ pounds. They fought for a purse of $500, and in five of the liveliest rounds Donovan was put out clear by a hurricane shower of blows. These youngsters did as much real fighting in those five rounds as the big 'uns did in the eighty.

POLICE RAID A PRIZE-FIGHT.

Bare-Knuckle Contest Stopped in the Sixth Round at Chicago.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

CHICAGO, NOV. 29.—The Desplaines Street police raided a bare-knuckle prize-fight in full progress in an old barn near Sangamon and Madison streets about 2 o'clock this morning. The fight was between Edward Hogan, of this city, and Tom Ward, of Cincinnati, and was to have been to a finish for a $250 purse.

Matters had gone as far as the fifth round, and a crowd of seventy or more men were yelling like Sioux.

At the cry of "Police!" the candles with which the barn was lighted were suddenly extinguished.

The police did their best to hold the crowd, but many escaped in the confusion, among them being Ward.

GOING TO SEE DUNRAVEN.

Mr. Kersey Will Not Say that His Journey Relates to the Yacht Race.

H. Maitland Kersey, agent in this city of the White Star steamship line, will sail for Liverpool to-morrow on the Teutonic.

Mr. Kersey is Lord Dunraven's accredited representative in this country, and his movements just now, when there is so much interest in the proposed international yacht race, are of no little moment to the enthusiastic amateur Jack Tars.

To an EVENING WORLD reporter who saw Mr. Kersey to-day that gentleman remarked that he had heard nothing from Lord Dunraven since the cablegram of last week.

"And your visit to England? Has that any bearing upon the proposed race?" suggested the reporter.

"Well, I go to Adare, and shall stop with Lord Dunraven," Mr. Kersey replied, after a moment's hesitation. He would say no more.

Latham A. Fish, of the firm of Vermilye & Co., bankers, and one of the Special Committee of Five, said to the reporter that he had not heard before of Mr. Kersey's intended sailing for England, but he could hardly see how it could affect the race one way or the other.

According to Lord Dunraven's communication, the challenge is on the way, and Mr. Fish thought it might reach here on the Aurania next week.

Miser Burned to Hide a Crime.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

MILAN, Tenn., Nov. 29.—Samuel Yates, a miser reputed to have a vast hoard of money, was burned with his house yesterday. The public suspect that the house was set on fire to conceal a murder and robbery.

Paralytic Burned by Her Hearth.

[SPECIAL TO THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Nov. 29.—Mrs. William Thompson, an aged paralytic, living at Eulaula, was sitting by her fireplace when sparks set fire to her clothing. She was burned to death before assistance arrived.

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LOOKING AHEAD.

Do Cleveland's friends expect to set him up in this business in 1896?

JOHN I. KEPT KEPT HIS BOOKS.

Evidence in the Blackwell's Island Election Cases.

The hearing in the case of Adrian Brinckerhoff, who with thirty-three other residents at the Charity Hospital on Blackwell's Island was charged by Davenport's agents with illegal registration as a pauper, was resumed before United States Commissioner Shields to-day, and is still in progress.

Walter Nicholson testified that he was section clerk in the Charity Hospital on Blackwell's Island. He had been in the hospital for two years. He made up the book containing the names of male employees, four or five months ago it was sent down to Mr. Davenport and never came back.

Thomas Wright, a clerk in the Charity Hospital since February, 1890, identified the pay-roll produced, in which were entered the names of a number of unskilled employees, and opposite their names was written: "Compensation, board and clothes."

Witness testified that he made up that list of unpaid employees last October, by order of the Warden. Prior to that the pay-roll contained only the names of paid employees, a copy of which was sent every month to the Comptroller's office. The names of unpaid employees were previously kept in another book.

Mr. Hotchkiss, who represented Brinckerhoff, suggested that all the men who had been arrested on the same charge should be discharged or held by the decision in this case.

Assistant United States District-Attorney Mott would not consent to this.

Commissioner Shields fixed Wednesday, Dec. 7, for the hearing of arguments on both sides on a motion to dismiss the case.

ERIE'S ANNUAL MEETING.

The Buffalo Strike Interfered with a Proposed Dividend.

The stockholders of the New York, Lake Erie and Western Railroad Company held their annual meeting at the Company's offices, in the Cord and Iron Exchange Building, to-day.

Abraham S. Hewitt and Alexander E. Orr were elected directors to fill the vacancies caused by the deaths of Josiah Heiden and M. F. Reynolds. All the other directors were re-elected.

The report of the directors shows that the gross earnings of the entire system during the year were $31,201,784.17, from which $24,095,048.90 is deducted and the net leaved lines, leaving a balance of $7,106,735.27.

The working expenses of the road were $21,466,783.48, leaving net earnings of $7,106,956.79.

The report says that owing to the unfortunate strike at Buffalo and the other considerations presented in this report the Board decided not to declare any dividend this year on the preferred stock.

Yesterday the Board resolved to pay 6 per cent. interest on the income bonds Jan. 10 next.

FOR CITY BETTERMENTS.

Riverside Drive and Other Assessments Settled.

The Board of Revision and Assessments this afternoon confirmed the settlement of the Riverside Drive assessment, amounting to $791,021.38, of which the property-owners are to pay $504,434.41, and the city $286,586.97.

These assessments were levied: For opening and paving Edgecombe avenue from One Hundred and Forty-fifth to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, $196,420.68; Westchester avenue, from Prospect avenue to Southern Boulevard, $33,509.36; Twelfth avenue, from One Hundred and Twenty-ninth to One Hundred and Thirtieth street, $11,148.76; Forty-eighth street, from Eleventh avenue to the Hudson River, $4,057.70.

$5,000 from the New York Central.

A jury in Justice Lawrence's Supreme Court to-day gave Mrs. Sarah Rainey a verdict of $5,000 against the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company for the loss of her husband, John H. Rainey, who died from the effects of injuries received at Stuyvesant Duyvil crossing Jan. 24 last. He was struck by a south-bound train and died two days later.

Same Price for December Coal.

The Western and Eastern sales agents of the anthracite coal companies at their meeting to-day decided to make no changes in price for the month of December. They agreed that the output for December should be regulated by weather conditions. Although the production may be consequently reduced to 3,250,000 tons per month.

Ex-Senator Fitch Dead.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

LOGANSPORT, Ind., Nov. 29.—Ex-United States Senator G. N. Fitch died at his home in this city at 6 a. m. to-day, aged eighty-two. Two daughters, Mrs. Denby, wife of Col. Denby, United States Minister to China, and Mrs. Dr. Asa Coleman, of this city, survive him.

Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup, the old reliable, will cure every case of cough or cold. *.*

YOUNG BARCENAS GOES FREE.

Judge Freedman Thought the Arrest Was for Blackmail.

Cora Brown, He Believes, Is the Wife of Edward Thurnear.

"I am satisfied that this action has been brought for the purpose of blackmail, pure and simple."

This was the remark of Judge Freedman, sitting in Special Term of the Superior Court, this morning, during the address of counsel in opposing a motion for vacating the order of arrest or a reduction of bail in the suit of Cora Brown for alimony and divorce against Camilo Barcenas, the young Nicaraguan, who is now in Ludlow Street Jail in default of $10,000 bonds.

The motion in behalf of Barcenas was made by Lawyer John H. G. Meyer, who submitted an affidavit denying the allegations made by Cora Brown.

Lawyer Goldzier, for the woman, objected to granting the motion, claiming that Barcenas had exhausted the time limit for making his motion.

Judge Freedman will decide the case this afternoon.

Lawyer Meyer claimed that the allegations of Cora Brown, that she was a single woman before she met Barcenas, were untrue, as a former hearing showed. The young man was a comparative stranger in this city, he said, and even should the bail be reduced, he would have to depend on the kindness of the Nicaraguan Consul here to secure a bondsman.

Mr. Meyer alleged further that the complaint was ingeniously drawn, making it appear to Judge McAdam, who granted the order of arrest, that Barcenas and Cora Brown were actually married, when that was an issue. Barcenas, besides, had been a month in Ludlow Street Jail, and the lawyer suggested that if bail was reduced from $10,000, its present figure, $300 would be considered obtainable bail.

Lawyer Goldzier's objection to the motion was based on Section 567 of the Code of Civil Procedure, which provides that a motion to vacate an order of arrest must be made within twenty days after it had been executed. Thirty days had already elapsed since Barcenas's arrest, and the motion was consequently out of order.

He claimed that the object of the arrest had been merely to assure Barcenas's presence at the trial for divorce and alimony.

The Court promptly overruled the objection and Goldzier proceeded to explain that his client's affidavit had been undisputed, especially in the matter of her marriage. It was untrue, he said, that there was any evidence adduced in a former motion contradicting her story.

"There was evidence contradicting it," said Judge Freedman, "and it was shown by the monograms on the woman's effects that she was married."

A lively discussion ensued between Lawyer Goldzier and Judge Freedman on the merits of the action, which resulted in the latter's expression of his belief that it was a case of blackmail. Everybody in the court-room was startled, and Lawyer Goldzier was apparently much confused.

"I believe in the justice of my client's case," he retorted.

"I do not," was Judge Freedman's emphatic rejoinder.

Judge Freedman then brought matters to a close by stating that he would vacate the order of arrest unless good legal objection was offered.

Judge Freedman handed down his decision later. He holds that there is no legal ground upon which Barcenas can be held, and that to keep him in custody any longer would be using a process of the law to work injustice and oppression.

He therefore vacates the order of arrest under which the defendant has been imprisoned, and Barcenas will be released from jail this afternoon.

In discussing the case Judge Freedman says that he denied the application of the plaintiff for alimony and counsel fee because there was a strong and convincing preponderance of evidence that the relations of husband and wife did not exist between the parties; that at the time of the alleged marriage to the defendant the plaintiff was a married woman, the wife of Edward Thurnear, and that the relation between the plaintiff and defendant was wholly meretricious.

"It would be highly oppressive to keep the defendant in jail any longer," he adds.

Mr. Henry Meyers, Barcenas's lawyer, hurried to Ludlow Street Jail on receiving the order of discharge from Judge Freedman, but was told there that a warrant had been issued by Justice White on complaint of Barcenas's alleged wife on the ground of abandonment.

Inasmuch as the warrant would have been served on Barcenas immediately on his leaving the jail, Lawyer Meyers did not avail himself of Judge Freedman's discharge, but will produce Barcenas in the Jefferson Market Court to-morrow morning.

Preacher Slays His Wife on Sunday.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

CAMDEN, Ark., NOV. 29.—Henry Howard and Luke Tatum, negroes, were sentenced yesterday to be hanged on Friday, Jan. 11, 1893, for murder. Tatum, who is a preacher, murdered his wife on their return from church.

Young & Smylie's Acme Licorice Pellets drive a hoarseness as incident to colds, &c. *.*

DR. SCOTT'S END IS NEAR.

President Harrison and His Household at the Bedside.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

WASHINGTON, NOV. 29.—Dr. Scott, the President's aged father-in-law, is slowly but steadily sinking, and is not expected to survive the day.

The President and his household are now gathered at his bedside awaiting the end.

MR. BLAINE STILL BETTER.

He Expects to Take a Drive as Soon as the Weather Becomes Fair.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

WASHINGTON, NOV. 29.—According to information obtained at Mr. Blaine's residence the distinguished invalid continues to improve.

So far there has been no setback since the case took its first favorable turn, and unless some unlooked-for complication shall arise it is probable he will be able to leave the house for a drive as soon as the weather becomes fair.

IN EX-JUDGE GILBERT'S SUIT.

Kings County Supervisors Get a New Trial on Appeal.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

ALBANY, NOV. 29.—The Court of Appeals to-day ordered a new trial in the case of J. W. Gilbert vs. Kings County Board of Supervisors.

This was an appeal from a judgment of the General Term affirming judgment of the Special Term in favor of plaintiff.

The action was brought to compel the payment to the plaintiff, a former Justice of the Supreme Court, retired under the age limitation, of the sum of $30,000 and interest, alleged to be due him under certain resolutions of the Board of Supervisors of said county allowing the sum of $6,000 per year additional compensation to the Justices of the supreme court residing in the County of Kings.

Defendant claimed that such Justices are entitled to such additional compensation only while in active service.

SALOON-KEEPERS IN COURT.

Thirty-one Held for Trial in General Sessions.

Thirty-one saloon-keepers were arraigned to-day before Judge Fitzgerald in Part I. of General Sessions charged with violation of the Excise law in selling liquor on Sunday. They all pleaded not guilty and were remanded for trial, pending which they are under bail.

Those arraigned were: Henry Zimmermann, William Hensel, John Shanley, Edward Kennedy, Louis Schluer, Henry Shacke, Rocco Nardiello, Michael Smith, Frederick Hollbeck, Peter Lavigne, Julius Neuer, James Culver, Richard Glendis, Thomas Higgins, Joseph Pessena, Edward McCabe, Thomas Fell, Christopher Blake, George Hoos, Christian Ortlieb, Daniel Wittpen, Patrick Donnelly, Charles Gebhard, Achilles Bernardin, Frederick Wane, George Tate, Albert Wilmaier, Ernest Dunker, Joseph Spiess, Timothy McAuliffe and William Moss.

FLYNN AND O'BEIRNE.

Aldermen Have a Tilt Over the Steam Company's Application.

Alderman O'Beirne renewed his attack at to-day's session against the extension of privileges to the New York Steam Power Company to tear up the streets to lay additional pipes.

He said the Commissioner of Public Works opposed the tearing up of streets. He demanded an investigation, and asked the Street Committee for an explanation.

Alderman Flynn, Chairman of that Committee, said: