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NIGHT EDITION

WINNERS AT GRAVESEND.

Large Crowd Sees McCafferty's Colt Get the Great American Stakes.

FORM OF BETTING UNCHANGED

FIRST RACE--
Ramapo First.
Connoisseur Second.
SECOND RACE--
Merry Prince First.
Lorrania Second.
THIRD RACE--
Applegate First.
Haslet Second.
FOURTH RACE--
The Butterflies First.
California Second.
FIFTH RACE--
Derfargilla First.
Chiswick Second.

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[illegible]ACK, GRAVESEND, May 28. [illegible] American Stakes, which is [illegible] of the two-year-old prizes [illegible] the Brooklyn Jockey Club, [illegible]ut a large crowd to the track [illegible] afternoon. A very fine lot of [illegible]ungsters were carded to go to the post.

The track dried out much better than most people thought it would, and was almost dry when the big stakes was run. There were fully 4,000 persons present, a very respectable showing for the first race day of the week. The weather could not have been improved upon, and a most enjoyable afternoon was passed by the visitors.

There was no change in the system of betting, but people seemed to accept the new arrangement as a matter of course, and had no difficulty in getting down wagers as they wished. Speculation was brisk throughout the afternoon.

The Preakness Stable to-day sold the gelding Langdon, by Linden—Zara, to J. Delaney, for $2,000.

In the second race, Merry Prince, the Belmont colt, who won so handsomely, was cut. An examination showed that the wound was only slight, however.

FIRST RACE.

Sweepstakes, for three-year-olds and upward; mile and a sixteenth.

Starters.	Betting.	Str.	Hlf.	Fin.
Ramapo, 126 (Griffin)	1-4 out	3	3½	1¹
Connoisseur, 106 (Penn)	8-1 even	4	3²	2¹
Ingoldsby, 91 (Sheedy)	15-1	4-1	5	1¹
Tinge, 106 (J. Lamly)	7-1	7-5	2	4
Manchester, 106 (Lamly)	10-1	2-1	1	5

Tinge and Ingoldsby alternated in the lead until the far turn was reached. There Ramapo, who had been third, moved up and as soon as they straightened out, Griffin sent him to the front. He drew away and won hands down by three lengths from Connoisseur, who was four lengths in front of Ingoldsby. Time—1.51 3-4.

SECOND RACE.

Sweepstakes for two-year-olds; selling; five furlongs.

Starters.	Betting.	St.	HW.	Fin.
Merry Prince, 104 (Griffin)	8-5	3-5	5	4
Lorrania, 111 (Doggett)	4-1	4-5	1	1¹
Teko, 98½ (McGinn)	8-1	2-1	4	3½
Carib, 97 (Lamly)	15-1	6-1	3	2¹
Imperial, 105 (Penn)	6-1	2-1	6	5
Nantucket, 119 (J. Lamly)	10-1	4-1	5	7
Himyars, 95 (Sheedy)	10-1	4-1	10	8
M. D. R., 98 (Banks)	15-1	6-1	9	9
Anna Lyle, 100 (Keefe)	7-1	2-1	8	8
Ratt Gondy, 102 (Finnegan)	10-1	4-1	7	10

Lorrania, Carib and Teko were pacemakers to the stretch. Merry Prince was very slow to move, but once he got going, cut down his field in great shape and turned into the stretch about fourth. Lorrania, at the furlong pole, looked all over a winner, but Merry Prince, under one cut of the whip, shot by him like a rocket and won, pulled up, by four lengths. Lorrania was second, a length in front of Teko. Time—1.04.

THIRD RACE.

The Great American Stakes, for two-year-olds; five furlongs.

Starters.	Betting.	St.	Hf.	Fin.
Applegate, 118 (McCafferty)	2-1	7-10	4	1½
Haslet, 118 (Griffin)	2-1	4-5	6	2½
Handspring, 118 (J. Lamly)	4-1	7-5	5	3²
Refugee, 115 (Penn)	15-1	6-1	9	4
Montezuma, 118 (Hamilton)	12-1	4-1	7	6
Mormon, 118 (Murphy)	18-1	6-1	1	7
Gold Crest, 118 (Taral)	15-1	6-1	2	8
Jefferson, 115 (Reiff)	15-1	5-1	10	8
Alarum, 118 (Doggett)	12-1	4-1	3	9
Barytone II., 118 (Lamly)	15-1	4-1	8	10

Mormon broke a trifle in front with Gold Crest and Alarum. These three were back in the ruck before a furlong had been covered, for Handspring had sprinted to the front and was setting a terrific pace with Applegate close behind and Haslet and Refugee next. They continued in this order to the stretch, where Applegate went to the front and soon had them all in difficulty. McCafferty then let him down a trifle and Applegate drew away and won in handsome style by five lengths from Haslet, who whipped out, beat Handspring two lengths for the place. Time—1.02.

FOURTH RACE.

The Gazelle Stakes, for fillies three years old; mile and a furlong.

Starters.	Betting.	St.	Hlf.	Fin.
Butterflies, 117 (Griffin)	1-2 out	2	3¹	1½
California, 117 (Doggett)	8-2	2-5	3	1⁸
Roundelay, 117 (Taral)	8-1	7-5	4	4
Second Attempt, 117 (Penn)	10-1	3-1	1	2½

The pace was very slow during the first part of the race, Second Attempt leading, with California and the others close up. Griffin made no move with The Butterflies until the stretch was reached. Then he quickly shot her alongside of California and it was all over. The Butterflies drew away and won easily by a length and a half. California and Roundelay had a bruising finish for the place, the former getting the verdict by a neck. Time—1.58 1-2.

Fifth Race—Six furlongs.—Won by Derfargilla, with Chiswick second and Adelbert third.

ALEXANDER ISLAND RESULTS.

RACE TRACK, ALEXANDER ISLAND, May 28.—The results of to-day's races run on this track are as follows:

First Race—Four and a half furlongs.—Won by Rosita, 7 to 5 and 1 to 2; Annie T. second, place, 8 to 5, and Flash third. Time—0.53 1-2.

Second Race—Six and one-quarter furlongs.—Won by Ataman, 4 to 5 and out; Belisarius second, out place; and Eddie M. third. Time—1.22 1-2.

Third Race—Four furlongs.—Won by Torell, 1 to 4 and out; Monolithe second, 3 to 1 for place, and Loshade third. Time—0.52.

Fourth Race—One mile and a sixteenth.—Won by Torrentine, 3 to 1 and 4 to 5; C. O. D. second, 6 to 5 for place, and Prince Klamath third. Time—1.53.

LATONIA RESULTS.

RACE TRACK, LATONIA, May 28.—The races run on this track to-day were well contested and resulted as follows:

First Race—Six furlongs.—Won by Porthos, 8 to 1 and 3 to 1; Han Ban second, 4 to 1 for place, and Elsket third. Time—1.16 3-4.

Second Race—One mile.—Won by Toots, 7 to 5 and 1 to 2; Bessie Bisland second, 4 to 5 place, and Mill Boy third. Time—1.42.

For entries and other sporting news see page 6.

WANTED—A DERBY FAVORITE.

English Talent in a Quandary Over To-Morrow's Races.

LONDON, May 28.—At Epsom to-morrow the Derby of 1895 will be run. The race promised to be one of the most open Derbys in years. But all calculations were upset by the result of the Two Thousand Guineas and of the Newmarket Stakes.

When Sir Blundell Maple's Kirkconnel won the Guineas, defeating Mr. H. McCalmont's Raconteur and Lord Rosebery's Sir Visto, the leading favorites for the Derby, he at once jumped to the front in the betting for to-morrow's event. But when Kirkconnel ran unplaced in the Newmarket Stakes the prophets were all at sea again.

The following is a list of the probable starters to-morrow, with the names of the jockeys:

T. Cannon's brown colt Curzon, by Ocean Wave—Tib. M. Cannon or K. Cannon.

Daniel Cooper's bay filly Float, by Sheen—Footlight.

Sir J. Blundell Maple's bay colt Kirkconnel, by Royal Hampton—Sweet Sauce. J. Watts.

Mr. Houldworth's bay colt Laveno, by Bend Or—Napoli. F. Pratt.

Sir F. Johnstone's bay colt Le Var, by Isonomy—St. Marguerite. M. Cannon or G. Chalmer.

Lord Derby's bay colt Oleander, by Isonomy—Queider Rose. Rickaby.

Sir J. Blundell Maple's chestnut colt The Owl, by Wisdom—Rattlewings. Bradford.

H. McCalmont's brown colt Raconteur, by St. Simon—Plaisanterie. T. Loates.

Lord Rosebery's bay colt Sir Visto, by Barcaldine—Vista. S. Loates.

Mr. Russell's black colt Slow Step, by Barcaldine—Waltz. Finlay.

Mr. Fairie's bay colt Solaro, by Galopin—Capon. F. Webb.

The Duke of Portland's bay colt Troon, by Minting—Atalanta.

The Derby Stakes are of 6,000 sovereigns, by subscription of 50 sovs. each, half forfeit, for three-year-olds. Distance about 1 1-2 miles. Entries closed July 18, 1893.

WORCESTER'S EPSOM.

Serpentine Wins the Woodcote Stakes--Faustine Scratched.

EPSOM, May 28.—The Epsom Plate was competed for to-day and was won by Mr. J. Best's chestnut horse Worcester, five years old, by Saraband—Elegance; Mr. L. Niguet's chestnut colt Sancho Panza, four years old, by Knight of Malta—Itinerant, was second; Sir W. Throckmorton's chestnut colt Arcano, four years old, by Mask—Annette, ran third. Nine horses started.

The Woodcote Stakes was run to-day and won by Mr. Daniel Cooper's Serpentine, a brown filly, by St. Serf—Footlight; M. R. Lebaudy's Curfew Chimes, chestnut filly by Hagioscope—Mosque, was second; The Duke of Portland's Elstedfod, a chestnut filly, by Petrach—Modwena, ran third.

There were nine starters. Mr. Foxhall Keene's Faustine, a brown filly, by Wisdom—Faustine, was scratched. Serpentine, by the conditions of the race, was allowed three pounds.

BRADY WANTS A HALL.

Sea Beach Athletic Club Unable to Keep Atlantic's Old Arena.

(Special to The Evening World.)

CONEY ISLAND, May 28.—The Atlantic Athletic Club, which has been giving glove contests in the Sea Beach Palace at Coney Island since last fall, is dead, and the new Sea Beach Athletic Club, which was to be organized with Billy Brady, manager of Jim Corbett, at its head, is not its successor.

This was told this afternoon by General Manager James T. Nelson, the Secretary and General Manager of the Sea Beach Railroad Company, who has charge of letting the Sea Beach Palace. The lease of the Atlantic Athletic Club expired a few days ago.

Manager Nelson had great hope of the new Sea Beach Club leasing the Palace, and was much disappointed to-day when Billy Brady and the railroad company failed to come to terms.

Brady called at the company's office, 56 Wall street, this afternoon and had a conference with President Man, Vice-President Latham and Secretary Nelson. Brady was satisfied with the price asked, but wanted the old arena and seats to stand. This the railroad company could not afford to do, as Brady only wanted the hall on Monday nights.

The Company offered to allow Brady to put up a portable ring and seats. This, Billy said, would cost too much and would not accommodate so many.

The bleaching boards and the balcony seats were torn out this afternoon and to-morrow the arena and the box seats will be removed.

STUDENT BROWN SUSPENDED.

Judge Paxton's Stepson Charged with Unbecoming Conduct.

Harry Brown, a student of the University of New York, and stepson of Judge Paxton, of Hoboken, recently got into trouble at college, being charged with taking two Tenderloin girls to the University building.

The Faculty notified Judge Paxton, who came over to New York to see about the case. Bert Myers, one of Brown's friends, disguised himself as an old man, it is alleged, and, claiming to be Prof. Gillette, of the college, intercepted the Judge, told him there had been a mistake and that Brown was the University's most promising student.

Judge Paxton, it is said, raised the boy's allowance and bore him home in triumph. The College Faculty, however, have suspended Brown on the charge of "frittering away his time."

FULL DETAILS OF THE NEW YORK-CLEVELAND GAME WILL BE GIVEN IN TO-NIGHT'S BASE-BALL EXTRA.

GLAD TO SEE THEIR GIANTS.

5,000 Loyal Rooters at the Polo Grounds Bid Them Welcome.

RUSIE STRIKES 'EM OUT.

Three Spiders Fell Before His Mighty Curves During the First Two Innings.

"PATSY" TEBEAU IN THE GAME.

"Fatty" Childs Is Still Sick and Cleveland's Captain Covers Second Bag for Him.

(Special to The Evening World.)

POLO GROUNDS, NEW YORK, May 28.—Home once more, and eager for sweet revenge upon the Western clubs for the rough usage to which the Giants were subjected in the "wild and woolly." These were the thoughts that filled the minds of Capt. Davis and his Giants as they went upon the field this afternoon to fight it out with Patsy Oliver Tebeau's Cleveland crowd.

It is almost a month since Gothamites have seen their pennant aspirants play. In that time the Giants have played eighteen games away from home, and they have succeeded in breaking even—a good sohwing when the fast variety of baseball that the Western clubs have been putting up is considered. The Giants before the game were in a good position in the League race and their prospects looked rosy.

During the coming month the Western clubs will fluctuate about the Eastern circuit, and before July 4, when the closing games of the Eastern series take place, there will be a great shifting of positions among the leaders.

5,000 Rooters Were Loyal.

The 5,000 cranks who turned out to welcome their Giants home this afternoon were more than agreeably surprised.

Not only did the team give evidence of having greatly benefited by their trip, but the Polo Grounds had undergone a marked change. All the rough, barren spots that were in the outfield when the team last played here have disappeared, and, barring the base lines, the entire field presented a beautiful surface of new green grass. New sod has been placed upon all the embankments, and pretty flower beds here and there relieved and enlivened things nicely.

The diamond, too, has been greatly improved. About second and third bases several wagonloads of new earth have been placed and carefully rolled, raising it and improving it wonderfully.

The weather was perfect for the game and the grounds had dried out nicely after yesterday's hard rain.

Rusie Against "Cy" Young.

Rusie was sent in to do the pitching for the Giants to-day, while "Cy" Young officiated in the box for Cleveland. These two twirlers opposed each other in the opening game at Cleveland, and Young had the best of the argument. To-day Amos endeavored to reverse things. "Oliver Patsy" again took a place on his team to-day, covering second in place of Childs.

The Batting Order:

The batting order was as follows:

New York.	Cleveland.
Bannon, lf.	Burkett, lf.
Tiernan, rf.	McKean, s.s.
Davis, 3b.	G. Tebeau, 1b.
Doyle, 1b.	Blake, rf.
Van Haltren, cf.	O. Tebeau, 2b.
Stafford, 2b.	Greminger, 3b.
Wilson, c.	McAleer, c.f.
Rusie, p.	O'Connor, c.
Murphy, s. s.	Young, p.

Umpire—Mr. Long.

First Inning.

The first hard-hitting Clevelander, Burkett, tapped a slow grass-cutter at Stafford and was an easy out. McKean was unable to fathom Amos's curves and, like Casey, mighty Casey, pounded three big holes in the air.

A fit of generosity then struck Amos and he gave Georgie Tebeau and Blake each a base, and the doughty Oliver Patsy stepped to the plate. The first one Amos sent up Patsy lifted over second for a single, and his little brother raced home, Blake going to second.

Greminger's efforts to connect were thrice unavailing. One run.

Tommy Bannon received an ovation as he stepped to the plate, but the heart Eddie Burke's successor could do was a little grounder to McKean for an out. "Silent Mike" Tiernan pushed a hot one to Patsy Tebeau, and was also out at first.

Capt. Davis refused to bite on Young's curves and waltzed to first. Johnny Doyle was unable to help matters, going out on a bunt to Young. No runs.

Second Inning.

McAleer made the third Spider to fall before the mighty Amos. O'Connor's high foul dropped into Wilson's big mit, and "Cy" Young died on his little bunt to Rusie. No runs.

Young allowed Van to walk to first corner. Stafford was loudly applauded as he came up. Jim raised a high one to centre, which McAleer gathered. Wilson banged a hot one toward second, which the Cleveland captain allowed to get away, and Van was safe at second, and Parke at first. Van stole third, McKean then dropped Rusie's little pop-up and Van scored, but Wilson was forced at second. Murphy pasted a liner to Burkitt, who did not have to stir. One run.

SCORE BY INNINGS:

Cleveland	1 0	—
New York	0 1	—

New Industrial Home for Women.

The Christian League Industrial Home for Self-Supporting Women and Girls will be opened next Saturday at 5 East Twelfth street. Mrs. E. B. Grannis, of Social Purity fame, is in charge of the new venture.

Good Wools, Those Liberty's.
Call and see them at 4 Warren st., 1786 Broadway, New York, and 1317 Bedford ave., Brooklyn.

COLTS START BRISKLY.

The Grooms Rallied and Batted Stratton Out of the Box.

(Special to The Evening World.)

EASTERN PARK, BROOKLYN, May 28.—The Bridegrooms returned to their home grounds this afternoon after an absence of four weks, to meet Capt. Anson and his ball tossers from the Windy City. Although the trip was a disastrous one, Capt. Griffin says that the team has got its winning streak again, and will make it very interesting for Uncle Anse or any other combination.

Anson, however, was confident that he would add another victory to his list, as his men have been playing a remarkable game recently.

Burns and Tredway, who have not been playing with the team for two weeks, were given their places again in to-day's game.

The attendance when the game was called was about 2,000.

The Batting Order:

The batting order was as follows:

Brooklyn.	Chicago.
Griffin, c.f.	Ryan, r.f.
La Chance, 1b.	Dahlen, s.s.
Burns, l. f.	Wilmot, l.f.
Tredway, r. f.	Anson, 1b.
Corcoran, s.s.	Decker, cf.
Shindle, 2b.	Everett, 3b.
Daly, 2b.	Stewart, 2b.
Grim, c.	Moran, c.
Kennedy, p.	Stratton, p.

Umpire—Mr. Murray.

First Inning.

Ryan was patient and got his base on balls. Dahlen flied to Corcoran. Wilmot landed on one of Kennedy's straight ones, which he planted far out in left field for a home run. Dahlen scoring ahead. Anson sent a grounder to Corcoran and was an easy out. Decker struck out. Two runs.

Capt. Griffin flied out to Decker. La Chance sent an easy foul to Moran. Burns jammed a grounder which Stewart let pass and Tommy was safe until he tried to steal second. No runs.

Second Inning.

Everett's high fly was nailed by Corcoran. Stewart walked to first on balls, but was caught stealing second. Moran sent up an easy rocket to La Chance. No runs.

Tredway base on bad ones. Corcoran slammed the ball to left for two bases, Tredway reaching third. Shindle hit a grounder to Dahlen, which got away from him and Tredway scored, Corcoran reaching third. Everett could not get Daly's fly and Corcoran scored. Grim sent another in the same place, which also took an ugly bound and netted two bases, Shindle and Daly scoring.

SCORE BY INNINGS.

Chicago	2 0	—
Brooklyn	0 8	—

FOR A LARGER NEW YORK.

The Bill to Increase Its Limits Before the Mayor.

A big crowd of north side people gathered in the Mayor's office this afternoon, to show why the bill to bring within the corporate limits of this city the villages of East Chester, Westchester, Pelham, Wakefield and Williamsbridge, should become a law.

Ex-Judge Noah Davis spoke against the measure and attacked the constitutionality of the act.

Henry C. Henderson pointed out many provisions of the bill, which he alleged were sufficient to render it unconstitutional as special legislation.

Fordham Morris, J. C. De Lavergne, S. V. R. Cruger, Joseph S. Wood, Judge Isaac M. Mills, Congressman Ben. L. Fairchild, Assemblyman W. W. Niles and Assemblyman J. N. Stewart favored the bill.

Assemblyman Niles argued that the Mayor had no choice except to pass upon the measure. His Honor, he held, had nothing to do with the question of the constitutionality of the law. He could only consider the matter upon its merits.

Judge Mills reminded the Mayor that the people in the district which it is proposed to take into the city's limits, voted last Fall for a Greater New York, thereby showing the sentiment of the locality.

The Mayor took the matter under advisement without intimating whether or not he would sign the bill.

RECEIVER FOR THE NEW M.A.C.

Judge Ingraham Will Appoint One, but Not Mr. Genslinger.

Justice Ingraham in Supreme Court Chambers was asked to-day to appoint a receiver for the New Manhattan Athletic Club, which has had a brief but stormy career. The name of Charles Genslinger was suggested, but the Court said that a man not interested in the Club would be appointed.

H. H. Mitchell made the application, and asserts that he, with Genslinger, owns three-fourths of the stock of the Club. He claims that when he and Genslinger obtained their interest, the statement made to them was that there was $27,000 in bank, and that the debts did not exceed $23,000.

This left them a supposed balance of $4,000, and as the semi-annual dues were due in May they supposed that the Club was on a sound financial basis.

A short time subsequently a number of judgments were obtained against the Club, and an investigation is said to have shown a deficit of about $10,000, and the dues were not collected. They further state that Henry Edwards, the Treasurer of the Club, who was arrested, charged with misappropriation of the funds, took money from the treasury and deposited it in other places.

They say that the liabilities are about $23,000 and the assets $60,000, which does not include an option on the building valued at $100,000.

MR. FITCH WON'T SERVE.

Hold-Overs Should Not Be on Investigating Committees.

Comptroller Fitch this afternoon sent to Mayor Strong and President Jeroloman, of the Board of Aldermen, a letter, in which he tendered his resignation as a member of the Special Investigating Committee appointed by the Mayor to examine into Street-Cleaning Commissioner Waring's accounts.

The Comptroller doesn't want to serve because he is a hold-over official, and thinks the members of the committee should be officials appointed by the Mayor or elected at the same time he was.

FIRE IN THE GOOD SHEPHERD.

Only One Alarm and It Was Speedily Subdued.

Shortly after 4 o'clock this afternoon fire was discovered in the House of Good Shepard, at Eighty-ninth street and Third avenue.

One alarm was turned in. The Fire Department responded promptly, and the fire was extinguished before serious damage was done.

The cause of the fire is not known.

THREE SWORN JURORS, NOW.

Box Was Filled Again in Inspector McLaughlin's Trial.

The second trial of Police Inspector William W. McLaughlin, in the Court of Oyer and Terminer, on the morning of this the eighth day since it began, was in exactly the same state of advancement as it was yesterday morning.

As yesterday, and last Friday, for that matter, there were only eleven jurors in the box, two being sworn jurors and nine being provisional ones.

The defense has used only one peremptory challenge, the prosecution has used none.

McLaughlin looked very cheerful this morning, but, smile as he may, he cannot take away from his pallor, nor from the haggard appearance of his cheeks and eyes.

The examination of talesmen and the hunt for jurors went on as soon as Justice Barrett took his seat.

Royal L. Walcott, of 14 Irving place, a manufacturer of patent medicines, took the twelfth seat in the jury-box, provisionally.

Both sides then said they were satisfied with Arnold W. Schlichte, a paper-box manufacturer, of 93 Sixth avenue, who was in the third seat, and he was sworn as the third juror.

Mr Friend, for the defense, challenged peremptorily the fourth juror, Charles A. Spofford, and the fourth seat was vacant. The eight provisional jurors moved up, and left the twelfth seat empty, and the examination of talesmen continued.

As soon as another juror is obtained, it was learned that the prosecution will call from the jury-box the fifth juror, Godfrey Schoen, an insurance agent, of 37 Maiden lane, and who lives at 22 East Ninety-first street, for further examination.

Ever since the provisional jurors were put in the box a large force of Pinkerton detectives employed by the District-Attorney, have been hunting up the record of jurors.

RAPID TRANSIT BOARD.

Drake & Stratton Ask Detailed Plans; Old Officers Re-elected.

At a meeting of the Rapid Transit Commission this afternoon a communication signed by C. P. Huntington, Henry Clews, Edward Lauterbach and others was read. It set forth that they desired to form a corporation for the distribution of mail, parcels, &c., to various points of the city by means of pneumatic tubes and wished to know what arrangements could be made to run the tubes through the tunnel on the proposed routes. It was referred to the Chief Engineer.

The Drake & Stratton Company reported that they were desirous of furnishing estimates of the cost of construction of the road, but could not from the plans as now prepared. They wanted further details.

Commissioner Starin, who presided in the absence of President Orr, submitted a communication to be spread upon the minutes, advocating the immediate preparation of detailed plans, in compliance with the law under which the Commission existed.

The annual election of officers followed, resulting in the re-election of all the old officers: Alexander E. Orr, President; John H. Starin, Vice-President; John Claflin, Treasurer.

GAIL HAMILTON VERY LOW.

Much Weaker than at Any Time Since She Was Stricken.

WASHINGTON, May 28.—Miss Dodge is now in a very low condition, as a result of a relapse yesterday. She is much weaker than at any time since she was stricken down with paralysis.

No new complications have appeared in her case, but she is now almost continually unconscious. When an improvement was manifested some days ago, it was thought to be only temporary, and no hopes of recovery have been held out for some time past.

Representative Hill is reported this morning to have rested well last night, and is about as well as yesterday.

SMALL-POX AT SEA.

It Was a Child on the Steamship Ems, from Bremen.

On arrival at Quarantine last evening, Capt. Mayer of the North German Lloyd steamer Ems, from Bremen and Southampton, reported to Health Officer Doty that during the voyage, one of the steerage passengers was taken ill with smallpox. The patient proved to be a child aged eleven months. It was taken sick May 25, but was promptly isolated in the ship's hospital to await the development of the disease.

The patient this morning was removed to the Reception Hospital for treatment. Ten steerage passengers who had been associated with the child's parents were removed to Hoffman Island for observation.

The steamer was thoroughly disinfected and cleansed. She proceeded to her dock at 9 A. M.

LAWYER LEVY'S DEFENSE.

Says He Had Nothing to Do with Defrauding McManus's Creditors.

The defense opened its case this morning in the trial of Jacob Levy, the lawyer charged with conspiracy to defraud the creditors of Philip McManus, before Recorder Goff and a jury.

John Fennel made the opening address to the jury for the defense. The burden of his statement was that the conspiracy was between the McManus brothers, and preceded their consultation with their attorney, Jacob Levy.

JUMPED INTO THE OCEAN.

Desperate Attempt at Suicide by a Woman at Long Branch.

LONG BRANCH, N. J., May 28.—Mrs. Samuel Pitcher, thirty-five years old, a good-looking woman, of this place, attempted to commit suicide this afternoon.

She went down to the ocean and deliberately jumped into the sea.

James Poland and John Hubbard sawher, and after considerable difficulty succeeded in rescuing the woman.

Cable Cars Smashing Things.

A heavily laden lumber truck became wedged in between an elevated railway post and a Third avenue cable car at Fourteenth street this afternoon, knocked the car from the track and shook up the passengers. The driver tried to cross in front of the car. It took three wrecking wagons half an hour to repair the damage. A Bowery cable car smashed a wagon driven by John Delaney at Third street this afternoon and spilled him out, inflicting slight injuries.

Weather Forecast.

Forecast for thirty-six hours ending 8 P. M. Wednesday for New York City and vicinity: Fair to-day and on Wednesday; warmer; winds becoming southeasterly on Wednesday.

The following record shows the changes in the temperature during the morning hours, as indicated by the thermometer at Perry's pharmacy: 3 A. M., 45.8 A. M., 50.9 A. M., 57.12 M., 61.

Use German Laundry Soap. It's the Best. The genuine has colored woman on wrapper.

$10,000 REWARD FOR MURDERERS.

Mr. Borden Eager to Catch the Assassins of His Butler, Harris.

NO CLUE YET DISCOVERED.

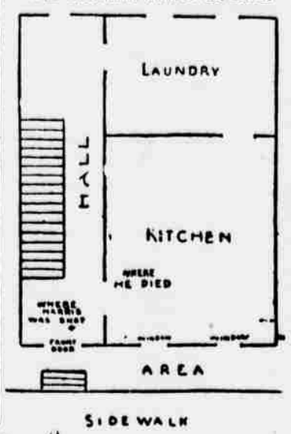
Katie Murphy, Who Saw the Shooting, Cannot Describe the Men Accurately.

"ROBBERS," SAY THE POLICE.

The Dead Man's Affianced Wife Almost Crazed by the Sudden Blow.

M. C. D. Borden, the wealthy dry-goods merchant of 25 West Fifty-sixth street, whose young colored butler, Ferdinand Harris, was shot yesterday afternoon in the basement of the house, called at Police Headquarters this morning and saw Acting Chief Conlin in regard to the mysterious murder. He said he would give $10,000 for the arrest and conviction of the murderers.

Diagram Showing Where Harris Was Shot and Where He Died.



HOUSE WHERE THE MURDER TOOK PLACE 25 WEST FIFTY-SIXTH STREET.

Acting Captain Steinkamp held a conference at 3.30 o'clock this afternoon in the East Fifty-fifth street station with Detectives Campbell and Long, of his command, and several Central Office men, including Detectives Titus, Reedy and Formosa.

At the conclusion of the conference all the detectives left the station and resumed their work on the murder mystery.

Acting Captain Steinkamp told an Evening World reporter that in his opinion the murder was the result of an attempt to rob the Borden house by the men who committed the murder.

He thinks that the men had probably watched the house for some time and saw Mr. Borden go out, later Mrs. Borden, and still later the butler. They then thought all the men out of the house and attempted the robbery.

An empty box was found a few doors from the Borden residence. It was about eight by ten inches in size. When found it was wrapped in light-brown wrapping paper. The wrapper was torn and what address was on the box is not known.

A part of the address is still on the wrapper. It is the letters "Bo—" and "25 W." The police believe that the murderers proposed to use the box as a scheme to get into the house.

Mr. Borden's family consists of his wife and two sons. His eldest son, about twenty-five years old, is in business with his father and the younger is at Yale College.

Katie Murphy, the servant girl who saw the men enter the house and shoot Harris, was taken to the Coroner's Office this morning, where she made the following affidavit:

Katie Murphy's Affidavit.

"Katie Murphy, residing at 25 West Fifty-sixth street, aged nineteen years, occupation kitchenmaid, being duly sworn, testifies and says:

"I am employed at 25 West Fifty-sixth street in the family of M. C. D. Borden. At about 1.30 o'clock on the afternoon of May 27 my attention was attracted by the ringing of the basement bell.

"I was on my way to answer it when the deceased, Walter Ferdinand Harris, a colored man employed in the house as second butler, reached the door ahead of me, he having been employed in the front basement packing up goods preparatory to closing the house for the Summer.

"He opened the door and admitted two men, who walked past him and entered the hall. It was somewhat dark at the time owing to the state of the weather, and I cannot give a very accurate description of the men other than one was very short and the other a little taller.

"After entering the hall the men turned and faced Harris, and almost on the instant commenced firing a pistol at the deceased. I stood almost petrified while two shots were fired. I then recovered my composure sufficiently to turn and run back to the laundry and screamed, and the other girls employed in the house came towards the hallway. That is all I saw of the occurrence.

"KATIE MURPHY."

Police Puzzled.

Acting Captain Steinkamp, of the East Fifty-first street station, his detectives, Long and Campbell, and a number of Central Office men, including Detectives Ready, Aloncle, Formosa, and Cottrell, have been working hard on the mystery ever since the murder was reported.

They all met at the police station after midnight this morning, and had a conference. They had to confess that they were entirely in the dark.

The strange feature of the case is the apparent absence of any motive for the murder, unless his assailants were bent solely upon robbery, and it seems improbable, if this theory is to be accepted, that the men should have entered the house in broad daylight and aroused the whole neighborhood by their shooting down the butler at first sight.

Harris is said to have been an amiable and inoffensive mulatto, who had no enemies so far as is known, and was engaged to be married to Rosa Artis, a comely young colored woman, who is employed as a servant in the family of Dr. Covert, a dentist, at 42 West Forty-ninth street.

His friends say that he never had any intrigues with other women, and as Rosa had never received any attentions from any other man but Harris, the belief that he could have been murdered through motives of jealousy and revenge hardly seems tenable.

Were They Professional Thieves?

The police believe that the men who killed Harris were professional thieves. In support of this impression they point to the fact that the men visited Mr. Borden's house at an hour when they had reason to believe that only women servants were in; they had evidently planned a robbery, and had watched Mr. Borden and his son go out, who were followed shortly thereafter by the head butler.

They evidently knew that the laundress was at work in the rear of the house on Monday, and expected to find only the maid at the door when they rang the bell. When they found themselves confronted by Harris they were forced to fight, and shot him to death in order to effect their escape.

Acting on this theory, the police authorities in the principal cities throughout the country have been communicated with, and the detectives believe that the character of the crime will lead to the identification of the criminals.

Crowds of people gathered around the house from an early hour to-day and gazed intently at the shattered glass in the portal. That broken glass possesses great powers of attraction, and Mr. Borden intends to have it repaired at once.

Thinks These Were the Men.

A colored man who gave his name as Tupe called at the house and asked permission to see the body. The corpse was taken away last night, but he was admitted and the door locked behind him. He appeared to grow frightened, and when questioned said that on Friday last he had called to see the dead man and that two men were loitering near the Borden house. They stopped him and asked whether Mr. Hart lived in 25 or 26. He replied that he did not know, but said that Mr. Borden lived

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GRAND JURY AFTER FELLOWS.

His Methods of Trials to Be Inquired Into by It.

GERRY ONE OF THE WITNESSES

The Jurors Start In on an Investigation of Their Own Volition.

PIGEON-HOLES TO BE OPENED.

Assistant District-Attorneys Puzzled to Know What It All Means.

The Grand Jury is making an investigation into the methods of the District-Attorney's office in trial of cases. Yesterday Elbridge T. Gerry, President of the S. P. C. C., was before the Grand Jury several hours, and was closely questioned regarding the disposition of cases by the District-Attorney, in which his Society was interested.

To-day Assistant District-Attorney Henry W. Unger was questioned at great length regarding the number of bail cases now untried, "pigeon-holed" indictments, and other matters which he, as Chief Clerk of the District-Attorney's office, and custodian of untried indictments is qualified to testify about.

None of the Assistant-District Attorneys would speak about the investigation. Assistant District-Attorney George Gordon Battle said:

"I don't know anything about this investigation. It is something the Grand Jury has taken up of its own volition. I have an idea of what is going on, but it is simply an idea, and in any event I would not be at liberty to speak about it."

Assistant District-Attorney T. J. McManus said: "The Grand Jury is doing this without consulting any Assistant District-Attorney, and have taken the matter entirely upon themselves."

"Has Recorder Goff directed the Grand Jury to make an investigation of the District-Attorney's office?" asked an "Evening World" reporter.

"I do not know that he has," answered McManus. "The Recorder instructs the Grand Jury in open court."

"Could he not have given them secret instructions?"

"I hardly think that is possible."

It has been noted that there are many men on the present Grand Jury who have been very active in connection with the reform movement. The foreman, James W. O'Brien, has been particularly active, and is a close personal friend of Recorder Goff.

One of the Assistant District-Attorneys said that he thought matters would come to a head perhaps to-morrow.

Col. Fellows was seen this afternoon and asked about the investigation by the Grand Jury. He said:

"I know nothing about it. Let them investigate all they please. The more investigation the merrier. I welcome any investigation they may make, but I have no knowledge, as I have not been consulted. If I had such knowledge it would not be proper to speak about it."

Col. Fellows was joined by ex-District-Attorney De Lancey Nicoll, and they went together into the former's office.

BOLTEN WILL SUE.

Victim of Spanish Persecution in Cuba Arrives in Town.

On board the American three-masted schooner Eliza J. Pendleton, of Islesboro, Me., which arrived in port to-day from Santiago de Cuba, was Seaman August Bolten, who was subjected to very harsh treatment at the hands of the Spanish authorities in Cuba.

When interviewed at Quarantine this afternoon, Bolten stated that he sailed from New York last December as mate of a brig bound to Cape Haytien.

Bolten and a companion set sail for Cape Hayti, where he intended to fish for turtles. About Feb. 15 last they were caught in heavy gale, and were driven across to the Cuban coast and finally landed at Guantanamo on the 17th. They finally set sail again for Santiago, where they arrived on the 23d.

Bolten reported at once to the captain of the port and explained to him his condition. The port captain became suspicious, and made unfortunate Bolten and his companion prisoners. Their little boat was also seized.

After being confined in a loathsome prison for two months and three days, they were finally released through the efforts of United States