LIVELY RACES AT ROCKAWAY.

GREAT LONG ISLAND STEEPLECHASE.

CHARLEMAGNE THE VICTOR—JOCKEYS THROWN—A BRIGHT SCENE.

A fresh sea-breeze was blowing over the Cedarhurst Course yesterday afternoon. For once the weather was all that could be desired, and the spirits of all were high in anticipation of the day's sport. The warm sunshine had called out gay spring costumes, and the crowded balconies of the club house presented a scene of rare picturesqueness, in which bright colors and pretty faces were happily blended. Six races were run and five favorites were victors. Promptly at 2:30 o'clock the first race was called and the polo ponies came prancing upon the track It was a mile hurdle race for polo ponies with gentlemen riders. Four ponies started, Foxhall P. Keene's Grey Fox (160 pounds, Mr. Harwood); Kirmess of the Queens County Stable (5, 153, Mr. Kernochan); Cedarhurst, of the Rockaway Stable (4, 153, Mr. Jacob); H. B. Richardson's Tom Boy (165, Mr. Thorne.) Tom Boy was the winner in Wednesday's pony race and the betting was nearly even on him against the field. Once around the track Cedarhurst kept the lead, but Mr. Thorne never exerts himself or his horse till the race is near the end. The last hurdle was cleared by Cedarhurst and Tom Boy neck and neck, and although Mr. Jacob did his best with the whip and spur on the homestretch, Tom Boy passed the judges' stand a length ahead of his rival.

Out of twenty-one entries in the second race for the Town Purse there were 12 starters. The race was a short one of five-eighths of a mile on the flat, a sweepstakes of $10 each with $500 added. The starters were B. Edwards's Shelby Barnes (5, 152, Cross); Appleby & Johnson's Mammonist (aged, 152, Hayward); J. H. McCormick's Pope Leo (aged, 152, Walker); Tarquin, of the Essex Stable (4, 150, Mr. Work); Portent, of the Hermitage Stable (4, 150, Costello); Phantom, of the Hermitage Stable (5, 152, Jones); Big Mike, of the Virginia Stable (aged, 152, M. Ryan); Smith, Abrams & Co's. Venture (6, 152, P. Lynch); Alexander Brown's Anatosta (5, 150, Mr. Harwood); J. J. Hyland's Eldorado (4, 150, Hurley); M. Woolland's Trenton (4, 150, Mr. Woodlawn); W. C. Vivell's Cape Lookout, (4, 150, Mr. Vivell). The race was exciting. The starting point was at the southeast corner of the track, and hidden from view by the cedars. When the horses appeared, galloping at the top of their speed toward the north end, the cherry colored jacket of Shelby Barnes's jockey flamed in the van, but Mammonist, the favorite, soon passed him, and held his lead till the finish. The finish was close between Shelby Barnes and Pope Leo for second place. It was finally decided that Shelby Barnes had won this honor, and Pope Leo was forced to be satisfied with third rank.

Five starters presented themselves to contest with one another the possession of Rockaway cup, presented by E. La Montagne. The race was a light weight steeplechase of three miles for gentlemen riders. The starters were: Dundee, of the Queens County stable (aged, 155, Mr. Hitchcock); Cigarette, of the Queens County stable (aged, 155, Mr. Work); A. Belmont Purdy's Nettie (aged, 155, Mr. Horne); Stanley Mortimer's Hobson's Choice (aged, 155, Mr. Mortimer); S. Pennistan's Pilot (aged, 155, Mr. Pennistan). The course carried the horses twice around the regular track and once around the long track, which makes a long detour to the north over a piece of broken ground. As usual in steeplechases the starting point was above the grand-stand, and Hobson's Choice cleared the first hurdle ahead of all competitors. He came galloping down the field past the stand with Pilot, Dundee and Nettie all in a bunch behind him. The next hurdle put daylight between each racer and his next neighbor, and they swept down the southern curve of the track in a long-drawn-out line. When the spectators saw them emerging from behind the clump of cedars, Hobson's Choice was still steadily holding the lead. Mr. Mortimer sat erect like an arrow, and his black and red jacket was like a guiding star to show the others the lead. After him came Pilot and Dundee. Without change of position they came circling around the upper end of the track. While Pilot hesitated an instant before the water jump George Work urged Dundee on with reckless impetuosity, passed Hobson's Choice and shot onward in pursuit of Mr. Mortimer. The spectators were wild with excitement as Dundee leaped the high earthen bank in front of the grand stand ahead of all the field. This advantage he held while another tour of the course was made. As the horses started around again Hobson's Choice was evidently regaining his old position. Stealthily he crept up on the dashing Dundee with his dashing rider. The two steeds were running neck and neck as they passed out of sight far to the northward, and excitement ran high until up the home-stretch Mr. Mortimer's spotted jacket was descried as Hobson's Choice rose for the last hurdle. Mr. Work whipped hard, but the race was lost though the finish was close. Hobson's Choice was declared winner, with Dundee second and Pilot third.

The selling hurdle race of a mile and a half, for a purse of $400, was contested by five starters: George Work's Flames (6, 136, Mr. Harwood); Emulation, of the Long Island Stable (4, 140, Mycnce); Mycnce & Sons' Pawnee (aged, 142, Lockwood); Okoloma, of the St. Cloud Stable (aged 139, Howard); Jessie Barrett's, Jesse James (6, 136, Ford.) The starting point was just in front of the club house. The flag fell and the horses sprang into a gallop, Pawnee heading the hill as they cleared the first hurdle. But Flames was on his heels and had soon passed him. Twice the horses passed around the track without changing their relative positions. As for the second time they rounded the north curve, the backers of Flames, the favorite, began to tremble, for Pawnee was close upon him. Neck and neck they came on to the last hurdle, and as they rose together for the leap, a shout went up from the spectators. Down the home stretch they thundered. Harwood whipping and spurring with might and main. His whip stood him in good stead, for he managed to carry Flames past the winning post half a length ahead of Pawnee. Jesse James secured third place. Flames was put up at auction at a valuation of $500, but Mr. Work himself bid the brave animal in at $700.

The fifth race, for the Queens County Cup, was a handicap steeplechase sweepstakes of $50 each with a piece of plate added. The course was three miles and the riders were members of the Rockaway Hunt Club. The starters were: Jester, of the Rockaway Stable (aged, 165, Mr. Jacob); George Work's Mars (5, 163, Mr. Work); T. Hitchcock, jr's., Lord Dufferin (aged, 155, Mr. Hitchcock); Fleurette of the Queens County Stables (aged, 150, Mr. Latrobe), and H. L. Herberts Laurelwood (5, 145, Mr. Thorne). The result of the race was a second victory for Mr. Work's stable. Mars was the favorite, and Mars won. Once around the track Cigarette led with Mars at her heels. Then Mr. Thorne pushed Laurelwood to the front, and Mars still galloped on in the second place. Not until the last hurdle did Mars come to the front, but once there he held his pace, and finished two lengths ahead of Laurelwood.

At 5:30 the Great Long Island Steeplechase, the chief race of the day, was called. The race was a handicap steeplechase of $75 each for starters with $1,500. The course was about three miles and a half. The six starters were: John P. Dawes's Charlemagne (aged, 160 P. Meany); Williams, of the Queens County Stable (aged, 147, Mr. Thorne); Barometer, of the Rockaway Stable (aged, 146, Hurley); James P. Dawes's Rose (aged, 144, Pope); L. Hart's Captain York (6, 140, P. Lynch); S. L. Levy's Rory O'More (6, 140, Mr. Dalmas). The race was an exciting one. The course was three times around the regular track and once around the larger one. Charlemagne was the favorite, but the contest between him, Rose and Barometer was expected to be close and interesting. When the flag fell for the start all the horses sprang into a rattling gallop and came rushing down the track over the first hurdle and past the grand stand at a pace which fairly took away the breath of the spectators. They fairly flew once around the track, clearing every hurdle and bank and fence without drawing rein or slackening their pace. Charlemagne and Barometer were continually in the lead, now one, now the other holding first place. Rose's jockey discreetly left the heat and burden of the battle to Charlemagne and contented himself with contesting the third place with Williams, knowing that Mr. Dawes cared little which of his of horses should win. Thus they swept once around the course, and approached the water jump. Barometer was slightly ahead of Charlemagne, as he cleared the fourteen-foot cement-lined ditch and he was still ahead as he rose for the high earthen bank. But he or his jockey misjudged the spring, Barometer tripped on the top of the bank, his jockey was thrown in a series of somersaults over his head, and the horse, following the rider, fell on the unfortunate man. For a moment it seemed as if he were either killed or seriously hurt, but when, still clutching the bridle of Barometer, he rose and was helped from the field all eyes again sought the racers, which by a miracle had escaped falling over the prostrate horse, and had swept on down the course. Rose and Charlemagne now had it all their own way and galloped together once more around the course. They passed successfully through the intricacies of the in and out and again neared the bank. No Indian boatman steering his birch canoe among perilous rapids seeks the channel of safety with more unerring precision than did these five jockeys, as they guided their horses straight for the break in the bank which marked the lot of Barometer's mishap. But their caution was vain. Captain York tripped and fell, but he was well back, his fall excited little attention. Interest in the race was now at an end. The only contestants who could win belonged to the same owner. Charlemagne kept his lead and came in winner, while Rose followed contentedly in the second place. Williams was third.

FORMAL OPENING BY THE DRIVING CLUB.

The flags of the New-York Driving Club were raised yesterday for the first time this season. It was the formal opening for the season. The club-house steps were crowded by members and their friends. The programme consisted of trials of speed and some of the brightest stars of the trotting firmament were exhibited. A brass band made music, and the pop and fizz of champagne added enjoyment to the day's sport. Nathan Straus, David Bonner and Charles Lawrence acted as judges.

The first contest was between J. D. Ripley's Miss Leland, driven by William Snyder; Beaconsfield, E. H. Hurd, driving; ex-Alderman Hughes's Fides, with Murphy in the sulky; Harry Gibert, the old starter that is old enough to vote, handled by Charles Dickerman, and D. B. Harrington's Rosery. The horses completed the mile as named, Miss Leland leading all the way around, being pulled to an easy jog at the finish. Time, 2:24¼.

W. C. France's team, Cornelia and Louise N., driven by William Snyder, was then given a trial. They trotted the quarter in :37, half in 1:13, and completed the mile in 2:28¾. Louise N. was unsteady after the first turn was passed and made three bad breaks. When they were pulled up it was discovered that she had pulled off a shoe at the first turn.

Kenilworth and George K. next trotted. They circled the track in 2:31¼, finishing head and head. Isidor Cohnfeld then drove his team Jimmie C. and Minnie Warren a mile to top road wagon in 2:35, going to the half in 1:14¼. E. Kilpatrick's Crosby was next put through his paces. He trotted in 2:31½. William Snyder gave the five-year-old, Jack Dawson, a mile in 2:32½. Bessie, driven by Gilbert, Maud Meessenger by Murphy, and Magolica by Whilpley were sent an easy mile in 2:31¾. Bessie had the best of it. Netta Medium and Beaconsfield were given a mile and repeat in 2:31¾ and 2:30¾.

John Murphy then brought out Maxey Cobb, saying that he would drive him in about 2:25. He drove him to the half in 1:15 and finished in 2:25¾. Murphy then drove his runner, J. O'Nay, and William Snyder's runner, Gohost, a mile to a skeleton. He went to the quarter in 27 seconds, half in :55, three-quarters in 1:24, and mile in 1:53¾. This is the best time this way of going by 1¼ seconds.

Among those present were Albert Hall, Reuben Compton, W. E. Kidder, A. A. Bonner, C. H. Raymond, John Daniels, T. J. Coe, J. J. Breslin, W. C. France, S. D. Suffin, J. H. Vanderbilt, jr., Matthew Riley and William Turnbull.

OUTSIDERS WINNING AT LOUISVILLE.

LOUISVILLE, May 16.—The racing to-day was well attended and the track was in excellent condition.

The Fairview stakes for two-year-old fillies, ¾ mile brought out Estrella, Eastlake, Bordelaise, Alfaretta, Julliet, Pure Rye, Hattie D. H., Kalolaoh, Prima Donna, Katrina, May Lady, and Red Girl. A miserable start was was made and Hattie D. H. and Katrina ran a dead heat for first place, Alfaretta second. Time, 1:18. Paris mutuals, Katrina, place, $35; Hattie D. H., place, $53 10.

In the second race Young Crowley, 89; Keenan, 85; Belle B., 110; Actor, 95; Glendon, 89; Roger Eastman, 89; King Troubler, 95; and Boreas, 105, ran for a mile. Boreas claimed a foul at the finish, but Belle B. was given the race, Boreas second, King Troubler third. Time, 1:44¾. Mutuals paid Belle B., straight $20, place $80; Boreas, place $8 90.

The "Kentucky Oaks," for three-year-old fillies, 1½ miles, brought out Ida Hope, Lizzie Dwyer, Eileen, Constellation and Exile. Lizzie Dwyer won easily, Constellation second, Exile third. Time, 2:43¾. Ida Hope broke a blood vessel at the half-mile post and broke down, coming in covered with blood. Mutuals—Lizzie Dwyer, $20; place, $8 50; Constellation, $16 130.

The fourth race for $400, 1¼ miles, had as starters: Lemsan, 119, Troubadour, 102, Buchanan, 118, Bob Miles, 118, Lepanto, 97, Tambourine, 103, Sovereign Pat, 119, Revokes, 119, and Vintage Time, 103. Troubadour won, Buchanan second, Lepanto third. Time—2:08¾. Mutuals—Troubadour, straight, $8 40, place, $6 40; Buchanan, $8.

The fifth race, selling, 1 mile, was contested by Embargo, 107; Springer, 95; Little Buffian, 112; Diamond, 90; Mary Hamilton, 90; Fellowplay, 107; Ultimatum, 92; John Henry, 117; Banana, 87. Banana won, Mary Hamilton second, Ultimatum third. Time 1:44. Mutuals—Banana, straight, $18 40; place, $13 10; Mary Hamilton, place, $44 60.

THE NEW-YORKS INCREASE THEIR LEAD.

The largest crowd of the season witnessed the game of baseball at the Polo Grounds yesterday between the New-York and Chicago League Clubs. Of that number nearly 1,000 were ladies. The contest was the fourth between these clubs and resulted in the third victory for the local nine. The game gives the New-York nine a good lead in the League race. The score was as follows:

New-York	r.	1b	po	a	e.	Chicago.	r.	1b	po	a	e.
O'Rourke, c f.	1	3	0	0	0	Dalrymple, l f	1	2	2	0	1
Connor, 1 b...	1	2	10	0	1	Gore, c f.....	0	0	3	0	0
Ewing, c.....	0	0	2	2	1	Kelly, r f.....	1	1	2	0	1
Gillespie, l f..	1	1	0	0	1	Anson, 1 b..	0	1	6	1	1
Ward, ss.....	3	2	3	6	0	Pfeffer, 2 b..	0	0	5	4	2
Esterday, 3 b.	2	1	0	4	1	Williams'n, 3b	0	0	2	1	1
Richardson, p	1	2	0	4	4	Burns, s s....	1	2	2	5	1
Dorgan, r f...	3	1	0	0	0	Flint, c.....	0	0	4	2	2
Gerhardt 2 b.	1	0	6	5	2	Corcoran, p...	1	1	1	3	4
Total.....	13	12	27	21	10	Total.....	4	7	27	16	13

New-York.....	0	2	2	1	6	2	0	0	0	0	13
Chicago.....	2	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	4

Earned runs—New-York, 0; Chicago, 1. Home runs—None. Two base hits—Dalrymple. Three base hits—Burns. Passed balls—Flint, 1. Wild pitches—None. First base on balls—New-York, 2; Chicago, 4. First base on errors—New-York, 8; Chicago, 2. Struck out—New-York, 1. Chicago, 1. Double plays—Ward, Gerhardt, and Connor, 2; Gerhardt, and Connor. Umpire—Mr. Valentine. Total base hits—New-York, 12; Chicago, 10. Left on bases—New-York, 12; Chicago, 10. Time of game—1:45.

The Eastern League game at Jersey City, between the Jersey City and Trenton clubs was won by the home club by superior work at the bat. The score was:

Jersey City.....	3	1	0	0	0	0	3	1	0	—	8
Trenton.....	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	—	3

The out of town games resulted as follows:

At Boston—St. Louis, 4; Boston 2.
At Providence—Providence, 3; Buffalo, 0.
At Philadelphia—Philadelphia, 8; Detroit, 7; ten innings.
At Cincinnati—Cincinnati, 7; Metropolitan, 2.
At Pittsburg—Pittsburg, 13; Brooklyn, 4.
At Louisville—Louisville, 7; Athletic, 5.

PRINCETON, May 16 (*Special*).—The Brown-Princeton championship game to-day was witnessed by about 800 spectators. The Princeton club won easily as follows:

Browns.....	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	—	3
Princeton.....	3	0	0	1	0	1	7	0	2	—	14

COLUMBIA COLLEGE ANNUAL REGATTA.

The Columbia College Rowing Club held its eighteenth annual regatta yesterday afternoon, on the Harlem River. The boat-house was crowded with the alumni of the college and their feminine friends. The steam launch of the club, the Carrie C. Goodwin, and the steam tug D. Van Cott, followed the races. The first race was for eight-oared shells, the class cup being the prize. The classes of '86, '87 and '88 entered for the race, which was won after a close and exciting contest by a scant half length by the class of '87. The winning crew was: Hull, bow; Bacon, Simonds, Rice, Ward, Harris, Beckwith, and Lockwood stroke, with Gardiner coxswain. The class of '86 was second, the crew being Janeway, Edwards, Hart, Lawrence, Sherwood, Meekleham, De Witt, and Middleton stroke, with Bierck coxswain. The race was won in 9 minutes and 43¾ seconds for one and one-half miles.

The pair-oared gig race was won by the crew consisting of C. M. Donnelly, stroke; De Witt, Cohen, bow; Gardiner, coxswain, by about one foot over E. Gould, a son of Jay Gould, stroke; E. P. Callender, bow; S. P. Wormser, coxswain, in 7 minutes and 5½ seconds over the whole course.

The third race was for four-oared shells from the School of Mines and the School of Arts over the mile course. It was won by the School of Arts in 6 minutes and 30½ seconds. The winning crew was Hart, bow; Meekleham, De Witt, and Lockwood stroke, and the losing crew was Edwards, bow; Simmonds, Whitman, and Beckwith stroke.

RECORDS AT THE INTERSCHOLASTIC GAMES.

The seventh annual games of the New-York InterScholastic Athletic Association were held at the Manhattan Athletic Club grounds, Eighty-ninth-st. and Eighth-ave., yesterday. Seventeen out of the nineteen items were contested and the results were as follows: The 100 yards dash was won by W. S. Scott in 11½ seconds. The mile walking-match was won by G. H. Davison, who covered the distance in 8 minutes. In the half-mile run H. K. Goetchius carried the day against seven other contestants in 2 minutes 37 seconds. G. Pinchot sent the shot (12 pounds) 35 feet 3½ inches and was declared the winner. In the tug-of-war representatives of the New-York School of Languages won against those of the Berkeley. For the one-mile run there were ten contestants, H. K. Goetchins winning in 5 minutes and 20 seconds. The championship cup was awarded to the New-York School of Languages.

The Intercollegiate Athletic Association will hold its annual games on the same grounds next Saturday.

SOLDIERS CONTESTING IN ATHLETICS.

The annual athletic sports by the officers and men of the 9th Regiment took place in the armory, in West Twenty-sixth-st. There was a large crowd and the sports were enlivened by an excellent brass band under the direction of Drum Major G. W. Hill. A team of nine men each, representing the 13th and 9th Regiments, pulled against each for five minutes in the tug of war. The 13th Regiment men won by one inch. P. Prendergast won the sack race against a field of six. H. E. Earl, Co. G, 9th Regiment, went two miles on roller skates in 8 minutes, 43 3-5 seconds and was declared the winner. R. A. Stackpool won the 229 yards hurdle (handicap) in 34 2-5 seconds. The 1,000 yards run (handicap) was won by W. H. Kraft (30 yards) in 2 minutes, 37 1-5 seconds.

NEW-YORK MEN BEATEN AT LACROSSE.

The New-York Lacrosse Club good-naturedly pocketed a championship match defeat administered by the Williamsburg Athletic Club at Washington Park, Brooklyn, yesterday afternoon. The New-York men, who were short one player, won the toss and took the goal with the sun at their backs. The following was the score: First goal, by Flannery, Williamsburg, time, 9 minutes; second, by Burns, Williamsburg, 1 minute; third, by Smith, Williamsburg, 15 minutes; fourth, by Burns, Williamsburg, 8 minutes; fifth, by Flannery, Williamsburg, 13 minutes; sixth, by Gerndt, New-York, 14 minutes.

STATEN ISLAND ATHLETIC CLUB GAMES.

The eighth annual spring games of the Staten Island Athletic Club were held at the club's grounds at West New-Brighton, S. I., yesterday afternoon. The contests included 100-yards, one-half mile, 440-yards and one mile dashes, and an obstacle and a bicycle race. The principle feature of the contest was a running high jump, handicap, which was won by J. T. Rhinehart, who cleared the bar at 5 feet 9¾ inches.

MEETING OF THE UNIVERSITY CLUB.

The annual meeting of the University Club was held last evening in the club house in Madison Square with large attendance. For members of the Council to serve four years in the place of George V. N. Baldwin, Peter B. Olney, Dr. George A. Peters, Frederic W. Stevens, and General Alexander S. Webb, whose term of office had expired, the following were elected: George A. Peters, Frederic W. Stevens, H. Walter Webb, C. C. Beaman, and G. V. N. Baldwin.

In place of William C. Whitney, who had resigned his position as a member of the Council, Hamilton Cole was elected to serve two years.

Seven members of the Committee on Admissions were elected to serve three years in the places of Robert C. Cornell, Arthur H. Cutler, Edward W. Lambert, Charles McBurney, John J. McCook, De Lancey Nicoll, and Frederick R. Sturgis, whose term had expired. They were Robert C. Cornell, Henry H. Crocker, Edward W. Lambert, James S. McCobb, John J. McCook, De Lancey Nicoll, Frederick R. Sturgis.

The Council elects the officers of the club.

The annual report of the Council (dated May 1,) shows that the club is in a highly prosperous condition. It has 737 resident members, 343 non-resident, and 84 Army and Navy members, a total of 1,164. The receipts during the year were $167,850 33, and the expenditures, including $12,781 for furniture and equipments, and $18,774 for improvements of a permanent character in the club house, were $153,284 45. There is an invested fund of $65,358 33.

Thirteen members were elected at the last meeting of the Committee on Admissions on May 6, so that the limit of resident members (750) has now been reached.

HOME NEWS.

PROMINENT ARRIVALS.

Hotel Brunswick—Mr. de Lovenorn, Danish Minister at Washington; Colonel John Hay, of Cleveland, and Judge Samuel Hand, of Albany.....*Brevoort House*—G. de Weckherlin, Minister for the Netherlands at Washington.....*Gilsey House*—General John M. Corse, of Boston.....*Fifth Avenue Hotel*—Speaker George Z. Erwin.....*Union Square Hotel*—Senator Dennis McCarthy, of Syracuse.....*Victoria Hotel*—Senator C. P. Vedder.....*Morton House*—Senator H. J. Coggeshall.

NEW-YORK CITY.

Arrests last week, 1,637; births, 479; deaths, 657; marriages, 200.

Mrs. Ida Maas fell from a third-story window of No. 164 Allen-st. yesterday and was killed.

An unknown workman was run over and killed by a New-Haven mail train near Tremont yesterday morning.

AN EXTRAVAGANT ESTIMATE.

Excise Commissioners Haughton and Mitchell yesterday put in an estimate of $82,300 for their department for the coming fiscal year. They ask for more than before. The estimate is extremely extravagant, and Commissioner Morris did not sign it.

AN IMMIGRANT WITH A CONFEDERATE BILL.

Max Petersdorf, who came to the city yesterday on the steamship Waesland, presented a $100 Confederate bill at Castle Garden to have it changed. He was told that the bill was worthless, and he said that in London he was informed that it was best to get American money on that side. He had 420 marks for which the Confederate bill was given him. It was issued in Richmond in December, 1862. Petersdorf had no more money and he could not name the street in London where he got the bill.

A DAY AT SHOHOLA GLEN.

Under the new train arrangement on the Erie Railway, which will go into effect to-morrow, parties from this city desiring to visit Shohola Glen, the romantic new resort on the Erie, and return the same day after spending five hours among its waterfalls, ravines, lakes and grottos, may leave New-York on the fast day express at 9 a. m., reach Port Jervis at 11:58, and the glen at 12:57. The return trip is made on the fast New-York express, which arrives in this city at 10:20 p. m. General train facilities to all local points of interest on the Erie have been greatly increased also.

BROOKLYN.

The report of the County Treasurer shows that on May 1 the total balance on hand was $1,263,915 63.

Margaretta Becker sued Pauline Goerke for $1,000 for slander. The jury gave her $60.

The body of a man fifty years old was found near Watson's dock yesterday. It had been in the water a long time.

James M. Harrison, who killed his mother while insane and escaped from the Flatbush Asylum on Friday, was recaptured yesterday.

No trains will be run on the Brooklyn Elevated Railroad to-day, and the day will be devoted to examining the entire structure and rolling stock in order to make it certain that all is safe.

NEWS FROM THE SUBURBS.

JERSEY CITY.

The newsboys of this city and adjoining sections of Hudson County will be treated to an excursion up the Hudson River to Excelsior Grove, on Decoration Day, by M. Mallone, Editor and publisher of *The Jersey City Argus*. The trip will be made in the barge Curry, of the Starin fleet.

John Flannagan, a young married man, was sentenced on Friday by Judge McGill to one years' imprisonment in the State Prison for beating his wife. He declared that he would never go to that institution, and yesterday morning when the sheriff called at his cell to take him away he found him lying on the floor in a pool of blood. He had cut an artery in his left wrist, and would have bled to death but for the timely arrival of the Sheriff.

NEW-JERSEY.

NEW-BRUNSWICK.—Nelson Dunham, a prominent citizen dropped dead yesterday. He was the treasurer of the New-Brunswick Savings Institution. .....The reported attempts to lynch Mrs. Hendricks, the child-beater, are all untrue; the excitement is abating. The child was reported out of danger yesterday.

STATEN ISLAND.

CLIFTON.—Alice De Hart, a colored woman, had her husband arrested yesterday on a charge of trying to kill her with a razor. De Hart was discharged, and his wife, who bears a bad reputation, was told by the justice that if she did not leave the county he would send her to the Penitentiary.

NORTHFIELD.—Justice Watson and his sister have fallen heir to a large fortune by the death of their uncle in England.

AN ATTACK ON JUSTICE BARRETT.

HE DENIES STORIES PUBLISHED ABOUT HIS FAMILY RELATIONS.

A publication in *The Graphic* on Friday afternoon, the substance of which *The World* repeated yesterday without having obtained information as to its correctness, set forth with much circumstance and detail that a suit for divorce had been begun against Justice George C. Barrett of the Supreme Court, and that the co-respondent was said to be a strikingly handsome widow of New-England birth, whom the Judge had met two summers ago at a summer resort which he visited for the benefit conferred by the sulphur baths. It was stated that Mrs. Barrett had begun a suit in the Supreme Court, that it had been referred and that witnesses had been examined. To a TRIBUNE reporter who called upon him last evening at his home No. 1 East Twenty-eighth-st., Justice Barrett said:

"There is not a word of truth in it, and not the slightest foundation for the story. My relations with my wife are of the warmest and pleasantest nature. There is nothing in our domestic life to give the slightest reason for such a statement. I have not visited any sulphur springs lately, and have not met any charming widow. I was at Avon Springs a number of years ago, but do not remember to have seen any brunette such as is described in the article in *The Graphic*. I received a letter this morning from my wife who is in Europe, addressing me as 'Dear George,' and couched in the most affectionate terms. She will be more troubled about this thing than I am. I am naturally of a forgiving disposition. I seldom take any notice of any attack personal to myself. But this attacks my family, my children, and I owe it to them to punish the author of it, and I shall certainly do so unless he makes a satisfactory explanation. A. A. Redfield and Mr. Gray, of Gray & Davenport, lawyers, called at *The Graphic* office to-day, and Mr. Hinckley told them that a reporter named Leavitt had written the article. Leavitt was called in and most positively reaffirmed the truth of the statement. He said that he had seen and told the story by John P. Gaw, a clerk in the Supreme Court. Mr. Gray took a cab and went for Mr. Gaw and took him immediately to *The Graphic* office, where he told Mr. Hinckley that he had said nothing of the kind. Leavitt meantime had gone. Mr. Gray told Mr. Hinckley that, though he had not seen me in regard to the publication, that he would stake his life and fortune that it was not true.

"I cannot tell what has induced this man Leavitt to make the statement. I think there is something of a political nature at the bottom of it. It is known that my present term of office expires this year, and that it is most likely that I shall be reelected. The object of this libel may be to create an impression unfavorable to me to raise a smoke. This is a criminal libel, and I shall deem it my duty to place it before the Grand Jury unless some satisfactory explanation is made by Leavitt."

FOREIGN STEAMERS DUE AT THIS PORT.

TO-DAY.

Vessel.	From.	Line.
Gallia.....	Liverpool.....	Cunard
Polaria.....	Hamburg.....	Carr
Independente.....	Palermo.....	Florio
Muriel.....	Windward Islands.....	Quebec
Trinidad.....	Bermuda.....	Quebec

MONDAY, MAY 18.

Frisia.....	Hamburg.....	Hamb.-Amer
Alene.....	West Indies.....	Atlas
Saratoga.....	Havana.....	Wards

SHIPPING NEWS.

PORT OF NEW-YORK.....SATURDAY, MAY 16, 1885.

ARRIVED.

Steamer Denmark (Br), Cochrane, London May 1, Havre 13 days, with mdse and passengers to F W J Hurst. Arrived at the Bar at 10.45 a m.

Steamer Croma (Br), Cave, London 13 days, with mdse to Patton, Vickers & Co.

Steamer Australic (Br), Parsell, Liverpool May 7, Queenstown 8, with mdse and passengers to A J Cortis. Arrived at the Bar at 6 45 a m.

Steamer Columbia (Br), Garvie, Catania April 17, Messina 18, Palermo 23, Sorrento 25, Naples 28, Gibraltar May 2, with mdse and passengers to Henderson Bros. Arrived at the Bar at 5 a m.

Steamer Bretwalda (Br), Carpenter, Girgenti April 7, Catania 11, Messina 16, Palermo 25, Gibraltar 30, with mdse to Phelps Bros & Co. Arrived at the Bar at 5 a m.

Steamer Colon, Lima, Aspinwall 9 days, with mdse and passengers to Pacific Mail SS Co. Arrived at the Bar at 6 a m

Steamer New-York, Wheeler, New-Orleans 6 days, with mdse to J T Van Sickle

Steamer Breakwater, Jenney, Lewes, Del, with mdse and passengers to to Old Dominion SS Co.

Steamer City of New-Bedford, Ellis, Fall River, with mdse to Borden & Lovell.

CLEARED.

Steamer Minhô (Br), Chapman, London—Sanderson & Son.
Steamer Otranto (Br), Karr, Hull—Sanderson & Son.
Steamer Moravia (Ger), Petzoldt, Hamburg—Kunhardt & Co.
Steamer Schiedam (Dtch), d'Harnecourt, Amsterdam—Funch, Edye & Co.
Steamer Herman Cortes (Span), Bisquet, Barcelona, Sp—Menzhiho, Aymerich & Co.
Steamer Newport, Curtis, Havana—Jas E Ward & Co.
Steamer Pomona (Br), Thompson, Montego Bay—G Wessels & Co.
Steamer San Marcos, Burrows, Galveston via Key West—C H Mallory & Co.
Steamer Excelsior, Higgins, New-Orleans—John T Van Sickle.
Steamer Hudson, Freeman, New-Orleans—S H Seaman.
Steamer Chattahoochee, Catherine, Savannah—Henry Yonge, jr.
Steamer City of Savannah, Daggett, Savannah—Henry Yonge, jr.

SAILED.

Steamers Servia, Germanic, and Helvetia, for Liverpool; Furnessia, Glasgow; Oder, Bremen; Belgenland and Pieter de Connck, Antwerp; Schiedam, Amsterdam; Portuense, Para; Caracas, Laguayra; Newport, Havana; Pomona, Montego Bay, City of Mexico, ——; San Marcos, Galveston; Hudson and Excelsior, New-Orleans; Chattahoochee, Savannah; City of Columbia, Charleston; Benefactor, Wilmington; Guyandotte, Newport News; Old Dominion, Newport; John Gibson, Georgetown.

Also sailed—via Long Island Sound—Steamers Franconia, for Portland; H F Dimock, Boston.

THE MOVEMENTS OF STEAMERS.

FOREIGN PORTS.

LONDON, May 15—Sailed, steamer European (Br), Bennett, for New-York.

QUEENSTOWN, May 16—Arrived, steamer Etruria (Br), Cook, from New-York May 9, on her way to Liverpool (and proceeded).

DOVER, May 16—Passed, steamer Edam (Dtch), Taat, from New-York May 2 on her way to Amsterdam.

HAMBURG, May 16—Arrived, steamer Lessing (Ger), Voss, from New-York April 30.

15th—Arrived, steamer Rugia (Ger), Albers, from New-York May 2.

HAVANA, May 16—Sailed, steamer City of Washington, Rettig, from Mexican ports hence for New-York.

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