PRINCETON PLAYED WELL

NEW-YORK WINS AFTER A HARD BATTLE.

COLUMBIA VICTORIOUS OVER THE MANHATTAN ATHLETIC CLUB.

The baseball season can be said to be in full swing in spite of the inclemency of the weather. Three games were played in this neighborhood yesterday and fair-sized, cold-weather crowds were present at each. If the weather does not soon moderate about all the players will be down with the grip. The troublesome disease has already got its vise on many players and followers of the game.

The game at the Polo Grounds yesterday was between the Princeton College and New-York teams and it was a stirring contest replete with interesting features. The orange and black team is a remarkably strong one and its chances of winning the college championship are bright indeed. The Giants won yesterday, but it was only by the score of 4 to 1, and all five runs were made in the last two innings.

Princeton's great strength is in its battery and infield. Young is a remarkable pitcher, and Bergen a promising one. Brokaw is a capital catcher, while Dana, Durell and King are all good men. Princeton's only weakness is at short and in the outfield. Payne is a good fielder and batsman, but Wright and Brown have yet to make their reputations. Young pitched for four innings and Gore's hit in the opening inning was the only one scored off his delivery. The youngster has speed, curves and above all a cool head and excellent control of the ball. After Gore's hit the Giants were retired as they came to the bat until Bergen went in to pitch. Tiernan struck out twice in four innings and that is a result few professional pitchers have ever accomplished. Keefe, who has been coaching the orange and black team, has done his work well.

The weather was too cold for any man to pitch nine innings and Rusie relieved John Ewing for New-York after the fourth inning. Two hits were made off each. Durell, Knickerbocker and Dana made a clever double play in the seventh inning. King's work at third base was also applauded.

Princeton's only run was made in the eighth inning on a base on balls, two stolen bases and wild throws by O'Rourke. The Giants scored their only runs in the ninth inning on hits by Gore, Tiernan and Slattery, a sacrifice by Whistler, a stolen base and errors by Bergen and Knickerbocker. The score was as follows:

NEW-YORK.

	r	1b	po	a	e
Gore, c f	1	2	0	0	0
Tiernan, r f	1	1	3	0	0
Richardson, 2b	1	0	3	2	0
Whistler, 1 b	0	0	8	0	1
Slattery, l f	1	1	1	0	0
Clarke, s s	0	0	1	1	1
Denny, 3 b	0	1	4	1	0
T. O'Rourke, c	0	0	8	4	2
J. Ewing, p	0	0	0	0	0
Rusie, p	0	1	0	1	0
Totals	4	6	27	9	4

PRINCETON.

	r	1b	po	a	e
Durell, 2 b	1	0	2	2	1
Payne, l f	0	1	0	0	1
Brokaw, c	0	0	9	2	0
Dana, d b	0	1	11	1	0
Knickerb'r, s s	0	0	0	4	1
Young, p	0	1	0	0	0
Bergen, p	0	1	0	1	1
Brown, r f	0	0	0	0	0
King, 3 b	0	0	4	3	0
Wright, c f	0	0	1	0	0
Totals	1	4	27	13	4

New-York	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4—4
Princeton	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0—1

Earned runs—New-York 1, Princeton 0. First base by errors—New-York 3, Princeton 2. Left on bases—New-York 4, Princeton 4. First base on balls—Off Ewing 2, off Rusie 4, off Young 0, off Bergen 1. Struck out—By Ewing 2, by Rusie 6, by Young 3, by Bergen 4. Two-base hit—Young. Sacrifice hits—Durell 2, Brokaw, Whistler, Denny. Stolen bases—Slattery, Clarke, Durell 2, Brown, King 2. Double play—Knickerbocker, Durell and Dana. Wild pitches—Bergen 2. Passed balls—O'Rourke 3, Brokaw 2. Umpire—Pierce. Time of game—1:45.

The baseball season in Brooklyn was opened at Washington Park yesterday afternoon by a game between the Brooklyns and a nine of Manhattan College. The professionals won as they pleased. Over 500 people were present in spite of the cold weather.

The grounds were muddy, especially in the outfield. Sawdust was sprinkled over the infield, and the diamond was in fairly good shape. Quinn's work at third-base was capital. The home team put in four pitchers, Terry pitching the first three and Hemming, Lovett and Caruthers two innings each. Three catchers were utilized. The score was as follows:

BROOKLYN.

	r	1b	po	a	e
Collins, 2 b	4	3	3	5	0
Griffin, c f	4	3	0	0	0
Burns, r f	2	4	2	1	0
Pinkney, 3 b	1	3	0	3	0
O'Brien, l f	0	1	2	0	0
Foutz, 1 b	0	2	9	0	0
Ward, s s	1	0	4	4	1
Terry, p	1	0	0	0	0
Lovett, p	0	0	0	0	1
Hemming, p	0	0	0	0	0
Caruthers, p	1	1	0	0	0
Dailey, c	1	0	2	1	0
Daly, c	1	0	3	0	1
Kinslow, c	0	0	2	0	0
Totals	16	17	27	11	3

JASPERS.

	r	1b	po	a	e
Kinsler, c	0	1	8	2	2
C. Collins, 1 f	0	0	0	2	2
Mara, 2 b	1	1	2	2	0
Quinn, 3 b	0	1	2	6	1
Brennan, s s	0	0	2	4	0
Fitzgerald, r f	0	1	0	0	0
Boylan, p	0	0	0	1	1
McGuire, c f	0	1	0	0	0
Flynn, 1 b	0	0	13	0	3
Totals	1	5	27	17	9

Brooklyn	4	0	0	4	3	0	1	0	4	—16
Jaspers	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	—1

Earned runs—Brooklyn 6, Jaspers 0. First base on errors—Brooklyn 3, Jaspers 1. Left on bases—Brooklyn 8, Jaspers 9. Two-base hits—Griffin 2, Burns 2, Pinkney 2, Caruthers. Stolen bases—Griffin 3, Pinkney, C. Collins, Quinn, Maguire. Sacrifice hits—Griffin, Burns, O'Brien, Foutz, Ward, Lovett, Fitzgerald 2, Flynn. First base on balls—Off Terry 2, off Hemming 1, off Caruthers 2, off Boylan 6. Struck out—O'Brien 4, Mara, Brennan, Boylan, McGuire. Hit by pitched ballBurns, Dailey. Wild pitches—Boylan 3. Umpire—Bushong. Time—1:40.

The game at Manhattan Field yesterday was between the Columbia College and the Manhattan Athletic Club teams. The Columbia boys won after an exciting battle. The Cherry Diamond athletes held the lead up to the seventh inning, when Pitcher Wilson lost his cunning, and it was all over for the M. A. C.'. Dollard played finely at second-base and Morgan also did good work at shortstop. The score was as follows:

MANHATTAN.

	r	1b	po	a	e
Young, 2 b	2	3	1	1	0
Ellis, s b	1	2	2	4	3
Cabonell, c f	0	2	2	0	2
H. Smith, c	2	3	9	0	0
Buell, 1 b	1	2	12	0	3
Giblin, l f	0	1	1	1	0
Casement, s s	0	1	0	0	2
Dederick, r f	1	1	0	0	0
Wilson, p	1	0	0	2	0
Totals	8	15	27	8	11

COLUMBIA.

	r	1b	po	a	e
Hoyt, 3 b	1	1	2	1	0
Morgan, s s	2	1	0	3	0
Dollard, 2 b	0	0	4	1	2
Crosby, l f	1	1	1	1	0
Vincent, 1 b	1	2	11	0	0
Mayham, p	2	2	0	5	0
Wilbur, c	2	3	5	3	1
Howell, r f	2	2	1	1	1
Smith, 1 f	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	13	12	27	15	4

Manhattan A. C.	2	1	2	2	0	0	0	1	0	—8
Columbia College	2	1	0	2	1	0	4	0	3	—13

Earned runs—Manhattan A. C. 3, Columbia 4. First base on errors—Manhattan A. C. 3, Columbus 5. Left on bases—Manhattan A. C. 7, Columbus 11. Base on balls—Off Wilson 6, off Mayham 0. Struck out—H. Smith, Giblin, Dedrick, Wilson, Dollard 2, Mayham, Howell, Smith 2. Three-base hits—Dollard, Buell. Two-base hits—Ellis, Mayham, Smith. Double play—Howard and Vincent. Sacrifice hits—Cabonell, J. Smith, Hoyt, Dollard, Vincent. Wild pitches—Wilson 1, Mayham 1. Passed balls—Smith 2, Wilbur 2. Time of game—2:15. Umpire—Hart.

The Ridgewood and Merritt teams will play at Ridgewood Park to-day. The New-York and Metropolitan teams will play at the Polo Grounds to-morrow.

The New-York club yesterday formally released Joseph Hornung, the outfielder. Hornung last night was hunted up by Manager P. T. Powers, and the ex-Giant agreed upon terms and will go with the Buffalo club.

LEHIGH OUTPLAYS WILLIAMS.

Bethlehem, Penn., April 4 (Special).—Lehigh played her first game of baseball for the season to-day, and vanquished the strong team from Williams College by a score of 10 to 3. The batteries were Mapes and Hollister for the visitors and Pettrican and Pelmeld for Lehigh. The home team played a beautiful field game, was exceptionally strong at the bat, earning five runs, and her battery work was excellent. The visitors were no match for the home nine at the bat, but their brilliant field work kept down the score, which follows:

Lehigh	0	0	2	2	1	4	0	1	0	—10
Williams	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	—3

NEW-ENGLAND BASEBALL LEAGUE.

Boston, April 4.—At an adjourned meeting of the New-England Baseball League last night an application for membership was received from Lawrence. Providence and Brockton were also applicants for entrance, and as only one more club is needed to make up the eight which are to constitute the league, a committee consisting of President Fuller, Vice-President Lovell and Mr. Greenleaf, of Worcester, was chosen to select which of the applicants should be admitted. The schedule committee was reduced from six to three members.

A BALLPLAYER'S SUIT FOR SALARY FAILS.

Troy, N. Y., April 4.—In the case of Arthur A. Stuart, against Walter F. Hoyt, the jury in the Circuit Court to-day found a verdict of no cause of action. The plaintiff brought suit to recover two months' salary as centrefielder of the Troy baseball club of 1888, alleging that the defendant, who lives in Washington, was the actual proprietor of the club, although "Ted" Sullivan was the nominal proprietor.

ARRANGING ASSOCIATION CONTRACTS.

Cincinnati, April 4.—The following official bulletin was issued to-day by President Louis Kramer, of the American Association:

Announcement is made of the following contracts approved:

With Cincinnati—Michael J. Kelly, H. Vaughn, J. E. Beery, Thomas McGill, George E. Andrews, Frank Dwyer, John J. Carney, Edward M. Crane, Arthur W. Whitney, James E. Canavan, W. H. Robinson, M. Kilroy, Richard Johnson and Jerry Hurley.

With Columbus—Thomas J. Dawes, M. Lehane, E. E. Cleveland and J. Dolan.

With Louisville—P. J. Donovan, Philip Ehret, Thomas Cahill, Paul Cook and E. E. Pettoe.

With Philadelphia—John C. McGeachy.

With St. Louis—William Koenig, Clark Griffith.

With Washington—Robert Miller, Elmer Sutcliffe, Paul A. Hines, Thomas D. Hart.

Released: Louisville—Harry Vaughn to Cincinnati.

BALDWIN RELEASED AND REARRESTED.

St. Louis, April 4.—The case of the pitcher Mark Baldwin, who was arrested on a charge of conspiring with others to induce "Silver" King, the Browns' crack pitcher, to "jump" his St. Louis contract and sign with the League, was nolle prossed this forenoon. But as soon as Baldwin stepped outside the court-room he was rearrested on new information, this time the charge being that he had "conspired with others and did induce" King to "jump" his contract. The trial is set for next Monday.

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GAMES IN OTHER CITIES.

Philadelphia, April 4 (Special).—The University of Pennsylvania nine defeated the Dartmouth College nine here to-day in an exciting game, by a score of 9 to 6. The local team was without three of its best players, and neither team had much practice. Darrah, Lansing and Graves played finely for Pennsylvania, while Barry, Thompson, Heath and Buhr did good work for Dartmouth. The score by innings was as follows:

Pennsylvania	3	0	1	1	0	0	1	1	2	—9
Dartmouth	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	2	0	—6

Batteries—Bowman and Lansing for Pennsylvania, and Booth and Barry for Dartmouth. Hasehits—Pennsylvania 9, Dartmouth 13. Errors—Pennsylvania 2, Dartmouth 5.

A good-sized crowd went out to the League grounds today to witness the baseball game between the Philadelphia and Hartsville teams. The local team outplayed its opponents at every point, and won easily. The score was as follows:

Hartsville	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0
Philadelphia	0	6	3	0	5	3	3	3	3	—19

Basehits—Hartsville 5, Philadelphia 16. Errors—Hartsville 4, Philadelphia 3. Pitchers—Henderson and Thornton. Umpire—Riddle.

St. Louis, April 4.—A well-contested game of baseball was played here to-day between the St. Louis and the Columbus teams. The game was of the lively batting and clever fielding order, and was won by the home nine by this score:

St. Louis	3	0	0	5	2	0	0	0	0	—10
Columbus	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	3	—5

Basehits—St. Louis 13, Columbus 11. Error—St. Louis 0, Columbus 2. Pitchers—Griffith and Gastright. Umpire—Gleason.

Fall River, Mass., April 4.—The Cincinnati and Boston Association teams played a well-contested game today, the Western team winning by this score:

Boston (A. A.)	0	0	1	1	0	0	2	0	0	—4
Cincinnati (A. A.)	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	—6

TWO ARMORY RECORDS BROKEN.

MANY PEOPLE SEE THE SEVENTH REGIMENT GAMES.

At least 4,500 people were present at the 7th Regiment Armory last night to see the competition of members and companies of the regiment in their athletic games and contests. The games excited the greatest interest and at least two armory records were broken. Following are the winners of the final heats:

Handicap race, 1,000 yards run—Won by F. D. Cadmus, in 2 minutes 35 1-5 seconds.

Roller skating race of one-half mile—Won by J. J. McClave, in 1:48; a new record.

Safety bicycle race, one mile, for those who have never won a prize—won by A. P. Riker, in 3:40 3-5. This beats the armory record.

One-half-mile walk—Won by J. C. Korth, in 3:28 4-5.

Ninety-three-yard run—Won by L. Snedeker, in 10 1-5 seconds.

220-yard handicap run—Won by G. E. Dunscomb in 25 3-5 seconds.

Sack race, 50 yards, scratch—Won by C. S. Busse in 8 seconds.

One mile handicap run—Won by A. B. George, scratch; time, 4:33 1-5 seconds.

440-yard handicap run—Won by S. Schwegler; time, 55 seconds.

220-yard handicap race—Won by H. H. Morrell, in 29 seconds.

Half-mile run for the regimental cup—Won by L. Snedeker; time 2:18 3-5 seconds.

Wheelbarrow race—Won by F. H. Crary.

Company F, represented by H. H. Morrell and C. S. Busse, won the three-legged race of 176 yards, making a record of 24 seconds.

Two-mile bicycle race, handicap—Won by S. J. Hoffman.

Half-mile race, in heavy marching order—Won by A. B. George in 2:30 4-5.

W. B. Miles won the obstacle race, and J. C. Korth won the running high jump. George Schwegler won putting the 16-pound shot at 34 feet.

RACING IN ENGLAND.

London, April 4.—At the second day of the Leicester spring meeting to-day the principal race on the programme was for the Portland Stakes of £3,000 for two-year-olds, five furlongs straight. The race was won by J. B. Leigh's brown filly Flyaway. R. H. Combe's brown filly Petrovna was second; and the Duke of Portland's brown filly Katharine II third.

TO VOTE IN GERRYMANDERED DISTRICTS.

Trenton, April 4 (Special).—Ex-Judge R. B. Seymour, on behalf of the Republican Aldermen of Jersey City, made application in the Supreme Court yesterday for a writ of certiorari to bring up for review the gerrymander resolution passed by the Board of Aldermen of that city last month. Judge Seymour asked also for a stay, so that the coming charter election in Jersey City might be held under the old Aldermanic lines. He contended that the act of 1891, under which the redistricting resolution was adopted, is illegal; that the Board of Aldermen should have changed the lines by ordinance, and that the special meeting at which the resolution was passed had not been regularly called.

Corporation Counsel Edwards, representing the Democrats, put stress on the fact that the Board had lately again passed the gerrymander resolution for the purpose of curing the last named defect. If the coming election had to be held under the old lines the city would be put to large expense; new election officers, too, would have to be appointed.

Judge Seymour said that if the election is held under the new lines, and the law of 1891 shall hereafter be declared unconstitutional, the whole election would be vitiated, and all the members elected to the Board would be legislated out of office.

The court, after a brief conference, decided to grant the writ applied for, but to allow the coming election to be held according to the gerrymandered lines. Judge van Syckel said that the court was inclined to think that the act is constitutional, and that, therefore, no stay would be granted. The writ of certiorari is returnable at the June term of the Supreme Court.

ECCENTRIC ENGINEERS MAY STRIKE.

The strike of mechanics, framers, engineers and other workmen employed on the new building of the New-York Cracker Company, at Fifteenth-st. and Tenth-ave., which began on Tuesday, became complicated yesterday by the demand of the Eccentric Engineers' Union that the company which owns and supplies buildings with hod-hoisting engines must take their engine out of the cracker company's building because a non-union engineer had been put to work. The engineers added that unless this engine was taken out at once every union engineer in this city employed by this company upon about sixty-five buildings would go on strike to-morrow. If this strike happens over 3,000 bricklayers will be thrown out of work and the principal part of the building operations in town would be suspended.

Mr. Reed, the contractor for the Hod-Hoisting Engine Company, said that the engine should not be taken out, but shortly afterward the obnoxious machine stopped running. The strike was ordered to force Contractor McCullum to employ union men; this Mr. McCullum says he will not do, but will employ non-union men to roof the building.

A squad of policemen from the Charles-st. police station is stationed at the new factory to prevent any attempt to destroy property.

A conference was held between the Board of Walking Delegates and the president of the New-York Cracker Company, Mr. Holmes, last night, at which the president said that he would force Contractor McCullum to employ union men or break his contract. Mr. McCullum said that he would fight.

STAGE AFFAIRS.

Yesterday (April 4) was the birthday of the late Lawrence Barrett. He would have been fifty-three years old.

Edwin Booth closed his season yesterday at the Academy of Music, Brooklyn. He played Hamlet. A great audience was present.

Mr. Joseph Haworth will travel next season as a star in tragedy. Miss Gale will also take the field as a tragic star.

Mr. Toole, the celebrated English comedian, arrived in Ceylon on March 3. "The Ceylon Independent" (March 4) says: "He looked the very picture of health, and was in excellent spirits. Those who were lucky enough to be in the vicinity were vastly amused by the way in which he chaffed the Tambies and others who had boarded the ship. This he did in his own inimitable style. Mr. Toole is on his way to London, but expects to spend a few days in the Riviera en route. He appears at his own theatre soon after Easter. 'In New-Zealand,' said the comedian, "I played to the largest business ever known in that country, while in Australia my houses were always crammed.' Asked whether he liked Australia, the reply was: 'Well, I like the places that like me, and Australia liked me, so there you are. If Ceylon likes me I shall be charmed with Ceylon, and that's all about it.'"

TRANSATLANTIC TRAVELLERS.

Among the passengers sailing for Europe on the Cunard steamship Umbria yesterday were John A. Anderson, Consul-General and Diplomatic Agent at Cairo; Captain J. M. Andrews, Dr. Robert Bell, Captain George C. Bagly, R. Ashurst Gradwell and Lady Gradwell, Dr. Selah Merrill, United States Consul at Jerusalem; T. Murry Swingard, C. R. B. Gichrist, Major S. Wood, E. O. H. Schofield, H. C. Waters, Raymond P. Vinton and Dr. Davidson. The North German Lloyd steamship Aller took out among her passengers, O. de St. Aubin, Dr. R. C. Hefleborner, Dr. Charles McBurney, W. M. Whitney, jr., W. A. Lad and E. H. Emot. On board the French steamship La Champagne for Havre were Madame Barrios, Lieutenant P. H. Clarke, Dr. H. Fuentes, Captain C. N. Mercho, Dr. L. Warner, the Count de St. Ron and Jacob Lorillard. On the Spaadam for Rotterdam were the Rev. W. Ten Brink, Dr. J. P. Chartrand, the Baron and Baroness de Fontenilliat, Dr. A. L. Stern, David Livingston, the Rev. A. Van Waesberger and Sergi de Herf.

CENTURY CLUB MEMBERSHIP INCREASED.

The Century Club held its regular monthly meeting last evening in the club-house, No. 7 West Forty-third-st. At the business session it was decided to increase the membership of the club from 800 to 1,000. The usual monthly exhibition of new paintings in the gallery of the club-house will be open to invited friends of the members to-day and to-morrow. Among the interesting examples are two large portraits by Eastman Johnson, of the painter himself, and of ex-President Cleveland, a fine portrait of Dr. Philip Schaff, by Howard Russell Butler, and other pictures by W. H. Beard, C. Y. Turner, Louis C. Tiffany, T. W. Wood, Kruseman Van Elten, Will H. Low and Frank Fowler.

DECKER KILLED BY JUMPING FROM A TRAIN.

The inquest in the case of Decker, the jockey whose body was found on the side of the branch road of the New-Haven Railroad on March 22, was ended at Westchester Friday before Coroner Drews and his jury. Dr. Edward Williamson testified that he made an autopsy on Decker's body, and found that the cause of death was due to the injuries he had received about the head. The jury, after being out about fifteen minutes, rendered a verdict that Decker died from a fractured skull, sustained while jumping from a moving train between Westchester and Bay Chester. The jury also censured Arthur, the conductor, for allowing Decker to jump off the moving train.

John Campbell, the horse owner, who was Decker's employer, was present. Campbell had Decker under contract to ride his horses, and the sudden death of the jockey will, it is said, result in a financial loss to Campbell.

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RAILROAD INTERESTS.

TO RESUME PAYMENT OF COMMISSIONS.

Chicago, April 4 (Special).—"The Journal" says: "It is virtually settled that all Western roads will openly resume the payment of commissions in Trunk Line and Central Traffic territory at once. In fact, the Union Pacific, which actually did hold off on February business, has announced, because of evidence in its possession which leaves no room for questioning the charge that certain contemporaries have paid right along, that it will begin the payment again next Monday. This news was received in Chicago to-day, and no doubt assisted the lines here that have recently been discussing the matter, to decide what course they shall pursue. Another meeting was held this morning by some of the representatives to decide on the announcement of a day when they will resume. It may therefore be said that the famous Trunk Lines and Central Traffic agreement, sent broadcast with such a grand flourish of trumpets by the board of ruling, is already a thing of the past."

UNION PACIFIC FEBRUARY STATEMENT.

Boston, April 4.—The statement of earnings and expenses of the Union Pacific Railway, whole system, for the month of February, 1891, as compared with the corresponding month last year, is as follows:

	1891.	1890.	Increase.
Earnings	$2,682,218	$2,603,622	$78,596
Expenses	1,695,822	1,678,882	16,949
Surplus	686,385	624,739	61,646
Miles operated	7,668	7,547	120

The statement of earnings and expenses, whole system, for the two months to February 28, 1891, as compared with the corresponding two months last year, is as follows:

	1891.	1890.	Increase.	Decrease.
Earnings	$5,708,010	$5,031,158	$676,852	.....
Expenses	4,028,067	4,032,532	.....	$3,564
Surplus	1,679,042	998,625	680,417	.....
Miles operated	7,668	7,547	120	.....

MUST LIVE UP TO THEIR CONTRACT.

Kansas City, April 4 (Special).—Judge Phillips, in the United States Circuit Court, to-day rendered a decision in favor of Albert Parker, a capitalist of San Diego, Cal., who brought suit to recover the possession of $150,000 in bonds contracted by Cass County, Mo., in September, 1887. More than twenty years ago bonds were issued by several townships in Cass County for the building of certain railroads. They were never paid. Parker for several years held some of these bonds. He made an agreement with the County Commissioners of Cass County to pay off all the old railway bonds in cash and Cass County in turn was to reimburse him by the issue of new bonds payable in thirty years and redeemable at the option of the county at the end of twenty years, at 5 per cent, the bonds to bear the date November 1, 1887. The commissioners regretted the contract and refused to give up the bonds.

A NEW WESTERN ROAD INCORPORATED.

Logansport, Ind., April 4.—The Indianapolis, Logansport and Chicago Railroad has been incorporated, with a capital of $4,000,000. The road will be a direct line between Indianapolis and Chicago. The incorporators are Cincinnati, Indianapolis and Logansport capitalists. From Indinapolis to this city the road will run through Marion, Hamilton, Boone, Clinton, Howard and Cass Counties. The route is through the best farming country in Indiana.

NO INFORMATION TO OUTSIDERS.

Chicago, April 4 (Special).—The question has been raised as to whether members of the Western Freight or Traffic Associations are at liberty to furnish lines not members with proceedings of association meetings. Chairman Midgley gave an opinion to-day to the effect that it is against the spirit of all Western agreements to furnish lines not in them with such information.

A NEW SOUTHERN ROAD.

St. Louis, April 4.—A dispatch from Austin, Tex., says: The Texas, Louisiana and Eastern Railroad Company, with capital stock of $400,000, has filed its charter in the office of the Secretary of State. This road is to be built from Monroe, in Montgomery County, to some point in Liberty County, a distance of forty miles.

PRESIDENT OF ARKANSAS MIDLAND.

St. Louis, April 4.—A dispatch from Helena, Ark., says: "Major John J. Horner was yesterday elected president of the Arkansas Midland Railroad Company, vice Colonel A. H. Johnson, resigned on account of ill-health. Colonel Johnson was elected vice-president."

A PRIZE-FIGHT AT A SCHOOL CLOSING.

Indianapolis, April 4.—A dispatch to "The News" says: "The public school at Ovid, Ind., closed last night with an old-fashioned school exhibition, consisting of essays, dialogues and declamations. The programme started off with a prayer by the local minister, followed by an address by a trustee. One of the principal features of the entertainment was a five-round boxing match between 'Pleas' Read and 'Ben' Bars, of Anderson. The pugilists took advantage of the school exhibition to make it a fight to a finish. 'Jack' Hanley, a fighter of Indianapolis, acted as referee. The two combatants stripped to the waist and fought five vicious rounds, blood flowing freely. Read was knocked out and the fun ceased."

DEATH OF GEORGE C. WENZLE.

Newburg, April 4 (Special).—George C. Wenzle, president of the Newburg Common Council and Alderman-at-large, died at 12 o'clock to-day after a long sickness, forty-eight years old. He was a prominent member of the German societies, Knights of Honor and the Masonic order. He came to New-York from Germany when young, and after conducting a paper-box factory there with his father, came to this city. He had been here twenty-five years, and at his death was the owner of a paper-box factory. Besides being an Alderman he was an Excise Commissioner. He had always been a stanch Republican. He leaves a widow and six children, one of whom is Mrs. G. S. Schuyler, of Brooklyn.

TWO SWINDLERS IN THE TOILS.

St. Louis, April 4.—A "Post Dispatch" telegram from Fayetteville, Mo., says: "'Judge' Baker and 'Doctor' Howard, two men who swindled the Alliance treasurer, Dowell, out of $3,000, were this forenoon held for the Grand Jury in the sum of $8,000 each. Sheriff Hoxie, of Waterloo, Iowa, arrived this morning with the requisition papers for the swindlers and has gone to Little Rock to present them to Governor Eagle."

WASHINGTON PRINTERS ON STRIKE.

Washington, April 4.—The union printers in half a dozen or more of the leading job offices in this city went on strike yesterday, on account of the refusal of their employers to grant an increase in wages of 2 1-2 cents on 1,000 ems. The employers are making efforts to fill the places vacated, and say they will have all the help they need by Monday. The number of men now out is less than a hundred.

THE ELECTRIC MOTOR CARS TAKEN OFF.

Chicago, April 4.—A dispatch from New-Orleans says: The works of the Electric Traction Manufacturing Company have been closed and the fifty employes discharged. The electric-motor cars have been taken off, and the two years' experiment has ended in failure and loss.

COURT OF APPEALS CALENDAR.

Albany, April 4.—The calendar of the Second Division, Court of Appeals, for April 6, is as follows: Nos. 432, 433, 210, 226, 236, 244, 270 and 271.

NAVAL INTELLIGENCE.

Washington, April 4.—Civil Engineer C. C. Walcott has been detached from the Navy Yard, Washington, on April 29, and ordered to duty at the Navy Yard, League Island, Penn.; Assistant Engineer A. J. Halstead as inspector of steel at the Homestead Steel Works, Pittsburg, Penn., on April 15, and gets leave of absence until December 1; Carpenter John L. Davis from the Navy Yard, League Island, Penn., on April 26, and ordered to duty at the Navy Yard, Mare Island, Cal.; Carpenter Warren Barnard, from the Navy Yard, Mare Island, Cal., upon the reporting of his relief, and placed on waiting orders. A dispatch received at the Navy Department states that the San Francisco left Mare Island Navy Yard April 2, and anchored off San Francisco. The Yorktown has arrived at Key West.

Fort Monroe, Va., April 4.—The Yantic, from Port Royal, has arrived here.

THE UNITED STATES SUPREME COURT.

Washington, April 4.—The Supreme Court of the United States yesterday transacted the following business:

No. 285—W. O. Beck, assignee, etc., plaintiff in error, agt. George D. Perkins et al. Argument continued.

No. 286—The steam tug E. A. Packer, etc., appellant, agt. the New-Jersey Lighterage Company. Argument begun.

The day call for Monday will be as follows: Nos. 286, 287, 288, 289, 290, 294, 296 (and 991), 297, 298 and 1,435 and 1,436.

PROMINENT ARRIVALS AT THE HOTELS.

GILSEY—Judge Walter Lloyd Smith, of the New-York Supreme Court. MURRAY HILL—John V. Farwell, of Chicago.

Dining Cars to Washington.

Pullman Dining Cars are now running between New-York, Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington, via Royal Blue Line, on the famous 5-hour train, leaving New-York 11:30 a. m., arriving Washington 4:30 p. m.; also on the fast Express leaving New-York 3:30 p. m., arriving Washington 8: