REWARD FOR REVOLTERS.

FIVE OF THEM RECOMMENDED FOR SPECIAL DUTY.

THE HARD PRESSED POOLROOM KEEPERS DECIDE TO FIGHT RACETRACK BOOKMAKERS—FARRELL'S DENIALS.

The names of five of the policemen of the West Thirty-seventh-st. station who started the patrolmen's revolt by closing saloons and arresting eighteen liquor dealers last Sunday night were sent to Police Commissioner Partridge yesterday afternoon, with Acting Captain Ryan's recommendation that the men be assigned to special duty in plain clothes. They are James F. Meary, Philip V. Bickelhupt, Gottlieb Vosatka, Joseph Rogers and John J. Maloney. They are to take the places of the five plain clothes men who were remanded to patrol duty on Wednesday by Commissioner Partridge's order. Their assignment to special duty in the precinct is understood by everybody in the department to be intended by the Commissioner as an encouragement to other patrolmen to perform faithful duty in enforcing the law.

Commissioner Partridge was asked yesterday if he had any guarantee that the men he had remanded to patrol duty would be actually remanded. "I'll guarantee that," he replied. "In times like these I don't think orders will be disobeyed. There'd be music in the air if they were."

The charges of neglect of duty, prepared by District Attorney Jerome, against Captain Foody, of the West Thirty-seventh-st. station, were not sent to Commissioner Partridge yesterday. Mr. Jerome said they would be forwarded to-day, with charges against another policeman of the same precinct. It was supposed that Detective Sherwood was the officer meant. Sherwood was remanded to patrol duty on Wednesday night, and Commissioner Partridge had not assigned another detective to the precinct yesterday. Sherwood was the regular detective of the precinct, holding a place somewhat more important than that of a special duty man.

CAPTAIN WATCHED PATROLMEN.

There was an intimation yesterday that new charges were to be made against Captain Herlihy, who was tried by the Tammany commissioners and acquitted, and later was indicted. District Attorney Jerome said he desired to carry out the plan of allowing the Police Commissioner to deal with charges against police offenders before trying the cases in the criminal courts. The old charges against Herlihy accused him of neglect of duty when he was in charge of the police at the Eldridge-st. station. Among the policemen who testified for him when he was before the commissioners was Patrolman Stephenson. Yesterday Stephenson was on trial before Deputy Commissioner Thurston on the charge of being off post. He said he insisted on making excise arrests instead of false reports, and Captain Walsh watched him on post in order to make a charge against him.

"The charges against you are dismissed," said Colonel Thurston. "Report at once to District Attorney Jerome. If he is not in his office, wait there till he comes and see him personally."

Stephenson went to the District Attorney's office and talked with one of Mr. Jerome's assistants. It was said later that his testimony would be needed in connection with charges against Captain Herlihy.

There was a report yesterday that the Police Captains' Benevolent Association, of which ex-Chief Devery was at the head before he was retired to private life, has raised a fund to defend captains who are tried before Commissioner Partridge. Some of the captains contradicted the report yesterday. They said every captain would have to look out for his own defence.

As was expected, most of the saloons in the city closed at the prohibited hours yesterday morning. The shades were drawn, partitions were removed and the lights were burning, so that any policeman on the sidewalk could look in and see that no business was going on. The saloonkeepers have not complied with the plain provisions of the excise law so generally for a long time as at present. Two saloonkeepers who were caught by vigilant patrolmen of the West Thirty-seventh-st. station on Wednesday morning were examined yesterday in the West Side court. Daniel Grinnon was discharged because the policeman had found no customers in the saloon when he went in to make the arrest. George P. Mayo brought customers to the court to testify that he sold no liquor to them at the time the policeman got in, but he was held in $1,000 bail for trial.

SALOONKEEPERS MUST WAKE UP.

"You saloonkeepers have got to wake up," said Magistrate Meade. "The police woke up, and now it is up to you."

Superintendent McClintock, of the Society for the Prevention of Crime, was at the Jefferson Market court yesterday to get some warrants against saloonkeepers who had sold liquor to agents of the society at prohibited hours. It was said that the saloons were in the precinct of Captain Cooney, of the McDougal-st. station. One saloonkeeper, against whom agents of the society appeared, was held in $1,000 bail for trial by Magistrate Mott, in the Harlem court. The society is said to be determined to urge patrolmen to continued efforts to make the saloonkeepers obey the law.

Magistrate Crane, in the Essex Market court, yesterday warned two saloonkeepers who had been summoned by Policeman Falconer that if they failed to keep their bars exposed to view from the sidewalks at prohibited hours they would be punished for violating the excise law. The magistrate said from the bench:

I have advised saloonkeepers time and time again that it would be better for them to live up to the law than to violate it persistently as they do. They gain nothing by it, and the time has now come when the public sentiment is aroused against them. I have predicted to them right along that it would be only a matter of time when they would be compelled to obey the law. For years and years they have winked at the law and law enforcers, and have been able to do it by some mysterious influence, but I believe that this thing is now at an end. They did not fear police courts and listened to no advice. If the saloonkeepers would only come together and vote among themselves to obey the law they would gain the respect of the community which they appear now to have lost.

TO FIGHT THE BOOKMAKERS.

Keepers of poolrooms in this city had a meeting yesterday and talked about the police situation. It was agreed that no police protection could be expected in the present state of affairs. Some of the poolsellers said they were making ready to employ lawyers against the bookmakers at the racetracks.

"The bookmakers are allowed to violate the law at the racetracks right along," one of the poolsellers said. "They take money and give tickets when they take bets on the races, doing it openly in violation of the law, and the police do not interefere with them. If the police stop poolselling in the city, we shall stop betting at the races by prosecuting the bookmakers."

Frank Farrell, "the poolroom king," was reported to have said to a representative of "The Evening World" yesterday that he had no interest in the new gambling house in Thirty-third-st., that he had "nothing to do with poolrooms any more," and that he was doing well enough in the racing business, and had no business relations with Devery. He was alleged to have said in reply to a query as to whether the gamblers were afraid of the police on account of the new movement to enforce the law:

I do not think so. I think the crusade against the liquor dealers may cause the gamblers to be lost sight of. It may be a good thing for them, although I don't know anything about the gambling. Why, they even said I was in business with Al Adams at the time of the raids. I do not even know the man. I never saw him. He is not having partners, anyhow, I guess.

ANOTHER PRECINCT MAY JOIN.

PATROLMEN OF THE EAST TWENTY-SECOND-ST. STATION WILL CONSIDER SITUATION TO-DAY.

It was learned last night from a member of the uniformed force in the East Twenty-second-st. police station that members of both the platoons in the precinct will meet to-day to discuss the feasibility of joining the revolt of patrolmen. Where the men will meet could not be learned. There may be no general meeting, but the men may come together to discuss the situation as they can, in the station, on patrol and elsewhere.

This precinct is commanded by Acting Captain Cray, who is a relative of ex-Dock Commissioner Murphy. The conditions in the precinct, it was pointed out last night by the policemen "who talked," are different than in most others. Most of the patrolmen have been in the precinct for years; the majority of them live in the district, know everybody there, and have many personal friends.

CALLS SHOOTING ACCIDENTAL.

EFFORT TO BE MADE IN DEPARTMENT TO HAVE POLICEMAN WHO KILLED WIFE ACQUITTED.

When Patrolman John J. O'Brien, of the Classon-ave. police station, who shot and killed his wife at their home, in Vanderveer Park, Brooklyn, on Wednesday, was arraigned in the Flatbush court yesterday morning, he asked for an adjournment of the examination, in order that he might consult his lawyer. James W. Ridgway, ex-District Attorney, has been retained as the policeman's counsel. The case was adjourned until April 10. It was evident from the remarks of his friends in the department yesterday that a strong effort would be made by them to secure O'Brien's acquittal. The policeman, it is said, had been drinking heavily, and Captain Knipe, of the Flatbush station, in his report to Deputy Police Commissioner Ebstein strongly expresses the belief that the shooting was accidental.

THURSTON TRIES ALLEGED BIGAMIST.

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER ASTONISHED AT EVIDENCE PRODUCED BY ACCUSED POLICEMEN.

Policeman J. J. Madden, of the Eldridge-st. station, accused of being absent five days without leave and committing bigamy when he was away, was tried before Deputy Commissioner Thurston yesterday. His wife, who parted from him before his escapade, testified that she never had been legally separated from him. Captain Walsh produced a copy of a certificate of Madden's alleged second marriage to Augusta Smith, the daughter of the late "Silver Dollar" Smith, in Jersey City on March 12. He testified that he had served subpœnas on the justice of the peace who performed the ceremony and other witnesses of the marriage, but they failed to appear to testify against Madden. Counsel for Madden objected to most of the testimony. The policeman called on an aunt, Mrs. Collins, who said he had told her to report him sick, but she had failed to send the report to the police station. Captain Walsh and four sergeants swore that Madden had not reported sick. Colonel Thurston reserved decision.

Policeman J. L. Scott, of the Union Market station, was tried on a charge of cruelty to Abraham Silberlust, a boy of fifteen, who lives in East Fourth-st. The complaint against him was made by Mrs. Josephine Shaw Lowell, who saw part of the cruelty. She and other witnesses testified, and it was shown that the policeman first knocked the boy down in the street, cutting his head severely and later hit him in the police station. In the face of such evidence, Scott denied that he had hurt the boy and produced several witnesses to support him. The boy himself, apparently afraid of police vengeance, declared that the policeman had not hurt him.

A similar case was that of Policeman Carl H. Luerssen, accused of using threatening and abusive language to a boy in the office of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children. The boy had signed a sworn statement, relating the language used by the policeman, but before Colonel Thurston he declared that he could not remember that the policeman ever had used such language. Employes of the society testified that the policeman had used the language mentioned in the complaint. Luerssen swore that he never used such language, and two other policemen swore that they had happened to be in the office of the society and did not hear such language. Colonel Thurston was plainly amazed at the character of testimony that could be gained for the defence of policemen. He reserved decision in both cases.

TO REVIEW DIAMOND'S DISMISSAL.

Justice Greenbaum, of the Supreme Court, yesterday signed an order for the issuance of a writ of certiorari, on application of House, Grossman & Vorhaus, counsel for ex-Police Captain Diamond, to obtain the review of the proceedings by which Diamond was dismissed from the force on December 11 last by Police Commissioner Murphy. Commissioner Partridge is directed to produce the records and papers for review by the Supreme Court.

In his petition Diamond alleges that his dismissal was irregular and without authority or jurisdiction.

PLEASED BY HARMONY TALK.

M'LAUGHLIN SAYS, HOWEVER, THAT MORE THAN TALK IS NEEDED.

The return of Hugh McLaughlin, the veteran Democratic boss of Kings County, will immediately liven up things political in Brooklyn Democratic circles. He has been in Florida all winter, fishing and hunting, and did not return until late yesterday afternoon. He declared last night at his house in Remsen-st. that he was not in touch with the political situation, and did not believe in talking politics at this time of the year, any way. It is safe to say, however, that he has been keeping pretty well informed about the trend of affairs in Brooklyn, and in the State, and what he did not know was told to him last night by his lieutenants, who welcomed him home.

Mr. McLaughlin was asked if he did not believe something definite would come of the talk of a union of the various Democratic factions in the State under the leadership of David B. Hill.

"Just now I have no understanding of the situation," he said. "I really have not given much attention to politics while away, and would not like to talk about them until I have familiarized myself with things. A lot of talk about harmony does not always mean that there is harmony. You can tell a man that harmony is what is needed, but may be he won't see it as you do. Different men have different ideas."

Mr. McLaughlin was told that there had been considerable talk of harmony between Mr. Hill, Mr. Nixon and others.

"I am glad to hear it," he replied. "I think the Democratic party has a chance to win in the State this fall. I think the people are getting tired of the way the Republican party, with its fool legislation, is running things. They want a change, and if the Democrats keep their heads about them and keep together, they can win. I think Mr. Nixon has shown himself to be a very active and earnest worker in the interests of his party, and he promises well. He is apparently working in the interests of harmony. As for the Kings County organization, it can be depended upon to act for the best interests of the Democracy in the city or the State."

Mr. McLaughlin was asked if he was still as anxious to have Mr. Coler run for Governor as he was two years ago. He replied with a smile that it was too early to be talking about candidates, as there was a long, hot summer in prospect.

He showed that he had been keeping pretty well informed about the trend of affairs in this city, as he began to talk humorously about the city budget. He seemed to think that it was a good joke that the budget would be about as large as the last one.

"I believe they were going to make the budget smaller," said the "old man." "They seem to have succeeded about as well as the man with a hole in his back yard. He wanted to make the hole smaller and tried to do so by taking away from it."

He then had some mysterious remarks to make about bosses. "Say," he said, "they used to talk last fall about Mr. Croker and one man power; but why don't we hear some of that talk now. Why, some of these important fellows in office over here don't dare to order the office boy to close the door without first getting permission from the boss over the river."

When Mr. McLaughlin was asked who was "the boss over the river" he winked, but said nothing. He will be at his old stand in the Willoughby-st. auction rooms this morning, when the leaders both big and small will gather to greet him.

EPIDEMIC OF SMALLPOX.

Ogdensburg, N. Y., April 3.—The epidemic of smallpox at Waddington, in this county, has increased to an alarming extent and the State Board of Health has been informed. Nearby towns are greatly alarmed over the increasing number of cases, and have appealed to the Health Department to send State officers and place the village under quarantine.

The first victim of the disease at Waddington was taken sick at a party given in honor of his return from the West. Cases are now appearing in all parts of that town. It is estimated that over three hundred persons were exposed.

KRUM TAX BILL ASSAILED

LAWSON PURDY ATTACKS IT AS UNJUST AND ASKS ODELL NOT TO SIGN IT.

Albany, April 3.—Governor Odell gave a hearing this afternoon on the bill of Senator Krum amending the tax law in relation to the payment of State fees and taxes by corporations. Lawson Purdy, secretary of the New-York Tax Reform Association, spoke at length against the bill. He said in part:

With a few exceptions all business corporations operating exclusively in the State of New-York will be required to pay an annual tax, graded as follows: One mill on each dollar of issued and outstanding capital stock up to $3,000,000, one-half a mill on each dollar of capital stock in excess of $3,000,000 up to $5,000,000 and $50 a million of capital stock in excess of $5,000,000.

In addition to this graded capital stock tax an income tax is imposed on all corporations which have a smaller capital stock than $3,000,000. This income tax is at the rate of 2½ per cent, and is imposed on all dividends in excess of 4 per cent. The income tax is not imposed on corporations with a capital stock of $3,000,000 or more.

The imposition of an income tax upon corporations which have a smaller capital than $3,000,000 and the exemption from the income tax of corporations having $3,000,000 capital or more is such a discrimination as to deprive corporations subject to the income tax of the equal protection of the laws.

The Krum bill decreases the tax on large corporations and increases it on small corporations paying no dividends. There are a number of large corporations whose taxes will be considerably reduced; in some cases very much reduced. On the other hand, there are corporations paying no dividends whose taxes will be increased to three, four or five times as much as they are now, and in some cases still more.

Foreign corporations are made liable to taxation in this State if they merely sell goods here through a commission house acting as their agent. The tax doubtless could not be collected, but the corporations are denied the right to maintain an action in the courts of this State. The imposition of the tax on the entire capital of foreign corporations when their capital equals or exceeds $3,000,000 is contrary to interstate comity and will lead to retaliation. Retaliatory legislation by other States would make this State a very unsatisfactory home for corporations.

It has been stated that this bill was framed to induce large corporations to incorporate in this State. In view of the certainty of retaliatory legislation this purpose is likely to be defeated.

Frank White opposed the bill. He cited the Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company, which, he declared, would save $37,500 a year under the proposed law.

J. H. Merrill, Deputy Controller, spoke in favor of the bill. He said that it had been carefully drafted and would greatly increase the revenues of the State. In the case of the Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company he admitted that its taxes would be greatly reduced, but said that was because it was a bondholding corporation. He declared that he had carefully figured out the effect of the proposed law and said it would raise for the State $500,000 in addition to the $463,000 which was raised last year under the present law and that it would all come from companies that at present escape taxation.

ANTI-ANARCHY BILL A LAW.

GOVERNOR ODELL ALSO SIGNS SENATOR ELSBERG'S DIVORCE BILL.

Albany, April 3.—Governor Odell to-day signed the bill designed to stamp out anarchy in this State. It imposes a penalty of not more than ten years imprisonment or more than $5,000 fine, or both, on persons who advocate anarchistic doctrines by speech, writing or otherwise. It also makes it a misdemeanor, punishable by a fine of not more than $2,000 or imprisonment of not more than two years or both, for editors or publishers to permit the publication of books, newspapers or serials advocating anarchy, and for owners, agents or occupants to harbor avowed anarchists.

The Governor also signed the bill of Senator Elsberg which provides that no decree of absolute divorce shall become final until three months after the date of the filing of the original judgment, and the bill of Assemblyman Kelsey amending the tenement house law for cities of the first class. Other bills signed by the Governor were as follows:

Assemblyman O'Malley's, amending the membership corporation law in relation to amending a certificate of incorporation.

Senator Mills's, making the office of Supervisor in Westchester County a salaried one.

Senator Greene's, amending the religious corporation law in relation to the disposition of real property upon the division of a Roman Catholic parish.

Senator White's, compelling the argument of appeals in murder cases within six months after notice of appeal has been filed.

Senator Cocks's, authorizing the appointment in Queens County of two court interpreters at an annual salary of $1,200.

Assemblyman Reeve's, prohibiting the taking of shellfish in the waters of the State by persons who have not been actual residents for at least six months.

Assemblyman Seymour's, making it a misdemeanor to interfere with water meters.

AGAINST LOS ANGELES BONDS.

SAVINGS BANK OFFICERS OPPOSE BILL TO PLACE THEM IN INVESTMENT LIST.

Albany, April 3 (Special).—Governor Odell gave a hearing to-day on Senator Green's bill authorizing the savings banks of the State to invest the money of their depositors in the bonds of the city of Los Angeles, Cal. A large number of representatives of the savings banks of the State appeared in opposition to the bill. Speeches in opposition to it were made by Andrew D. Mills, president of the New-York State Savings Bank Association; J. Harsen Rhoades, president of the Greenwich Savings Bank of New-York, and Simon W. Rosendale, president of the National Savings Bank of Albany. A speech in its favor was made by Senator Green, of Binghamton.

Mr. Mills stated that the executive committee of the Savings Bank Association had formally expressed its opposition to the inclusion of the bonds of Los Angeles in the list of bonds mentioned in Senator Krum's bill, passed this year, as those which could legally be purchased by savings banks. The Krum bill mentioned the bonds of certain railway corporations. The reason of the objection to the Los Angeles bonds was because it was considered a bad precedent to include them.

"I must most earnestly protest against your signing this bill," said Mr. Rhoades, "and I would call your attention to the fact that yesterday you signed a bill authorizing the trustees of estates to make investments in such bonds as can be purchased by savings banks. That law increases our responsibility. We must be very careful in regard to our purchases of bonds."

Senator Green, in reply, called attention to the financial condition of Los Angeles, and argued that it was thoroughly sound. He read a letter signed by President John D. Wicks, of the Bowery Savings Bank, and President Huntington, of the Dime Savings Bank, of Brooklyn, in which this statement was made: "Having noticed the passage by the legislature of the bill permitting savings banks to invest in the bonds of the city of Los Angeles, we take this occasion to express our satisfaction with the same; we feel justified in expressing to you our individual judgment that the legalizing of the said bonds would be in the interest of the savings banks of this State."

Finally Governor Odell said: "Senator Green, what guarantee have we that these bonds will be paid? As I look back over my experience here the last two years I recollect a large number of acts legalizing bonds issued by cities and towns of this State. If a savings bank should buy bonds of a city or village of this State we can protect it, but we have no such power in the cities of California. Indeed, we have some trouble in protecting the State, for at the present time I understand the Controller is trying to collect money on the bonds of a town in this State bought by the Controller's department."

Argument having ended, Governor Odell said: "Is that all, gentlemen? If so, I will sleep over this."

APPOINTMENT IN JEROME'S OFFICE.

Albany, April 3.—Thomas F. Kelly, of Albany, has been appointed a stenographer in the office of the District Attorney of New-York County, at an annual salary of $1,200. Joseph G. Mandt, of New-York, has been appointed a special agent in the State Excise Department, at a salary of $1,200 a year.

CHANGES IN MEDICAL LAW.

Albany, April 3 (Special).—The medical law of the State has been so amended that the Regents of the University of the State may, in their discretion, admit conditionally to the medical examinations in the preliminary subjects—anatomy, physiology and hygiene, and chemistry—applicants nineteen years old who meet the other requirements. Under this amendment the regents have power to grant an allowance of one of the four years of study in a medical school to graduates of college courses, registered by them as entitled to this privilege.

The dental law has been amended so that the regents may admit to the licensing examinations up to January 1, 1904, any bona fide student of dentistry in this State under private preceptor, who was entitled to file a certificate of such study on or before July 31, 1895.

GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY SOLD.

Ogdensburg, N. Y., April 3.—The St. Lawrence Gas, Electric and Transportation Company has passed into the control of Easton, Penn., bankers. The company was organized by Henry A. Sage under the laws of New-Jersey. The new corporation will at once assume the management of the companies in this city.

ARREST AT ALTGELD MEETING.

MEN DISTRIBUTED ANARCHISTIC PROPAGANDA OUTSIDE COOPER UNION.

Acting Captain Churchill, of the Fifth-st. station, ordered the arrest of a man who was distributing anarchistic literature outside Cooper Union last night, while the workingmen's memorial service in honor of John P. Altgeld was being held there.

Detectives Bock and Reich arrested the man. He was giving out a publication of "The New-York Anarchists," according to the front page notice. In the publication were an article on Roosevelt, Czolgosz and anarchy by Jay Fox and another on communism by Henry Addis.

The man, who gave his name as Henry Hirschkopf, said he was a carpenter, of No. 167 Ludlow-st. He was locked up on the charge of violating a corporation ordinance.

After Hirschkoff had been locked up for about an hour a man who said he was his friend came to inquire about him. One of the policemen who had been looking at the newcomer narrowly said: "You were distributing the pamphlets, too. I recognize you now."

The man protested that he had not been near Cooper Union, but the policeman said he recognized him as a man who had been distributing pamphlets along with the prisoner, and who had got away, and placed him under arrest. He gave his name and address as Solomon Wolf Heller, No. 527 East Twelfth-st., and was locked up.

Henry George, jr., acted as chairman of the meeting, and the speakers, in addition to him, were John N. Parsons, Clarence S. Darrow, of Chicago; A. J. Boulton and D. B. Van Vleck.

WIN FIGHT AGAINST TRUST.

MRS. ANNIE J. ROOSEVELT HAS HER COACHMAN JUMP INTO A HOLE DUG BY LINEMEN.

Wealthy residents of Pelham Manor yesterday prevented by strenuous measures the New-York and Westchester Lighting Trust from erecting electric light poles in front of their homes. Despite the fact that the company had failed to get permits from the property owners, it tried to erect poles along Pelham Road from the Pelham Bay Park boundary line to New-Rochelle. When its men reached the property of Mrs. Annie J. Roosevelt there was a lively scene. Her coachman was ordered to jump into the post hole and prevent the pole from being erected. The linemen said they had a permit from the New-York authorities to erect the poles wherever they wished. "This is not New-York," replied Mrs. Roosevelt, "and you shall not erect the poles, except where I tell you. If you do I shall stop you."

Mrs. Roosevelt, who is prominent in Pelham Manor society, called her coachman, and when the employes dug a hole he jumped in it. Finally they started to dig directly in front of Mrs. Roosevelt's house. She telephoned to the Pelham Manor Railroad Commissioner and had the work stopped and the holes refilled.

A large gang of linemen then proceeded to work in front of the place of Frederick H. Allen and the Pelham priory. Mrs. Allen sent her employes to fill up the holes as fast as they were dug and telephoned to her husband, who was in New-York. He asked Village President Randall to have the desecration of the church property stopped. Constables were sent to the scene, and the trust employes, after a skirmish, surrendered. Mr. Allen said the vice-president of the company called to see him last night and agreed to erect the poles where the property holders desired.

DETAILS ABOUT NEW GYMNASIUM.

ADDITION TO TEACHERS' COLLEGE WILL BE FOUR STORIES HIGH.

Additional details in regard to the gift of $250,000 to Teachers College for a gymnasium, as announced exclusively in yesterday's Tribune, were made public yesterday by James Earl Russell, dean of Teachers College. The plans of the anonymous giver provide for a building five stories high, with basement, to be erected in One-hundred-and-twentieth-st., on the vacant lot between Horace Mann School and Teachers College. The gymnasium will be on the fourth and fifth floors of the building. The third floor will be devoted to dressing and bath rooms, the second floor to four large exercise halls and the ground floor to offices of the department of physical education and for laboratories for study and experimentation in physiology and anatomy.

In various parts of the building will be rooms also for the study of the special senses, as the eye, ear and throat, as well as for the treatment and correction of abnormalities, such as curvature of the spine. The basement of the building will be for a swimming pool, bowling alleys, handball court and so on. The building will be for the use of pupils of Horace Mann School primarily, and will also be for the special benefit of women students of the university.

The whole structure is not designed simply for the usual purposes of a gymnasium, but will be in the nature of a laboratory for the training of teachers of physical education. This departmept of physical education will be built up and established on the same basis as the other departments of the college. The preliminary plans are now being drawn up by several architects, and these will be submitted soon. From them a final plan will be chosen.

TO BURN HOUSEHOLD REFUSE.

ADVERTISING FOR BIDS FOR A PLANT IN WEST FORTY-SEVENTH-ST.

The next issue of "The City Record" will contain advertisements for bids for the construction of an experimental plant to be used in burning household refuse. The structure is to be built for the Street Cleaning Department in West Forty-seventh-st., near the North River. The plans were drawn by H. de B. Parsons, consulting engineer, in January. They were submitted to the Board of Aldermen and approved over a month ago. Commissioner Woodbury has a sufficient appropriation to build the plant as soon as the contract is let. The total cost is estimated at $20,000.

The incinerating plant will consume all household refuse except ashes and garbage. This includes such things as the wreckage of furniture, crates, newspapers and the odds and ends of moving. The technical name for all such refuse is raffle.

The disposition of raffle annually costs the city $400,000. It is believed that a system of such incinerating plants as are proposed would save the city $250,000 a year. The bulk of the refuse will be reduced to 5 per cent of its original mass. The smoke will be consumed by the reverberatory furnace system.

Commissioner Woodbury has under consideration a plan to obtain widespread co-operation from the people in keeping the city clean. An announcement of the new scheme is expected within a fortnight.

PUGILIST DEAD FROM BLOW.

"TOMMY" WHITE, WHO WAS KNOCKED OUT BY MARKEY, SUCCUMBS.

Philadelphia, April 3.—"Tommy" Hornketh, known in pugilistic circles as "Tommy" White, who was knocked unconscious on March 29 in a bout with "Tommy" Markey at the Knickerbocker Athletic Club, died this afternoon at the Presbyterian Hospital, where he was taken after the fight.

PRELIMINARY WRESTLING CONTEST.

Wrestlers of Columbia held their preliminary contest for the annual university wrestling championships, in light, welter, middle and heavy classes, in the university gymnasium yesterday afternoon. The best bout of the day was in the middleweight, between Chamberlain and Bauernebl. The bout lasted thirteen minutes, and, after some scientific work, was won by the former. The contest that attracted the most attention was that in which W. R. Mopley, the new football coach, competed. He defeated H. G. Alsberg, in the heavyweight class, and will meet W. H. Landers next Wednesday in the finals.

DR. GIBBS AGAIN OPERATED ON.

Dr. J. W. Gibbs, of the Hotel Navarre, whose right hand index finger was bitten by a man in uræmic convulsions last week, the finger subsequently becoming diseased, was operated on yesterday. The finger was cut open and pus removed. It is not known whether or not the operation will ward off additional blood poisoning, but Dr. Gibbs said he felt much depressed last night. He was about the hotel. He said his left leg had bothered him, and that he did not know what caused it. He thought his general good health would pull him through.

PING PONG TOURNAMENT ENDS.

The ping pong tournament at the Yale and Harvard clubs ended on Wednesday night. The final contest at the Yale Club was between M. Goodman and H. Brown. The best four in seven sets were played, Mr. Goodman winning, as fololws:

2—6	3—6	6—2	6—3
3—6	6—3	6—4	

The game at the Harvard club resulted in a victory for H. J. R. Miller, who defeated George Wrenn, jr., in the best three sets out of five.

An interclub tournament will be played between teams from the Harvard and Yale clubs on April 11.

SPORTS AND SPORTSMEN.

PROGRAMME OF SPORTS TO-DAY.

GOLF.—Swannanoa Club, tournament, Asheville, N. C.
BASEBALL.—Cornell vs. Furman nine, Greenville, S. C.
ATHLETICS.—Class games at Harvard.

TEMPLE WILL NOT ACCEPT.

HE DECLINES THE PRESIDENCY OF THE NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Inconsistent as always, the club owners of the National Baseball League remained in secret session at the Fifth Avenue Hotel last night until after midnight. Only the day previous they had passed a resolution not to hold any sessions after 11 p. m. After wrangling over the question of the presidency for many hours it was at last decided to leave the affairs of the organization in the hands of the executive committee, which is composed of James Hart, Chicago; John T. Brush, Cincinnati, and A. H. Soden, Boston.

A schedule was adopted, but it was said that as the dates had been agreed upon at such a late hour the schedule would not be announced until to-day. The session was a stormy one and flushed faces were numerous as the warring delegates appeared occasionally in the corridors.

Almost the entire day was taken up by the schedule committee and the committee named to receive bids for the official ball to be used the coming season. The league convened for a short session in the afternoon, but after hearing W. C. Temple's answer to the proffered presidency of the league and the list of umpires for the coming season, an adjournment was had until evening. Everyone was unanimous in saying that the meeting so far has been in the best interests of the national game.

The committee appointed to revise a schedule got to work at 10:30 a. m., and did not get through until 5 p. m. The committee had before it three schedules. After considering each of them in turn, the committee drafted an entirely new one.

In the mean time W. C. Temple's reply had been received, but was not opened until the magnates went into session, which they did at once, after the schedule finished its work. Mr. Temple's reply was as follows:

N. E. Young, Chairman, National League:
Express to the league my high appreciation of their confidence in me, but health and business both prevent my acceptance. W. C. TEMPLE.

The declination was a severe blow to the magnates, and all expressed disappointment. It necessitated going over again the whole ground, and the selection of a governing head for the league. It was this question, and the adoption of a playing schedule that occupied the time of the magnates at the sessions last night.

Mr. Young announced the following appointments on the umpires' staff for the coming season: Robert Emslie, "Hank" O'Day, "Tom" Brown and Joseph Cantillon. An appointment was offered to Thomas Lynch, but he refused to accept it.

Last night's session was a long and warm one. In the discussion concerning the selection of the executive committee, it is said, that Hart disavowed all allegiance to Spalding in the recent baseball controversy.

The present trouble with the American League was gone over at some length, and it was decided that the National magnates would make strenuous war against the American men. They would make a fight to get all players back that have jumped over to the American League, by paying big money for them.

The meeting adjourned at 12:30 o'clock, the adjournment being sine die, subject to the call of the executive committee, of which Brush is chairman. He will act as president at all league meetings.

Soon after the meeting was opened last night Young handed in his resignation as president of the league, thus giving a chance for the appointment of the executive committee.

The offices of president, secretary and treasurer were made separate ones, and Young was then elected secretary and treasurer. He will come to New-York at once and open his office here for the transaction of league business.

The Spalding ball was adopted for league play for the coming season.

The schedule committee will meet this forenoon and revise and go over the schedule again.

THE RACETRACK.

BACKERS OF FAVORITES AGAIN IN LUCK AT BENNINGS.

Washington, April 3.—Backers of favorites again found "easy money" at Bennings to-day, four crossing the line first. The attendance continues large, and so profitable have first choices been that a number of vacant stools are visible in the betting ring. Scratches reduced the second race to only two starters—Alan and Toscan—the former winning after reducing the track record two-fifths of a second. Weather clear; track fast. The summary:

First race (purse, $400; six and one-half furlongs)—Man o' War, 109 (Burns), 1 to 4, won; Princess Otillie, 118 (Odom), 7 to 1, second; Lac, 106 (Rice), 20 to 1, third. Time, 1:24. Advocator also ran.

Second race (purse, $400; four and one-half furlongs)—Alan, 104 (Landry), 4 to 5, won; Toscan, 107 (Bullman), even, second. Time, 0:55⅘.

Third race (purse, $400; seven furlongs)—Woodtrice, 118 (Odom), 13 to 10, won; Playlike, 84 (Shea), 5 to 2, second; Red Damsel, 90 (J. Daly), 3 to 1, third. Time, 1:31. Water Alone and Handicapper also ran.

Fourth race (purse, $400; six furlongs)—Roue, 103 (Booker), 11 to 5, won; Nuptial, 101 (Thompson), 7 to 1, second; Shandonfield, 106 (Wonderly), 8 to 5, third. Time, 1:17. Odds and Ends, Bermuda King, Ashbrook, Leslie Bruce and Gayhilda also ran.

Fifth race (purse, $400; six and one-half furlongs)—Calthness, 105 (Landry), 9 to 2, won; Alpaca, 118 (Wonderly), 8 to 5, second; Ninonia, 111 (McCue), 11 to 5, third. Time, 1:23⅘. Curtsey, Beggar Lady, False Alarm and Tenagra also ran.

Sixth race (purse, $400; six furlongs)—Belle of Milford, 101 (Shea), 9 to 10, won; Merry Hours, 101 (L. Smith), 20 to 1, second; Flo Russell, 101 (Thompson), 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:17⅘. Gum Honey, Eminence II, Inkling, Silver Trinket, Rendezvous and May J also ran.

ENTRIES FOR TO-DAY.

First race (six furlongs)—Charley Moore, 122; Hendricks, 111; Melarstinker, 106; Essene, 103; The Hoyden, 101; Maru, 98; Merriment, 96.

Second race (one-half mile)—Chamblee, 107; Tugal Bey, 107; Prodigal Son, 107; Red Knight, 107; Squid, 104; Ida, 104; Gloriosa, 104; Julia Lysten, 104; Miss Simplicity, 104; Tribesman, 104; Mexicanna, 104; Springbrook, 104; Mirasou, 104; Aurifer, 104.

Third race (seven furlongs)—Justice, 103; Illuminate, 97; Locket, 95; Alack, 91.

Fourth race (seven furlongs)—Cormorant, 108; Rough Rider, 107; All Saints, 106; Filibuster, 105; Bastile, 103; Brisk, 98; Sir Florian, 97; Ringleader, 95; Gray Morn, 90; King Barleycorn, 90; Flara, 88.

Fifth race (six and one-half furlongs)—Dr. Korber, 112; Mango, 112; Fablus, 112; Biff, 110; Aline Abbot, 108; Belle of the Ring, 108; Father Ben, 96; Sunny Port, 91; Nala, 91; High Carnival, 91; Clipper, 91; Gayhilda, 91.

Sixth race (one mile and one hundred yards)—Eloim, 110; Farrell, 107; Ringleader, 102; Little Lois, 101; Jack McGinn, 101; Carroll D., 99; Rightaway, 97; Cherished, 96; Fonsoluca, 90; Batyah, 81.

SISTER JEANIE BEATEN.

San Francisco, April 3.—After winning her last two races Sister Jeanie was installed favorite for the six furlong handicap at Oakland to-day. She was heavily played and looked like a winner until Escalante, well ridden by Bozeman, came with a rush and beat her a head. Bragg took the show from Glendenning, who stopped badly. Summary:

First race (selling; one and one-eight miles)—Lento, 100 (L. Daly), 6 to 1, won; Ulm, 107 (Troxler), 3½ to 1, second; Tufts, 101 (Stuart), 9 to 5, third. Time, 1:56. Morinel, Gold Baron, Elmer L., Matilda O. and Whaleback also ran.

Second race (selling; three-quarters of a mile)—Royal Rogue, 107 (Ransch), 3½ to 1, won; Golden Light, 113 (Conley), 25 to 1, second; Lass of Langdon, 105 (L. Jackson), 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:14¼. Chandoo, Marineuse, Narra G., Millas and The Hoodoo also ran.

Third race (selling; five-eighths of a mile)—Divina, 112 (McCarty), 6 to 1, won; Ishtar, 117 (Conley), 4 to 1, second; Rosewar, 112 (Ransch), 3 to 1, third. Time, 1:02. Pirate Maid, Swift Light, Torso Maid, Mildred Schultz, Flo Culver and Nonine also ran.

Fourth race (handicap; three-quarters of a mile)—Escalante, 110 (Bozeman), 2½ to 1, won; Sister Jeanie, 112 (L. Daly), even, second; Bragg, 107 (Ransch), 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:14¼. Glendenning and Botany also ran.

Fifth race (selling; one and one-eight miles)—Plan, 112 (Hoar), 2½ to 1, won; Marshal Nell, 113 (Troxler), 8 to 1, second; El Mido, 112 (Ransch), 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:55. Royalty, Free Lance and Anthracite also ran.

Sixth race (selling; thirteen-sixteenths of a mile)—John Peters, 102 (Ransch), 6 to 1, won; Sir Hampton, 100 (Hoar), 7 to 5, second; Kickumbob, 107 (L. Jackson), 15 to 1, third. Time, 1:20. Parsifal, Colonial Girl, San Venado, Huachuca, Rey Hooker and Bagdad also ran.

MUDDY TRACK, BUT GOOD SPORT.

Memphis, Tenn., April 3.—Six well contested races were decided at Montgomery Park to-day on a muddy track and in the rain. The Montgomery Handicap Consolation purse, at one mile, proved to be the best race of the meeting. Vulcain was the favorite, with Wax Taper second choice. Nobleman was held at fours, while Nitrate was at long odds. To a perfect start, Nobleman jumped to the front and, closely followed by Vulcain, made the running to the last sixteenth pole. At this juncture Vulcain challenged the leader, and in a whipping finish Nobleman won by the smallest of margins.

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