dent Ahearn, Alfred McCarthy, State Historian Hugh Hastings, Senator Fitzgerald and ex-Police Chief John McCullagh.

The men who received medals this year were Patrolman Frederick J. Wilday, of the East 22d-st. station, who won the Rhinelander medal; Patrolman Daniel J. Sullivan, of the West 152d-st. station, who won the Isaac Bell medal; Detective Sergeant Michael J. Galvin, of the Detective Bureau, who got the Peter F. Meyer medal, and Patrolman Joseph J. Donovan, of the Prospect Park squad, Brooklyn, to whom was presented the Humane medal, given by the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals for the largest number of arrests in the year of persons who had abused animals.

Patrolman Wilday was unable to be present. He has been an invalid ever since he jumped in the river on August 14 last to rescue a man from drowning.

The Mayor pinned to the breast of each the precious emblem, at the same time reciting briefly the deeds they had performed and commending them for their work.

It was precisely 4 o'clock when the head of the parade reached the reviewing stand. Five thousand two hundred men marched in review. They were divided into ten regiments, comprising three brigades. Each regiment was commanded by an inspector. The Second Brigade was led by Inspector Thomas Murphy, of Brooklyn Borough, and the Third by Inspector Adam A. Cross.

When the parade was about due at the reviewing stand the mother of Mayor McClellan, with a woman companion, drove up in front of the Fifth Avenue Hotel and asked Officer Charles Sadlier, of the West Side Court squad, if it were possible for her to get near the reviewing stand as the procession passed. She told the officer that the Mayor had provided her with a ticket to the grandstand, but it was too chilly for her to remain out in the open, and all she wanted to see was the act of her son raising his hat to the paraders. The officer tried to accommodate her, but under the circumstances was unable to do so.

In the morning Mayor McClellan laid the cornerstone for the new Police Headquarters building, which is to be erected on the site of old Centre Market. The ceremony began at 10:45 o'clock and lasted three-quarters of an hour.

BICYCLE SQUAD DINNER.

Bluecoats Make Merry and Listen to Fatherly Advice.

The bicycle squad, 125 strong, and a number of invited guests, had their second annual dinner last evening at O'Neill's restaurant, 6th-ave. and 22d-st. Sergeant Frederick Mott, who was in command, presided. The squad went to the restaurant immediately after the break-up of the parade. The speeches were brief, but they were all to the point and heartily appreciated.

First Deputy Commissioner McAvoy was the first speaker, and praised the bicycle squad. His brother, Magistrate McAvoy, followed, and then Deputy Commissioner Lindsley related some incidents of the trial room, and wound up with: "I would rather have the reputation for courage of the New-York Police Department than go up a thousand San Juan Hills!" which provoked hearty applause.

Deputy Commissioner Farrell, of Brooklyn, was the next speaker, and gave the bluecoats good advice as well as praise.

Inspector Elbert O. Smith also gave the stalwart wheelmen a blunt, fatherly talk. He said, in part:

Let each man do his duty, and then, if we are all permitted to gather here next year, we shall know that we have the respect of the well meaning and the lawabiding. And for the other kind we can take care of them.

The Inspector accompanied his closing remark with a pugilistic gesture which was highly appreciated by his audience.

Magistrate Charles G. F. Wahle also spoke. Among the guests were Inspector Titus, Dr. Quigley and Captains Cooney, Ward, McGlynn, Cullen, Lenggan and Rooney. Sergeant Mott and Roundsmen Anthony Howe and Eugene Casey were in charge of the entertainment.

TRAFFIC SQUAD DINNER.

McAdoo Praises Mounted Men in Waldorf Grand Ballroom.

Nearly four hundred members of the street traffic regulation squad held their first annual dinner in the grand ballroom of the Waldorf-Astoria last night. Acting Inspector Stephen O'Brien was chairman of the reception committee. When Commissioner McAdoo arrived every policeman was on his feet with a cheer and a handclap. He sat in the middle of the guests' table.

The Commissioner was toastmaster. Acting Inspector O'Brien received an engraved and framed copy of resolutions passed by the Merchants' Association praising the work of the squad.

"Men of the traffic squad, you own the town today, and the town is proud of you, and there is no man in the town who is prouder of you than the Police Commissioner," said Mr. McAdoo, in addressing them. "When I close my public career, which may not be as far off as my enemies expect or as my friends wish, I shall look back to my efforts in the navy and the police of New-York, for, take them all in all, they are a brave, manly organization.

"When they find out that we hold up the carriage of Mrs. Vanderbilt as well as the ashcart of Paddy Duffy, they are satisfied. Rioting that is going on all over the country could not take place in New-York. I can take five captains out of this department who can handle any condition of riots."

At the close of the speechmaking the Hippodrome sharpshooter whose disrobing of his wife with bullets the police stopped a few days ago shot apples, bananas and glass balls from the heads of three policemen. He next performed the feat of disrobing his wife for the policemen.

DANGERS IN EDUCATION.

"Modern System Must Go if It Influences Against Marriage."

"If modern education inclines girls against marriage their modern education will soon go overboard," was the prophecy made by the Rev. Cleland B. McAfee, pastor of the Lafayette Avenue Presbyterian Church, Brooklyn, at the twenty-fourth reunion of the Packer Alumnæ Association, at Delmonico's yesterday.

"Some Phases of Modern Education" was the general subject of the addresses which followed the luncheon, and Dr. McAfee made special reference to the much discussed textbook question. "The essential thing in education," he said, "is the selection of the teacher, not of the textbook. A good teacher can obtain her ends with the aid of a poor book, and a poor teacher will continue to give poor instruction, although the best textbooks are in her hands. Do you remember your course in English literature or in Latin?" he asked. "I should just like to test you on it, if you think you do. It is your teacher that you remember. It is the contact of person with person that counts.

"These days we are running away from the three Rs to the thirty-three other things, and while this reaction against roughness and formalism in favor of sweetness and light and an enrichment of the school course is in some ways a great blessing, yet it involves a grave danger. We must watch most carefully that in enlightening a course there shall be no loss of solidarity."

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OYAMA'S LINES IN MOTION.

RUSSIANS FORCED BACK.

Attacks on East and West May Mark Opening of Battle.

Feng-Hua-Sien, May 6.—Field Marshal Oyama seems to be ready to assume the offensive on a large scale, and activity has already begun against General Linevitch's left. This may be the prelude to another battle. The Japanese have concentrated heavy columns on the Liao River and their advance divisions have been in contact with the Russians, who are holding the main road from Fakomen to Ba-Shien-Chen.

On Thursday the Japanese cavalry suddenly attacked the Cossacks in overwhelming force, forcing them to retire. Then, supported by infantry, the Japanese advanced and drove the Russian infantry out of the village of Pali-toun.

A Russian reconnoitring party twenty miles further west ran into an ambush and all except five were killed.

Feng-Hua-Sien is some sixty miles southwest of Kuan-Cheng-Tse, which is a little less than half way between Tie Pass and Harbin.

RUSSIANS BURN VESSEL.

Destroyers, Off Hokkaido, Steam Away Toward Vladivostok.

Tokio, May 6.—Four Russian destroyers from Vladivostok appeared westward of Hokkaido, off Subu, yesterday. They seized and burned a small sailing vessel, imprisoned the captain and disappeared to the northwest. They were evidently returning to Vladivostok. There is a possibility that they have destroyed other small craft, although no reports to that effect have been received. The object of their visit is not clear. It is thought that probably they hoped to torpedo the Japanese patrol at night.

It is also suggested that the larger Vladivostok vessels are planning a diversion to assist the fleet of Admiral Rojestvensky. It is doubted that the torpedo boats would venture across unescorted in the heavy sea which was running.

All the crew of the burned vessel succeeded in landing, but a steamer dispatched to the rescue of the burning derelict was forced to return on account of the storm. The torpedo boats have not been reported to-day.

A TSING-CHAU RUMOR.

Thirty-nine Russian Warships Reported Sighted.

Hong-Kong, May 6.—A dispatch from Tsing-Chau says that twenty-five Russian warships have been sighted off Van-Fong and that fourteen cruisers were off the Three Kings on May 3.

French battleships have been observed leaving Van-Fong.

The maps available do not locate Van-Fong or the Three Kings.

WARSAW AGAIN QUIET.

Socialists Order a Return to Work, Pending Call to Arms.

Warsaw, May 6.—The city was decorated today in honor of the nameday of the Empress. A number of flags were torn down, but there were no serious disturbances.

The Polish Socialist party has issued a manifesto calling on the workmen to return to work and declaring that, while never in the history of the world had a city witnessed a more impressive demonstration of united workers than did Warsaw on May Day, the time had not yet arrived to start a revolution. Therefore the workmen should prepare themselves for the final struggle for freedom and return to work.

The manifesto also declares that the "workmen desired to maintain order on May Day, and the bloodshed was occasioned solely by the brutality and stupidity of the hirelings of despotism."

ZEMSTVO CONGRESS AGAIN MEETS.

Police Apparently Unable to Break Up Sessions at Moscow.

Moscow, May 6.—The second zemstvo congress, which opened here yesterday, resumed its sessions to-day. The following greeting from the St. Petersburg zemstvo was presented to the assemblage:

We are on the eve of great reforms as the result of the national misfortunes which have brought home to Russia the realization that the present order of things must end. Equality must be the basis of the future organization, and we hope this principle will prevail with steadfastness through the zemstvos, which during forty years' persecution have labored incessantly for the good of the country and people.

ALLEGED RUSSIAN SPY SENTENCED.

Singapore, May 6.—Vladimir Antonovitch, the alleged Russian spy, who carried a passport made out in another name and was arrested on the fortified island of Brani, and arraigned in Singapore on April 25 on the charge of being on government property without authority, was sentenced to-day to three months' imprisonment for trespassing and was fined $250 for having sketching materials in a fortified place. He gave notice of an appeal.

BRUCE IS ACTING GOVERNOR.

Will Not Sign Any Bills, Although He Has the Power.

Albany, May 6.—Lieutenant Governor M. Linn Bruce is acting Governor of the State, Governor Higgins is at Cambridge Springs, Penn., and when his train passed over the border line this morning the functions of the chief executive passed to the Lieutenant Governor. In the ten days that Governor Higgins will be absent Lieutenant Governor Bruce will sign all State papers and take such other executive action as may be required. He will not sign any bills, make appointments or dispose of any important matters involving questions of public policy, although he has the power to do so.

Governor Bruce is at Andes, Delaware County, to-day, the guest of his father, but will go to New-York City to-night or to-morrow. He will be in Albany during the coming week.

POLICEMAN GUARDS THE VENTURE.

No More Missiles Hurled at Coach Driven by Robert Gerry.

The trip of the coach Venture to Belmont Park yesterday was without incident, so far as the juvenile warriors of the East Side who have daily assailed it were concerned. The coach was escorted to the 92d-st. ferry and on its return trip by Bicycle Policeman Debes, who rode behind. The driver of the coach was Robert Gerry.

NO INSURANCE FOR SWALLOWING PIN.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE TRIBUNE.]

Topeka, Kan., May 6.—Ezekiel Barnes swallowed a pin on July 23, 1902, which caused him much distress until August 4, when he became ill and was disabled. He had an accident policy in the Union Commercial Travellers' Company of America. He asked for indemnity, and was refused, and in the suit which followed the jury decided in his favor. To-day the Supreme Court reversed the case on the ground that considerable time elapsed between the swallowing of the pin and the time Barnes was taken ill.

POLICEMAN SHOOTS BOY.

"Unknown," Says Station Blotter—Sergeant Admits Name.

Johnnie Smith, nine years old, of No. 240 West 60th-st., lay in Roosevelt Hospital last night with a bullet wound in his right thigh, received, he said, from a policeman's revolver. A report handed out at the West 68th-st. station was that the boy had been shot at 60th-st. and West End-ave. "by an unknown policeman."

Sergeant Thompson admitted that the policeman accused of doing the shooting was Thomas F. Maloney, said to live at No. 104 West 84th-st. The boy is not seriously injured.

"We was playing cop," said Johnnie, "in the railroad yards at 60th-st. and West End-ave. Gussie McIntyre and Georgie Hills was with me. Gussie was the 'cop,' and we called him 'Crooked Neck,' like what we call Maloney. We wasn't saying a ward to the 'cop,' just playing among ourselves. The 'cop' comes up and tells us to get out of there. We takes it on the run. Then we kept on calling Gussie 'Crooked Neck.'

"When I was just at the electric light pole and the 'cop' was at the pile of logs he pulls out the gun and lets me have it. I felt the sting in my leg, but I run as fast as I can and get across to the corner, where I fall in front of the Dolly saloon. It was 'Crooked Neck' that shot me all right."

DRIVES INTO WINDOW.

Fire Engine Driver, to Save Children, Turns Horses Into Store.

Fred Proffe, driver of fire engine No. 28, put his team through the plate glass window of the drug store of Ignatze Bleier, at No. 105 Avenue C, last night, to avoid running down two little girls.

The alarm was for a fire in the apartments of Isidore Peck, No. 282 4th-st. The fire was extinguished with an estimated damage of $50.

Turning into the avenue from the house at Eleventh-st. and Avenue B, Proffe, gave the team free rein. At 7th-st. the two little girls tried to run across the street. When they heard the clang of the gong and the shouts of Proffe they stood stock still, paralyzed with fright.

Proffe could not rein his team to the left, as a car was in the way. There was only one thing to do, and he did it.

With a tremendous tug on the reins and a shout to the captain and the engineer on the tailboard, he swung the galloping horses full to the right. The animals cleared the curb and plunged over the sidewalk. The pole of the engine splintered in the brickwork of the building. Through the heavy plate glass window in the 7th-st. side of the store the horses dashed their heads. The horses, with the exception of a few cuts, were unharmed. The engine also was not damaged.

DIAMOND CASE ARGUED.

Lawyers and Clerks Engage in Base Stealing.

Interest in the Nan Patterson verdict, the Equitable Life suits, the Belasco-Klaw & Erlanger imbroglio and the Hooker investigation was lost yesterday by the lawyers of this city, who journeyed to American League Park in large numbers to watch two teams of picked men struggle for the baseball championship of the legal fraternity. What the players were picked for is unknown, but it was evidently not for their ability as ball tossers, for never before has such a weird exhibition of the national game been seen on Manhattan Island. Abe Gruber did the coaching for one of the teams. He played his part well.

The contenders were lawyers from the bankruptcy courts and the clerks of the United States District Court. The umpires were Judge Holt, of the United States District Court, and former Judge William M. K. Olcott. The legal knowledge of the umpires seemed to improve very little their opinions as to what constituted a ball or a strike. Exceptions and objections to their rulings were numerous. Enter.

The cop; Spiers were: Lawyers—McCullough, short stop; Connence, pitcher; Gruber, jr., third base; Allen, second base; Ebase; Ernst, first base; McImmes, centre field; Katstein, catcher; Hardy, left field, and Lennen, right field. Clerks—Morris, second base; Parsons, first base; Henkel, third base; Uhl, right field; Murphy, left field; Ludwig, catcher; Merritt, short stop; Lenrose, pitcher, and Levin, centre field. The score:

Clerks	1	9	3	2	1	2	0	5	1—24
Lawyers	3	4	3	2	0	4	1	4	2—23

HOUSE PLAGUE STRICKEN.

Woman Dies from Smallpox—Another Suspicious Case.

Miss Alma Hotchkiss, forty-five years old, having died of smallpox at the boarding house conducted by her at No. 283 State-st., Brooklyn, late yesterday afternoon, three other members of the household were taken to the Kingston Avenue Hospital for Contagious Diseases and the house was placed under strict quarantine. It is only two doors from the Brooklyn Police Headquarters.

It is believed that smallpox has existed in the house for two weeks. Norman T. Cochrane, a dealer in typewriters' supplies, died there from a disease that had been diagnosed as German measles on Easter day. Cecil O'Donnell, the young son of a Costa Rica planter, used to read to Cochrane while he was sick. He is one of the three taken to the Kingston-ave. hospital last night. The others were Mrs. Eldeck Müller and her to-year-old daughter, Jessie.

The Board of Health is making an investigation. The case was reported by Dr. J. O. Humpstone, who had been called in late on Friday night. A rumor that a double suicide had taken place in the house sent two policemen and some reporters to the place just before the wagons from the Board of Health made their appearance.

BIG AMUSEMENT PARK BEGUN.

To Have Half a Mile of Water Front Near Kingsbridge.

Final plans were made yesterday and work was begun on the new Wonderland Park, near Kingsbridge, on the Manhattan side, which will be one of the largest amusement places anywhere near New-York. This park will have a main entrance at 218th-st. and Dykman Place.

It is owned by the Kingsbridge Realty Company. The park will be under the management of Thompson & Rosen, of the St. James Building.

The park will have a half-mile water frontage on the Harlem Ship Canal and will contain thirty acres. The water front will insure any novelties that require water with them, and the hills in the rear will aid other features.

The cost of the park will be about $2,000,000. It is planned to have it thrown open to the public on May 1, 1906, and to have it open all the year round. There will be an athletic field and a permanent stadium. Among those who are stockholders and who are engineering the scheme are George W. Young, a director in the Interborough Rapid Transit Company; Archibold S. White, banker; Oscar L. Gubelman, banker; Gustave E. Loeb, banker; James M. Stout and Charles A. Lieb.

GROWERS TO FIGHT TOBACCO TRUST.

North Carolina Association Will Start Two Independent Factories.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE TRIBUNE.]

Wilmington, N. C., May 6.—The North Carolina Tobacco Growers' Association has decided to begin a fight on the Tobacco Trust similar to the one against the Standard Oil now being carried on in Kansas. It has been decided to establish independent factories, and $100,000 has been subscribed to begin work on two plants at once.

The association will also bring suit to secure the enforcement of the Sherman Anti-Trust law.

TOBACCO TRUST INVESTIGATION.

The federal grand jury, which is investigating the American Tobacco Company, commonly known as the Tobacco Trust, may probe to the bottom of the company's business methods if Judge Lacombe continues to instruct witnesses who have been summoned to testify, irrespective of their excuses. Henry W. Taft, who is acting for the United States Attorney General, expects to bring every officer of the company before the grand jury.

The investigation is to be conducted privately for some time, but it is said that the methods of the trust may yet be aired in open court. Judge Lacombe's ruling that Edward F. Hale, secretary of one of the trust's subsidiary companies, must answer the questions asked by Mr. Taft and Felix H. Levy, who is assisting him, is expected to influence higher officials to testify without quibbling. The inquiry will be resumed to-morrow morning and will continue throughout the week. It is thought that Secretary Hale will be examined to-morrow morning.

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SUICIDE IN THE IMPERIAL.

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and seeing the woman lying on her face on the floor beside the bed. She was in her nightdress. A stream of blood was flowing from a hole in her right temple.

She was taken to the New-York Hospital, where she died a few hours later.

Mrs. Gray had several pieces of diamond jewelry and a valuable pearl necklace. Mrs. Sanford said the rest of her jewelry and a quantity of bonds and stocks of great value were in the Garfield Safe Deposit Company vaults.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE TRIBUNE.]

New-Orleans, May 6.—Mrs. J. W. Gray, who committed suicide in New-York, is a full sister of Olivia Parker, the negro woman to whom she left all her property. The story of the Parker woman, who has never tried to associate with any but negroes, is borne out by that of others who knew the two while they were children.

The story of the life of Mrs. Gray as learned here is a remarkable one. According to the story she met Mr. Gray while she was a servant in the family of one of his relatives. He fell in love with her and finally married her. Whether or not he ever learned the secret of his wife's blood is not known here. They continued to live together until his death, and he left her his fortune. Beyond an occasional letter to her sister, in which she told of the luxurious life she was leading in Chicago, she cut off all communication with her relatives in this city.

EXPRESS NEAR A WRECK.

Local Engine Leaves Track—Other Just Misses Crash.

The Colonial express, bound from Boston to Washington, which passes through New-Rochelle just after 2 o'clock, narrowly escaped being wrecked yesterday by crashing into the Saturday extra which left the Grand Central Station at 1:30 o'clock, at the New-Rochelle junction of the Harlem Branch and the main line of the New-York, New-Haven and Hartford Railroad. It is said that the engineer of the main line local ran by the signal, causing his engine to jump the switch, which was set for the Colonial express.

Within a minute after the local jumped the switch the Colonial came crashing along at the rate of forty miles an hour and was switched from the main line tracks to the branch road. The engine of the local, which was crowded with suburbanites, was within twenty feet of the express when it whizzed by. No one was hurt. Traffic on the main and branch lines was delayed for two hours.

BOOKMAKER THOUGHT DEMENTED.

Shouts "They're Off, Colonial Girl Wins," in Streetcar.

James J. Quinn, of No. 271 West 119th-st., was committed in the Harlem Police Court yesterday to Bellevue Hospital for examination as to his sanity. Quinn, who has a wife and two children, is a well-known bookmaker, and is familiarly known at the local tracks as "Guttenburg Jim" because of his prominence at the old New-Jersey track some years ago.

Quinn boarded an 8th-ave. car yesterday, and, pacing up and down, shouted at the top of his voice, "They're off, Colonial Girl wins!" The conductor got him off the car. Quinn then walked back to 125th-st. and 8th-ave., where he continued calling off races and shouting odds until he attracted a large crowd. Policeman Valkenberg, of the East 126th-st. station, and two other policemen arrested him. Mrs. Quinn said her husband had acted peculiarly for two years. He lost heavily at the Belmont track on the opening day and she thought this might have had something to do with his condition.

MR. BLACK NOT TO DEFEND POWERS.

The Former Governor Denies Report Sent Out from Frankfort, Ky.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE TRIBUNE.]

Troy, N. Y., May 6.—Ex-Governor Frank S. Black was in this city to-day. The statement, he says, which was sent over the wire throughout the country that he was in Frankfort, Ky., to take part in the defence of Caleb Powers, former Secretary of State of Kentucky, who is to be put on trial for the fourth time for complicity in the murder of Governor Goebel, is erroneous.

Mr. Black is not in the case, he says, and will not be. He was consulted by the defence, but has not identified himself with it.

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PRESIDENT'S HUNT ENDS.

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speech by saying that he had breakfasted early and had had nothing to eat since 7:30 o'clock.

From the stand he went to a private dining room of the hotel, where he had as his guests Dr. Lambert, Mr. Stewart, Mr. Loeb, F. H. Lyle, manager of the Glenwood Hot Springs Company, and W. B. Devereaux, owner of a large ranch.

The President's speech follows:

Mr. Mayor, and You, My Fellow Citizens: My fellow Americans of Colorado, it is a great pleasure to me to come here and say a word of greeting to you, and Mr. Mayor, let me take this first chance of thanking the people of Colorado for a three weeks' holiday that I can assure them I have enjoyed to the full. We found the bears all right in quality and in quantity. I have been out with a first class type of Colorado citizen in Jake Borah and Johnny Goff, and their packs, too.

I shall not attempt to do more than say a few works of greeting. I believe in your people. I know them. I believe in the future of this great and wonderful State. It is more than a pleasure for me to come here and see you, to pass through the State again. For a number of years I myself lived in the great Western country, and it was partly the knowledge that I then gained which made me desire to push, as one of the cardinal features of my administration, and one of the things of which I am most proud, the project of government aided irrigation for the West.

I think that the greatest development in the material welfare of the United States during the half century that has opened will come in connection with irrigation. In the country through which I have just been I have been struck both by what has been done and by the immense amount remaining to be done in it, the use that is being made of irrigating ditches and the need that there should be irrigation reservoirs to store the waters that otherwise go to waste in time of flood instead of being utilized as they can be and will be when the system becomes fully developed. Much of that work has to be done by individuals and corporations, but there are certain great works which it is absolutely necessary that the government, and the national government at that, should undertake.

I am more pleased than I can say that it should have been under my administration that Uncle Sam took the first step toward seeing that the waters of the Western States were utilized for the full development of this wonderful and great country. I shall not make a long speech. I shall simply thank you, my fellow citizens and fellow voters, men and women of Colorado, for the greeting you have given me.

The schedule of the President's special train on the return trip to Washington is as follows:

Leave Glenwood Springs over the Denver and Rio Grande Railroad at 5:40 a. m. on May 8; arrive at Pueblo, Col., 1:45 p. m.; leave 1:50; arrive at Colorado Springs 3:02, leave 3:05 p. m.; arrive at Denver 5:30 p. m.

Tuesday, May 9, over the Union Pacific—Leave Denver (mountain time) 7 a. m.; arrive at North Platte, Neb., 2 p. m.; leave (Central time) 3:10 p. m.; arrive at Grand Island 6:25 p. m., leave 6:30 p. m.; arrive at Fremont, Neb., 9 a. m.; arrive at Omaha 10:20 p. m. over Chicago and Northwestern Railroad; leave Omaha 10:30 p. m.; arrive at Council Bluffs, Iowa, 10:45 p. m.

Wednesday, May 10—Arrive at Cedar Rapids, Iowa, 6 a. m.; Clinton, 8 a. m.; Sterling, Ill., 8:55 a. m.; Chicago, noon. Over Pennsylvania lines, leave Chicago at midnight.

Thursday, May 11.—Arrive at Pittsburg (Central time) 2 p. m.; leave (Eastern time) 3:15 p. m.

Friday, May 12—Arrive at Washington 3 a. m.

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Dr. Julian Thomas, of No. 172 West 72d-st., Manhattan, whose automobile driver, Charles De Forest, was arrested on suspicion that he was driving the machine that ran over and killed an Italian near the Park Circle, Brooklyn, about midnight on April 19, has brought witnesses before Coroner Flaherty to show that his machine was at the garage by 9 o'clock on the evening in question. Coroner Flaherty will hold a further hearing next Friday night.