WESTON'S LITTLE VAGARIES.

TRAITS OF THE YANKEE BOY WHO HAS BEATEN ALL PEDESTRIANS.

Inviting all Hands to his Walk and Dinner—Weston as a Reporter and Draw Poker Player—First Money for Fast Time—Weston's Peculiarities while on a Long Walk.

When a man accomplishes a feat of courage and endurance greater than was ever known before in the world, men turn to him with wonder and admiration, looking upon the man as a hero; and anything relating to the hero's life becomes a matter of interest. Edward Payson Weston now occupies this position before the people of two continents.

The first time I saw Weston was in the composing room of THE SUN office, about ten years ago. He dashed in with nervous haste, shaking hands with the foreman, assistants, and compositors, and nodding a jerky "How'd do" all round, at the same time presenting tickets and inviting all hands, with their wives and children, to come up to the Rink and see him walk 110 miles in twenty-four hours, or something of that sort. Turning back with a hop, as he was about to depart, Weston remarked to Mr. Watkins, the foreman:

"Oh, say; I'm going to give a dinner after the walk. Horace Greeley, the Rev. Dr. Hepworth, Prof. Doremus, and many other gentlemen have promised to be there, and I want you all to come."

Weston was in funds at that time. His whalebone legs were encased in natty pantaloons, he sported a white vest, London cut-away coat, nobby Derby hat, and swished a little gold-headed cane as he walked. He was blithe and chipper, his determined jaw was in working order, his keen eyes lighted up his sharp face, while his smoothly-combed, well-oiled hair gave a sleek finish to his spruce outfit. He resembled a light comedian, on good terms with himself and all the world.

After this my relations with Weston were intimate, his eccentricities often affording amusement after hours of labor. His money would flow through his hands like water. Although sharp on making terms during a walk, he possesses no calculation or management as to the care of money after it is earned. This trait has used up his profits in England. He was declared a bankrupt there to the amount of several thousand dollars some months ago.

During lulls in the pedestrian fever, when there was no money in the business, Weston turned his attention to gleaning city items for an evening paper through the day, and THE SUN during the night. In this capacity he would cover the east side stations from the Harlem River to the City Hall, including a pop into Ludlow street jail in an hour after midnight. Disdaining to take a street car, he would dash along like a phantom. Once a policeman arrested him as a suspicious character, when a roundsman who knew Weston came up saying, "Let that man go; he's Weston, carrying news to THE SUN."

Weston frequently rushed into the office about 1 A. M., dashed off a few pages of manuscript, handing it to the night editor, who hurriedly revised it and sent it up stairs as the latest news. Then Weston would lie back in his chair, push his hat from his forehead, throw his feet and legs over his desk, and chaunter:

"By George, boys, we've got the *Herald* sure this morning. Ripping murder in Harlem." Or it might be an important case in Ludlow street jail, where the arrest had been made late at night.

During part of this time Weston occupied a room in the Astor House. It might have been the one where George W. Kendall won money enough at poker to start the New Orleans *Picayune*. At all events, Weston was fond of taking part in the game. After the paper was sent to press a party would sometimes meet with Weston to have a quiet bout at draw poker. As the Astor House bar was closed after midnight the party would stop in Sandy Spencer's and take along a few bottles of Scotch or Bass's ale. Although Weston is a temperate man in the general sense of the term, he is fond of a glass of good ale or wine.

Weston is a shrewd poker player. While his opponents are looking at their hands to see what they hold, his keen eyes sweep the circle like a flash. If a look of satisfaction or disappointment appears on a player's face, he notes and acts on it. Coming to "the scratch," his expression is, "if you think there is no hereafter, call me." The pedestrian generally manages to hold his own, although he has often risked his last dollar on the uncertain draw.

After one successful walk at the Rink Weston purchased a cottage in Westchester County and bought a trotter—time, 7:11. Weston was very hospitable, frequently inviting the boys to ride out with him and dine at the cottage. He never made himself round-shouldered by carrying his money for any length of time, and when he departed for England he was advised by one of his poker companions not to play his hand for more than it was worth on the other side; beat the Englishmen on the sawdust track, which he could do if he used proper judgment, and then return with fresh laurels and a chance for big money. That he has won on "a square deal" is now a matter of history.

Once, while talking with Weston, I asked him how he first discovered his wonderful powers of walking.

"Oh, ever since I was a boy," he replied. "Don't you see, I'm built different from most men. My hip sockets are larger and bow out. I can walk a month without pain.

"The first time that I ever made money by fast walking," he continued, "was while acting as a messenger boy in the *Herald* office. There was to be a great fete in Washington in mid-winter, and the elder Bennett was anxious to send on a magnificent basket of flowers from his conservatory that morning, so that it would reach Washington in the evening. The flowers arrived at the office too late for the express messenger. While Mr. Bennett was berating his dilatory servant, I saw that the basket was properly labelled for the party in Washington. Glancing at the clock I also saw that I had about five minutes time before the boat left the ferry to connect with the train in Jersey City. Grabbing the basket I dashed through the door, hearing Mr. Bennett yelling something about "dom boy." Darting down the five pair of stairs, and out through the middle of the street, I ran around from Ann into Fulton street, then to Broadway, down Broadway to Cortlandt, and through Cortlandt to the ferry, just in time to string aboard the boat. I placed the flowers in charge of the express messenger in Jersey City, and they were delivered in Washington in time for the fête. When Mr. Bennett learned what I had done, he turned to young James, saying, 'James, double that dom boy's salary.'"

In speaking of the feelings of pedestrian while on a long tramp, Weston once said that at times they were dreadful, almost driving one crazy to think of the number of steps he would have to take to win. This was especially the case where a man was behind his competitors in a race, and had lost the confidence of his backers and the spectators. He adopted many expedients to divert his mind from the terrible strain. Sometimes he would count all the pillars supporting the building in which he walked. Then he would count the windows, numbering the panes of glass, even noticing which panes were clean and which needed washing, with the different rays of light from each. He frequently counted the steps in each flap, and sometimes for a mile. The angles of the structure were all firmly fixed in his mind. The composition of the audience was critically studied, and that frequently without their knowing that they were even glanced at. The presence of friends could often be felt in the crowd, before seen, from a sympathetic thrill. Applause and music always had an inspiriting effect; and when victory was within grasp, the body and legs felt no fatigue whatever. That was the cause of such marvellous spurts being made at the close of long journeys.

From the Worcester Press.

Weston was born in Providence. His father was a man of restless brain, full of Utopian schemes. His mother was an intellectual woman, and after her husband's death she wrote a number of creditable books for children. After these were printed she sent her son Edward, the present walker, out into the world to sell the product of her brain. He travelled not only all over Providence but also all over Rhode Island and parts of Massachusetts and Connecticut. He thus early acquired the habit of long-continued walking.

MERE MENTION.

The Hohokus Driving Association will open their new trotting track to-day in Hohokus, N. J.

Thomas McDermott, 8 years of age, of 16 Albany street, was drowned off Pier 10, North River, yesterday, while bathing.

Dr. White of the Board of Health yesterday caused the arrest of John Fabian, of 626 First avenue for selling impure and adulterated milk. In the Yorkville Police Court Tangna was committed for trial.

Weakfish are biting sharply off Rossville, on the north shore of Staten Island. Bluefish have not appeared yet in the great bay of the south shore. Nothing but porgies are caught now off the old favorite places.

The ice workers at Rockland Lake have been on a strike since the 25th of June for an increase of wages from $1 to $1.25 a day. No ice has been brought to the city from the lake since the strike was begun.

The Sewanhaka Yacht Club will rendezvous at Glen Cove, L. I., for their annual cruise on July 8 at 5 P. M. Squadron of Black Rose, Thistle, Islands, New London, Seawanhaka and New Bedford will be visited by the gallant Commodore.

John T. Lynch, the diamond broker, was bailed yesterday from the Jefferson Market prison by Manuel De Montemar of 121 Clinton place, and John Jordan of 54 East Tenth street. The bail was $4,000. The examination was set down for July 14.

Congressman Einstein has given notice of a vacancy in the Naval Academy from the Seventh Congressional District. It will be filled at a competitive examination of boys from the public schools of the district, to be held by the Board of Education rooms on Washington square next.

Simon Mayer reported at the Coroner's office yesterday that his wife, Betsey, was lying dangerously ill at 104 Canal street, from the effects of a kick in the abdomen by a bedfellow. He was informed that he must bring a physician's certificate of his wife's condition before her alleged motion statement could be taken.

Jane H. and Olivia A.—The "Seashore Cottage," established by Mrs. Harper as a summer retreat for working girls, is at Atlanticville, near Long Branch. It was opened on Tuesday. The building stands directly on the shore, and affords ample facilities for the enjoyment of all the pleasures sought for at the seaside. The price of board is $5 a week, $9 for two weeks, including fare to and from the cottage. For further information apply at the rooms of the Young Women's Christian Association, 7 East Fifteenth street.

POLICEMAN TULLY CONVICTED.

Sentenced to Three Months' Imprisonment for Clubbing Roundsman Orr.

The case of Policeman Tully, who was accused of clubbing Roundsman Orr on the morning of June 8, was finally disposed of in the Special Sessions yesterday by Tully's conviction. The testimony was substantially the same as that given in the Police Court. Orr said he saw Tully coming out of a Hudson street liquor store at 3 A. M., and told him that he (Orr) would have him before the Police Commissioners for drinking liquor on post. Tully replied that he had drank only ice water. Orr and Tully walked along for several minutes without speaking. Then Tully said, "Are you going to drive me out of the business?" and sprung upon Orr and clubbed him.

Other officers testified to seeing Orr in the street with Tully standing over him with uplifted club. Tully testified:

"Roundsman Orr, when I told him that I had only drank water, called me a liar. He then struck me and I struck back. He put his hand to his pistol pocket, and, as I thought he was going to shoot me, I hit him with my club. I believed Roundsman Orr had a pistol and that my life was threatened. I did not have my pistol with me that night or I would have shot the roundsman. I repeatedly told Roundsman Orr that I would cease clubbing him if he would take his hand out of his pistol pocket."

August Tanetsich, Frank Morris, James McCabe, and others testified to having seen Roundsman Orr club Officer Tully first. They were passing by at the time and were frightened at seeing two policemen engaged in clubbing each other.

Mrs. Mary Waters, who lived in the house with Orr, testified to Orr's assaulting and arresting her, in a brutal manner, in a personal quarrel with her.

After long deliberation the Justices found Policeman Tully guilty and sentenced him to three months' imprisonment in the penitentiary. There was a crowd of policemen in court who were in warm sympathy with Tully.

Conductors Buying Lamp Chimneys.

Deacon Richardson, President of the Atlantic Avenue Railroad Company in Brooklyn, in addition to making the conductors of his lines buy the lamp chimneys and the brooms for their cars, has cut down the wages of the conductors on the Boerum street line to $1.61 a day. Formerly he paid them 25 cents a trip, and, as they made eight trips daily, they received $2 a day. Then he cut them down to 22 cents a trip, but this summer, when the men could make only seven trips a day, and they were complaining of the low wages, he consented to raise their wages one cent an hour, so that now for nearly fourteen hours' work the conductors get $1.61.

A conductor yesterday afternoon turned up the palms of his hands and showed how they had become callousted by handling the stanchions of the cars. "There is no need of low wages on this line," said he; "we turn in often $20 a day, and sometimes on Sunday $26 a day."

Another conductor said that he recently turned in a trade dollar, and Treasurer Frost reported him as short ten cents, because the trade dollar was worth only ninety cents, and the conductor, to keep his place, had to pay the ten cents.

Buried in a Well.

ELMIRA, July 3.—At Wyalusing, Pa., on Monday, at 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon, a well caved in, burying a man named Chambers, who was working in it. A party of men were digging all night, but had not reached Chambers at last accounts. The well is thirty-six feet deep, and is situated near the railroad track. It is thought the caving in was caused by the passage of a freight train. Chambers leaves a wife and three children.

Wanted—Females.

A.—UP-TOWN ADVERTISERS May leave their favors for THE SUN at the only author ized up-town advertisement offices,
1,238 Broadway, corner of 31st st., till 9 P. M., and
806 West 23d st., corner of 8th av., till 8 P. M.
760 3d av., corner of 47th st., till 8 P. M.
92 East 14th st., corner Union square, till 8 P. M.
No extra charge.

FIRST-CLASS collar starcher wanted at UNION LAUNDRY, 448 6th av.

WANTED—Experienced female operators on the Howe and Weed sewing machine; permanent work by the piece. Apply to East New York Shoe Co., Albany, N. Y.

YOUNG girls can obtain situations free, lodgings and meals at 8c. each, at the Girls' Lodging House, 27 St. Mark's place, 8th st. near Second av. (Children's Aid Society). Also, free instruction on sewing machines from 9 to 5 daily to all who may apply, and dressmaking taught gratuitously.

Wanted—Males.

AGENTS wanted.—Tea, &c., Japanese curios, flags, lanterns; sample teas, all kinds, 15c. DUNLEVEY'S, Fulton st., corner of Water. Elegant salesroom up stairs. Established 1857.

A.—GREAT closing out sale of men's, boys', and children's summer suits at very low figures.
J. L. DAVIES, 172 Bridge st., near High, Brooklyn.

A FACT.—200 men can find better accommodations at Howard House, 149 Chatham st., than at any other house in New York, for $1 and $1.25 per week.

BAKERS.—Twelth annual Summer Festival of the Bakers' Benevolent Union, P. R. Union will be held at Jones's Wood Colosseum on Saturday, July 5, commencing with a shooting match at 3 P. M.

BOY.—Permanent employment to respectable, well recommended boy of 14 or 15, who can write a good hand. Address W. M. L., box 200, Sun office.

CARLETON HOUSE, William, cor. Frankfort st. (1 block east city Hall); 250 rooms, 25c. and 50c.

ENGINEERS, send for circular of Emmre return flue steam trap; operates well. ENGINEER, 129 Mercer st.

FIRST-CLASS polishers wanted in a brass cock manufactory, to work on straps and wheels.
MAYOR, LANE & CO., 42 and 44 Mott st.

FOR SALE—A set of hobby horses; cheap for cash. Fourth Landing, Rockaway Beach.

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TO STOVE PATTERN PITTERS.—Wanted, by a foundry of 200 hands, a man capable of taking entire charge of iron pattern shop; must thoroughly know his business, and be capable of managing 40 to 70 men. No one will suit but an energetic man, who can execute orders promptly and cheaply. To a first-class man this will be a permanent situation. State age, experience, and wages required. Apply to ALPHA, Metal Worker office, 83 Reade st., New York.

WANTED—A smart, steady horseshoer, to take a position connected with a carriage shop; very little capital required. Apply at once to
HENRY TILY, South Norwalk, Conn.

WANTED—Foreman for our steam cracker and cake bakery; give references, age, and address of last employer. ADDRESS, B. HILL & CO., 35, 37, and 39 North Lee st., Alexandria, Va.

WANTED—An expert weaver to take charge of power looms; also soft silk winders and weavers. Apply to R. ADAMS, 31 Greene st.

WANTED—First-class iron polishers on work for nickel plating. Address ALBANY NICKEL PLATING CO., Albany, N. Y.

WANTED—15 saloon stewards. Apply, with discharges, to A. T. LACK, New Pier 39, North River, foot of Houston st.

WANTED—A first-class press feeder. 75 Chatham st., first floor.

WANTED—Morocco case makers. 712 Broadway.

6 POUNDS sample tea, $1; open Saturday. SAMPLE TEA CO., 293 Pearl, and 40 Fulton st., down stairs.

Situations Wanted.

A FIRST-CLASS foreman on all kinds of bread and cakes wants a situation; city or country. Apply or address AUG. HILDEBRANDT, restaurant, 25 Bowery.

Meetings.

A MEETING of cap finishers, male and female hands, will be held on the 5th of July, at 6 o'clock, at No. 110 Eldridge st. All are invited.

BAKERS.—The Practical Journeymen Bakers' Benevolent Society of Brooklyn will hold their quarterly meeting at their Hall, 521 Navy st., Saturday, July 5, at 8 o'clock sharp, as business of importance will be transacted. By order TIMOTHY F. DALEY, Pres.
FRANCIS SCHOFIELD, Secretary.

Real Estate.

A HOME for your family for a very little money. Invest now, while houses and lots are just beginning to rise in value, after the unusual depression. If you delay you may regret it. Experience has taught that savings banks are not as safe as real estate, nor as profitable. Take the hint which now "leads on to fortune." In less than five years present prices will be doubled. Such is the opinion of leading operators. City and suburban dwellings and lots in New York, Brooklyn, Queens, and Westchester Counties and New Jersey, farming lands on Long Island and in Western States.
It costs you nothing to examine. Call in forenoon at HITCHCOCK'S Real Estate Agency,
32 Park row,
Opposite Post Office.

$600 FOR TWO-STORY HOUSE and lot in village of Laurel Hill, L. I., near Calvary Cemetery. JOHN CLANCY, Grocer, Laurel Hill.

$750 FOR COSEY COTTAGE and lot, in Willimansburgh, one block from Grand st. and Newtown railroad. GEORGE YATES, 198 Meeker av.

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These premises overlook Printing House Square, the City Hall Park, Post Office, and the Courts.
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A. & L. BAUMANN.—IMMENSE REDUCTIONS in furniture, carpets, and bedding. Weekly and monthly installments. The largest establishment of its kind in the city. 512 and 514 8th av., corner 36th st.

BAUMANN BROS.' NEW STORE, 89 West 14th st.—Call and examine the largest stock of furniture and carpets in New York; weekly and monthly payments; prices the lowest. Also, selling agents for the CHAMPION FOLDING BEDSTEAD.

IMMENSE REDUCTION in prices of furniture, carpets, bedding, stoves, &c., for cash or weekly or monthly payments, at
COWPERTHWAIT & CO.'S, 155 and 157 Chatham st.

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78 MADISON ST.—A handsomely furnished room on second floor; front; gentlemen only.

Excursions.

A.—A.—FOURTH OF JULY AT ROCKAWAY.
SIX GRAND EXCURSIONS TO-DAY
By the famous COLUMBIA and GRAND REPUBLIC,
THE NEW PALATIAL EXCURSION STEAMERS,
magnificently furnished and fitted, and conceded to be THE FINEST EXCURSION STEAMERS in the WORLD, combining Safety, Speed, and Comfort,
And the favorite steamers AMERICUS and ADELPHI.
MANY MUSICAL ATTRACTIONS ON EACH BOAT.
Military Bands, Martial and Operatic Music,
Cornet Soloists, Violinists, Xylophonists, &c.

LEAVING	COLUMBIA.	GRAND REPUBLIC.
24th st., North River.	8:30 A. M., 1:30 P. M.	10:00 A. M.
Leroy st., N. River.	8:45 A. M., 1:45 P. M.	10:20 A. M.
Pier 2, nr Bat'y, N. R.	9:00 A. M., 2:00 P. M.	10:40 A. M.
Jewell's Wharf, Bklyn.	9:30 A. M., 2:15 P. M.	11:00 A. M.
AMERICUS.		ADELPHI.
53d st., East River.	8:45 A. M., 1:30 P. M.	10:30 A. M.
S. 5th st., Williamsburgh	9:00 A. M., 1:45 P. M.	10:45 A. M.
Broome st., N. Y.	9:15 A. M., 2:00 P. M.	11:00 A. M.
Jewell's Wharf, B'klyn	9:30 A. M., 2:15 P. M.	11:30 A. M.

LEAVE ROCKAWAY:
11 A. M., 3:30, 4:30 and 5:30 P. M.
FARE, 35 CENTS. EXCURSION TICKETS, 50 CENTS.
RETURN TICKETS GOOD ON EITHER BOAT.

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TO NEW CONEY ISLAND PIER DIRECT.
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OBSERVE THE TIME TABLE CLOSELY.

	W. 22d st.	Leroy st.	Pier 2, N. R.
J. B. Schuyler	9:00 A. M.	9:15 A. M.	9:30 A. M.
Minnie Cornell	9:30 A. M.	9:45 A. M.	10:00 A. M.
Eliza Hancox	10:30 A. M.	10:45 A. M.	11:00 A. M.
Minnie Cornell	12:00 M.	12:15 P. M.	12:30 P. M.
J. B. Schuyler	12:30 P. M.	12:45 P. M.	1:00 P. M.
Eliza Hancox	2:00 P. M.	2:15 P. M.	2:30 P. M.
Minnie Cornell	3:00 P. M.	3:15 P. M.	3:30 P. M.
J. B. Schuyler	4:00 P. M.	4:15 P. M.	4:30 P. M.
Eliza Hancox	5:00 P. M.	5:15 P. M.	5:30 P. M.
Minnie Cornell	6:30 P. M.	6:45 P. M.	6:30 P. M.
Grand Republic	7:30 P. M.	7:45 P. M.	8:00 P. M.
J. B. Schuyler	8:00 P. M.	8:15 P. M.	8:30 P. M.

AMERICUS, from East River, two trips. See Rockaway advertisement.
Returning, leave Iron Pier half hourly to 7 P. M., 9, 9:30, and 10 P. M.
Single Fare, 35 cents; Excursion Tickets, 50 cents, WHICH INCLUDE ADMISSIONS TO THE PIER.
Return Tickets are good on either boat.
*** An entire new time table on Monday morning.

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FINE VIEW. NO CROWD. COOL BREEZE.
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Leroy st., North River, at ..... 7:45 P. M.
Pier 2, North River, at ..... 8:00 P. M.
LEAVING the GREAT IRON PIER at ..... 9:30 P. M.
FARE, 35 CENTS. EXCURSION TICKETS, 50 CENTS, which include admission to the Pier.

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GRAND POPULAR CONCERTS
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Lighted by the Fuller Electric Light. Coolest resort in the city. Last week of Pinafore, with special Drum Act; Sig. ROSNATI, the celebrated tenor; Miss HENRIETTA MARKSTEIN, Pianist, and other artists will sport stupendous BOUQUETS (GREAT BOUQUETS) of Sig. LIBERATI, cornetist, every night. Admission, 25 cents.

BROOKLYN.—Grand Demonstration for the Eight-Hour Working Day. Grand Festival of the SOCIALISTIC LABOR PARTY, July 4, 1879, at Ridgewood Park. The New York processionists will form at 8 A. M. at Germania Hall, 291 and 293 Bowery, and proceed to Brooklyn, E. D., where it will join the Brooklyn demonstration. Admission, 15 cents a person. Participants of the procession will have free admission.

STATEN ISLAND ATHLETIC CLUB.
FOURTH OF JULY CHAMPIONSHIP GAMES.
SPECIAL ATTRACTIONS
Running, Walking, Jumping, Vaulting, Hurdle, and other races. Prominent entries from New York Clubs. Games commence at 9 A. M.
Take steamer ALPHA, ARON, POMONA, and THOS. HUNT, foot of Whitehall st., Pier 1, East River, landing near Club Grounds.
Boats leave hourly from 8 A. M. to 8 P. M.

SCOTTISH-AMERICAN ATHLETIC CLUB GAMES.—8th av., cor. 56th st. M. A. C. Grounds. JULY 4, at 1½ P. M.
Seventeen events. Over 200 entries. Champions all entered. Duffy, Meyers, Christian, McDonald in special one mile run. Ryan, Gray, Lake, Dunn, and others in tugs of war. First trials, 2:30 P. M. Special two-mile walk at 2 o'clock.
Take elevated railroads to 53d or 50th st.
ADMISSION, 50 CENTS.

THE GREAT and exciting six days' go as you please contest between MISS MAY MARSHALL and MADAME TORIAS for a purse of $1,000 and a medal will begin on Tuesday evening, July 1, at FELTMAN'S OCEAN PAVILION, ROCKAWAY BEACH.
Trains will be run all night during the week on Culver's Prospect Park and Coney Island Railroad.
Miss MARSHALL, ROSEWELL and other well known pedestrians will also engage.

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Friday, July 4, afternoon and night, 8 Glorious Pieces, Wilson's Various Entertainments, hour Twos, Convicts, Floating Beacon, Obi, Two Drovers, Jack Long, Robber's Wife. Monday, July 7, Grand Testimonial Benefit to FERDINAND W. HOFELE. Last Night of the Old Drury.

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GRAND FOURTH AND POSITIVELY THE LAST
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MATINEES WEDNESDAY and SATURDAY at 2 P. M.
FRIDAY JULY 4 SPECIAL MATINEE.
MONDAY, July 7, Haverly's Genuine Colored Minstrels.

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VARIETY, BURLESQUE, SKETCHES AND DRAMA.
MATINEE TO-DAY. POPULAR PRICES. 2 O'CLOCK.

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Last week of Professor Heck's Illusions.
Open daily from 9 A. M. till 11 P. M.

CALIFORNIA BIG TREE exhibition will open July 3. A section 15 feet high, 25 feet diameter, room inside tree for 150 persons. Fine collection of Pacific Coast views, Yosemite Valley, Geysers, &c. 652 Broadway.

The Turf.

MONMOUTH PARK RACES.
LONG BRANCH, N. J.
First Summer Meeting, 1879. Friday, July 4; Saturday, July 5; Tuesday, July 8; Thursday, July 10; Saturday, July 12.
Six or seven Races each day, commencing promptly at 2 o'clock. Steeplechase or Hurdle Race each day.
Trains directly to the Course, via boats to Sandy Hook, from Pier 8, N. R., at 5:30, 9:30, and 11:30 A. M.; and by Central Railroad from foot of Liberty st., at 7:45, 9, 11:45 A. M.; 12:15 noon, and 1:30 P. M.
Fare for Round Trip, including admission to Field, $1.50.

BRIGHTON BEACH FAIR GROUNDS,
CONEY ISLAND.
RUNNING RACE AND STEEPLECHASES,
FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, JULY 4 AND 5;
ALSO, SATURDAY, JULY 12.
Race commences at 2 P. M.
ADMISSION, 25 AND 50 CENTS, GRAND STAND, $1.

ROMAN RACES
AT BRIGHTON BEACH FAIR GROUNDS,
CONEY ISLAND.
Every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday at 3 P. M.
Admission, 25 and 50 cts. F. WHITTAKER, Manager.

MONMOUTH PARK RACES, July 4, 5, 8, 10, and 12.—Auction and French Pools at course. Auction Pools and Combination Book at West End Hotel evenings before races. CRIDGE & CO., Official Pool Sellers for Monmouth Park and Maryland Jockey Club at Pimlico.

PASTURAGE FOR HORSES, at $8 a month, on the Saddle River, Bergen County, N. J.; shade, running water, and good herbage.
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A GREAT OFFER.—Organs, $30 upward; pianos, $125 upward, not used a year, good as new; warranted; new pianos and organs of
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$80.—GRAND 4TH OF JULY EXCURSION DOWN NEW YORK BAY AROUND STATEN ISLAND, OVER THE OCEAN, PASSING LONG BRANCH, By new palace steamer CITY OF TROY, Of Citizens' Line of Troy, one of the finest steamers in the world. Music by EBEN'S WELL-KNOWN BAND. FARE for the entire grand excursion only FIFTY CENTS. Boat leaves foot of 22d st., N. R., 9:30 A. M.; foot of Leroy st., N. R., 9:45 A. M.; Pier 2, N. R., 10 A. M.; and Jewell's Wharf, Fulton Ferry, Brooklyn, 10:30 A. M.

A.—A.—A.—A GREAT OPPORTUNITY.
WONDERFUL INDUCEMENTS TO LARGE and SMALL CAPITALISTS.
Interest payable at any hour of the day.
By a judicious investment of
TEN CENTS
in a ticket for Staten Island via Starin's North Shore and Staten Island Ferry, you secure a water excursion of 11 miles and the attractive portion of New York Harbor, on a speedy, comfortable, and absolutely safe boat.
BOAT LEAVES foot of WHITEHALL ST. every hour.
STARIN'S EXCURSIONS.

GRAND FOURTH OF JULY EXCURSION.—NEWBURGH AND RETURN ON THE PALATIAL STEAMER WARREN BRETT. Entirely refitted, refurnished, and elegantly decorated, with grand Saloons and Staterooms for families, will make a Fourth of July Excursion to Newburgh and return, landing at Yonkers, West Point, and Cold Spring each way. Leaving Pier 1, N. R., at 9 A. M. sharp; Canal st. at 9:15 A. M.; West 10th st. at 9:30 A. M.; West 24th st. at 9:45 A. M. A Marine Band and Colored Pinafore Troupe and Jubilee Singers will be among the musical attractions.
FARE, Entire Excursion ..... 40 CENTS
Children under 12 years half price.
REFRESHMENTS AT CITY PRICES.

A GRAND 4TH OF JULY EXCURSION, in and pleasant sail to ASTORIA, HARLEM, and HIGH BRIDGE, for 25 cents. Steamers will leave PECK SLIP every hour, from 7:15 A. M. to 8 P. M., making their usual landings, and also stop at 9th and 23d sts. each way, connecting with MANHATTAN BEACH RAILROAD by way of 23d st.
ROUND TRIP FARE, 50 CENTS.
First boat leaves Harlem July 4, 6:30 A. M.
Last boat leaves Harlem July 4, 8 P. M.

BRIGHTON BEACH.
LONG ISLAND RAILROAD.
LEAVE HUNTER'S POINT DAILY.
8:00, 10:00, 11:00 A. M.; 12:00 M., 1:30, 2:30, 3:30, 4:30, 5:30, 6:30, 7:30, 8:30, 9:30 P. M.
LEAVE BRIGHTON BEACH DAILY.
8:40, 11:15 A. M.; 12:40, 1:40, 2:40, 3:40, 4:40, 5:40, 6:40, 7:40, 8:40, 9:40, 10:40, and 11:40 P. M.
PULLMAN PARLOR CARS.
FERRIES: EAST 34TH ST. AND JAMES SLIP.

FOURTH AND FIFTH OF JULY
PLEASURE TRIP
To NEW HAVEN, BLOCK ISLAND,
PROVIDENCE, ROCKY POINT,
NARRAGANSETT BAY and NEWPORT.
STEAMER ELM CITY
Will leave Pier 25, Peck Slip, East River, at 9:30 A. M., returning to New York at o'clock Sunday morning.
TICKETS for the entire trip only $8.
NO CHARGE for SLEEPING BERTHS.

LONG ISLAND RAILROAD.
ROUND TRIP, 50 CENTS
ROCKAWAY BEACH.
DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAYS.
Leave Hunter's Point at 5, 8, 9, 10, 11 A. M., 12 noon, 1:30, 2:30, 4:30, 6 and 7 P. M.
RETURNING, Leave Beach at 6:40, 8:15, 10:10 A. M., 12:50, 2:20, 3:40, 4:20, 5:20, 6:20, 8 and 9:30.
SUNDAYS.
Leave Hunter's Point at 9, 10, 11 A. M., 12 noon, 1:30, 2:30, 3:30, 4:30, 5 P. M.
RETURNING, Leave Beach at 12:50, 3:20, 4:20, 4:40, 5:20, 5:50, 6:20, 8 and 9:30 P. M.

FOURTH OF JULY.
The elegant and commodious steamer
J. B. SCHUYLER,
J. B. SCHUYLER,
in addition to her usual day trips to the Great Wrought Iron Pier at Coney Island, will make a
MOONLIGHT EXCURSION
from West 22d st., S. Leroy st., 8:15; Pier 2, 8:30; to CONEY ISLAND IRON PIER,
returning at 10 after the celebration there.

A.—A.—FOURTH OF JULY
FAMILY EXCURSION.
The fine, fast-sailing steamer
MATTEAWAN
Will leave Pier 34, N. R. (foot of Harrison st.), at 9:30 A. M. for keyport, on Friday, July 4. Returning, leave Keyport at 4 P. M., arriving in the city at 6 P. M.
Fare for the round trip, 50 cents.

A.—TO ELM PARK, Staten Island.—The only place for families and private parties to spend the Fourth quiet, music and dancing. North Shore boats leave foot of Whitehall st. hourly from 8 A. M. to 10:30 P. M.
J. S. BROWN, Proprietor.

FISHING BANKS.—Every day. Saturdays excepted, fast steamer SETH LOW, with saloon, leaving Harrison st., N. R., 7.30, 8 A. M.; E. R., 7.30; Pier 27, E. R., 7.45; Battery wall, near Staten Island Ferry, 8; Pier 13, N. R., 8:10 A. M. Gentlemen's tickets, 75c.; ladies', 50c.
AL. FOSTER, Manager.

Excursions.

A SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT.
TO-DAY (4TH OF JULY) and every day, including SUNDAYS, the peerless palace steamer
PLYMOUTH ROCK
will run to THE BEACH of LONG BRANCH, making two trips landing excursionists on the GREAT TUBULAR IRON PIER.
FARE to and from the ocean pier is but FIFTY CENTS. Single trip tickets ..... 35c.
*** Iron Pier promenade tickets, 10 cents extra.
LEAVES IN THE MORNING
from the pier foot of 22d st., N. R., at 9 o'clock, and Pier 1, N. R. (Battery), at 9:30.
LEAVES IN THE AFTERNOON
the pier foot of 22d st., N. R., at 2:30, and Pier 1, N. R., at 3 o'clock. Returning, will leave the Beach at 6 o'clock. The morning trip will allow Six Hours at Long Branch.

LONG BRANCH RACES—July 4, 5, 8, 10, and 12. Take the Plymouth Rock. EXCURSION TICKETS, 50 CTS. Single trip tickets, 35 cts. Lands in front of Leland's big Ocean Hotel. See time table above.

50 CTS. for an excursion to LONG BRANCH and back; 35 cts. for a single trip ticket; the peerless palace steamer PLYMOUTH ROCK goes TWICE a day, including SUNDAYS.

4TH OF JULY.—Two trips to the Beach of LONG BRANCH by the peerless PLYMOUTH ROCK.
EVENING—THE FIRST MOONLIGHT EXCURSION.

MOONLIGHT ON THE SEA!!!
THIS 4TH OF JULY NIGHT.
Moonlight! Gaslight! Electric Light!
THIS (FRIDAY) EVENING, July 4, the peerless palace steamer
PLYMOUTH ROCK,
decorated with a myriad of bright flags, and illumined with
TWO GREAT ELECTRIC LIGHTS,
in addition to her saloon gas jets, will make a romantic trip down the beautiful harbor, affording her passengers a rare opportunity to see the dancing waters silver tipped by the rays of a full moon.
EN ROUTE
will pass in front of Coney Island, that all may view the MAGNIFICENT DISPLAY OF FIREWORKS, that will light up in a lurid glare the whole shore, including Norton's Point,
MANHATTAN, AND THE BRIGHTON BEACH.
FARE for the whole grand excursion, 50 CENTS.
Will leave the foot of 22d st., N. R., at 8:15 o'clock, and Pier 1, N. R., at 8:45.

HOP ON PIER 1, N. R.—The Grand Ball