THE MODERN AMAZONS.

The Women's Rights Women in a Row.

The Crinoline Stockjobbers Denounced.

The Princess Editha's "Crown Diamonds."

Matilda Heron, Mesdames Woodhull and Claflin, Mrs. Stanton and Sister Norton All Up for Sentence.

Princess Editha's Crown Jewels.

The Princess Editha Gilbert Montez, daughter of Lola Montez and the King of Bavaria, has figured in a rather conspicuous manner before the public during the last few weeks. Her lecture on the 3d inst., under the auspices of Elizabeth Cady Stanton, was not the success for which her friends and advisers bargained, and her subsequent troubles at the Astor House for non-payment of a board bill, and her examination by Dr. Swan, who declared her to be *non compos*, tended to increase the notoriety she has lately attained. But the Princess has not yet concluded to remain a silent sufferer so long as she can seek redress through the courts, and thus consulted yesterday with the well known lawyer, Mr. William F. Howe, to whom she related that she had been made the dupe of woman's infidelity. Her story to Mr. Howe is that on the 26th of last month she deposited with Mesdames Woodhull & Claflin, the female brokers, of No. 44 Broad street,

THREE SOLITAIRE CROWN DIAMONDS,

set in a gold ring, and valued at $3,000, and $1,000 in money. This was to be returned her on application. After her lecture on the 3d inst. the charming Princess repaired to the office of the brokeresses and there applied to Victoria C. Woodhull for her articles of vertu. Mrs. Woodhull, however, declined to part with the property which had been entrusted to the firm, and although other applications were made for the jewels entrusted to them they refused to part with the Princess' property. Under these circumstances Counsellor Howe was consulted, and the Princess' deposition was taken, setting forth the above facts, and a summons issued and served upon the female brokeresses. The suit is in the Supreme Court, and rich developments are promised.

Letter from a Lady Compositor.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD:—

As you have given prominence to the doings and opinions of Woodhull & Claflin, who have put themselves forward as champions and examples *par excellence* of the right of woman to a place in the working world, will you allow me, a working woman, to relate my experience with these admirable (!) reformers?

Some weeks ago there appeared in this city a new paper—*Woodhull & Claflin's Weekly*—the pages of which were filled with pathetic appeals and most convincing arguments of the right of woman to supporting herself by her labor.

"Here," said I with enthusiasm, "are the people of all the world for me—grand, glorious leaders in the path of truth, right, justice, self-help! Here are the women whose example will thin the ranks of the 60,000 sewing women of the city of New York!" And I saw a future full of plenty for the working women.

Donning hat and cloak I walked down town and into 44 Broad street. There were some half dozen clerks at the desk, and I was somewhat disappointed to see that there were no women among them. I had naturally expected the clerks to be women. After a second glance, which convinced me that they were really all men and not women in men's clothes, I concluded that the duties of a broker's clerk must consist of mysteries beyond the comprehension of woman's intellect. I asked for the ladies. Mrs. Woodhull appeared, and with the most charmingly polite smile asked what I wanted. I replied that I was a compositor, understanding my business thoroughly, and that I had applied to her to obtain work on her paper. Instantly the smiling face turned to a gorgon's head—not the old-fashioned, humdrum gorgon's head, but a gorgon's head astonished out of its five wits, that a woman should believe that their professions were really seriously meant and should apply to them for employment. "We won't have our paper spoiled by women!" screamed this self-nominated candidate for the Presidency. I found it was useless to talk to them on the subject, and I returned home, but I could not persuade myself that the would-be President was a humbug; so I called again. This time I was accompanied by a lady clad in silk, and my reception was more gracious, as they addressed themselves to my companion's clothing, and I was promised work—a promise which was not kept. Calling to know the reason why, Woodhull invited us into the private office, where were several ladies and a gentleman, engaged in familiar chit-chat, in which Woodhull joined, utterly ignoring my presence, having left me standing in the middle of the floor. I did not require to be treated with extra ceremony, and waited patiently while, amid much laughter, one of the ladies lost and found again an article of jewelry, and Woodhull, doffing the broker, played lady's maid. After waiting ten or fifteen minutes I remarked to Woodhull that my time was limited, and I would feel obliged if she would give me a decided answer. She turned to the gentleman, who agreed with her that she had no control whatever over her own paper, at which I expressed some surprise; whereupon the gentleman thundered out "that they wanted no dictation, and that I might go where they did employ women." At that moment one of the ladies, in obedience to a whispered remark from Claflin, approached and offered me a twenty-five cent stamp as alms.

How long we might have waited to receive a satisfactory answer from these bright ornaments of woman suffrage we know not, but think it likely that we might have been standing there until the present time. However, at that moment a gentleman entered—a real gentleman—and Woodhull, with a skip and a bound, was off to wait upon this gentleman, which, we opine, was more congenial to her tastes than listening to any appeal from a working woman.

We turned from the place disgusted, first informing the almsgiver that she had mistaken our vocation, and that her charity was thrown entirely away upon us.

Now, Mr. Editor, we do not bear any malice to or even feel disappointed at not procuring employment from these women; but we deem it a duty we owe to the working women of this city to let them know how they are swindled by these hypocritical screamers about the rights of labor, the ballot, &c., and we think they will not be long in classing them with the bugs that hum. A working woman asks for employment and is treated as a pauper and told to go where she could get work. If these are the friends of reform we would cry out "Oh, save us from our friends!" The insult we received in the office of Woodhull & Claflin we shall never forget, and we pray God we may never receive such another; but

The simple fact is
Their preaching is not sanctioned by their practice.

ALPHA.

Letter from Princess Editha Montez.

It is impossible for me to express in adequate terms my sincere disgust at the unwarrantable notoriety resulting from my attempt at a lecture in this city. I am not a little pained by the atrocious lies and calumnies of which I am made the subject. Have the public a right to censure and condemn me before I have been heard? I am not the daughter of Leopold, King of Belgium, but of Ludwig, King of Bavaria, who abdicated in 1848, and of Eliza Gilbert, known as Lola Montez. The announcements of my lecture contain no title. I meant to be known simply as Editha Gilbert Montez, and should have been so known had it not been for the presumptuous interference of officious meddlers. I never met but one of the women's suffrage clique until within a few hours of my lecture. Mrs. H. B. Stanton, who so politely and kindly dethroned me, was presented to me exactly twenty-five minutes before my lecture at the hall, and then she volunteered to introduce the "gracious princess," after Mrs. Phelps had whispered, loudly enough to be heard by all, that I had "loads of money." After giving me some of the worst advice, Mrs. Stanton triumphantly led me to the rostrum—say rather to my doom.

My name is not Claudia. I have never been to New Orleans, nor thought of founding a convent. As to the benevolent clergyman who "introduced me into the aristocratic circles of a French restaurant on Eighth street," he is a myth. I am happy to say that I am in no way indebted to Miss Matilda Heron or to Mesdames Woodhull & Claflin. I have not laid claim to being the "editor of the *Druggists' Price Current*." Neither as Claudia nor the Princess Editha have I ever confessed to Sister Norton "that I was not what was generally supposed," nor was I found by her in a convulsive fit, nor ever had one, nor presented my bill to her with the expectation that she would pay it.

Up to the present moment I am not aware for what offence I was arrested and forced to appear, late at night, before one Inspector Jameson. No warrant was issued for my arrest. I demanded my liberty from him and obtained it by right, not through "the tearful solicitation of Sister Norton." He, however, insolently called me his "dear," and I threatened him with a sound thrashing, which, by the way, I still think he deserves. Next morning I was waited upon by one doctor, not by "several M. D's." I was told that I was to be taken to the Convent of the Sacred Heart; against my inclination was unceremoniously hurried into a carriage, and shortly afterward had the astounding truth told me that I was on my way to the Bloomingdale Insane Asylum. I trusted to the opinion which Dr. Brown, of the Asylum, had yet to pass, and at once I was pronounced by him not insane. I intend that those who contrived my abduction shall suffer for an attempt at false imprisonment. To put myself right before the public I have taken the opinion of Dr. William Hammond, who, after a minute and impartial examination, pronounced me a sane person, remarking that what I had been forced to undergo was of itself sufficient to have demented any ordinary woman, and also that this being a free country I was at liberty to wear a "hat" or go bareheaded. I trust when I next lecture to meet the approbation and silence the scruples of even the most fastidious.

"PRINCESS EDITHA."

HORSE NOTES.

Prospect Park.

The race meeting at Jerome Park being over we must now turn our attention to trotting matters and note what is before us. To-morrow the members of Prospect Park Fair Ground Association will have a gala day's sport, the entertainment being two trotting events for costly plate, by horses owned by members of the association. For the first race there are seven entries and for the second race three entries. Both trots will be mile heats, best three in five, in harness.

Fleetwood Park.

On Tuesday next the Fleetwood Park will be inaugurated by a trot for a piece of plate, and several good horses are entered for the trophy. These are J. Somerindyke's bay mare Fanny, Thomas Higgins' bay gelding King Charles, D. Mace's bay gelding Gwynne, H. Howe's bay mare Annie and John Rodgers' black gelding Crusader. The proprietors of the Fleetwood Park have also offered a purse of $2,000 for horses that never beat 2:30 in harness, and the purse closed with a fine field, comprising R. Reamer's chestnut gelding Colonel Fisk, A. Patterson's sorrel gelding Dreadnaught, J. H. Chambers' chestnut stallion Hickory Jack, M. Roden's sorrel gelding Prince, J. Murphy's gray gelding Moody, and Dan Mace's white gelding White Fawn. This will be one of the best trotting contests that ever took place, and it would take all the wisdom of our most skilful astrologists to guess the winner.

Narragansett Park.

The June Meeting of the Narragansett Park Association commences on Tuesday next, June 21, and continues to the 24th. Twenty-five thousand dollars will be given as premiums to the best trotters of their class, in eight races, two each day of the meeting. On the opening day the first trot will be by horses that have never trotted for money, and a purse of $2,000 will be distributed among the three best. There are five entries, comprising bay gelding Dan Ford, bay stallion Robert Bonner, bay mare Olive Logan, bay gelding Charley Green, and chestnut stallion Honest Dutchman. The second purse is $3,000, and this will be divided among the three best in the race for horses that never trotted faster than 2:24 in a race in harness. For this there are six entries:—Bay gelding Hotspur, chestnut gelding W. B. Whitman (formerly known as Billy Barr), bay gelding Twang, chestnut gelding License, black stallion Draco Prince, and brown gelding Rolla Golddust. On the second day the first race will be for a purse of $2,000, for horses that never beat 2:27. Chestnut mare Hoosier Maid, chestnut gelding Little Day, bay mare Olive Logan, bay gelding Penobscot Chief, and brown mare Ida are the entries, and a capital race they will make. On the same day $3,000 will be given for a team race, and four teams are entered to start. These are Honest Allen and Black Harry, Twang and Rhode Island, Jessie Wales and Darkness and Kirkwood and License. Jessie Wales and Darkness no doubt will be great favorites in this race, they having made the fastest time in a race of any team on record, 2:23¾. On the third day of the meeting the opening trot will be by horses that have never, previous to the closing of the entries, trotted better than 2:50, for which $2,000 will be divided among the three best. The second race of the day will be between horses that have never beaten 2:37, and ten have entered to compete for the prizes. These are sorrel gelding Wm. H. Taylor, brown mare Lady Sheridan, chestnut mare Idol, gray gelding Carrol, brown stallion H. W. Genet, chestnut gelding Locust, bay gelding Twang, bay gelding Shepherd Knapp, Jr., gray gelding Surprise and black mare Jessie Wales. On the fourth day the first purse to be contended for is $2,500, to be divided between the three best of the following horses:—Sorrel gelding Dot, white gelding White Fawn, chestnut gelding Colonel Fisk, bay gelding Prince Albert, sorrel stallion Hickory Jack, bay gelding Dew Drop, black stallion Patchen Chief, sorrel gelding Prince and chestnut mare Rosa Golddust. The closing event of the meeting will be the great trot between Lady Thorn, Goldsmith Maid, American Girl and George Palmer—$3,500 for the first, $1,000 to the second and $500 to the third horse.

The prospects are bright for Narragansett. The track was never in better condition than at present, and if the weather is at all favorable the association expect to pay the additional $2,500 premium to the horse that makes a record better than Dexter's 2:17¼. There are in all forty-five horses entered for the purses, and it is expected that all will be in attendance.

The Stony Ford Stud—First Annual Sale.

Mr. Charles Backman's first annual sale at Stony Ford, Orange county, N. Y., took place on Tuesday, June 14. Many prominent gentlemen were present. According to the terms of the sale Mr. Backman had the privilege of withdrawing the animals sired by Rysdyk's Hambletonian if the prices offered were not satisfactory to him. Below are the animals offered and the prices at which they were sold:—

Six year old stallion Pierson, b. s., foaled May, 1864; got by Rysdyk's Hambletonian, dam by Cassius M. Clay, Jr. $1,500 bid; not satisfactory and withdrawn.

Five year old stallion Fitch, b. s., foaled June, 1865; got by Edsell's Clay; dam Lady Edsell, by American Star. Sold for $675 to Thomas Clarendon, New York.

Four-year-old stallion Stonyford, br. s., foaled May 27, 1866; got by Rysdyk's Hambletonian; dam Annie Seely, by General Gifford. $2,500 started by Mr. Backman; no bid over this and withdrawn.

Three-year-old gelding Alexander, b. g., foaled April 16, 1867; got by son of Rysdyk's Hambletonian; dam Lady Edsell, by American Star. Sold for $440 to C. E. Bowman, Washingtonville, N. Y.

TWO YEAR OLD COLTS.—Nettle, b. c., foaled March 25, 1868, got by Middletown; dam Lady Mead, by American Star. Sold for $520 to Charles Kerner, New York.

Twilight, b. c., foaled April 20, 1868, got by Rysdyk's Hambletonian, dam Mary Hulse, by American Star. Started at $2,000; withdrawn—no bidder.

Cuyler, b. c., foaled May 18, 1868, got by Rysdyk's Hambletonian; dam Gray Rose, by Harris' Hambletonian. Started at $2,000; withdrawn.

Trouble, b. c., foaled May 22, 1868, got by Rysdyk's Hambletonian; dam Lady Hopkins, by son of Hill's Black Hawk. Started at $2,000; withdrawn.

Augustus, b. c., foaled June 29, 1868, got by Rysdyk's Hambletonian; dam Fannie Fiske, by Ploughboy, he by Long Island Black Hawk. Started at $2,000; withdrawn.

Qui Vive, b. c., foaled July 25, 1868, got by Idol; dam Jessie Sayre, by Harry Clay. Sold for $350 to H. H. Rockwell, New London, Conn.

YEARLING COLTS.—Middlesex, ch. c., foaled April 6, 1869; got by Paballas, he by Rysdyk's Hambletonian, dam Lady Rockafellow, by American Star. Sold for $190 to W. T. Ames, New York.

——, br. c., foaled April 21, 1869; got by Truesdell's Hambletonian; dam Rabbit's Abdallah, by Abdallah. Sold for $100 to Major Morton.

Loadstone, b. c., foaled May 7, 1869; got by Idol; dam Mary Grimley, by Harry Clay. Sold for $630 to Charles Kerner, New York.

Rival, b. c., foaled May 12, 1869; got by Middletown; dam Mary Hulse, by Morning Star. Sold for $200 to Major Morton.

Legacy, b. c., foaled May 15, 1869; got by Star (Goldsmith's), he by American Star; dam Lady Ellis, by Alexander's Abdallah. Sold for $340 to J. M. Davies, New York.

Arlington, b. c., foaled May 22, 1869; got by Idol; dam Lucy Almack, by Young Almack. Sold for $285 to S. W. Ficklin, Virginia.

Woodstock, b. c., foaled June 1, 1869; got by Idol; dam Sallie Feagles, by Smith's Clay, by Cassius M. Clay, Jr. Woodstock is a dark bay, two white feet, good action. Sold for $300 to William M. Parks, of Brooklyn.

Balloon Boy, b. c., foaled June 2, 1869; got by Samson, he by Rysdyk's Hambletonian; dam Julia Gavin, by Abdallah Chief (Roe's), got by Abdallah, dam by Phillips, son of Duroc. Balloon Boy is a light bay, three white feet, blaze, small, but fine action. Sold for $260 to William M. Parks, of Brooklyn.

Twinkle, blk. g., foaled June 16, 1869; got by Idol; dam Belle of Richmond, by Rysdyk's Hambletonian. Sold for $380 to J. M. Davies, of New York.

Ravenswood, br. c., foaled June 25, 1869; got by Messenger Duroc; dam Virgo, by Abdallah Chief (Roe's). Sold for $140 to S. S. Campbell, Montreal.

Red Gauntlet, ch. c., foaled June 23, 1869; got by Idol; dam Annie Seely, by General Gifford. Sold for $325 to David Jones, New York.

Teller, b. c., foaled June 26, 1869; got by Idol; dam Gray Rose, by Harris' Hambletonian. Sold for $365 to James Low, New York.

Wilmarth, ch. c., foaled September 9, 1869; got by Idol; dam Nellie Wilmarth, by Kemble Jackson. Sold for $230 to J. P. Williams, of New York.

BROOD MARES.—Nellie, ch. m., 15½ hands, foaled 1854; got by Young Star. Sold for $200 to S. O. Dimmick, Port Jervis, N. Y.

Lady Bryant, br. m., 15½ hands, foaled 1862; got by Brignoli, now Mambrino Prince. Sold for $105 to T. L. Milispaugh.

Bonnie Lassie, b. m., 15.1 hands, foaled 1865; got by Rysdyk's Hambletonian; dam by Foxhunter; with foal by Pierson. Five hundred dollars bid; withdrawn.

Amanda, b. m., 15.1 hands, foaled 1865; got by Rysdyk's Hambletonian; first dam Lady Cardinal, by Cardinal; second dam by One Eyed Hunter. With foal by Pierson. Withdrawn.

Fanny Mapes, b. m., 15½ hands, got by Alexander's Abdallah, known as Edsell's Hambletonian. Sold for $155 to Jos. Gavin, Orange county, New York.

Ella Howland, ch. m., got by young Jupiter, 6 years old; dam by American Star. Sold for $205 to C. A. Willis, Rochester, N. Y.

Fanny Gavin, b. m., got by Alexander's Abdallah, known as Edsall's Hambletonian; foal by son of Harry Clay. Sold for $180 to A. B. Post, Goshen, N. Y.

Jessie Sayre, br. m., 15.1½ hands; foaled 1861; got by Harry Clay, he by Cassius M. Clay, Jr.; dam by Liberty. Sold for $280 to C. Bridges, Albany, N. Y.

Lady Hopkins, b. m., 15.3 hands; foaled 1856; got by son of Hill's Black Hawk; dam by Harris' Hambletonian; foal by Pierson. Withdrawn; no bid.

Mollie Grey, g. m., 15½ hands, got by Young Columbus, dam by Harris' Hambletonian, 8 years old. Sold for $80 to S. O. Dimmick, Port Jervis.

Coquette, b. m. 15½ hands, foaled 1863, got by Wild Irishman, by Harry Clay, dam said to be by American Star, foaled by Messenger Duroc. Sold for $480 to N. Saltus, Brooklyn.

Bonita, b. m., 15½ hands; foaled May, 1863; got by George Miller; dam Brown Pacer. Sold for $235 to Judge Wilkins, Middletown.

Six year old mare Emma, b. m.; foaled May, 1864; got by son of Hill's Black Hawk; dam Gray Rose, by Harris' Hambletonian, he by Bishop's Hambletonian. Sold for $335 to Major Morton.

Five year old mare Eliza, b. m., foaled May 5, 1865; got by George Miller; dam Fanny. Sold for $165 to A. D. O'Neil, Monticello, N. Y.

FOUR-YEAR-OLD MARES.—Lady Moscow, roan m., foaled August 5, 1866; got by Rysdyk's Hambletonian, dam Roan Marie. $550 bid; withdrawn.

Lady Hill, b. m.; foaled October 22; 1866, got by Rysdyk's Hambletonian; dam by Harry Clay; dam of Harry Clay by imp. Bellfounder. $260 bid; withdrawn.

THREE-YEAR-OLD FILLIES.—Young Duchess, br. f.; foaled 1867; got by Iron Duke, he by Rysdyk's Hambletonian; dam by Cardinal. Sold for $275 to J. W. King, Long Island.

Racola, br. f., foaled April 22, 1867; got by Rysdyk's Hambletonian, dam Brown Pacer. $700 bid; withdrawn.

Calypso, b. f., foaled July 4; 1867, got by Rysdyk's Hambletonian, dam Kate Smith, by Old Abdallah. Started at $1,000; withdrawn.

May, b. f., foaled April 30, 1867, got by Middletown, dam Kitty Mills, by American Star; May is a bay, black points, with star. Sold for $325 to C. L. Mayer, Baltimore.

Storm, b. f., foaled May 21, 1867; got by Middletown, dam Green Mountain Maid, by Harry Clay. Sold for $330 to N. Saltus, Brooklyn.

Gay Spanker, r. f., foaled July 9, 1867; got by Rysdyk's Hambletonian; dam Roan Marie; $1,200 price named; $625 bid; withdrawn.

Bess, b. f., foaled August 16, 1867; got by Rysdyk's Hambletonian; dam Jessie Sayre, by Harry Clay. Started at $1,000; withdrawn.

Zenobia, br. f., foaled September 18, 1867; got by Rysdyk's Hambletonian; first dam Belle, by Post's Hambletonian, he by Rysdyk's Hambletonian; second dam by Ethiopian Prince, by Wild Air; third dam from Ohio. Zenobia is a racy-looking filly, very finely gaited. Started at $1,000. Sold to H. A. Barclay for $1,500.

Donna, b. f., foaled May 9, 1867; got by Fitzgerald's Hambletonian, dam Annie Seely, by General Gifford. Sold for $280 to J. P. Williams, New York.

TWO YEAR OLD FILLIES.—Hermine, b. f., foaled May 28, 1868; got by Sackett's Hambletonian, he by Rysdyk's Hambletonian; dam Julia Gavin. Sold for $280 to H. A. Barclay, Astoria, L. I.

Marguerite, b. f., foaled June 18, 1868; got by Rysdyk's Hambletonian; dam Kate Smith, by Abdallah. Marguerite has two white feet behind, stripe in face, action splendid. $1,200 started at, sold for $1,350 to W. Constable, New York.

Undine, b. f., foaled June 26, 1868; got by Rysdyk's Hambletonian; dam Roan Marie. Started at $800. Withdrawn.

Ilma, br. f., foaled August 22, 1868; got by Idol; first dam Belle, by Post's Hambletonian; second dam Ethiopian Prince, by Wild Air; third dam from Ohio. Ilma is a brown, with black points, no white, stylish and good size, fine gait. Sold for $375 to J. G. Wood, Massachusetts.

YEARLING FILLIES.—B. f., foaled April 25, 1869; got by Chorose; dam Lady Falls, by American Star. Sold for $375 to N. Saltus, Brooklyn.

B. f., foaled May 6, 1869; got by Tom Wonder; first dam Wells' Star, by American Star; second dam by Bertrand, by Sir Solomon, by Sir Archy. No. 2 is a bay, with stripe on face, Tom Wonder, the sire, a pacer; dam trots in 2:40. Sold for $130 to Joseph Gavin, Orange county.

Eveline, b. f., foaled June 9, 1869; got by Idol; first dam Mistress Henryon, by Abdallah Chief (Roe's); second dam by Sir Henry. Eveline is a dark bay, two white feet behind, star; fine trotting action. Sold for $405 to J. P. Williams, New York city.

Flirt, ch. f., foaled June 10, 1869; got by Messenger Duroc; dam Nellie, by Young Star horse. Sold for $395 to Hugh Downey, Westchester county, N. Y.

Mignonette, ch. f., foaled July 18, 1869; got by Idol; dam Maggie Jones, by American Star. Sold for $560 to S. F. Knapp, New York.

Bella Wilfer, b. f., foaled August 19, 1869; got by Idol; dam Belle, by Post's Hambletonian. Sold for $210 to S. S. Campbell, Montreal.

B. f., foaled October 23, 1869; got by Idol; dam Bonita. Sold for $125 to S. W. Ficklin, Virginia.

FARMERS' HOLIDAYS.

Horticultural Fair of the Queens County Agricultural Society.

Yesterday being the day appointed for holding the third annual horticultural Fair of the Queens County Agricultural Society it was looked forward to with much interest by the farmers of Long Island, as with them fair days have become established holidays. The attendance yesterday was large, the number being variously estimated at from 3,000 to 4,000. The interior of the grounds was pleasant to look upon, while the exterior presented that barren waste of long years ago, although it was thought that ere this Mr. Stewart would have greatly transformed its waste appearance. No improvements have as yet been made save the building of one house and the laying out of a few avenues. In the exhibition hall, which is erected in the form of a Greek cross, the display of flowers and fruits was grand, and the odor which filled the air was delicious. The display was not quite as extensive as last year, but nevertheless was passably good. Near the hall were numerous patent machines, which attracted much attention from the wide-awake farmers. The most enjoyable affair of the day was a game of base ball between the Star Club of Hempstead, and the Glen Cove Club, of Glen Cove. The players excited much laughter by their lazy manner of playing and their interpretation of the established principles of the game. "Muff" seemed to be their main hold, and well they did it. One New Yorker facetiously termed them the "female ball players," and soon the report ran around that the ladies were indulging in a game, and all rushed to witness it, only to find that it was a joke. The fall fair comes off in September.

The Richmond County Agricultural Fair.

The second annual spring exhibition of the Richmond County Agricultural Society commenced yesterday at the Newdorp Club Grounds, Staten Island. The attendance was very large, and included a number of ladies and prominent citizens of the island, and some very fine turnouts were to be seen; among others, those of Captain Vanderbilt, Mr. Barton, the president of the society; Doctor Clark, one of the oldest members, and many others. The show of vegetables, flowers and fruit was very good, and some very fine specimens of new potatoes and cauliflowers were also exhibited. The management was under the control of Mr. Thomas Forman, who was instrumental, with one or two others, in adding to the success of the fair. Shortly after three o'clock the trotting commenced. The first race was between Mr. Samuel Barton's Pretty Boy and Mr. Collins' Dandy, the best two in three heats, on the three-quarter mile track, and was easily won by the former, who made the three heats. The race was a novel one—between Mr. Pentland's teams and those of Mr. Ellis, of Staten Island. The former won after making two dead heats. Messrs. Thomas Sampson, General Clausen and Isaac M. Marsh acted as judges. The police arrangements were under the guidance of Sergeant Easterbrook, of the Richmond county police. To day, if the weather be fine, some good trotting will take place.

THE NATIONAL GAME.

Red Stockings vs. Resolute.

But little interest attached to the game between the Red Stockings and Resolutes, played at Waverley, N. J., yesterday. It was more of a social than a contesting meeting, as is shown by the positions of the players in the following score:—

RESOLUTE. CINCINNATI.

Players.	O.	R.	Players.	O.	R.
Greathead, s. s.	5	0	G. Wright, s. s.	3	4
Ritter, r. f.	4	0	Gould, 1st b.	2	4
Beardsley, l. f.	1	2	Waterman, 3d b.	5	2
M. Campbell, 1st b.	3	1	Allison, r. f.	4	1
Brady, 2d b.	4	0	H. Wright, p.	2	3
Forsyth, c. f.	3	0	Leonard, l. f.	2	4
H. Campbell, p.	2	1	Brainerd, c. f.	3	1
Amory, 3d b.	3	1	Sweasy, 2d b.	3	1
Farrow, c.	2	2	McVery, c.	3	2
Totals	27	7	Totals	27	12

INNINGS.

Clubs.	1st.	2d.	3d.	4th.	5th.	6th.	7th.	8th.	9th.	
Resolute	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	1	2	7
Cincinnati	1	1	4	0	3	4	1	2	1	22

Umpire—C. Glaven, Empire Club.
Time—Two hours, twenty minutes.

To-day the Red Stockings meet the Eckfords on the Union grounds and to-morrow the Stars on the Capitoline.

JOURDAN ON THE ROAD.

Charging the Pickpockets of the Third Avenue Line—Spicy Correspondence Between Jourdan and Squires—A Hint to Travellers.

The Superintendent of Police, Mr. Jourdan, on the opening of the great jubilee made a run over the Third Avenue Railroad line and witnessed scenes that were not creditable to the management of the road. The same night certain car detectives, who have been accustomed to ride up and down the island as a protection of citizens, were expelled from the Third avenue cars for non-payment of fares. The facts of the case were reported to Superintendent Jourdan, and he immediately wrote a polite note to the superintendent of the line asking for an explanation. Mr. Robert Squires responded in a brief note, in which he declares that as the company he represents carry passengers at a low rate he cannot see why car detectives should not pay their fares as well as other citizens, and the company is not formed to protect its patrons from thieves. Superintendent Jourdan will to-day refer the correspondence to the Board of Police Commissioners for their action, and the result will likely be that the police will retire from the line of the road, and allow the thieves full swing upon such people as are courageous enough to ride upon this line, some of the conductors of which, it is asserted, connive at, if they do not participate in the picking of citizens' pockets.

THE COURTS.

The Swiss Extradition Case—The Clark-Bininger Imbroglio—Action for Damages—A Memento of the Draft Riots of July, 1863—Sentences in the Court of General Sessions.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT.

The Swiss Extradition Case.

Before Judge Blatchford.

In the case of Francois Feraz, Judge Blatchford confirmed proceedings before Commissioner White, but held that the prisoner had a right to be examined in his own behalf if he so wished. Otherwise he must be extradited for forgery. The case will be resumed to-day before the Commissioners.

SUPREME COURT—GENERAL TERM.

The Harlem Railroad Litigation.

Before Judges Ingraham, Barnard and Cardozo.

In the Matter of the Application of the New York and Harlem Railroad Relative to the Taking of Fourth Avenue, &c.—The Harlem Railroad Company was authorized by the Legislature to erect a new depot on Fourth avenue, to extend from Forty-second to Forty-fifth street. This would involve the blocking up of these streets, and Commissioners of Assessment and Estimate were appointed to report what compensation should be given to the city. The Commissioners reported $25,000 damages to the city, and their report was confirmed by Judge Ingraham, with some slight modifications, notwithstanding that the Corporation Counsel, Mr. O'Gorman had put in testimony that the property was worth $370,000, and was taken for private purposes. An appeal was taken from Judge Ingraham's decision, and it came up for argument yesterday. Mr. O'Gorman argued that the streets of the city were owned by the city in trust for the people, and that the Legislature could not interfere with that trust. He claimed that the erection of a depot was not a public purpose, but a private one, and that public property could not be taken on which to construct it under the State constitution. If the act were constitutional the city should receive the full value of the property taken, or they should receive no compensation at all. If the latter conclusion were arrived at then the streets of the city could be taken at the pleasure of any railway company.

The counsel for the company contended that the city had no ownership in the streets at all, but held them for the State, and that the Legislature of the State alone has power to decide what use shall be made of the streets. This was the rule laid down in the city railroad cases, and the damages should be merely nominal, the city being relieved from the expense of maintaining the property taken as a public street.

The argument will be continued to-day.

SUPREME COURT—CHAMBERS.

Decisions.

By Judge Cardozo.

Secor et al. vs. Prince et al.—Motion denied.

Sarenberg et al. vs. Krech et al.—Motion denied, without costs and without prejudice.

Before Judge Ingraham.

In the matter of the Harmony Fire Marine Insurance Company, ordered settled.

SUPERIOR COURT—SPECIAL TERM.

The Clark-Bininger Imbroglio.

Before Judge Monell.

Abraham D. Clark vs. Abraham Bininger.—This case, which has gone through such a series of litigations both in this court and in the United States courts, was up again yesterday. Judge Monell granted an order declaring the assignee in bankruptcy entitled to the property and discontinuing the action. The order also directed the receiver to account to him for the property, and to arrange for the payment of all fees due out of it.

SUPERIOR COURT—TRIAL TERM—PART 1.

A Memento of the July (1863) Riots.

Before Judge Spencer.

Sautres Newberry vs. The Mayor, &c.—During the riots in this city in July, 1863, the mob broke into the store of the plaintiff and stole therefrom a considerable amount of jewelry. He instituted a suit against the city, which was tried yesterday and ended in the jury finding a verdict for plaintiff in the sum of $2,539 99.

SUPERIOR COURT—TRIAL TERM—PART 2.

Action for the Recovery of the Value of Seventy Bales of Cotton.

Before Judge Barbour.

Kein vs. Lupper.—This case, which was fully reported in the HERALD, was concluded to-day, the jury rendering a verdict for plaintiff in the sum of $6,918. The action was for the value of seventy bales of cotton alleged to have been delivered by plaintiff to defendant. The defendant denied the delivery of the cotton.

SURROGATE'S OFFICE.

The Will of Captain Alexander—Mrs. Burke's Legal Position Under the Testament of Her Deceased Father.

The following is a *verbatim* copy of the will of the late John Alexander, now on file in the office of the Surrogate of the city and county of New York. This will is the instrument which purports to make disposition of the property of the deceased in favor of his daughter, Mrs. Burke, and which forms the subject of the now celebrated Burke-Gardiner litigation:—

In the name of God. Amen. I, John Alexander, of the city of New York, in the State of New York, formerly a shipbroker in the city of New Orleans, State of Louisiana, in view of the uncertainty of life, and being sound in mind and in good bodily health, except being nearly blind, do make and publish this, my last will and testament, in manner and form following, to wit:—My property consists in real estate in the city of New Orleans, La., to say, one house and lot on the corner of St. Charles and Thalia streets, two houses and lots under one roof on Chippewa, forming the corner of Race street. I give and bequeath unto my beloved daughter, Mrs. Virginia C. Burke, being divorced from her husband, John M. Burke, by law. I also give and bequeath unto my aforesaid daughter all other property or money which I may own at my decease after paying all my just debts and my funeral expenses. I hereby nominate and appoint my daughter, Mrs. Virginia C. Burke aforesaid, as my only executrix for the settlement of my estate. I married Mary Anne Williamson, of Baltimore city, in the State of Maryland. I had by her three children, named Margaret, wife of David B. Forbes, now deceased; Rosalia, having married John D. G. Quick, also now deceased, and Virginia C., wife of John M. Burke being now divorced from her husband, and now living apart from him. I hereby correct an omission made in the beginning of this my will—that is to say, that I hereby give and bequeath unto my aforesaid daughter, Virginia C. Burke, all my right, title, all title and interest in my real estate, before mentioned, together with all property or money that I may own at the time of my decease. This being my last will and testament, written by my own hand, and I hereby revoke, annul and make void all other wills heretofore by me made. In testimony of all, I, John Alexander, whose baptismal name is John Donaldson Alexander, but I have for many years dropped the middle name, using in my signature the name John Alexander only. I again declare this to be my last will and testament, written by my own hand this fifteenth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-seven, at New Orleans, in the State of Louisiana, New Orleans.

We, the undersigned, witnessed the signature of John Alexander.

JOHN ALEXANDER. [L. S.]

NEW ORLEANS, La., June 15, 1867.

GEO. W. WOODBURY, B. F. LEEFE, G. W. HYNSON, } 82 Camp street. Original.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

Sentences.

Before Recorder Hackett.

District Attorney Garvin appeared in court yesterday and tried the cases on the calendar.

John Hennessey pleaded guilty to burglary in the third degree, he having been charged with entering the dry goods store and dwelling house of Anna Gift, No. 153 avenue A, on the night of the 26th of May. The burglar did not succeed in carrying away any property. He was sent to the State Prison for four years and six months.

Isaac Willroy, who was charged with stealing $170 worth of jewelry, on the 22d of May, the property of William Dewitt, pleaded guilty. He was sentenced to the State Prison for three years and six months.

Barbara Hahn pleaded guilty to an attempt at grand larceny, the indictment charging that, on the 24th of May, she stole fifty dollars' worth of wearing apparel, the property of Malvina Strachelberg. The sentence was two years and six months' imprisonment in the State Prison.

The following is the calendar for to-day:—The People vs. Edward Kolb, robbery; James Dobbins and Bernard Carroll, burglary; Edward Hines, felonious assault and battery; Henry Beck, Richard Strang, William A. Smith, John Ford, James W. Morgan, Timothy Devine, Louisa Freeman, grand larceny; James Jerome, assault and battery; John McCarthy and Michael Varley, felonious assault and battery.

COURT CALENDARS—THIS DAY.

SUPREME COURT—GENERAL TERM.—Before Judges Ingraham, Cardozo and Barnard.—Nos. 36, 37, 40, 41, 42, 44, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62. CIRCUIT—Part 2.—Before Judge Brady.—Nos. 6762, 6392, 6840, 6542, 6830, 7159, 7162, 6792, 2732, 3330, 3874, 3002, 4416, 4818, 4822, 4978, 5054, 5474, 5552, 6294, 6213, 6456, 6506, 6596.

SUPERIOR COURT—TRIAL TERM.—Part 1—Before Judge Spencer—Short Causes—Nos. 1655, 1353, 2917, 3121, 2935, 2943, 3053, 2189, 2334, 2714, 2715, 1774, 3260, 3245, 2558, 3218, 2367, 3214, 2265, 2763, 3221, 3104, 2741, 3182, 3278, 3167. Part 2—Before Judge Barbour—1208, 1742, 1350, 1712, 1284, 2184, 1958, 476, 2060, 1152, 3002, 1564, 1022, 2216, 366.

COMMON PLEAS—TRIAL TERM.—Part 2—Before Judge Van Brunt.—Nos. 113, 573, 874, 873, 967, 972, 444, 341, 979, 980, 981, 982, 984, 985, 987.

MARINE COURT—TRIAL TERM.—Part 1.—Before Judge Curtis.—Nos. 1419, 1368, 1415, 1440, 1442, 1444,