TWENTY-ROUND BOUTS IN NEW EASTERN CLUB.

Delaware Organization Will Match Terry McGovern and "Young Corbett"—Close to New York.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

New York, Nov. 16.—Good news for fight-lovers! Twenty-round boxing bouts will soon be within reach of New Yorkers, who have been starving for a chance to see good contests ever since the Horton law was repealed. The chances are that before the end of December at least one rousing match will be brought off within easy access of Broadway.

The new power in the boxing world is incorporated in the State of Pennsylvania under the title of the Tuxedo Park Association. It has a capital of $100,000 and 1,000 acres of land in Delaware County, Pennsylvania, just beyond the city limits of Philadelphia.

"It is absolutely certain that we can hold twenty-round contests in Delaware County without breaking the law," said one of the promoters. "In Philadelphia the legal limit is six rounds, but in Delaware County we are safe to go twenty. We shall engage only the best boxers.

"We hope to bring out Terry McGovern and Young Corbett as our first pair. The clubhouse will include an arena with a full twenty-four-foot ring, set up and braced with the posts three feet back of the ropes of the ring proper, so that the boxers cannot possibly hurt themselves by striking them. The ring floor will be of corrugated rubber, impossible to slip on and doing away with the necessity of using resin. The house will accommodate 4,200 spectators."

BOWLING MATCHES IN THE DRUGGISTS' LEAGUE.

Merrills Took Four Games From Ell Lillys—Catholic League Matches Last Night.

Three matches were rolled in the Druggists' League last night. Heinrich's team took three games from the Nelson Bakers on the Crescent alleys. Heinrich was high man for his side with an average of .48. Delkeskamp and Enderle had a close fit for the honors on the losing team, Delkeskamp beat Enderle. Each man averaged .35, Delkeskamp having a fraction the best of the argument.

The J. A. Merrills won four games from the Ell Lillys on the Crescent alleys. Schildman was high man for the Merrills. Sever led the losing team with an average of .46.

The Mound City Paints took four games from the Meyer Bros. on the Crescent Royal alleys. Ludwig, with an average of .53, was high man for the winning team. Woehrlein led the losing team with an average of .47.

Two matches in the Catholic League were rolled on the Royal alleys. The Mallinckrodts won four games from the Oxfords. Walter was high man with an average of .47.

The Fanchons captured three games from the Orphans on the Royal alleys. Nolte led the Orphans with an average of .51. P. Frank was high man for the winning team with an average of .52.

CONFEDERATE WINS EASILY.

One-to-Two Choice Had No Chance With the Eastern 2-Year-Old.

San Francisco, Cal., Nov. 16.—There were but four starters in the fourth race, and Bear Catcher, the 1-to-2 favorite, never had a chance to beat the 2-year-old Confederate. In the 2-year-old sprint, Cocksure, 15 to 1, was the only one ready when the barrier was sprung and easily tiptoed his field. Weather hazy; track good. Summary:

First race, five furlongs—Pickaway, 129 (Knapp), even, won; Edinborough, 122 (Hoffman), 12 to 1, second; Blumental, 104 (Barrett), 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:02 3-5. Yo San, F. C. Hunter, Bath Beach, Mackinaw, Adirondack, Aunt Polly, Lady Mirthful, Hay Wonder, Von Zumen and Gamaths also ran.

Second race, five furlongs—Cocksure, 104 (Radtke), 15 to 1, won; Jillette, 104 (Barrett), 16 to 5, second; Avonalia, 110 (Knapp), even, third. Time, 1:02 2-5. Parvo, Iron Watson, Lerone, Laura Van, Isabeau, Fulbert and Jack Rabbiteye also ran.

Third race, six and one-half furlongs—Magraine, 107 (League), 18 to 5, won; Romaine, 111 (Davis), 5 to 2, second; Pontotoc, 95 (Radtke), 15 to 1, third. Time, 1:24. Christine A., Lone Wolf, Foresta and Ed Sheridan also ran.

Fourth race, seven furlongs—Confederate, 94 (Radtke), 13 to 5, won; Bearcatcher, 112 (Wright), 9 to 20, second; Retrograde, 91 (Aubuchon), 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:28 2-5. Sea Air also ran.

Fifth race, mile—Ed Litborn, 122 (League), 6 to 5, won; Byronerdale, 119 (Kelly), 7 to 1, second; Cloche d'Or, 113 (Crosswaite), 50 to 1, third. Time, 1:42. Maretta, Sherry, Turnpike, Follow Me, Eleven Bells, Lone Fisherman, Waterspout and Ripper also ran.

Sixth race, one mile—Callaghan, 104 (Wright), 5 to 2, won; Firmifoot, 107 (League), 14 to 5, second; Tramway, 107 (Reed), 8 to 1, third. Time, 1:40. Nabonassar, M. Lichtenstein, Chief Bush, Lilitus, Sinuosa, Doctor Roberts, Lucius and Iron King also ran.

Oakland Entries.

First race, five and a half furlongs:

Lovey Mary	105	Alton	108
Frank Pfeiffer	105	Santos	105
River Sue	105	Sailoffs	102
Merry Go-Round	105	Nellie	100
Wheatstone	105	Miss Mc Quick	100

Second race, five and a half furlongs:

Meriakata	105	Sugar Carrie	104
Matt Hogan	106	Moada	104
Andvard	104	George P. McNear	104
Entre Nous	104	The Roustabout	102
Rilka	104	Hilona	102
Alvarado	104	Gamble Rose	99

Third race, one mile:

The Lady Robesia	112	Billy Lenox	111
Ike	114	Metanarvon	111
Stewart	114	Doctor Stucky	111
F. T. Shaw	114	Liberty	106
Jack Little	111	Lancaster James	106
El Dorado	111		

Fourth race, handicap, six furlongs:

Prestal	105	Lidge	102
Switzerland	106	Gateway	98
Vigilance	104	Angleta	94
Lady Ann	104	Chewondo	88

Fifth race, six and a half furlongs:

Lizette	100	Jim J. Hill	103
Lizzie	100	Lady Which	102
Lord Cheer	100	Hall	104
Fourth Queen	100	Tolman	100
Miller's Daughter	106	Warlene	100
Lucrene	107		

Sixth race, purse, one mile:

Hermitage	97	Cigarette	100
Philosophy	100	Voltree	107
Dreyfus	100		

OAKLAND SELECTIONS.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

San Francisco, Nov. 16.—Selections:

First Race—River Sue, Merry Go Round, Lovey Mary.

Second Race—Meriakata, George P. McNear, The Roustabout.

Third Race—The Lady Robesia, Jack Little, Billy.

Fourth Race—Fireball, Tocalam, Deutsch and.

Fifth Race—Lerone, Sunrose, Miller's Daughter.

Sixth Race—Rightful, Divina, Briarthorpe.

Waldecker Wins at Pool.

L. W. Waldecker defeated E. C. Mack in the French pool tournament at the Roller last night, and as a result is tied with Sam Dorsey for the lead. Waldecker won three straight games from his opponent. Was at no stage save the fifth game was Mack able to get close to his opponent, the score of 125 to 41 to which Waldecker executed several nice shots. Mack played his best game in the second, coming within one point of Waldecker's score. Sam Dorsey and J. O. Rogers will play to-night.

M. A. C. Teams Practice.

The swimming and track squads of the Missouri Athletic Club reported for the first practice of the season last night. Bassett is getting his men in shape for the indoor meet to be held next month, while Mudge is preparing his charges for the sport. A number of the club's crack foilists reported last night, and the dual contests with Yale and Chicago.

To Play Special Match.

Gutheel and De Vries will meet in a special three-cushion match at the Royal tonight for a purse of $50. The tournament match between Smith and Maley last night was postponed on account of the illness of the former.

Hoffman Wins at Billiards.

Hoffman had little trouble in winning from De Haas in the three-cushion tournament at the Grand last night. The score was 25 to 11 in favor of the former, who made an average of .70 and a high run of three. Hook and Broadhead will play to-night.

BRATTON WINS A RIBBON.

His Four-in-Hand Takes Third Prize at New York Horse Show.

New York, Nov. 16.—The third day of the annual horse show in Madison Square Garden ended to-night with Eben D. Jordan of Boston, at the head of the list of prize winners, with eight blue ribbons to his credit. Mrs. Gerken of this city, is second with seven blue ribbons, while Judge William H. Moore of Chicago and H. N. Bain of Poughkeepsie, N. Y., are tied for the honors with six blue ribbons each. Alfred Vanderbilt has won five blue ribbons, and Reginald Vanderbilt has captured only one.

Eight four-in-hands were driven into the arena to-night, the drivers displaying consummate skill. Alfred G. Vanderbilt drove his coach Venture, while George Wilson was on the box of Mr. Vanderbilt's other coach, Good Times.

C. Ledyard Blair drove the coach Defiance. Maurice Howlett was whip for Otto H. Kahn, and Judge Moore handled the reins over his own thoroughbreds.

First prize went to Alfred Vanderbilt's four grays. Mr. Moore received the red ribbon and John S. Bratton of St. Louis third honor.

MILLER WINS AT BILLIARDS.

Defeats Sommers in Close Match at Three Cushions.

Play was resumed in the three-cushion billiard tournament at the Hauser last night. Miller winning from Sommers by the close score of 25 to 23. The game was a good one, the players alternating for the lead throughout the contest.

Miller made an average of .48 and a high run of four. Sommer's average was .46. Wilson and Friede are scheduled to meet to-night.

Charlie Peterson and Joe Mun Smith are still practicing at balk line. Peterson started from bank with a run of 129 and averaged .40 for the final inning.

HASTINGS WINS ROLLER RACE.

Takes First Place in Mile Event at Jal-Alai in Good Style.

Ray Hastings won the mile roller-skating race at the Jal-Alai last night from a field of five starters. The event was close from start to finish, as the players alternated at the leading position, and Hastings only won after he made a final spurt on the last lap and went to the front from third position.

Ray McDonald, who finished second, showed the best judgment in the contest. He allowed the others to make pace, but his sprint was not fast enough, and he landed only second place. J. Cunningham, H. Melick and A. J. Crefet finished in the order named. The time was 3:52. Another heat will be run off to-night, and the final to-morrow night. The winners of each night's heat will be eligible to compete in the final. A gold medal will be awarded to the winner.

The Independents and Jai-Alais will meet at roller polo to-morrow night. From the form shown in practice, they seem to be about equally matched and should furnish a good contest.

Athletic Club to Incorporate.

Application for a pro forma decree of incorporation for the Lafayette Athletic Club was made to the Circuit Court yesterday. Thomas P. Kane is president, Charles F. Weibel secretary and R. Boehmer treasurer.

PURCHASERS OF DIAMONDS.

A Rare Opportunity. An Unusual Offer.

It is generally known, and conceded, that diamonds have almost doubled in value in the past few years.

This being true, the astonishing offer of Mermod, Jaccard & King Jewelry Co. to sell diamonds at former prices, is a great surprise; but, notwithstanding this, they go still further, as will be seen by their ad on the last page of this paper, and make the remarkable offer to repay in cash the entire amount, less ten per cent, for all diamonds returned to them within two years date of sale.

This extraordinary offer enables one to own a diamond and know its exact cash value at all times. You are also assured of the fact that your money, less ten per cent, will be returned to you any time within two years of purchase on demand.

WATERWAYS CONVENTION AT CAIRO RE-ELECTS OFFICERS.

Portsmouth, O., Chosen for Next Year's Session—Congress Commended for Its Action.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Cairo, Ill., Nov. 16.—The eleventh annual convention of the Ohio Valley Improvement Association came to a close this afternoon after a hard day's work. Portsmouth, O., was selected unanimously as the place for next year's meeting.

The officers were all re-elected unanimously, and are: President, John L. Vance; secretary and treasurer, J. F. Allison; Executive and Finance Committee, John L. Vance, J. F. Allison, George Pichtta, O. F. Barrett, Paris C. Brown, Albert Bettinger, Edwin C. Gibbs, R. W. Wise and M. B. Farrin.

Von Albert Bettinger of Cincinnati addressed the meeting this morning and reviewed the work done on the upper Ohio. Much of the time of the forenoon session was devoted to the presentation of the memorial to the late Captain J. P. Drayo of Pittsburg.

The speakers this afternoon were President Wilkinson of the Upper Mississippi Valley Association and Secretary Fox of the St. Francis River Improvement Association, who spoke on the subject of the national waterways movement.

Resolutions commending Congress for indorsing a 9-foot stage of the Ohio and a survey of the entire river from Pittsburg to Cairo by a competent board of United States Engineers were adopted.

The declaration of principles approved by the association at its meetings in Parkersburg, W. Va., Evansville, Ind., in Huntington, 1904, was reaffirmed. The delegates departed for their homes tonight.

Tourist Car Service to Texas and Old Mexico via Iron Mountain Route for Homeseekers' Excursion, Tuesday, November 21. Leave Union Station, St. Louis 8:30 p. m. City ticket office, Sixth and Olive streets.

THREE THOUSAND CLUB MEET.

Y. M. C. A. Body to Have Assembly To-Morrow Night.

The Three Thousand Club of the Central Young Men's Christian Association will give a dinner at the Y. M. C. A. Grand and Franklin avenues, Saturday evening at 6:30.

The purpose of the club is to increase the membership of the Central Association to 3,000 before January 1, 1906.

The speakers of the evening will be John W. Peters, chairman of the Membership Committee, and E. T. Beck, leader of the club. Covers will be laid for 125.

GRAND JURY AT WORKHOUSE.

Charges of Brutality Said to Be Responsible for Inspection.

The initial visit of the St. Louis Grand Jury was made yesterday to the Workhouse. The jurors reached the Workhouse before the officials there could be notified.

The recent charges of brutality at the Workhouse are said to have been responsible for the secret visit of the Grand Jury. The inquisitorial body will soon make its final report, but before doing so all the jury instructions will be inspected.

PERPLEXING SOCIAL PROBLEMS CAN BE SOLVED BY IRRIGATION

In Address to St. Louis Branch George H. Maxwell of National Irrigation Association Says Tendency of Americans to the Congested Cities Is Bad for Civilization and Offers Suggestion of Small Farms for Slum Dwellers and Others of Big Cities as a Solution of the Question.

POINTS IN ADDRESSES AT IRRIGATION MEETING.

"When the irrigation project shall have reached fulfillment in the territory contiguous to St. Louis this city's buying population will have been increased by 10,000,000 persons."—National Chairman George H. Maxwell.

"The irrigation plan calls for the building of thousands upon thousands of homes—the mainstays of the Republic. Whoever heard of a man taking up arms in defense of his boarding-house?"—Local Chairman H. H. Wernse.

"The claim of those opposed to the 'back-to-the-farm' policy is that, in these days of intense sociability, no one cares to return to the loneliness and solitude of the country. But, with such little farms as are proposed in the irrigation project, no farmer would be without neighbors near by and on all sides."—Charles F. Ziebold.

"As an illustration of what might be accomplished in land values by the irrigationists' plan, I cite the instance of certain land in Missouri that I know of that was formerly worth from 50 cents to $1.50 an acre, but now cannot be bought for less than from $100 to $150 an acre."—Former Attorney General E. C. Crow.

The recently formed St. Louis branch of the National Irrigation Association held its first public meeting in the Mercantile Club last night, H. H. Wernse presiding.

A. L. Shapleigh, who was on the programme, was unable to be present, and Mr. Wernse read a letter from him.

The speaker of the evening was George H. Maxwell, executive chairman of the National Irrigation Association. Prior to his address, stereopticon views bearing on the irrigation problem were shown by A. W. Hadley of Chicago, the views having been loaned by the United States Reclamation and Forestry Service.

Mr. Maxwell dwelt, in opening, upon the fact that the water that causes destruction and ruin in the vicinity of St. Louis in time of flood comes from miles and miles of northern and western country, even from the tops of the Rocky Mountains. He said the irrigation movement purposes to control this turbulent flowing, and save many dollars.

He spoke of the St. Louis World's Fair and of the land included in the Louisiana Purchase, and declared that the occupying of it and its subjugation to the uses of man would be even greater achievements than was its acquirement.

The speaker asked whether, with all due consideration for the great Fair, money spent for the purpose of something that would endure for all time in the Louisiana Purchase territory, would not be put to better use than money spent for the construction of a passing show.

His statement was that if carried to its fulfillment in the Louisiana Purchase area, this land would possess a nation all by itself ten times stronger than the Empire of Japan. The tendency of United States, he said, is like that of England, away from the farms and to the congested cities. In little Japan, he said, the tendency is the reverse, and the country is divided into myriads of little farms, so that the nation is one of nature-loving people.

SHOULD FOLLOW JAPAN.

"It behooves us to follow Japan's example in this connection," said Mr. Maxwell. "We should promptly abandon the tendency of England which is to big estates, which make vast tracts of land available only for pleasure purposes. There is danger lest we rot and degenerate in our cities, as they are doing in the great municipalities of Britain.

"We must carry our pall out beginning at the mouth of the Mississippi, the country about which has appropriately been termed the 'square foot of the Republic,' and we must reach out to every dell, drain every bit of swamp land and dampen every space of desert waste."

Continuing, the speaker pictured how safe St. Louis might be from overflow of the levees, and emphasized the ten and twenty-acre farm plan as applied to territory contiguous to this city. His declaration was that with the plan of the irrigationists carried to its fulfillment in this region, the buying population of St. Louis would be increased by 10,000,000 persons.

The little patches of farm lands would, he said, be laced and interlaced by electric and steam roads; good roads would be constructed everywhere, and more and more schools and churches would spring into existence.

Mr. Maxwell declared local influences can never bring about what the irrigationists desire. That can only be accomplished by the National Government, and therefore the people of all United States, from Maine to California and from St. Paul to New Orleans, must be appealed to to make the irrigation plan a continuous national issue.

Reservoirs, levees and canals are all to no purpose, he added, if they be not supplanted with good forestry work. Forestry is to be classed with our army, navy and forts as a means of national defense, and along this line a national sentiment in its favor must be created.

Mr. Maxwell made the point that when the people of this nation once make up their minds that a certain project is good, money never stands in the way of its fulfilment, and cited the Panama Canal as an instance. He said the canal will surely be built, and by Americans.

"In New York today," said the speaker, reverting to the congested city argument, "thousands upon thousands of human beings are living under such social and physical conditions as to rot and degenerate citizenship. Official report shows that the children of these surplus-surrounded men and women are born fearfully deformed and cursed by awful diseases. What shall be the reform? It is a national crime, since we cannot stop the poor foreigners from coming to this country, not to do something for them."

SOLVES LABOR PROBLEM.

Mr. Maxwell held that our public-school system, unfortunately, is bringing young America farther and farther away from the farm and fitting him for a city life. He said the irrigation problem must be solved by training that must extend from the kindergarten to the college and that when once it is solved, there will no longer remain a labor problem to be contended with, for, if the fulfillment of the irrigation idea does no more than provide a man with a quarter-acre farm on which he can have a few chickens and a goat, it will be a vast improvement on the manner in which he is living in the Gotham slums.

He called upon the business men of St. Louis to swing into line with those of the great cities in furthering the irrigation movement, and to set the nation on fire with enthusiasm for the plan.

Former Attorney General E. C. Crow made a short speech in advocacy of the issue explained by Mr. Maxwell, and cited a time when land in Missouri that now brings $100 and $150 an acre was worth only from 50 cents to $1.50.

Charles F. Ziebold said one of the chief arguments against the "back-to-the-farm" plan is the claim that, in these days of intense sociability, men do not like to go back to the loneliness and comparative solitude of the farm. He said his argument is met by the small-farm theorists with the counter assertion that, where the farms were small no man would be without neighbors on all sides.

BELLEVILLE.

MINER BURIED FOR HOURS UNDER A MASS OF DEBRIS.

Burning Dynamite Fuse Threatened Lives of Score of Men Near Belleville.

Blasting with dynamite caused the collapse of a roof in the Muren mine, near the Southern railroad in St. Clair county, yesterday afternoon. Daniel Hipp, a shoveler, was wedged under the debris for three hours, being rescued by fellow-workers after one of them, Theodore Bettiger, had stamped out a burning fuse to prevent an explosion which might have wrecked the entire mine and brought instant death to a score of workmen.

Hipp had fired two shots and had lighted a fuse preparatory to a third, when the roof collapsed.

He is at St. Elizabeth's Hospital, Belleville, in a critical condition. Hipp is 22 years old, married and lives on Bellview street in Belleville.

JURY ACQUITS AGED MAN.

Circulating Obscene Literature Was Charge Against Schaaf.

George Schaaf, a Justice of the Peace of Smithton, St. Clair county, was acquitted in the Circuit Court at Belleville yesterday on a charge of circulating obscene literature.

Schaaf is 70 years old. He and his wife were arrested on complaint of Henrietta and Pearl Beck, who alleged that the man had attempted to impair their reputation. The case against Mrs. Schaaf was dismissed in morning by the jury's action, but the withdrawal has probably result in the proceedings against the wife being quashed.

INJURED IN A RUNAWAY.

Marion Farmer Sustains Compound Fracture of Right Leg.

L. W. Eckert, a farmer of Marion, St. Clair County, suffered a compound fracture of the right leg and serious internal injuries as the result of a runaway accident at Freeburg yesterday. He was taken to St. Elizabeth's Hospital, Belleville, where he was treated by Doctor Schmidt.

It is said that the leg will have to be amputated and that the internal injuries may cause death.

Mr. Eckert had driven to Belleville for a load of furniture and stopped at Sieg's Hotel, Freeburg, for dinner. He unhitched the side traces of the team and was getting some feed out of the wagon when the horses ran away.

Eckert managed to get hold of one of the traces and tried to stop the team by pulling on it. He stumbled, and losing his balance, was dragged until he lost consciousness, when the front and rear wheels of the wagon passed over his right leg.

East Side Realty Transfers.

Real estate transfers filed for record in Belleville yesterday were as follows:

Nathaniel C. McLean to Frank Malch, warranty deed to lot 1, subdivision of lots 49 and 50, Illinois City subdivision, $[illegible].

Frank Malch to Nathaniel C. McLean, warranty deed to lot 1, block 11, Tarwater addition, consideration, $[illegible].

H. J. Sexton to T. F. Bates, warranty deed to lots 38 and 40, block 9, Dunlavy subdivision, $[illegible].

H. J. Sullivan and Charles Maier to John Fisher, warranty deed to lot 3, block 1, deHaan-Mayer subdivision, consideration, $[illegible].

H. J. deHaan and Charles Maier to Louis Fisher, warranty deed to lot 11, block 1, deHaan-Mayer subdivision, consideration, $[illegible].

H. J. deHaan and Charles Maier to J. F. Nagel, warranty deed to lot 10, block 1, deHaan-Mayer subdivision, consideration, $[illegible].

Jacob Schaefer, Jr., to Daniel G. Potter, quitclaim deed to lot 4, block 1, Stringer Place, consideration, $[illegible].

John T. Gardner to Joanna P. Cheek, warranty deed to northwest 40 feet of lot 3, block 4, Stringer's Place, consideration, $[illegible].

C. L. Gray, trustee, to W. D. Abraham, warranty deed to lots 18, 19 and 20, C. L. Gray's subdivision of lot 61, block 42, Illinois City, consideration, $[illegible].

Belleville News Notes.

Members of Christ Church, West Belleville, held their annual bazaar last night at the Liederkranz Hall.

Mrs. Albert Decker of Old Orchard, Mo., is visiting her mother, Mrs. F. M. Lutteral, of Pennsylvania avenue.

Members of the Pi Theta Society of the First M. E. Sunday-school entertained last night at which Major Handermuth delivered an address.

The proposition recently made to erect an elevator in or near Belleville for the benefit of the farmers who live near Belleville will be taken up at a meeting in G. C. Rebhan's office this afternoon.

EAST ST. LOUIS.

ASSAULTED AND ROBBED BY NEGRO HIGHWAYMEN.

Bert Burian and Antonio Fatka Robbed of Money and Gold Watches.

Bert Burian and Antonio Fatka of Exchange avenue, East St. Louis, yesterday reported to the police that they had been assaulted and robbed by three negro highwaymen while crossing the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad embankment Wednesday night. The assault was occasioned by a mistake on the part of the white men in the three negroes when the latter told them to throw up their hands.

Burian and Fatka are employed at the National Stock Yards, and were on their way home when the negroes surrounded them. The negroes wore handkerchiefs over the lower parts of their faces, and their soft hats were pulled well down over their foreheads.

Burian and Fatka did not throw up their hands and tried to resist the negroes. The latter were armed with blunt weapons, and soon beat the men into submission. They then searched Burian and Fatka and secured $8.60 from Burian and $5.30 from Fatka, and a gold watch from each. Burian and Fatka proceeded to the office of Doctor Smith, where their injuries were dressed, after which they went home. Their wounds are not serious, and consist only of scalp wounds.

WOMAN STRUCK BY SWITCH ENGINE NOT BADLY HURT.

Although buried ten feet by a switch engine which struck her at the Black bridge or Brooklyn road crossing, East St. Louis, Mrs. Anna Mortray of No. 119 Baugh avenue, East St. Louis, was not seriously hurt, beyond a few lacerations and several severe bruises, she was unhurt.

Mrs. Mortray did not see the Terminal switch engine until it was almost upon her. She then jumped, but did not clear the track and was struck and thrown ten feet. She was unconscious when picked up, and was carried to Doctor Smith's office, where she received medical attention, after which she was assisted to her home.

EAST SIDE WON'T STAND FOR SUSPICIOUS CHARACTERS.

Several East St. Louis policemen were stationed at the Eads bridge approach in East St. Louis yesterday and turned back all persons who could not give a good account of themselves and who, to the policemen, bore the appearance of having been shipped out of St. Louis.

This step was taken in view of the many robberies in St. Louis. The East St. Louis authorities fear that the malefactors may come to East St. Louis and commit crimes there.

Fall Over Ditch Fatal.

Deputy Coroner H. G. Hertel yesterday held an inquest on the body of William Taylor, who fell over a ditch and broke his neck on Main street, East St. Louis, Wednesday night. The jury returned a verdict of accidental death. The body was taken charge of by J. Craig of Ava, Ill., where it was shipped last evening for burial. Taylor was a brakeman in the employ of the Mobile and Ohio Railroad.

East St. Louis Items.

F. J. O'Connell of No. 208 Chestnut avenue and Miss Jessie McKown of No. 209 Garfield avenue, St. Louis, secured a marriage license in East St. Louis yesterday and were married on the sly of their friends. They crossed the river in an effort to keep the news of their wedding from their friends.

The young ladies members of the Interurban Choir have arranged to give an all-star concert in costume in the clubhouse in Winstanley in the near future.

Ladies living in Lincoln place met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. Kitchen and organized a club, which will meet every Thursday afternoon. Sewing bees and euchres will be the programme.

Congressman and Mrs. J. Y. Graff, who have been the guests of Doctor and Mrs. B. L. Campbell for several days, departed for the South yesterday.

KRUEL—MOENTMANN.

St. Charles, Mo., Nov. 16.—Miss Emma Moentmann and Mr. Henry G. Kruel were married at the home of the bride's parents on King's highway Wednesday evening by the Reverend J. A. Friedrich.

"THE GOAL"
By WILL GREFE

This Great picture, **beautifully printed in color,** will be given free with the **Next Sunday Republic.** Artist Grefe will be remembered as the creator of "The Yellow Peril," which appeared in the Sunday Republic Magazine of October 15th.

Ask your newsdealer to reserve a copy of next Sunday's Republic for you!

PRESIDENT FEELS THAT HE HAS BEEN DECEIVED.

Finds That None of Railroad Men Who Protested Rate-Revision Policy, Represents His Organization.

Washington, Nov. 16.—President Roosevelt is known to be greatly angered at the discovery that not one of the twenty-three railroad employes who called on the President to express opposition to Government regulation of railroad rates represented his organization in any formal way whatever. Not one had been selected by a lodge, division or council. Not one represented anybody but himself.

This was admitted by members of the delegation here after they had called upon the President.

At the time the call upon the President was made it was understood, by supposition at least, that the callers stood in a representative capacity of some sort for the organizations of which they are members. In the prepared literature, which they gave out quite prodigally, was a list of their names, each followed by the name of the organization represented in such fashion as to lead to the belief that the delegation was an official one.

Not only this, but it is further pointed out that the head of the delegation was "W. M. Clark, Order of Railway Conductors." The name of Chairman Clark, it is alleged, was by many people confounded with that of E. C. Clark, grand chief conductor of the Order of Railway Conductors, which, it is claimed, tended to give the delegation an even more decided suggestion of official character.

Concerning the attitudes of the organizations of employes of which the railroad men now in the city are members, it is stated that the firemen and switchmen have never passed resolutions indicating any attitude on the rate regulation question.

The Switchmen's Union, the organ of the body, has repeatedly taken the strongest editorial ground in favor of the President's position on the rate question; while the President is himself an honorary member of the Firemen's Union.

It has been intimated broadly that the delegation in the city is here at the expense of some interest or interests other than either of their organizations, and, of course, the suggestion has been that the condition is somewhat similar to that which obtained at the Interstate Commerce Law Convention at Chicago, where it was held the opponents of the regular convention were brought in by the railroad interests.

POLICEMAN'S UNIFORM TORN IN STRUGGLE WITH PRISONER.

Patrolman Eichhorn Resorts to Use of Club Before John Dillon Surrenders.

When Patrolman Edward Eichhorn of the Second District attempted to arrest John Dillon, 35 years old, of No. 1114 Chouteau avenue, yesterday noon, on a charge of driving off with an animal, Dillon resisted and a fight ensued. After Policeman Eichhorn's uniform had been torn and his star pulled from his coat, he used his club and subdued his prisoner. Dillon was taken to the Second District Station and locked up.

Dillon is charged with driving off an animal and also with resisting an officer. Henry Brown, a farmer from Red Bud, Ill., says Dillon unhitched a team of horses from his wagon after he had gone into a house, No. 3561 South Broadway. Dillon is said to have whipped the horse and was overtaken by Policeman Eichhorn at Broadway and Pestalozzi street. Policeman Eichhorn's star was found in the road by Henry Schuerhoff of No. 3709 South Jefferson avenue and returned to him.

Army Orders.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Washington, Nov. 16.—Army orders were issued to-day as follows:

Major William C. Langfitt, Corps of Engineers, will report in person to the commanding officer, Washington Barracks, D. C., for duty as instructor at the Engineering School.

The following transfers are made:

Second Lieutenant Charles W. Mason, Jr., from the Second Infantry to the Twenty-ninth Infantry; Second Lieutenant Harry D. Chamberlin from the Twenty-ninth Infantry to the Tenth Infantry.

Captain William N. Blow, Jr., Fifteenth Infantry, having been found by an army retiring board incapacitated for active service on account of the disability therein, his retirement is announced.

Captain George W. Burr, Ordnance Department, will proceed from Rock Island Arsenal, Rock Island, Ill., to Fort Leavenworth, and Fort Riley, Kas., for the purpose of inspecting field artillery material.

The name granted Colonel Walter Howe, Artillery Corps, is extended one month.

Sergeant Major Harry B. Smith, Artillery Corps, senior grade, Fort Baker, Cal., will be sent to Fort Leavenworth, Kas., reporting upon arrival to the commanding officer for duty with the Ninth Battery, Field Artillery, relieving Sergeant Major William H. Shaffer, who will be sent to Fort Baker.

St. Louis Man Arrested in Butter Case.

Charged with violation of the Federal regulations through selling as creamery butter the manufactured product, oleomargarine, Fred Morris, formerly of St. Louis, was arrested at Collinsville yesterday afternoon, and was taken at once to Springfield. Morris left St. Louis six months ago to open a shop at Collinsville. He was suspected of substituting the oleo for butter and was watched, his arrest resulting. He is said to have admitted the fact.

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CITY CHURCHGOERS TO BE ENUMERATED.

Churches and Sunday Schools Plan a House-to-House Canvass of the City.

The churches and Sunday schools of St. Louis have planned to make a house-to-house visitation next Tuesday and Wednesday, November 21 and 22. Over 1,000 visitors will call at every home in St. Louis and leave an invitation for each person to attend a church of their own choice the following Sunday and every Sunday thereafter.

The canvass is to ascertain the number of churchgoers and Sunday-school attendants in the city, and to extend to the people an invitation to attend some church or Sunday school that they may receive the benefits to be derived from being an attendant at church services.

The city has been divided into wards and a ward committeeman has been appointed, who in turn has divided the wards into districts. Each church has been given one or more wards, according to the number of visitors supplied by the churches.

The work is undenominational and has for one of its purposes that of ascertaining how many of the 700,000 residents of St. Louis are not church members. It is being conducted by the Sunday School Union.

At the regular monthly meeting of the Executive Committee of the Missouri Sunday-School Association, held at the Sunday-school headquarters, No. 315 Laclede building, yesterday afternoon, P. M. Hanson, former treasurer of the association, was elected president, and W. H. McClain, general manager of the Provident Association, was elected treasurer, to succeed Mr. Hanson.

Horse and Buggy Missing.

J. C. Chenoweth, a merchant at No. 1416 Washington avenue, reported to the police yesterday that unidentified boys drove his horse away from in front of his place yesterday morning. The horse was attached to a storm buggy. The horse and buggy are valued at $50.

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FAVOR NEW CABINET OFFICER.

Mining Congress Adopts Resolution for Department.

El Paso, Tex., Nov. 16.—Among the resolutions adopted today by the American Mining Congress was one favoring a national department of mines and mining presided over by a Cabinet officer.

Resolutions were considered all the morning and nearly all those introduced were unanimously adopted.

This afternoon the delegates attended a bullfight as guests of the city of Ciudad Juarez, Mexico.

Take your Want Ads for The Republic to any drug store.

Negro Dies at Age of 120 Years.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Frankfort, Ky., Nov. 16.—"Aunt" Judah Athens, said to be 120 years old, a servant of Governor Isaac Shelby, Kentucky's first Governor in 1792, died at Danville.

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