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THE ELEMENTS SAVED NEW YORK FROM ANOTHER DEFEAT.

A Battling Game in Boston Which the Philadelphias Win by a Home Run Drive—Detroit Pulls an Exciting Game from Chicago.

BOSTON, May 26.—To-day's game was a repetition of yesterday's, except that it required ten innings to decide the contest. For the first nine innings the contest was dull and uninteresting. It was simply a battle of pitchers and Buffinton had the best of it all the way through. The tenth inning opened with Clements at the bat. He knocked the ball clear over the fence and scored the deciding run:

PHI'S.	R.	B.	PO.	A.	E.	BOSTON.	R.	B.	PO.	A.	E.
Wood, lf	0	2	0	0	0	Kelly, rf	0	0	1	0	1
Andr'ws, cf	0	0	1	1	0	Wise, ss	0	0	2	2	0
Fogarty, rf	0	0	2	0	0	Nash, 3b	0	2	1	2	0
Del'h'ty, 2b	0	1	3	4	0	Morrill, 1b	0	0	8	1	0
Mulvey, 3b	0	1	1	4	0	Horn'g, lf	0	1	3	0	0
Farrar, 1b	0	0	15	0	0	Johns'n, cf	0	0	1	0	0
Buff'n, p	0	0	0	10	1	Tate, c	0	0	9	0	0
Irwin, ss	0	1	0	6	0	Burd'k, 2b	0	1	5	5	0
Clem'ts, c	1	2	8	0	0	Madd'n, p	0	1	0	6	1
Total	1	7	30	25	1	Total	0	5	30	16	4

INNINGS.

Philadelphia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1—1
Boston	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—0

Earned runs—Philadelphia, 1. Two-base hit—Horning. Home run—Clements. Stolen bases—Wood, Fogarty, Delehanty, Mulvey, Nash. First base on balls—Buffinton. First base on errors—Philadelphia, 3. Struck out—Kelly, Wise, 2, Morrill, Horning, 2, Johnston, Fogarty, Delehanty, 2, Farrar, Mulvey. Wild pitches—Buffinton. Time—2 hours. Umpire—Lynch. Left on base—Philadelphia, 8; Boston, 3.

CHICAGO, May 26.—The Detroits won an intensely exciting game to-day by hard batting and a gross decision by Umpire Decker. Pettit ran into the crowd in the seventh inning and caught a fly from Bennett's bat. The ball was returned to second before Twitchell returned. Decker refused to allow the catch or the double play on the ground that he did not see the catch. The decision won the game for the Detroits. Score:

CHICAGO.	R.	B.	PO.	A.	E.	DETROIT.	R.	B.	PO.	A.	E.
Ryan, cf	2	2	3	0	0	Ff'h'ds, 2b	3	3	7	4	0
Sullivan, lf	1	0	0	1	0	Br'th'rs, 1b	1	3	7	1	1
Pettit, rf	0	3	0	0	0	T'o'ms'n, rf	0	0	5	0	0
Anson, 1b	1	1	11	1	1	Rowe, ss	0	0	0	4	1
Pfeffer, 2b	1	1	3	5	0	White, 2b	2	2	0	0	1
Will's'n, ss	0	1	1	4	2	Twit'll, lf	1	1	3	0	1
Burns, 3b	2	1	2	2	0	Hanlon, cf	0	0	2	0	0
Y'n H'n, p	0	3	1	6	2	Bennett, c	1	1	3	3	0
Darling, c	1	1	6	1	1	Gruber, p	1	1	0	3	1
Total	8	13	27	20	6	Total	9	11	27	15	4

INNINGS.

Chicago	2	2	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	8
Detroit	0	0	1	0	0	5	1	1	0	9

Earned runs—Chicago 4, Detroit 7. Two-base hits—Ryan, Van Haltren, Bennett, Gruber. Three-base hit—Brouthers. Home runs—Anson, Pfeffer, White, Richardson. Bases on balls—Brouthers and Bennett. First base on balls—Pfeffer, Bennett. Stolen bases—Burns 2. First base on errors—Chicago 2, Detroit 2. Struck out—By Van Haltren 5, Gruber 3. Passed balls—Bennett 1. Time—2 hours and 10 minutes. Umpire—Decker.

PITTSBURG, PA., May 26.—The errors of the Indianapolis team tell the story of their defeat to an extent, and yet the game was a great exhibition of ball playing. Catcher of McGeachy, Smith, and Dunlap were of the finest, but the break-ups came at critical points. Boyle did not catch his gait until well along in the game, but after the fifth inning was phenomenal. Morris pitched a great game.

PITTSBURG.	R.	B.	PO.	A.	E.	IND'APOLIS.	R.	B.	PO.	A.	E.
S'nd'y, cf	3	3	0	0	0	Hines, cf	0	0	2	0	2
Dair'ple, lf	1	0	0	0	0	G'ns'ck, ss	0	0	1	2	2
C'm'n, rf	1	1	1	1	0	Denny, 3b	1	1	1	2	0
Miller, 1b	0	0	8	0	0	Sweeney, 1b	0	0	8	0	1
Maul, 3b	1	2	1	2	0	Bassett, 2b	1	2	2	4	1
Carroll, c	1	1	7	0	0	Est'b'k, 1b	0	2	12	0	0
Kuehne, 3b	2	1	1	4	0	M'G'y, rf	0	1	1	0	0
Smith, ss	0	1	2	0	1	Myers, c	0	0	6	0	2
Morris, p	0	0	1	10	0	Boyle, p	0	0	0	7	1
Total	9	10	27	19	1	Total	2	7	27	19	8

INNINGS.

Pittsburg	1	0	3	2	1	0	0	0	0	—9
Indianapolis	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	—2

Earned runs—Pittsburg 1, Indianapolis 1. Stolen base—Sunday, Smith, Denny. Double plays—Dunlap and Maul; first base on errors—Pittsburg 2. Struck out—By Morris 6, by Boyle 4. Wild pitch—Boyle 1. Time—1 hour and 30 minutes. Umpire—Valentine.

[illegible] was a [illegible] 26.—The base ball games between the Louisville and Brooklyn and the Washington and New York clubs were postponed on account of rain.

At Baltimore—Baltimore, 6; Cincinnati, 1.
At Philadelphia—Kansas City, 3; Athletic, 2.
At Cleveland—Cleveland, 8; St. Louis, 5.

REVIEW OF THE WEEK.

The Senators have at last had their day in court, and for once come to their Saturday night's halt with a most creditable record, having a week's work surpassed by only one club in the League—three games out of four. Their fielding has been really phenomenal; in the three last games only one fielding error has been made, and in the whole week but four. The batting of the two Pittsburg games was a great improvement, aggregating twenty-three hits. At New York, Welch, as usual, was a puzzler to them, but they were able to take sharp advantage of their opponents' errors, putting two out of their three hits into the first inning, and thus sending home the men who had reached first on the mistakes of the Giants.

All the New York papers save one speak in the highest terms of their field work throughout, as well they may, for it was absolutely perfect, and Pittsburg acknowledged herself out-played at all points. Morris was batted hard, and Galvin, who had allowed our boys but two hits on Monday, was touched up on Wednesday for eleven. Luck, which has been against the team all season, has apparently turned in our favor, for although New York batted hard on Friday the balls went straight at a senator, or, to put it better for our boys, a senator got in the way of these well-meant hits and gobbled them up.

Myers "scooped" a sharp grounder from Ward and put out Gore at second, making one of the finest plays of the game, and received great applause. Everybody is delighted that Great Barrington's boy is at last, seeing some reward for his good work in the box, and two victories out of the three are due to his fine pitching, especially the last which the least weakening would have given the New Yorks their opportunity. With Whitney again in good condition and some stick work, the new departure ought to be well followed up. Pittsburg and Indianapolis are not so far ahead that they cannot be reached before the coming series on the home grounds are finished.

It is by no means a hopeless chance that we win another game from New York with Whitney, and that will bring the boys home on Wednesday in good courage. Even if they lose the remaining two they have closed the trip in so good shape that a good crowd and a hearty welcome should be tendered them when they face Anson and his colts on Decoration day.

Nothing in the later work of the club is more gratifying than the shortstop play of Irwin. This young man is putting up a game that would do credit to any of the stars, and has really had but one bad day on the trip, and with that exception has made but three errors in ten games, accepting sixty-six chances with an average of .956. Including the day off he has an average for the trip of .900, and has made twelve hits in eleven games. Myers is also closely following him in base play, nearly all the errors given him being for failure to prevent stolen bases, which are mostly on a scorer's judgment of thrown balls. Donnelly is also playing a good third, but not batting much.

Pittsburg almost knocked out Walter Hewett by a demand of $5,000 for Arthur Whitney. As he is of no use to them the price is a modest one. His batting, under the three-strike rule in 1886 was only a very little better than Donnelly's, and he does not cover so much ground. So it is not thought he is worthies much money.

Many rumors are flying about the manager question, but Secretary Bennet denies knowledge of any probable change other than the transfer of Sullivan to Washington, which may be done this week. It can't be brought about any too soon.

In the League race the principal events of the week have been the good work of the Senators and the great advance of the Phillies, who have displaced Pittsburg and are getting dangerously near New York. These are the only clubs which have won a majority of the games during the week, Philadelphia having taken four out of five and Washington three out of four.

THE LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost.	Per cent.
Chicago	21	7	.750
Boston	17	7	.621
Detroit	15	7	.571
New York	13	7	.542
Philadelphia	11	8	.458
Pittsburg	11	8	.440
Indianapolis	7	11	.333
Washington	3	10	.230
Kansas City	2	10	.167

games being played from Tuesday to Saturday. The see-saw between the Athletics and the Baltimores still continues, with the Quaker club on top at present. Otherwise there is no change in the positions. The second division came out ahead yesterday, Kansas City, Baltimore, and Cleveland being winners.

THE ASSOCIATION.

	Won.	Lost.	Per cent.
Cincinnati	22	6	.786
St. Louis	18	7	.720
Brooklyn	23	9	.690
Athletic	22	14	.461
Baltimore	11	14	.440
Louisville	9	19	.321
Cleveland	9	20	.310
Kansas City	7	19	.220

The following table shows the games won and lost by each club in the series just closed in the west. It will be seen that the western clubs playing at home have a good margin on the credit side, Chicago having the best record, and Boston alone of the eastern clubs winning a majority. Had Washington done fairly well the series would have been very nearly a tie.

WESTERN.

	Won.	Lost.
Chicago	9	4
Detroit	8	5
Pittsburg	5	6
Indianapolis	6	7
	—	—
	28	22

EASTERN.

	Won.	Lost.
Boston	8	7
New York	6	6
Philadelphia	5	5
Washington	3	10
	—	—
	22	28

ROOM FOR A DEMOCRAT.

The Oldest Money Order Superintendent in the Service Resigns.

Mr. Henry L. Johnson, of New Hampshire, formerly a clerk in the internal revenue bureau, was appointed by Postmaster Ross yesterday chief of the money order division of the city postoffice, vice Mr. S. H. Merrill, resigned. Purely political reasons are the grounds on which the change in the office was made—the discharge of a Republican to make room for a Democrat.

The retiring superintendent, Mr. Merrill, is the oldest money order superintendent in length of service in the country. He served throughout the entire war, and was promoted for gallantry from a non-commissioned officer to the command of his regiment. Mr. Merrill's resignation takes effect at once, and his successor will enter upon his new duties to-morrow. Mr. Merrill has been offered the position of cashier of a new Metropolitan Insurance Company, at a more lucrative salary than he received while in the service of the government, which he will probably accept.

The resignation of Miss S. A. Brown, the principal clerk of the money order division, has also been received, and her place will be filled by the transfer of a clerk from another division.

Excursion to St. Louis National Democratic Convention.

The Democratic clubs of the District of Columbia have arranged for special train from Washington to St. Louis and return via B. & O. R. R. leaving Washington at 9 p. m. Saturday, June 2, arriving at St. Louis Sunday evening, June 3. Supper will be taken at Cumberland, breakfast at Cincinnati, and dinner at Vincennes. The train will be composed of B. & O. Palace sleeping cars, on the return trip the special will leave Union depot, St. Louis, at 8 p. m. Wednesday, June 6, arriving at Washington Friday morning, June 8. The round-trip fare, including sleeping car accommodations, one berth for a passenger each way, and meals en route both going and returning, will be $20 per capita. The tickets will be good for return until June 12, inclusive, and good for a passage on any regular train within that time. Ample sleeping car accommodations on this train can be reserved in advance upon application to the following members of the Democratic committee, viz: Wm. Dickson, 1417 F street northwest; Chas. Thompson, Jr., Corcoran building; Lawrence Gourlay, 439 Tenth street northwest; W. H. Clagett, 919 Market space; Lycurgus Dalton, postmaster House of Representatives; J. Hadley Doyle, *Standing Bonds*; Julius Emmner, 1311 F street northwest.

An Accounting Wanted.

A bill was filed in equity yesterday by Herbert E. Payne against Virginia A. Grafton, widow and executrix of the estate of Benj. F. Grafton, and Story B. Ladd, for an injunction, accounting, &c., in the business of the law firm of Payne, Grafton & Ladd. This action was taken to have certain accounts now disputed by Mrs. Grafton settled equitably by the courts.

Grand Excursion to Cincinnati via Pennsylvania Railroad.

The Pennsylvania railroad announce the lowest rates to Cincinnati, Ohio, on the occasion of the meeting of the Supreme Lodge, Uniformed Rank, Knights of Pythias, June 12, ever made out of Washington. Round trip rate, including sleeping car accommodations going and meals en route going and returning, will be $12. Special train will leave Sixth street station at 10:30 p. m. Saturday, June 9, reaching Cincinnati early Sunday afternoon. Breakfast will be taken at the famous Logan House, Altoona, Pa., at the base of the Allegheny mountains, where observation car will be attached to the train over the picturesque portion of the Alleghenies. Everything will be done by members of the Nelson division to make the trip an enjoyable one. Be sure that your tickets read on account of the Nelson division, No. 2, Uniformed Rank, Knights of Pythias, this being the only division making arrangements over the Pennsylvania railroad. Tickets will be placed in hands of committee at once for sale, and those desiring to avail themselves of the delightful trip should apply early.

A Flourishing and Most Excellent Order.

The United Order of the Golden Cross is increasing its membership at a most surprising rate, over 1,300 new members having been added to the order since last January, and one of its most active communicators is Capital Commandery, of this city, which held another very interesting meeting last Friday evening at Washington Hall. Two more applications for membership are on file, and there are prospects of many more coming soon. Mrs. M. McCutcheon and Mrs. M. J. Peabody favored the meeting with select readings, while Mrs. Rachel Floyd rendered a very pleasing solo. This was followed by spirited remarks from Messrs. Murray, Hallam, Potter, and others. It was decided to engage Prof. B. P. Murray to give a stereoptican entertainment at the next meeting, June 8, for the benefit of the commandery.

See the $15.50 men's bargain suits. Eiseman Bros., 7th and E, manufacturing clothiers and tailors.

Stabbed in the Temple.

During a quarrel yesterday morning at Richards's brick yards, South Washington, between two colored employes, Horace Taylor and Abraham Harper, the latter stabbed Taylor in the left temple with a knife, making a dangerous wound. The injured man was taken to Providence Hospital.

See the $5 bargain child's suits. Eiseman Bros., 7th and E.

Marriage Licenses.

The following marriage licenses have been issued: Francis M. Tucker and Addie E. Taylor, both of Powhattan county, Va.; Edward Reinhardt and Rosie Cramer, Daniel Benton and Amanda R. Pason, Lewis C. Sheafe and Annie C. Howard, and David Price and Janey Whibby.

Excursion Tickets to Gettysburg, Pa., Decoration Day.

For the convenience of members of the Grand Army of the Republic and their friends desiring to visit Gettysburg, Pa., on Decoration day, the Pennsylvania railroad announces the sale of round trip excursion tickets between Washington and Gettysburg, Pa., May 29 and 30, good to return until May 31, inclusive, at rate of $5.75 and $3.90 respectively.

Indian Boarding School.

Assistant Indian Commissioner Upshaw opened the bids for the erection of a commodious Indian boarding school at Santa Fe, N. M., in the Indian office yesterday afternoon. They were rejected, as all exceeded the appropriation of $25,000 by from $1,000 to $6,000.

Excursion to Luray Caverns.

A select excursion to the wonderful caverns of Luray will be run by the Baltimore and Ohio railroad on Wednesday, May 30. A special train will leave the Baltimore and Ohio depot, Washington, at 8:20 a. m., and reach Washington on the return at 9 p. m., allowing four hours at the caverns. Dinner can be procured at Luray Station Restaurant or at the famous Luray Inn. The round trip fare will be $3.25, and as the number of excursionists is limited to 300 those desiring to take the trip should call early at Baltimore and Ohio ticket offices, Nos. 613 and 1351 Pennsylvania avenue. The seats in the train are numbered, and will be reserved for those who purchase tickets in advance.

Surveyor Forsyth's Son Dead.

The death of Mr. George William Forsyth occurred Friday morning. He was the oldest son of Surveyor Forsyth, and 47 years of age. The funeral services will be held at the family residence, 1707 G street northwest, at 2 p. m. to-day.

THE EDUCATIONAL UNION.

It is Helping Women to Help Themselves.

The Women's Educational and Industrial Union is not a charitable institution, but is intended to do that better work of helping women to help themselves, to educate to higher levels those who are ignorantly striving to sustain themselves, and wasting strength and zeal without knowledge, and to dignify industry by such conscientious well-doing as to lift it to the high plane of the professions. It is not to be confounded with the industrial associations and clubs which have a political basis, for it aims to be entirely non-political and non-sectarian, and is connected with no political party, its first and only aims being the advancement of education among women—the elevation of industry—to provide friends for the friendless, to furnish a center of information where women may be sure of kind answers to any questions connected with their well being, to formulate plans for steady systematic work in any direction which tends to the general good.

Its object is cooperation of industries and interchange of thought on all vital questions affecting the educational and industrial lives of women. It will have special departments, which will be under the direction of competent committees and superintendents.

The educational department will provide lectures and classes, embracing special work in art and literature. Evening classes will be opened under competent instructors.

The industrial department will have for sale useful articles and give instruction in the best methods of manufacture.

The employment department will register names of bookkeepers, stenographers, telegraphers, teachers of languages and music, copyists, governesses, matrons, nurses, seamstresses, &c.

The social department will be in the hands of a large committee and will offer many advantages.

It is expected that a lunch room will be opened in the autumn, where simple, healthful, home-cooked food, tea, coffee, chocolate, and beef tea will be furnished at very moderate prices. There will also be a waiting room, where women can sit and read, and bring their own lunches if they choose.

Magazines and papers will be provided for general reading and kept on file. As soon as possible it is proposed to have a good library, to which all friends of the project are invited to contribute.

It is hoped that these unions may multiply throughout the land, and be to women what the Y. M. C. A. has been to men—a center of good, a place which holds out sisterly arms to the stranger and says: "Welcome!" It will be to women a center of information, advice, protection, and no woman on coming to this city will need to say, "I am alone!"

The Washington union is now a fixed fact. Its officers are elected, its committees formed, and strong-hearted, earnest women are interested in its success.

The union is supported by its memberships ($1 per year), donations, and subscriptions. For the present any contributions may be sent to the secretaries, Mrs. L. A. Keggett, 810 Twelfth street, or Mrs. H. B. Sperry, 321 Delaware avenue northeast.

Republican National League to Chicago.

For the accommodation of members of the Republican National League and their friends visiting Chicago, Ill., on the occasion of the National Republican Convention to be held in that city June 19 next the Pennsylvania railroad has arranged for a special train, composed of Pullman vestibule sleeping cars, leaving Washington at 10 a. m., reaching Chicago early next morning. Tickets for this train will be sold at the rate of $18 for the round trip, including sleeping car accommodations and meals en route in both directions, the extreme limit of tickets being June 25, inclusive, for return passage. In view of this very liberal offer a large number of persons are already securing their accommodations on said train, and those wishing to take passage thereon should apply at once for tickets in order to secure good location in sleeping cars. Confer with Col. L. P. Wright or Robert S. Fletcher, at League headquarters, or R. A. Parke, agent, at Sixth street station.

Order the SUNDAY REPUBLICAN, only 10 cents per month, delivered by carrier and mail.

A Popular Tennis Club.

The Altamonte Tennis Club held their monthly meeting yesterday at the residence of Mr. G. O. Towles, Thirteenth and Clifton streets, opposite Mrs. Logan's. This club was organized a year ago, and is now in a flourishing condition, numbering among its members the flower and fashion of Columbia Heights. The officers for the ensuing year are: President, George Wilkerson; secretary, Will Walker; treasurer, Miss Bessie Towles. The club contains many expert players, as the following names will show: Misses Nellie Walker, Nellie Beall, Jessie Graves, Fannie Colburn, Alice Towles, Bessie Towles, Messrs. Fred Walker, W. Origen Beall, Benjamin Ames, Clarence Dawson, Arthur Colburn, Morris Sample, Will Skiles. Mr. Day and Mr. Skiles were respectively the first and second presidents of the club. The ladies and gentlemen of this club are all enthusiastic tennis players, and are determined that their organization shall be second to none in this District.

See the $2.50 bargain child suits. Eiseman Bros., 7th and E.

Howard University Industrial School.

The closing exercises of the industrial school for colored newsboys and bootblacks at Howard University on Saturday morning, May 19, was a most entertaining affair and was well attended. The pupils showed good advancement in the crafts of tailoring, carpentering, tinning, shoemaking, and printing. Short addresses were make by Rev. Wayland and Rev. Dr. Bulkley, of Howard University, and a number of songs were sung by the school. Refreshments were served to the pupils and a vote of thanks was tendered to the ladies who assisted in making the affair so pleasant. Prof. Mitchell and his assistants spare soon to leave a permanent home established for these waifs in the near future, and our public-spirited citizens will be called upon to assist.

Reliable Train Service on B. & O.

The day express which leaves Pittsburg via B. & O. R. R. daily at 8 a. m. arrived at Washington and Baltimore on time every day excepting two during the month of April. On one of these days the train was eighteen minutes late and on the other thirteen minutes.

The day express which leaves Baltimore via B. & O. R. R. daily at 10 a. m. and Washington at 10.35 a. m. arrived at Pittsburg during the month of April *on time every day.*

The prompt and reliable train service of the B. & O., in conjunction with its improved roadway and the scenic attractions along its line, is rapidly bringing it into public favor as the most desirable route for travel between Pittsburg, Washington, and Baltimore.

As equally reliable and efficient night service is also maintained between these three cities, on which elegant palace sleeping cars are run.

Bugs Among the Records.

While the Treasury Department officials have been patently guarding the surplus, cenobies in the shape of voracious bugs have been making disastrous inroads among the records and documents that have been stored in the basement of the treasury, devouring letters and private volumes by the bundreds. These bugs are gigantic specimens of insectivora, resembling the roach in appearance, and are armed with powerful bills with which they rip up the records and play havoc generally. Prof. C. V. Riley, the government entomologist, has been requested by Chief Clerk Youmans to provide a means for their wholesale destruction.

Low Rate Ticket to Indianapolis, Ind.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company is now selling round trip tickets to Indianapolis, Ind., good to return until June 6, inclusive, at rate of $16, on account of meeting of the National Prohibition Convention.

Not Chargeable to the District.

In the cases of William A. Ehrmentraut and Louis Faber, acquitted at the December term of the criminal court of violations of the liquor law, Justice Montgomery, in that court yesterday, denied the motions of their counsel without prejudice to renew to tax the attorney's fees and costs on the District. It was claimed by the attorney that in all cases of this character the District is one party and the saloonkeeper the other to the suit, and when the charge is not proven then the District should bear the expenses.

Pen Mar Excursion Decoration Day

Special excursion to Pen Mar will leave the Sixth street station at 8:20 a. m. Wednesday next, May 30, to be given under the auspices of Friendship Lodge, No. 7, I. O. M., returning leave Pen Mar at 5:55 p. m., reaching Washington about 9:30 p. m. Round trip rate $1.50, cars will be run through without change. Every one guaranteed a seat. Tickets now on sale at ticket offices of the company, and as the excursion will likely be a large one, those desiring to take the trip should apply early for tickets. This is a good opportunity for a day's outing on Decoration day.

HENRY WARD BEECHER taught there was no hell, but there should be a place of punishment for those who do not provide for dependent ones. Take a policy in the Ohio Valley Life Company, Central National Bank building, city.

See the $1.50 bargain child suits. Eiseman Bros., 7th and E.

THE GREAT DOG SHOW.

Interesting Exhibition This Week at the Infantry Armory.

The bench show to open at the Washington Light Infantry Armory Hall next Tuesday promises to be attractive and interesting. Over 250 dogs are already entered, and it is known that many more will come in before the time for entries closes. Among the fine animals exhibited will be Mr. D. W. Oyster's "Telle Doe," Mrs. N. Brown's French poodle "Iker"—the only one of its kind in the city; F. S. Webster's cocker spaniel "Flip," as well as his pointers. The benches and wire partitions have arrived from New York and have been placed in position. Large, clean kennels of the most improved pattern with wide passageways between them will be provided for the upper tier of "dogdom," while those on the lower floor will be equally as well looked after.

Primrose, the bull dog, and owned by Mr. Henry Irving and presented to Mr. Geo. W. Childs, will have a special kennel lined with red silk plush. Among the local entries are the following: Dr. Mallory, bull terrier; Mr. Samuel Morgan, English setter; Mr. F. Herzog, English setters; J. J. Rupli, smooth coated St. Bernard; M. H. Langley, cocker spaniel; Dr. Martin, Siberian wolf hound; J. S. Maguire, pug; Mr. Wash. Nalor, English setter; Mr. J. Clark, Irish setter and four puppies; Col. P. C. Morrow, black and tan; Mr. Edwin Joyce, bull terrier. L. E. Walker, St. Bernard, "Scant;" J. Watson, collie, "Clipper;" Dr. W. C. Kimpton, field spaniel, "Floss;" T. S. Kimpton, cocker spaniel, "Prince Lucifer;" Miss M. H. cocker spaniel, "Phyllis;" Harold Bluney, cocker spaniel, "Cachou;" H. Sprague, cocker spaniel, "Ligers;" H. A. Smith, cocker spaniel, "Pop;" F. S. Webster, field spaniel, "Flip;" B. F. Lewis, Irish water spaniel, "Jess;" Associated Fanciers, fox hounds, "Chanter" and "Countess;" Chesapeake bay, "Whiffler;" Irish water spaniel, "Banshee;" Mrs. J. B. Bagget, toots, "Judy;" C. E. Lenamn, Mexican hairless, "Mexie;" Miss Annie Cresswell, Italian grayhound, "Zip;" T. W. Spratley, Jadanese spaniels, "Yum Yum" and "Mikado;" J. H. Winslow, Blenheim spaniel, "Joan of Arc;" Associated Fanciers, King Charles spaniel, "Lady Fay," and pug, "Bradford Rowdy;" N. R. Traver, pug, "Tu Tu;" S. E. Rabbitt, pug, "Midget;" Benjamin Miller, pug, "Kelpie;" S. E. Rabbitt, pug, "Daisy;" Mrs. B. Miller, jr., pug, "Admiral;" T. B. Noyze, pug, "Flip;" J. Watson, toy terrier; F. F. Dole, bull terrier, "Sensation;" F. F. Dole, bull terrier, "Miss Norah;" Associated Fanciers, bull terrier, "The Baron;" Mrs. Nelson Brown, poodle, "Ikey;" H. E. Barrett, collie, "Major;" James Watson, collie, Glendale and Marvis, of the same class; Henry Putbury, collie, "Flora;" Miss Helen Wyman, of Homeward, collie, "Ivor;" Miss Florence Bayard, collie, "Dundee;" J. S. Watson, collie, "Kenilworth;" R. A. McMurray, toy terriers, "Jack" and "Fannie;" W. Murdock, Skye terrier, "Nell II;" G. F. McAvoy, Skye terrier, "Nellie;" J. F. McFadden, Irish terrier, "Dennis;" J. C. Hutchinson, fox terrier, "Smart;" J. H. Saville, fox terrier, "Truck;" Associatiated Fanciers, beagle, "Elf;" G. N. Wormley, beagle, "Sister;" Associated Fanciers, bull dog, "Nellie;" Dachshund, "Hilda," and beagle, "Little Prince;" E. Godey, pointer, Peter White, J. Flun, pointer, "Banty B;" Prof. J. C. Schuyler, pointer, "Bertie May;" F. Pitzer, pointer, "Bonnie Jean;" C. S. Keller, English setter, "Flash;" H. M. De Atley, English setter, "Waltie;" B. F. Lewis, English setter, "Polly;" R. N. Traver, English setter, "Princess Pearl;" L. L. West, English setter, "Glen;" W. H. Martenet, St. Bernard, "Leonine;" D. R. McKee, St. Bernard, "Leon;" J. E. Wilkinson, St. Bernard, "Adonis;" Prof. Sheldon, Newfoundland, "Rose II;" C. Klatz, Newfoundland, "Dixie;" T. R. Wingrove, Great Dane, "Lion;" Miss Sallie Woods, deerhound, "Bras;" Mitchell Harrison, pointer, "Besufort;" Tioga Kennels, Gordon setter, "Royal Duke;" W. W. Robertson, mastiff, "Selman;" C. Porter, mastiff, "Brothers;" C. E. Barber, mastiff, "Duke;" Dr. J. Snowden, mastiff, "Berlin Victor;" C. Porter, jr., "Boss Lady Clara," Clare mastiff; Associated Fanciers, St. Bernard, "Celtic," "Rector;" Jacobs Bros., St. Bernard, "Marco;" T. Wasserback, St. Bernard, "Bess;" J. F. Barbour, St. Bernard, "Victor;" Jacobs Bros., St. Bernard, "Prince;" Mrs. E. T. Allen, English setter, "Pontz;" Dr. E. C. Kirk, Irish setter, "Berna;" A. Dodge, Irish setter, "Blonde;" C. G. Offutt, Irish setter, "Flirt;" H. Mencken, Gordon setter, "Fannie."

Great interest is being shown in the exhibition, and every indication points to its being a success.

Low Rates to St. Louis via Pennsylvania Railroad.

For the convenience of delegates and others desiring to visit St. Louis, Mo., on the occasion of the National Democratic Convention to be held in that city June 5, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company has arranged for fast special train, to be composed of Pullman buffet sleeping cars, to leave Washington at 10 a. m., Saturday next, June 2, on which the rate has been reduced to a very low figure, namely: $20 for the round trip, including sleeping car accommodations in both directions and meals en route going, the tickets being valid for return passage on regular trains until June 12, inclusive. The space on this special train is being rapidly disposed of, and all desiring to take passage thereon should apply to ticket offices at once where tickets are on sale.

See the $12.50 men's bargain suits. Eiseman Bros., 7th and E, manufacturing clothiers and tailors.

Excursion to Indianapolis.

The Baltimore and Ohio railroad will sell excursion tickets to Indianapolis, May 23 to 30 inclusive, good for return passage until June 6, inclusive, at rate of $16 for the round trip.

For family use no beer is better than the "Fast" from the Andreser-Busch Brewing Association. Try it, and be convinced. Office corner First and Virginia avenue southwest. Phone 889-5. Frank Schwarz, manager

CONDENSED LOCALS.

The examining board of steam engineers have recommended that the license of E. C. Blackwell be revoked for six months.

W. H. Dyer was given a building permit yesterday for four dwelling houses, 1929 to 1937 H street and 731 Twentieth street, to cost $20,000.

John Norris, indicted for robbery, was yesterday by Justice Montgomery in the criminal court released on $500 bail, with Lewis Stewart as surety.

The commissioners had a conference with the House District committee yesterday on the subject of putting the electric wires of the District underground.

Judge