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is great in clinches and straight Queensberry rules suit him to a T. "Added to that, Fitzsimmons is one of the greatest judges of distance I ever heard of. He can get away from a punch by the narrow margin, always keep himself in hitting range, and, best of all, can hit from almost any position. I must take off my hat to him. He is far and away the best man I ever fought. You may have heard that before from a victorious man, but I mean it in this case, and I am not head over heels in love with Fitz personally at that."

SAYS LITTLE OF CORBETT BOUT. Jeffries says but little of the Corbett fight. He is going to get in at least four



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Pool and Billiard Tournament at Laurel Cycle Club. The pool and billiard tournaments at the Laurel Cycle club are still unfinished. Several games were played last night, but none were decisive in fixing the ultimate score. The standing of the different entries in the billiard tourney is as follows:

Table with columns: Name, Lost, Won, To Play. Lists names like F. E. Brown, G. D. Messing, George Smith, etc.

MEMPHIS RUNNING MEETING. Twentieth Annual Event Will Open Next Thursday. MEMPHIS, Tenn., April 1.—The twentieth annual meeting of the Memphis Jockey club will begin next Thursday at Montgomery park and will continue for twenty racing days, which will throw the final day's sport on April 27. During that time eleven stakes will be decided, some of which are numbered among the richest in the West.

OPPOSED MAKING MANY POOR

In Order That Riches Might Be Massed in the Hands of the Few in Those Days.

Judge Egan addressed a large audience of Socialists at Assembly hall yesterday afternoon. Sedition has there been as large an attendance or so much interest manifested.

FIRE AT THE NEGROES

BRISK FIGHT BREAKS OUT CORNER SIXTH AND MINNESOTA.

Officer Thein broke up a fight between two negroes at Sixth and Minnesota streets shortly before 1 o'clock this morning, and in chasing one of the combatants, fired several shots from his revolver, with the result that the neighborhood was aroused, and a large crowd collected. Neither of the negroes was captured.

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STREET CAR DEAL OFF.

Brown Brothers' Connection With St. Louis Lines Ends April 19. St. LOUIS, Mo., April 1.—The Globe-Democrat today says: After April 19 Brown Bros. will have no further connection with the street railways of St. Louis. They could not secure the assent of 80 per cent of the certificate holders to their proposition for an extension of one year on their option, and the distribution of the old bonds and stocks will therefore be made as agreed—on April 19 and the stocks on April 18.

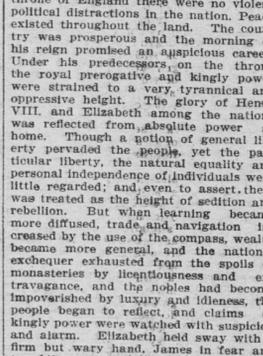
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St. Paul's Leading Jobbers & Manufacturers

Grid of advertisements for various businesses including Boots & Shoes, Dry Goods, Cigars, Hardware, Grocers, etc. with names like C. Goltz and Co., Powers Dry Goods Co., etc.

PLYMOUTH'S NEW PASTOR

REV. GEORGE W. MORRISON BEGAN HIS PASTORATE YESTERDAY. Rev. George W. Morrison, who was recently called to the pastorate of the Plymouth Congregational church, delivered his first sermon yesterday morning before a large audience.

ON MISSIONS IN CHINA

MISS WILMA ROUSE SPOKE AT CLINTON AVENUE CHURCH. Miss Wilma H. Rouse, who is traveling through the United States in the interest of foreign missions, gave a very interesting talk at the Clinton Avenue M. E. church last evening.

WOULD RAISE A THOUSAND.

House of Hope Needs Money to Extend Home Missions. The House of Hope Presbyterian church is endeavoring to raise \$1,000 for home missions this year, to assist the American board in extending its work to Puerto Rico and Cuba.

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