# ALL OUT, TWO DAYS' PLAY.

## Double Holiday Takes Thousands from the City.

It was a record breaking crowd that left the city yesterday to spend at seaside and mountain the Labor Day holiday. It was the final impetus to the brief migrations of those who are compelled to snatch a few days of recreation now and then. The pleasure seekers laughed to scorn the depressing efforts of Jupiter Pluvius. Certain it is that the inclement weather had no apparent effect on the annual Labor Day exodus. The pleasure seekers simply carried umbrellas and raincoats and defied the elements. As a matter of fact the crowds were, if anything, greater than on the same day last year. This statement is on the authority of railroad men

who handled the traffic From midday to early evening streams of people made their way to the railroad stations, whence trains took them to their place of prefer-

Even the spacious waiting room of the New-York Central Railroad at the Grand Central Station showed an unusual congestion of passengers. It was the same at the ferry stations of the Pennsylvania, Erie and Lackawanna railroads. In the baggage room of the Grand Central Station gladstones, dress suit cases and every other conceivable travelling bag were piled ceiling high in apparent promiscuous confusion. The number of trunks was comparatively small, as the jaunt of the pleasure seekers is to be of only brief duration.

Outside of the several stations, the scene resembled much that can be witnessed on any Saturday afternoon in the summer months. All streetcars seemed to lead out of town, as each car carried its quota of rairoad passengers. Cabs and carriages dashed hither and thither, and discharged their occupants, who were met by uniformed porters and whisked away to their trains.

Nearly all the roads ran special Labor Day excursions, and all of these were well patronized,

this being particularly so with the excursions to Nagara Falls and the Catskills.

The Hudson River steamboats for the Cats-kills received their share of the holiday patron-age. The New-Jersey Central carried thousands of passengers, who preferred the seashore and will spend their brief respite from sordid busi-ness at Asbury Park, while the Pennsylvania Railroad specials to Atlantic City were taxed

While the outgoing crowd yesterday was large, the returning traffic to-morrow evening will be even greater. Business men whose families have spent the torrid summer away from the city will return with them, for Labor Day means plans for school as well as the end of the summer season and return to the more secluded life of fall and winter. The populations of seaside and mountain begin to thin out with the arrival of Labor Day.

#### PLANS FOR PARADE.

#### "Official" Estimate Is That 50,000 Workmen Will March.

The farious labor bodies in and around New-York met yesterday at their different headquarters and made their final arrangements for the observance of Labor Day to-morrow. The important thing of the day in labor circles, of course, will be the parade of the affiliated organizations in the Central Federated Union.

Most of the trades union men will wear uniforms usesmiths and bridgemen, of whom five thousand will be in line, will wear the same uniform as they did when the late Sam Parks was their leader. It consists of a red flannel blouse with black belt, white duck trousers and helmet The following unions will take part in the parade; independent of some which have not been assigned to a special place in the line:

to a special place in the line:

Housesmiths and Bridgemen, Houseshorers and Movers, Inside Architectural Iron Workers, Pipe Calkers and Tappers, Pattern Makers, local lodges of the International Association of Machinists, Plano and Organ Workers, twelve locals of the Pavers, Masons' Helpers, Theatrical Protective, Brotherhood of Carpenters, twelve locals; Actors' Protective, four locals: Helpers choristers, Waltresses, International Brotherhood of Teamsters, twenty-three locals; Cattle Butchers, Dock Builders, Eccentric Firemen, New-York locals of International Brotherhood of Blacksmiths and International Brotherhood of Bollermakers, and the Rockmen and Excavators.

Charles Delaney, of the Granite Cutters' Union, will be grand marshal of the parade, and will have three aids. The division marshals will be James Daly, James Kennedy, James Hand, Daniel S. Jacobs, August Waldinger, Jacob Fish, T. Rock and William Fyfe. Each division and most of the ons will be preceded by a band.

The men will form in line near the Plaza, 59thst. and 5th-ave., at 10 o'clock, and the parade will start at 10:20. The line of march will be down 5th-ave. to 4th-st. and Washington Square. There the parade will disband. The official estimate of the number likely to be in line is 50,000, but this is looked on as a pardonable exaggeration.

A parade of the Workingmen's Educational Society will take place from its headquarters, at 86th-st., near 2d-ave., by a circutious route to 84th-st., between 2d and 3d aves., where the cornerstone for a labor temple will be laid. The West Side Workingmen's Athletic Association will also celebrate Labor Day by a parade.

Independent of the parades, individual unions will celebrate Labor Day by picnics, athletic contests and meetings. The Trades' Union Social Club will have a "Labor Day Revival Dinner" at German Odd Fellows' Hall, No. 67 St. Mark's Place, at which the first Labor Day proclamation ever issued will be read by a member. st. and 5th-ave., at 10 o'clock, and the parade will

# MINE WORKERS' PLANS.

## Convention to Decide on Strike Will Meet Early in November.

(By Telegraph to The Tribune. Wilkes-Barre, Penn., Sept. 2.-Announcement was made to-day that the convention of anthracite mine workers, at which demands to replace the present agreement will be formulated, will be held at Shamokin in the first week in November. At that time delegates representing all the union mine workers in the region will assemble. President Mitchell and the district officers will also be present, and their advice will have a also be present, and their advice will have a great deal to do with the nature of the demands.

President Mitchell, in the speeches he has been making throughout the region, has declared that the union wants an eight hour day and recognition, and that if the men back him up by increasing the membership of the union until it includes all, or nearly all, the mine workers, he will be able to gain these two great concessions for them. The work of organization is now going on briskly and the membership is rapidly ineasing. Some of the mine leaders believe that will be over 100,000 before the time fixed for

# UP THE HUDSON ON SUNDAYS

The steamer City of Lowell will continue her Sunday morning trip up the Hudson River as far as Poughkeepsie until September 10, leaving Pier 40. North River, foot of Clarkson-st., at 10 a. and West 129th-st. at 10:30 a. m. Returning, boat is due in New-York at 6 p. m.

# Dr. Humphreys' Seventy-Seven breaks up Grip and

Dr. Humphreys' Famous Spe seven" cures every kind of a Cold-Grip, Influenza, Cold in the Head, Catarrh-acute and chronic, Cold on the Chest and Lungs, Bronchitis. Coughs-loose, dry, hard and deep seated, Sore Throat, Hoarseness, Laryngitis, loss of Voice, oppressed, difficult breathing. "Sev enty-seven" breaks up Colds that hang on and do not yield to other treatment. At Druggists 25c. or mailed. Write for Medical Book free.

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## Brothers Will Seek Punishment for Alleged Plundering of Estate.

Unless the five brothers in this city of Robert Wuerz, who is under arrest in Chicago, change their minds, he will be prosecuted to the full limit of the law when he is brought back here, for stealing from the estate of his father. In the City Directory the address of Robert Wuerz is given as No. 205 Columbusavenue. That, however, is the home of Herman Wuerz, one of his brothers, and it was said there that Robert never lived in the house. In fact, it was not known where he made his home

for some time previous to his disappearance. Robert Wuerz and Frederick Wuerz, another brother, who lives at No. 637 East 3d-st., Kensington, Brooklyn, were trustees for the estate of their father, which amounted to \$200,000. Frederick Wuerz was absent from the city for several days some time ago, leaving the affairs of the estate in the hands of Robert. It was during this interval, it is said, that the alleged irregularities occurred. The exact amount stolen from the estate is not yet known

Experts are now at work on the books of the estate. One estimate places the amount at \$10,-000, although it is not believed that the defalcations will reach that sum. The monthly allowance to the heirs was due for payment on Friday, but was indefinitely deferred because of the missing funds. Once before has the Wuerz estate been robbed. It was not admitted that Robert was the guilty one on that occasion, but the significant statement was made that he had been warned that if his reckless career led him into temptation he would have to suffer the con-

Robert Wuerz is twenty-four years old. He was married, but for some time has not lived with his wife. He seldom worked, and it is said he had a strong fascination for gambling. He was a member of Company C. 7th Regiment. His misstep from the path of rectitude is attributed to the influences of a young woman, believed to be the same person who was with him at the time of his arrest in Chicago.

His relatives here express not the least sympathy with him, and, in fact, are bitter against him. They will show him no pity, they declare. Frederick Wuerz, at his home in Kensington, said to a Tribune reporter, last night, that his brother's peculations will not amount to more than \$1.500. He got this amount by forging his than \$1,500. He got this amount by forging his

brother's name to several checks.

Robert, he said, lived in Stamford up to about a year ago and then moved to Kensington. His wife is now in Stamford. He disappeared about month ago.

Dispatches from Chicago say that Robert will probably not fight his extradition to New-York, in which case he will arrive here in a few days.

#### BROOKLYN MEN UNEASY

#### But Municipal Ownership League May Support Fusion Candidate.

The Municipal Ownership League of Brooklyn, of which Coroner Michael J. Flaherty is the leader, is somewhat disgusted because the organization has not been asked to join the fusion conference in Manhattan, and because the impression has been circulated that the Brooklyn league is a branch of the Hearst Municipal Ownership League in Manhattan.

The Brooklyn League has arranged for a meeting to discuss the coming campaign, to be held in the Johnson Building next Thursday evening. Ex-Controller Coler, Borough President Littleton and John De Witt Warner have been asked to be present and speak. It is surmised that the same night was chosen for this meeting as that on which the fusion conference is to be held in order to show their indifference at not being invited to take part in the Manhattan deliberations.

The Brooklyn advocates of municipal owner ship say that, while they would like to have a hand in suggesting a fusion candidate, they will support the candidate anyway, if he meets their approval. If he does not, it is stated that they will put a ticket of their own in the field.

"We would be glad to support Justice Gay nor," said Coroner Flaherty, "for everybody knows where he stands. Ex-Senator Ford at the head of the ticket would please us very much. Borough President Littleton has been a consistent advocate of municipal ownership for six months and would be acceptable. Mr. Coler would make a good candidate for Mayor, but he does not want a nomination.

'We have an enrolled membership of more than 8,000 and a regularly organized county committee of 225 members, representing all As-sembly districts. What we seek is the man. We anticipate that both the big political parties will insert in their platforms planks indorsing municipal ownership. It will be up to us then to look carefully into the character and record of the fusion nominees for the principal offices If we can expect that they will live up to the municipal ownership principles we shall support them."

Justice Gaynor, who is being prominently mentioned as a favorite of the municipal owner-ship disciples for the first place on the ticket, is at present in Europe. It was said vesterday that he had not authorized the use of his name in that connection.

# BAR FOR M'MANUS-BIG IRON BAR.

#### Politician Scents Diabolical Plot on Returning from Picnic.

T. J. McManus, who is engaged in a vigorous dispute with George Washington Plunkitt over the leadership of the 15th Assembly District, was at the picnic and outing given by "Big Tom" Foley at Sulzer's Harlem River Park on Friday night. It was about 4:30 o'clock yesterday morning, t fore, when he arrived at his home, No. 452 West

Mr. McManus found the front door open, a fact to which he, under the circumstances, made no objection. He did object, however, when in the hallway he stumbled over the form of a man lying on the floor. Mr. McManus says there was a bar, a big iron bar, at the man's feet.

Mr. McManus hustled around to the West 47th-st. station and got a policeman. Then the policeman got the man. "Lock him up," said Mr. McManus. "'Tis a plot,

They know they can't do me with votes, and they eent this man to do me with a bar, a big fron bar." The prisoner gave his name as Henderson and his address as No. 48 Amsterdam-ave. He looked as if he, too, might have been to the Foley outing. He denied that he was the agent of political plotters of the Plunkitt clan, and said the bar, the big iron bar, was at his feet because he stumbled

over it.
"I went into the hallway because the door was open and I was tired," he explained.
It is said Henderson was locked up, but no prisoner bearing the name of Henderson was arraigned at the West Side court yesterday. At the West 47th-st. station, where Henderson would have been taken, it was said that no one of that name had been a prisoner there. Neither had they seen the high group har.

HAS PRIMARY VOTERS STRICKEN OFF. Joseph F. Prendergast, the Tammany leader of the 5th Assembly District, who succeeded Senator Bernard Martin, apparently expects a hot fight in his district at the primary, as he vesterday obtained from Justice Giegerich an order directing between 800 and 800 of those whose names are re-turned by the Bureau of Elections as entitled to vote stricken from the list for various causes.

CONDITION OF EX-SPEAKER HENDERSON. sign his own name, David B. Henderson, former Speaker of the national House of Representatives, is affixing his signature by mark to deeds disposing of his property, in anticipation of death. veyances of several tracts of land owned by him in various counties in Northern Iowa have been filed in the last fortnight, and each is signed by mark and attested by witnesses. It is said that the ex-Speaker, who was accounted one of the most cr-spearer, who was accounted one of the most influential figures in America's public life five years ago, is unconscious most of the time, and that his condition is most pitiful to behold. In delirious moments he is often seen to straighten up, the old time fire flashes from his eye, and he pounds an imaginary gavel as he thunders, "The gentleman is out of order!"

# TO PROSECUTE WUERZ. | VALUED PAPERS IN SAFE.

# Reward in Bonner Burglary Mystery Withdrawn.

[By Telegraph to The Tribune.] Stamford, Conn., Sept. 2.—The most remarkable development in the Bonner safe mystery to-night is the announcement that the reward of \$1,000 offered by Mrs. Bonner for the return of the jewels or any information likely to lead to it has been withdrawn. This has caused considerable comment. Mr. Bonner said to-night, just after returning from a yachting excursion: "There is no reward offered. I certainly offered none, and I know nothing about any."

Chief of Police Brennan and Patrolman Heffernan were a bit surprised to-day to learn that the reward had been withdrawn. Heffernan has been devoting his entire attention to the case, largely in the hope of earning a reward. He said positively that Mrs. Bonner offered a reward of \$1,000 on the day after the burglary He said he read it aloud from the blotter.

Despite the statement by Fullers, the Pinkerton detective, that there is nothing beneath the surface of this burglary, it was said late to-night that the missing safe contained papers of extreme value to Mrs. Bonner. This feature is said to account for Mrs. Bonner's reluctance to give the police a list of the missing articles

#### CARNIVAL OF BURGLARY.

## Homes of Many Wealthy Citizens Looted by Daring Thieves.

The thieves of the city seem to be concentrating their efforts in a last attempt to rob the homes of the wealthy citizens before the owners return from the country This summer many robberies have occurred in country homes and hotels. Recently jewelry worth several thousand dollars was stolen from Mrs. W. C. DeWitt, of Brooklyn, while she was staying at Shelter Island; John T. Williams, of this city, was similarly robbed near Stamford, and a safe containing a large amount of jewelry was taken from Nirvana, the home of Paul Bonner.

With this booty the thieves have turned their attention here, and met with the success that has crowned their efforts elsewhere. They have ooted the homes of José Aymar, at No. 70 East 54th st.; of D. S. Willard, at No. 504 West 81stst.; the apartments at No. 13 West 44th-st. and other houses. The house breakers did much damage at each place they entered.

Acting Captain MacCauley, who is the acting chief of the detective bureau at present, said that robbery is not becoming more prevalent, but well known people are being robbed. G. Morgan Browne, José Aymar's brother-inlaw, was in charge of the looted premises at No. 70 West 54th-st. yesterday. He said that the loss would be less than \$2,000. He estimated that it would cost \$1,000 to repair the damaged woodwork. He denied that the paintings that had been remised from their forms. damaged woodwork. He denied that the paintings that had been removed from their frames were damaged, and believed that they were not more than ten in number. He gave as his opinion that the robbers had not stayed more than one night in the house. There were no remants of meals lying about and no beds were disturbed. The rugs were piled up in the dining room as if they had been used as couches. Jose Aymar arrived last night from his summer place at Point au Pic, Quebec. He went directly to his house. There he was joined by Captain Lantry, of the East Fifty-st. station, and inspected the looted house.

"This is pretty good," said Mr. Aymar to Cap-

"This is pretty good," said Mr. Aymar to Captain Lantry in good natured fashion after he had seen the appearance of the house. "While I have been up on the St. Lawrence trying to keep people from poaching on my fish they've been right here poaching in my house."

He then refused to say anything more. Mr. Brown said that it would be impossible to form any estimate of the amount of the plunder taken, as Mrs. Aymar had superintended the packing, and it would be some days before she arrived.
Mr. Aymar said, through Mr. Brown, that he believed he had left three gold watches and an ssortment of scarf pins in his rooms, and that he had been unable to get any trace of them at the first search. He added that it would be at least a week before there could be a complete inventory of the property made.

# WOMAN FACES BURGLARS.

## They Thrust Revolver in Her Face While Seeking Escape.

Details of a daring daylight burglary and the escape of one of the burglars by turning a loaded evolver upon a woman were told in the Jefferson Market police court yesterday. The prisoner was Ernest Hoffman, eighteen years old, of No. 336 East 30th-st., who was arrested on Friday night. He was charged with robbing Mrs. Agnes Sifiey, who lives on the first floor of No. 2,615 8th-ave. Mrs. Sifley, on entering her apartments last Tuesday, was amazed to find two men rifling her

Tuesday, was amazed to find two men rifling her bureau. The bedroom in which the men were at work is at the rear of the building, and they made their escape through the window and down the fire escape to the ground.

There is no exit to the rear courtyard, and when Mrs. Sifley went to the window she looked into the barrel of a revolver in the hands of one of the burglars. This man, she alleges, was Hoffman.

According to the story told by the woman, the man with the revolver slowly backed her away from the window, both burglars having come up the fire escape. They again entered the room, the one with the revolver bidding her hold up her hands, which she did. After getting into the front part of the apartments the burglars made a rush for freedom. Mrs. Sifley then ran to a window and screamed for help.

Her cries were heard by a policeman on post, who captured one of the men, George Stebbins, twenty-five years old, whose picture is in the Rogues' Gallery. He is now in fail awaiting trial. The other man, who is alleged to be Hoffman, escaped.

Hoffman, when confronted by Mrs. Sifley, admitted that he was Stebbins's companion and the man who held Mrs. Sifley at bay with the revolver, He said Stebbins had the jewelry which was taken from Mrs. Sificy's apartments.

The missing jewelry consists of four diamond pins, four pairs of cuff buttons, a gold watch and some other articles. None were found on either

Prisoner.

Hoffman was held in \$2,000 bail for examination

#### Utica, N. Y., Sept. 2.-A special from Tupper the first day of the open season for deer indicate that the deer are quite plentiful in that vicinity

DEER PLENTIFUL IN ADIRONDACKS.

Seven carcasses were brought in last evening, and there are many camping parties on the lakes in that vicinity that had not been heard from. The deer are sleek and fat, and appear to have had a good season.

# PAY CHECK FORGERIES EXTENSIVE.

#### Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Robbed of Large Sums of Money.

Cincinnati, Sept. 2.-It has developed that the pay check forgeries on the Baltimore and Ohio Southwestern Railroad are more extensive than Southwestern Raliroad are more extensive than was first supposed. The forged checks are said to be turning up along the entire distance, from Washington. Ind., to Baltimore, and it is said that a number of checks have been floated along the line of the Chicago division.

In this city paper worth only \$2,208 has been found, but reports are in circulation that the aggregate amount all over the country will reach \$40,000. Bank officials here believe that the fact that the forgeries became known headed off more extensive frauds, and that not more than \$2,000 or \$4,000 was obtained.

# MOVEMENTS OF BRITISH SQUADRON.

Quebec, Sept. 2.-The six cruisers comprising Prince Louis of Battenberg's squadron started for the lower provinces to-day. The Drake and the the lower provinces to-day. The Drake and the Bedford sailed for St. John's, N. F., and will leave that port on September 30 for Sydney, C. B. The Cornwall and the Berwick will anchor at Pictou, N. S., and afterward join the other vessels at Sydney, where the Essex and the Cumberland will go at once. On September 18 the united squadron will arrive at Halifax, where it will remain for ten days, sailing for New-York on October 2.

#### NEW-YORKER SUICIDE IN SYRACUSE. [By Telegraph to The Tribune.]

Syracuse, Sept. 2.-Leaving an unsigned note say ing that he was tired of life, a young man, thought to be a commercial traveller from New-York, committed cuicide here last night by placing one end of a tube over a gas jet and the other end in his mouth. There were no marks that might lead to his identification other than his laundry mark, "C. E. C." The man came to Syracuse on Friday and engaged the room in a boarding house in which he ended his life.

# FOUR IN BOAT UPSET.

#### One Unconscious When Rescued from Sound Off Pelham Bay.

David Wedd, of Boston Road and 176th-st. his eight-year-old son Charles, Samuel Ellis, of 179th-st. and Suburban Place, and John Hanley, of No. 229 Bronx Park Place, narrowly escaped drowning yesterday afternoon off Pelham Bay, when they were returning from a fishing trip. They were in a 20-foot catboat and had a good haul. About half a mile off City Island they were caught in a heavy squall and their boat capsized.

Wedd's son was caught in the rigging and his father had an anxious half hour in getting him loose. All four stuck to the upturned boat until help came from Jacob's shipyards. Ellis was unconscious when taken ashore, but revived in a few moments. Wedd, Ellis and Hanley are inectors in the employ of the Union Railway

# CITIZEN CATCHES THIEF.

#### After Long Chase Over Walls and Fences.

Charles Young, a New-York manufacturer who lives in St. Andrews' Place, Yonkers, last night captured a burglar who is believed to be one of the gang that has been robbing wealthy residents of Yonkers for some time past. Mr. Young was seated in his dining room when he heard a crash of glass in the house of his brother-in-law, Ernest J. Morgan, next door on the west. He jumped to the door and was just in time to see two men leave the Morgan house and run in opposite directions.

Quickly following one, he captured him after a long chase over walls and fences. Bringing him back to the house, he telephoned for the police. When the man was searched at headquarters three skeleton keys were found in his

He gave the name of Frank Beere, and his residence as New-York. Beyond that he would not talk. County Clerk Sutherland, who lives in the house to the east of Mr. Young, states that the house to the east of Mr. Toung, states that he saw the two men pass his house about fifteen minutes before Mr. Young heard the crash. Marks of a jimmy were found on the windows and doors of the Morgan house, and the catches were broken. It was a cellar window that fell,

#### ECHO OF LINOTYPE CASE.

#### Printers Say They Were Asked to Resign Because of Testimony.

Washington, Sept. 2.-Public Printer Palmer has requested the resignations of Oscar J. Ricketts, foreman of printing, and L. C. Hay, foreman of the job division, of the Government Printing Office, basing his action on their alleged continued acts of insubordination. Both officials have refused to comply with the request, on the ground that they are not required to do so until furnished with specific instances of insubordination and sufficient opportunity for reply is given to them, as required by the Civil Service regulations. Mr. Ricketts to-night made the following statement of the case for himself and Mr. Hay:

That, acting under advice, he does not fee at liberty at the present time to give to the public the correspondence in connection with this matter, and can only say that Mr. Palmer has requested the resignation of these two officials are the same of the has requested the resignation of these two officials because of their alleged "continued acts of insubordination," without specifying any act on the part of either of them which would in any way constitute insubordination.

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They insist that the Public Printer has not complied with the Civil Service regulations, which provide that specific allegations or causes should be made when any officer is asked to resign, or when it is proposed to remove said officer from his position. They say that they have at all times in the course of their long service in the Government Printing office been loyal to their chief and to the best interests of the United States.

They know of no reason why this request should be made at this time unless it arises from the fact that they were called as witnesses and testified in the matter of the investigation of the purchase of certain typeseting machines, and in that respect they gave evidence fairly and honestly, as they were obliged to do under their

er have declined to comply with the reques for their resignations and have submitted the matter to the Civil Service Commission and to the President of the United States, and believe that a full and complete investigation of the situation will result in their being exonerated from any charges made against them by the

# JUMPS FOR FREEDOM.

#### Alleged Burglar Nearly Loses Life in Pursuit—Is Caught.

After risking his life to elude arrest, Thomas Roberts, of No. 301 West 30th-st., was locked up last night, charged with attempt at burglary. He received a deep scalp wound and a sprained wrist and ankle.

Roberts was discovered just before 5 o'clock by Mrs. Mary Pitze as he was about to enter her apartments, on the fourth floor of the six story tenement house No. 121 East 82d-st. When he discovered her the prisoner ran to the roof, and she immediately screamed "Police!" and "Thieves!" Her cries were heard by several tenants in the

Her cries were heard by several tenants in the building, and Patrolman Woodicks and Roundsman Hawkins were attracted to the place.

Roberts, after jumping to the roof of a neighboring four story tenement house, twenty-five feet below, made a jump to the roof of the Jewish synagogue Kehilath, another distance of twenty-five feet, and then climbed into the place, after forcing open the scuttle door. After being attended by Dr. Ward, of the Presbyterian Hospital, he was taken a prisoner to the police station, where he gave his occupation as that of electrician.

# TYPHOID EPIDEMIC AT NEW-HAVEN

#### Authorities Puzzled by Outbreak Among Inmates of a Home There.

New-Haven, Conn., Sept. 2 .- An epidemic of typhoid fever has broken out among the inmates of Springside Home and is puzzling the authorities in the Department of Charities and Corrections. An investigation has been started. Since last Wednesday, when the disease first

made its appearance, thirteen of the inmates, principally men, have been taken down with the fever. J. V. Rattlesdorfer, Superintendent of Charities, in consequence of the outbreak has obtained extra nurses, and every provision has been made for handling the cases. Mr. Rattlesdorfer said to-day that up to the present time the source of the epidemic had not been dis-Samples of the milk supplied to the inmates

have been sent to City Bacteriologist McNeil for analysis. The water supply will also be in-vestigated and the institution has also been subjected to a process of inspection.

# NEW PRACTICE RULE FOR LAWYERS.

A new rule has just been announced by the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court, First De partment, which will be of decided interest to lawyers having cases in that court. The appellants must now file copies of their briefs fifteen days before the opening of the term, and respondents have ten days in which to file their briefs. In each inten days in which to file their briefs. In each instance three copies must be served on the attorney for the other side. The appellant will also have five days after receiving the respondent's points in which to file a supplementary brief. Heretofore the lawyers have not had to file their briefs until the day for which the case was set down, and neither side had a chance to see the other's brief until the case had actually been called.

#### CONSOLIDATED EXCHANGE SUSPENSION. E. A. Rankin, a member of the Consolidated Exchange, with offices at No. 52 Broadway, doing business under the firm name of E. A. Rankin & Co., was suspended temporarily yesterday, as he was unable to meet his obligations. He has been a member since 1903. He has twenty-four hours to make good his obligations. If he cannot do so, he will be suspended permanently. The failure is thought to be a small one.

# ADMITS SEVEN HUSBANDS.

# FCRGETS NAMES OF SOME.

## Woman Embarks Often on Sea of Matrimony.

[By Telegraph to The Tribune.] Paterson, N. J., Sept. 2.—Mrs. Florence Ferrest of No. 17 Hamburg-ave., this city, was arraigned before Justice Abe Cohen to-night on the charge of bigamy brought by her husband, James Ferrest, of No. 78 Ryle-ave. From all accounts Mrs. Ferrest promises to be a woman Hoch, as far as the number of her husbands is concerned. She admitted to Justice Cohen to-night that seven of her husbonds were living, although she could only re-

nember the names of four Mrs. Ferrest was arrested late this afternoon as she was preparing to leave Paterson. She was married to Ferrest eight months ago, although neither he nor his wife will tell the name of the minister who performed the ceremony, nor the church where it took place. Ferrest said, however, that she said she was unmarried, and that she wept with joy when they were made man and

The woman's many husbands were brought to light by the fact that in June, 1905, she was served with papers in divorce proceedings. The pro-ceedings were instituted by the woman's first husband, Michael Chabbenou, a French Canadian. After living at Lambertville for five years, she deserted her husband, going to Newhope, Penn. At Newhope, she admitted to-night, she was married to two men, but nothing would induce her to

divulge the names of either. This part of her story is vague. Newhope is her home. In this city she met Milton Bames, a silk

home. In this city she met Milton Bames, a silk worker, and after a short courtship was married to him on August 7, 1904.

Her tastes and Bames's seemed not to run together, for after four weeks of married life she disappeared, and Bames has not seen her since. Whatever the reason for her dislike of Bames, it din not prevent her from again quickly embarking on the matrimonial seas, for two months later she became the wife of Charles Abner, of Preakness.

She tired of Abner as quickly as she did of Bames, and deserted him. Coming to Paterson she met Ferrest, a dyer's helper. Ferrest accidentally discovered the papers in the Chabbenou divorce case in a bureau drawer a few weeks ago. Without saying anything to his wife he corresponded with her first husband, and learned her early history. When confronted with the facts of her first husband's existence she said she was divorced, but Ferrest made a complaint at once.

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Mrs. Ferrest is about forty years old. She is attractive, and does not look to be more than thirty. Mrs. Ferrest was surprised at being committed to jail in default of \$1,000 bail. She cried bitterly, and told Justice Cohen that she did not believe her actions warranted such a heavy bail. She asked that her father be informed of her arrest.

#### THINK THEY ARRESTED WITZHOFF.

#### Brooklyn Detectives Five Years Ago Had Man Who Looked Like Him.

Captain Harkins, of the Brooklyn Detective Bu reau, said last night that from investigations made by him he is inclined to believe that the notorious of bigamy and grand larceny, was arrested by two Brooklyn detectives five years ago. This man went under the name of Dr. Arthur Wolff and was arrested at the request of the Cleveland police, arrested at the request of the Cleveland ponce, who wanted him on a charge of grand larceny. Dr. Wolff described himself as a dentist.

According to the memory of Detectives Gilpin and Carroll, who made the arrest, the picture of Wolff, which was sent on from Cleveland, closely resembled the pictures now being published of Dr. Witzhoff. Captain Harkins has learned from the Cleveland authorities that the case against Wolff was postponed several times and finally was dismissed.

# PISTOL FORCES WEDDING.

#### Young Girl Says Man Compelled Her to Marry Him.

Accused of forcing a fifteen-year-old girl at the point of a pistol to become his wife, Ernest Whittaker, twenty-eight years old, of No. 6 Monroe-ave., New-Brighton, Staten Island, was arrested last night by Detectives Conroy and Mc-

duction. His alleged victim is Miss Effle Cockshutt, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Cockshutt, of No. 33 Wright-st., Stapleton. Her parents had noticed that she and Whittaker were often together. They questioned the girl closely last night and she broke down and told her

The girl said Whittaker called last evening and asked her to go for a walk. They passengers at five cents each, down in the morn had not gone far when he proposed that they ing and back in the afternoon (six to ten miles) drew a revolver and threatened to kill her. She gave way and accompanied him to the home of the Rev. Edgar Compton, of New-York-ave.,

Clifton, who married them. The girl's father is an engine driver on the Staten Island Rapid Transit Railroad. Whittaker is an electrician and has been in the emof the Staten Island Electric Light Com-

# CYLINDER DELAYS LA LORRAINE.

#### Defects Keep Liner at Greatly Reduced Speed.

The French Line steamship La Lorraine arrived yesterday, bringing 1,110 passengers. It was reported when La Lorraine sailed from Havre that a defect had been discovered in one of her shafts, but that after it had been strengthened by steel bands it was decided to allow her to sail. A passenger de-clared that she had been overhauled, and for that reason her machinery was stiff. Another rumor had it that a derangement had been discovered, compelling her for part of the time to run under reduced speed.

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The officials of the French Line and La Lorraine's officers declared that there was nothing wrong with the steamer's machinery, but it was learned that one of the cylinders became defective, and the engineer could run the weaker engine only at an unusually slow speed.

# PEPPER IN PLACE OF RICE FOR BRIDE.

#### Former Landlady of Bridegroom Uses Can of Cayenne.

couple, Mrs. May Mueller in a fit, of jealousy Friday evening threw the contents of a fourounce can of cayenne pepper into the faces of Miss Lena Coy and Charles Marsh, both of No. 422 Union-st., Union Hill, and nearly blinded them as they were about to enter a carriage. They were to be married at the office of Justice F. Eichmann in West Hoboken. Mrs. Mueller fled after she had thrown the pepper, laughing deristvely.

The bride and bridegroom-to-be went to the Union Hill Police Headquarters and made

Union Hill Police Headquarters and made charges. Mrs. Mueller was not caught until yesterday morning, and was held for a hearing to be given Tuesday.

Mrs. Mueller is a widow. Marsh boarded at her home for the last year and a half. Miss Coy and Mr. Marsh were married about an hour after the disturbance and took temporary quarters in the same house again with Mrs. Jacob Lutz, one floor below Mrs. Mueller's apartments.

# DAYLIGHT TRIP TO NEW-HAVEN.

The steamer Richard Peck to-morrow will leave Pier 30, East River, foot of Peck Slip, at 9:30 and East 31st-st., at 10:30 a. m., for New-Haven, returning will be due in New-York at 8:45 p. m. Near ly all day can be spent on Long Island Sound, and two hours in New-Haven. The last Sunday morn-ing trip of the season will be made next Sunday.

# UP THE HUDSON LABOR DAY.

On Labor Day afternoon the steamer Mary Powell will leave Desbrosses-st. at 1:45 p. m., West 42d-st. at 2 p. m. and West 129th-st. at 2:20 p. m., for West Peint, arriving there at 4:40 p. m., in ample time to see the dress parade, public buildings, etc. Return may be made by the Wes Shore or New-York Central Railroad, or steamer Ramsdell.

# PAIN'S CARNIVAL POSTPONED.

hattan Beach, announced yesterday that in consequence of the inclement weather Roosevelt Night was postponed until to-morrow. The exhibition will begin at 8 p. m.

Once again Wall Street reveals its paradoxical conceptions. The overwhelming feature of the week is the conclusion of peace between Russia and Japan. Over a million men turn to production from destruction-two great nations agree to quit warfare-the world's money markets are relieved of future war loans-the happy solution of an intricate problem portends world prosperity. And Wall Street-or, to speak more correctly, a section of Wall Street-seizes this consummation as signal for the selling of secur-

Such transitory profits as come from selling war supplies are not for one moment comparable to the lasting benefits derived from the orderly nduct of commerce. The close of the war in the Orient means the opening without restriction of Asiatic markets for everything which the United States has to sell; and the resultant effect upon our industries and transcontinental railroad traffic must inevitably be widely feit. And the dramatic participation of Theodore Roosevelt in the achieved result must (from even the crudest commercial point of view) prove to be an advancement of American prestige daz zling to the Oriental imagination.

In aid of a curious bear demonstration as peared the alert and resourceful Lawson. Advertisements from him predicting smashes in the copper trade, published all over the country, were received by the press with sneers and gibes-but Lawson is to be reckoned with. His earnestness, his perfervid eloquence, commands the public ear-and he has followers. It is the fashion to flout him-but he can be a much more serious market factor than Wall Street cares to admit.

Meantime, through all this whirl and flurry there is not the least change in the favorable character of governing conditions. Crops are maturing under exceptionally favorable influences, guaranteeing a hitherto unequalled cash return to producers. And the markets of the world are so situated as to make demand certain for every bushel of grain and every bale of cotton that we can spare. This is fundamental prosperity. And in the industrial world there is no let-up to urgent demands from con When the market rights itself-and that is a

matter temporary whoily-we are likely to see in quotations the expression of actual value estimation. Indeed, it is upon that basis we have had all our recent appreciation, and interruption of advances signify nothing beyond the resting disposition. It is the view of Wall Street's professional coterie, explosively pro claimed, that prices are too high, because stocks formerly didn't sell at current figures-careless (contemptuous) of the fact that old-time values were keyed to earnings now so far surpassed as to be incomparable. This attitude is fashionable without being sensible. Candidly, it is idiotic Value is the test in this market-and value, fortunately, is readily discoverable, provable,

Attention was called specifically in this review

last Sunday to the attractiveness of Chicago

Subway shares to investors who are willing to be patient, and it was suggested that in due time the present market value of the stock will double. That estimate I believe to be thoroughly conservative. The extraordinary appreciation of New York's Interborough Subway seems sure to carrier of freight in contrast with the exclusive passenger traffic of the New York company. Against the New York Interborough company's \$35,000,000 capital have been issued \$35,000,000 city bonds, and it is understood they have issued \$10,000,000 notes for equipment. They own the subway and a lease of the Manhattan railroad company on a 7 per cent, guarantee. The Interborough Rapid Transit company was formed with a capital of \$25,000,000 to complete and operate the subway, so that in round numbers they have \$35,000,000 bonds, \$35,000,000 Interborough stock and \$35,000,000 Interborough Rap-Kay. The technical charge against him is ab- id Transit company stock-a total of \$95,000,000 and Interborough Rapid Transit stock is quoted at 215 per share. Upon the other hand, the stock of the Chicago Subway is \$40,000,000, and this is a holding company, having issued about \$17,000,000 bonds (out of \$30,000,000 authorized) and has thirty-three miles of tunnel completed connecting with all the depots, wholesale houses, hotels and shipping docks of Chicago. Comparing receipts, the New be married. The girl said she refused and he and does comparatively little at night, while Chicago Subway handles freight, and the lowest revenue it receives is sixty cents per ton for hauling a distance of one mile-and the system will be in use 24 hours a day. Now, any railroad will haul soft coal 200 miles at three mills per ton per mile, or sixty cents per ton for 200 miles and consider it profitable. There is no city in the world where business is so congested in a mile square as in Chicago. In New York you can go from the Battery to 42d Street to compass the same business, and then it would not include any of the depots except the New York Central, as the rest are in Jersey City, Hoboken and Weehawken. There is no doubt that the Chicago Tunnel is a most valuable franchise and will become a tremendous earner immediately-inspiring the confidence of its friends that the

It is not needed in this week's review that I should record anew the list of stocks which I believe investors will find profitable; it is a list over and over registered here. In it are every railroad of the Southwest, every industrial with which the name of J. P. Morgan is identified (Steel the ideal), all the Eastern trunk lines and their auxiliaries (Erie and Nickel Plate and three C's notably), Canadian Pacific in almost premier position, every one of the railway equipment companies (particularly New York Air Brake), the New York tractions in fact, all the list where integrity of management Instead of throwing shoes and rice at a bridal attends the splendid business expansion which. regardless of speculative pessimism, our whole

> In the rushing raids made upon the market two stocks have had special conspicuousness-Amalgamated Copper and American Smelting. As to the Copper issue, only specialists in mystery can affect to guess-there is the blindest pool that ever decoyed a Wall Street dollar, and only extra credulous folks dare touch it.

> But as to Smelting, it is different-as there is difference between hiding and openness-difference between fake and fact. A week hence, at its annual meeting, the American Smelting Company will present to its shareholders a balance sheet detailing its transactions and its status. what it has done and is doing, what it now actually represents, what it is. The common stock dividend is to be raised to 7 per cent over twice that rate earned-intrinsic value at-

That the Smelting business of the country prospers extraordinarily is disclosed by revelation at the close of the week of the affairs of the United States Reduction and Refining Company. Because of the Colorado mining strike two or three years ago, this company suspended its preferred stock dividends. But now prosperity becomes again dominant, and yesterday announcement was made that the full rate of 6 per cent, is reestablished-much more than 6 per cent. being earned. Of course, Reduction shares will naturally benefit in the market; but the object lesson goes beyond those stocks themselves-testifles to a new era established for the smelting industry as a whole. American Smelting on its actual earning is worth more than any quotation yet recorded, for American Smelting, a property managed not by speculators, but by merchants, is representative of what is wholesome in American industrial finance—that intrinsic value which inspires.

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