

GOVERNOR WOODRUFF, HOME FROM FLORIDA, DELIGHTED WITH UTILITIES HEARING

Results Show That the Business Interests of the State Have Been Aroused.

BIG CHANGES AHEAD

Confidence in Public-Spiritedness of Commission Which Will Soon Hold a Hearing in This City—To Act Energetically.

"I am simply delighted," began Governor Woodruff in true Rooseveltian manner when asked what he thought of the results of the hearing of Monday in Hartford upon public utilities by a Journal-Courier man soon after his return to New Haven last night from his three weeks' trip to St. Augustine, Florida. His Excellency was shown the account of the hearing as reported in this paper yesterday morning and he read it with a great deal of interest.

"Of course you might know that I would be pleased with the outcome. I got back to New Haven with my wife from St. Augustine at 5 o'clock this afternoon. All that I know about that public utilities hearing is what I have read in your paper. This public utilities question has been my hobby, as you must know. I have always determined that, if ever the chance came for me to be able to act on the matter, I would do so with all the energy I had. And, mark my word, I believe that the public will see big things happen in this connection in the near future. The ball has been started rolling and once the public generally has become awakened to the great evils that are allowed in the name of corporations, once the state realizes what these corporations are costing it every year, it will be an easy matter in my belief.

"The hearing of Monday shows that the business interests of many quarters of the state have been aroused. That is a good sign and good results may be expected."

The governor was asked if he thought the present commission which has been appointed to make a report on the advisability of a permanent public utilities commission in Connecticut, is an adverse commission or one composed of men in accord with the object the governor had in mind when he sent his message to the legislature asking for the appointment of such a commission. It will be remembered that this message was followed by the rather convincing statement that if the commission was not appointed, the governor would call a special session of the legislature to consider the matter and that this statement undoubtedly brought about the desired appointment. His Excellency said that he considered the commission a very good one. It is composed of public-spirited men, he said, and much might well be expected of it. He pointed to the fact that it had voluntarily held the public hearing on Monday as proof of its sincerity.

At this point the governor was made aware of the intention of the commission to hold a special hearing in New Haven and his smile but broadened the more. "All the better, all the better," he said, "that's the way to get at the heart of the matter. There are lots of men who cannot get away from New Haven to a hearing in Hartford and they would be able to appear at a New Haven hearing and further the cause. I should like to see similar hearings to the New Haven one held in Waterbury and Bridgeport as well. They would bring about excellent results."

The governor was asked what his idea was for a permanent public utilities commission. He was at once at home explaining his pet scheme. "My idea of it," he said, "would be for a commission of say five men. The railroad commission of three men is perhaps too small. These men I would have appointed by the governor of the state with the consent of the senate. Their terms of office would lap over each other so that one governor would not have the appointing of more than one or possibly two men."

"It would be to this commission," he continued, "that I would have men apply who are contemplating making a new corporation. The commission would have the power of grant charters for corporations, there being the right to an appeal to the supreme court of the state whenever the decision was deemed unsatisfactory."

The governor then went on to explain what business the commission would have to transact. "It would be my idea that the charters to be granted by the commission would be drawn up along certain well-prescribed and definite lines which would be radically stricter than those now in use. Why, I do not believe the public has any idea of the broad lines along which charters are granted to corporations to-day by this state. The railroads, trolley and steam, of the state when they are granted an unlimited right of eminent domain can practically do anything in the curriculum they wish. It's simply a farce. I would not question their right to acquire a right of way from one place to another, but at present there is nothing, absolutely nothing at which they can be compelled to stop. They

WILL NOT WORK TO-DAY

Boilermakers and Machinists of New Haven Road Have Holiday.

The boiler makers and the machinists in the employ of the New Haven road have their regular mid week holiday to-day and so the shops will be quiet all day long. Yesterday the men were informed that the piece work rule would not go into effect just at present and some of the men say they have won the fight without a battle. Nevertheless there is in the works a mass meeting of the machinists tonight and plans will be made for a strike if necessary to keep away the piece work system of employment. The national officers of the blacksmiths union are in New Haven and addressed the blacksmiths at a meeting held last night.

CHASED WOMEN

John McDonald Caught in the Act by Officer Kennedy.

John McDonald, aged nineteen years, who has been frightening the people living in the neighborhood of Grand avenue for the past few weeks by chasing them down the side streets, was caught red handed last night by Officer Kennedy as he was pursuing Miss Florence O'Brien and Mrs. Sarah Smith. McDonald is charged with breach of peace, and lives at 258 Hamilton street.

RETAINING WALL CAUSES DIVISION

City Objects to Paying Railroad for Erection of One by Side of Humphrey Street Extension.

WOULD COST ABOUT \$25,000

Fellows Case is Cited as Precedent for City's Side—Railroad Attorneys Also Cite Legal Decisions on Their Side.

Another chapter in the Humphrey street extension matter at the Cedar Hill station was in order yesterday before Judge Alberto T. Roraback in the superior court. During the afternoon the judge led a "personally conducted" tour over to the place in question in Fair Haven where the whole matter under discussion was looked over carefully for a half hour. In the judge's party were the attorneys of the railroad company and of the city. Corporation Counsel Rogers yesterday made vigorous objections to the claim of the road that it should be reimbursed with damages for what it will have to pay to build a retaining wall which shall keep the old shore line tracks which now run to the factory of the National Folding Box company from falling into the new Humphrey street extension when it is built on a grade seventeen feet below the present one. The corporation counsel cited many cases as precedents for his belief, notably that of the Fellows' property on Whitney avenue corner of Humphrey street. The road, through its attorneys as vigorously insisted on its point and it was well after 5 o'clock when the judge closed the case and took the papers.

Mr. Rogers admitted yesterday that a retaining wall would have to be built if the use of the tracks in question was to be continued. But he insisted that the city should not be called upon to pay for the retaining wall, which alone will make the continuance of the tracks possible, if they are for the company's use alone.

As City Engineer Kelly was put on the stand and testified that the retaining wall would easily cost \$25,000 and that is the amount asked for the wall by the railroad company, both sides in the application for relief are agreed on the cost question.

An effort was made yesterday by the city to show that the damages asked for the station by the road were excessive. Mr. Rogers put Donald G. Carmichael on the stand and he testified that the city should not be called upon to pay for the retaining wall, which alone will make the continuance of the tracks possible, if they are for the company's use alone.



GOVERNOR ROLLIN S. WOODRUFF.

Who Returned Yesterday from Florida in Vigorous Health.

SWARTHMORE SPURNS FUND

Will Restrict Football, But Continue Intercollegiate Athletics.

Philadelphia, March 10.—The board of managers of Swarthmore college to-day unanimously declined to accept land and coal property bequeathed to the institution by the late Anna T. Jeanes, of this city, on condition that all participation in intercollegiate athletic sports and games cease. On the question of college athletics the resolution recommended restrictive measures particularly as regards football.

HORSE STRUCK BY TRAIN

Animal Hit by Pittsfield Express Near Orange Station.

A horse belonging to a farmer by the name of Thomas N. Brons was instantly killed yesterday afternoon near the Orange railway station at Orange Center by the 4:20 Pittsfield express going north. Brons had driven into the store of Scobie Brothers, which is across the road from the railway station, and had left the horse in front of the store while he was inside making his purchases. The horse wandered apparently onto the track and was struck by the train. Pieces of the team were scattered for a long distance and packages of soap which Brons had purchased were found scattered along the track for a long distance.

PHOTOGRAPHERS IN SESSION

About 200 Prints Exhibited at Meeting Yesterday.

The New Haven Photographic society held a meeting at the home of F. J. Chatterton, and photographs from Providence Camera club, the New Britain club, from Albany and New Haven were exhibited making about 200 prints.

MACHINISTS TO STRIKE

Boston Men of New Haven Road Will Not Submit to Piece System.

Boston, March 10.—All the crafts in the mechanical departments of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad in Boston, and vicinity, met to-night and decided to strike rather than submit to the piece or bonus system, which is to go into effect to-morrow.

SCHMITZ OUT ON BAIL

San Francisco, March 11.—Eugene E. Schmitz was released from jail last night after presenting bonds in the sum of \$150,000. His bondsmen are T. H. Williams and M. J. Dingee. The charges of extortion against him on which he had not yet been tried were dismissed.

TWO ESTATES IN COURT.

Application for letters of administration of the estate of Thomas Creed was filed with the clerk of probate yesterday. Michael Creed has been appointed administrator of the estate which is valued at \$5,000.

NEWS SUMMARY.

GENERAL.
Harry Orchard Pleads Guilty.
Evelyn Thaw Sues for Annulment.
Taft Smiles at Stevens.
Louisiana Senator Shot Dead.
Swarthmore Income Requested.
Financial News and Quotations.
CITY.
Governor Talks on Utilities Hearing.
Want Court to Remove Shares.
Fight Over Retaining Wall.
Stevens Off for Havana.
Demolishing Figure Eight.
Semon Heads Ice Cream Men.
To Teach Algebra in Westville.
Italian Stabber Captured.
Committee on McCarthy Pay.
Matters in Court.
Brilliantly Entertain Foot Guard.
Fewer Garbage Complainants.
Dinner to President Hadley.

LEAVE FOR HAVANA

Vice-President and Mrs. John F. Stevens to Meet Governor Magoon.

The vice-president and Mrs. John F. Stevens left New Haven yesterday on the Colonial express for Tampa in the private car Connecticut, en route for Havana to visit Governor Magoon of Cuba, with whom they are warm personal friends. They will be joined by General and Mrs. A. E. Bates at Washington, and the party will be the guests of Governor Magoon at the palace during their stay in Cuba.

LOSTRITTO CAPTURED

Man Who Stabbed His Father-in-Law is Located in Shelton.

After a search lasting since Sunday morning Officer Lawlor of Grand avenue located in Shelton yesterday afternoon Tony Lostritto, the Italian who stabbed his father-in-law, Augustino Magliocco, Saturday night for interfering with his family affairs.

FIGURE 8 GOING

Trolley Company Starts Work of Taking Down Structure.

A force of workmen of the trolley company started work yesterday tearing down the "Figure 8" at Savin Rock. The coaster was put up three years ago and has had a precarious existence. It was first owned by Edward C. Boyer, who planned and constructed the White City. It was not a financial success owing to faulty work which made the ride rather hazardous and the ride uncomfortable. The latter part of last season, Manager S. H. Speck of the White City was appointed receiver by the court. This winter the trolley company took possession of the "figure 8" for non-compliance on the part of Mr. Boyer with the terms of the lease of the grounds, and after the structure has been taken away work will be started on the "Ticker."

ORCHARD PLEADS GUILTY

Killer of Ex-Governor Steinberg Will Soon be Sentenced.

Caldwell, Idaho, March 10.—Harry Orchard to-day before Judge Fremont Wood in the district court, was permitted to withdraw his former plea of not guilty to the charge of murder in the first degree as charged in the indictment. Judge Wood will sentence Orchard on March 15.

TAFT SMILES AT STEVENS

Secretary Refuses to Comment on Statement of Canal "Blunder."

Washington, March 10.—Secretary Taft said to-day that he did not care to comment upon the statements attributed to former Chief Engineer Stevens of the Panama canal, that the canal will prove an utter failure, except to say he did not agree with him as to the importance of the work, and he added, with a smile: "I think I am with the American people in that view."

VIOLATED LICENSE

Carri George of 184 Forbes Avenue was arrested last night by Sergeant Bowers for selling whiskey when he had only a beer license.

CHEAP RATES TO CALIFORNIA

February 29 to April 23, via Washington-Sunset route. Personally conducted without change from Washington. Berth \$3.50. Offices 19 and 228 Washington street, Boston.

WANT COURT TO REMOVE SHARES

President Spalding, of Trademans Bank, Applies for Change on Munson Estate.

FAILED TO GET ACCOUNTING

Banks Hold Two Big Notes—Accounts and Claims Against the Estate Due, But Not Filed, it is Alleged.

Warren A. Spalding, president of the National Trademans bank, applied to the probate court yesterday for the removal of John O. Shares as administrator of the estate of the late Henry W. Munson. This application is the result of the fruitless request of the National Trademans bank and the First National bank to get an accounting from Mr. Shares, who is the son-in-law of the late Mr. Munson. Mr. Munson died about a year ago and Mr. Shares was appointed administrator of his estate. Mr. Munson was reputed to be worth about \$40,000 and was the principal owner of the Cheshire Brass company. According to the state probate laws, Mr. Shares should have filed his account as administrator last November and should have put in a list of claims against the estate six months after his appointment. Mr. Shares neither filed his account or put in the list of claims, and the efforts of the banks to get him to do these things have been without effect.

The First National bank holds notes of Shares for \$5,000, and these are endorsed by Mr. Munson, so that if Mr. Shares does not pay Mr. Munson's estate, of which Mr. Shares is the administrator, will have to. Under similar conditions the Trademans bank holds notes for \$3,800, and yesterday afternoon President Spalding took action toward bringing the matter to a head.

The application will be heard Monday morning at 10 o'clock by Judge John P. Studley, and it is understood the First National will act with the Trademans bank in asking Mr. Shares' removal.

DINNER TO PRES. HADLEY

Yale Corporation and Council Members Welcome Him Home.

At the Graduate club last night President Arthur Twining Hadley of Yale university was given a welcome home from Europe by members of the corporation and council at an informal complimentary dinner. Judge Simeon E. Baldwin presided and in a few happy words welcomed home the guest of the evening. President Hadley in responding recited some of his experiences in Berlin. Others who spoke included Judge Henry E. Howland of New York city, Secretary Anson Phelps Stokes, Jr., Professors Russell H. Chittenden, W. Walker and H. W. Rogers.

At the dinner were Henry B. Sargent, Judge H. E. Howland, Payson Merrill, Dr. Newman Smyth, Rev. Anson Phelps Stokes, Jr., Lee McClung, Professors H. P. Wright, R. H. Chittenden, J. F. Weir, H. W. Parker, E. L. Curtis, H. E. Smith, E. L. Curtis, H. E. Smith, H. W. Rogers, S. E. Baldwin, G. Blumer, W. Walker, S. E. Sanford, L. V. Pirsson, A. J. DuBois, F. A. Gooch, Walter Camp and J. C. Schwab.

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EVELYN NESBIT THAW ASKS ANNULMENT OF HER MARRIAGE ON GROUND OF INSANITY

STUDENTS LOSE APPAREL

Shoes Disappear from Vanderbilt and Coat from the Dining Hall.

In these times of dire financial necessity the minds of the hungry unemployed as well as those of others who should be employed in different manner, turn to the most novel possible ways of satisfying their wants. With this in view some one went through Vanderbilt hall last Sunday night and took all the choice looking shoes left outside the student's doors for the janitor to clean. Quite a harvest was secured for the rain of Sunday had made the appearance of the shoes to the fastidious almost unbearable.

HOSE CONTRACTS LET

Committee on Supplies of Fire Department Orders 2,750 Feet.

Commissioners Gierding and Cunningham, the committee on supplies of the fire board, met last night at headquarters and awarded the contract for furnishing 750 feet of hose to the Boston Woven Hose company and the contract for 2,000 feet of hose to the C. C. C. company of Canton Junction, Mass.

COMMITTEE ON MCCARTHY PAY

Aldermen Discuss Military Enrollment Again and Finally Name Five Members to Hear it.

NOTHING ON ORDINANCES

Subject for Which Meeting Was Called Goes Over Because Hour Was Too Late to Discuss it Fully.

Contrary to general expectations, the board of aldermen, which met last night in special session, primarily to approve the amendments to the city building ordinances, transacted considerable business, but did not act on the matter for which the meeting was called.

The first matter taken up was a petition of remonstrance to the construction of a sewer in Middletown avenue. Alderman Healy moved that the petition be tabled. Alderman Loos moved an amendment asking that the favorable report of the sewers and squares committee be sent back to the committee and the remonstrants be given an opportunity to appear before the latter.

It was decided that Alderman Loos' point was well taken, and the committee will again hold a hearing on the laying of a sewer in that street.

A communication from the New Haven Typographical union was next read. It protested against letting an outside firm print the revised building ordinances. The matter was deferred until the question of the approving of the amended building ordinances comes up.

A letter from the police commissioners was read asking the board's permission to purchase horses for the department's use without advertising for bids. It was granted.

One resolution that was railroaded through in short order was the one asking the controller to issue credentials to the aldermen. Unanimous consent was given. It seems some of the city fathers do not have the portly bearing that aldermen are credited with.

The result is when they have asked the Southern New England Telephone company to put in phones and give them the half-rate granted to city officials, they've coolly asked, "Who are you?" The next time the question is asked all they will have to do is to pull out their identification card.

Shortly after this the question of the payment of the McCarthy claim for taking the military enrollment unexpectedly came up.

Papers to be Served To-day and an Early Trial is Expected in N. Y. County.

THAW WILL CONTEST

But, it is Declared, No Serious Obstacles Will be Put in the Way of a Separation—Evelyn Has Not Been Shadowed.

New York, March 10.—Evelyn Nesbit Thaw to-morrow will institute proceedings for the annulment of her marriage to Harry K. Thaw. The action will be based on the allegation that the defendant was insane when the union was contracted. Thaw purposes to defend the suit. The papers in the case will be served some time to-morrow and an early trial is expected. In the meantime Thaw will be released from Matteawan the couple by mutual agreement, will remain apart.

In official statements by counsel for both parties to-night was confirmed the long suspected culmination in the wedded lives of Stanford White's slayer and the woman whose story in his defense brought her an unhappy notoriety as wide as the reading world. For weeks it had been rumored that a divorce was imminent and even during Thaw's last trial, throughout which his wife stood gamely by him, it was pretty generally believed that whatever outcome for the prisoner, they two never again would live together. These reports frequently were based on rumored opposition to the young woman on the part of the Thaw family. In their statements to-night, however, counsel denied that Mrs. William Thaw Harry's mother, had taken any part in the proposed separation.

During to-day Colonel Franklin Bartlett, counsel for the older Mrs. Thaw, made a statement in which he said that there was no truth in reports that detectives employed by Mrs. William Thaw had had her daughter-in-law under surveillance for months. As to a possible separation Colonel Bartlett said:

"The matter is inchoate. There is every disposition on the part of my client to be absolutely fair and just toward Evelyn Thaw and to make liberal provision for her support, and even more than that, Harry K. Thaw has sought a reconciliation and has not desired that his wife should leave him, but she desires a permanent severance of the marital relations. Any thought of espionage upon the young Mrs. Thaw would be abhorrent to Mrs. Thaw and has not at any time been entertained by her."

Soon after Colonel Bartlett's interview became public A. Russell Peabody, personal counsel to Thaw, left for Matteawan where since his last trial, Thaw has been confined in the asylum for the criminal insane. After a talk with his client, Peabody returned to the city late to-day, and by appointment met Daniel O'Reilly, one of Thaw's former attorneys, who is now counsel for Evelyn Thaw. The conference extended well into the evening and at its conclusion Mr. O'Reilly said:

"Papers will be served on Mr. Peabody to-morrow by me as counsel for Evelyn Thaw in an action for annulment of the marriage. The action will be on the ground that at the time of the marriage, April 4, 1905, Harry

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WEATHER RECORD.

Washington, March 10.—Forecast for Wednesday and Thursday:
For New England: Fair and warmer Wednesday; Thursday fair, fresh west winds.
For Eastern New York: Fair and warmer Wednesday; Thursday fair, continued warmer; fresh west winds.

Observations at United States weather bureau stations, taken at 5 p. m., yesterday, seventy-fifth meridian time.

Station	Temp.	Dir.	Vel.	Pre.	Wind
Albany	36	SE	10	0.00	Cloudy
Atlanta	56	SE	10	0.00	Cloudy
Bismarck	40	W	6	0.00	Clear
Boston	24	N	14	0.00	Clear
Buffalo	26	S	5	0.00	Cloudy
Chicago	48	SW	16	0.00	Clear
Cincinnati	50	SW	4	0.00	Clear
Cleveland	42	SW	10	0.00	Clear
Denver	54	NE	4	0.00	Clear
Detroit	42	SW	24	0.00	Clear
Hartford	28	W	4	0.00	Clear
Hattiesburg	Missing				
Jacksonville	54	NE	18	0.00	Clear
Nantucket	28	W	18	0.00	P. Cloudy
N. Orleans	60	N	12	0.00	Clear
New York	38	E	4	0.00	Clear
Norfolk	42	S	8	0.00	Clear
Omaha	54	SW	8	0.00	Clear
Pittsburg	42	SW	12	0.00	Clear
Portland, Me.	20	W	4	0.00	Clear
Providence	28	W	6	0.00	Clear
St. Louis	58	SE	10	0.00	Clear
St. Paul	48	SW	12	0.00	Clear
Washington	48	SW	6	0.00	Clear

LOCAL WEATHER REPORT.

New Haven, March 10, 1908.
Temperature 31
Wind direction N
Wind velocity 8
Precipitation 0
Weather Clear
Minimum temperature 19
Maximum temperature 34
Minimum last year 22
Maximum last year 28
L. M. TARR, Local Forecaster,
U. S. Weather Bureau.

MINIATURE ALMANAC.

San Rises 6:19
Sun Sets 5:54
High Water 6:58

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COMMITTEE ON M'CARTHY PAY

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paid by the city without the corporation counsel's approving them. Alderman Miller then rose and asked Mr. Jacobs where he got his information regarding Corporation Counsel Rogers' opinion.

Alderman Berman was next heard from. He thought the board should leave the matter in the committee's hand, and not let them shirk their duty. Alderman Mulvey asked if he thought it was fair to be unable to agree upon a verdict were shirking their duty.

Alderman Loos followed Mr. Mulvey. "I think that it is a shame that the city cannot pay Mr. McCarthy at least enough for him to pay his ward census-takers, but we are here to protect the taxpayers in this case, to stand between Mr. McCarthy and the city, and I don't see what we can do about it. I almost feel compelled to go into my own pocket and stand my share in raising enough to pay McCarthy's ward workers." Mr. Mulvey then referred to the enrollment taken by Mr. Scalley, saying it was the biggest farce ever perpetrated on an unsuspecting New Haven public. He next paid his compliments to the republicans of the board, arraigning them severely for voting to pay Scalley.

It is known that Corporation Counsel Rogers' opinion is an unfavorable one, and this fact has influenced two members of the committee, Aldermen Collins and Miller were in favor of handing in a favorable report. Alderman Belden, while personally in favor of paying the McCarthy claim, felt he could not vote to do so in the face of the adverse opinion of the city's legal adviser. Alderman Townsend felt the same as Mr. Belden. Alderman Kenna did not vote either way. He likewise is in favor of paying Mr. McCarthy, but as he has not seen the corporation counsel's opinion he has refrained from voting. Thus the vote in the committee stood 2 to 2, one not voting.

The board unanimously voted to refer the matter to a special committee, and President Allen appointed Aldermen Burke, Collins, Miller, Russell and Foley to settle the matter.

There was considerable discussion after the meeting among the different aldermen of the appointment of the two members of the claims committee that were in favor of paying the claim, to this special committee. It is said that Alderman Burke is also in favor of paying McCarthy. No matter how the committee reports the final disposition of the matter rests with Mr. Rogers, and it is very unlikely that he will reverse his present opinion.

The McKiernan claim, on which two reports, minority and majority, were handed in, was also much discussed. Messrs. Collins and Miller were the signers of the minority report. The reason that actuated the other members of the committee to sign another report was the same one, an adverse opinion from the corporation counsel. Personally their inclinations were the other way, and they stated that fact to the board. After some discussion, it was unanimously voted that the minority report be adopted, and Mr. McKiernan be given \$100 for injuries received in falling on an icy sidewalk. The board concluded that it would not be necessary for the corporation counsel to pass on such a small bill.

The petition of the Washington Avenue Pat Rendering company, asking that they be allowed the use of an engine and hose company at fire at that establishment at the rate of \$50 an hour was granted, unanimous consent being given, but not until after Aldermen Collins and Leonard were persuaded into voting that way. This work of persuasion took some time.

One surprising feature of last night's meeting was that nothing was done with the building ordinance. When the report of the ordinance committee was reached, it was late, and when Alderman Miller started in to criticize section by section, the board began to sit up and look interested. At the rate of speed they started in on the ordinance, it would be an all night job, especially if Alderman Miller had continued objecting to the phrasing of the various amendments. After voting that the building ordinance would be the first order of business at the next meeting the board adjourned.

FEWER COMPLAINTS

Natale Acunto Talks About the Trouble Over the Garbage Collections.

FEBRUARY HEALTH REPORT

Cases of Diphtheria 26, Scarlet Fever 21—Many Tests Made by the Health Department.

The fortnightly meeting of the board of health was held yesterday afternoon and but one member was absent. Natale Acunto appeared before the board, at its request, to explain the Foxon street situation. He promised to plow the garbage disposed on the lot on that street under at once. The complaints have not been as numerous this month as they were last in regard to Acunto's methods of collecting garbage. Last month there were 1,079 first and 264 second complaints. This month there have been 123 first complaints and 73 second thus far. This would mean about 500 for the month. The board gave Acunto to understand that there must be a radical improvement in the collection of garbage in his district, or there would be trouble, perhaps even to the annulment of the contract.

Health Officer Wright read his report for the month of February. There were 26 cases of diphtheria and 21 of scarlet fever. The board's bacteriologist has been kept busy making tests. He made 93 for diphtheria, 15 for typhoid and 45 for tuberculosis. Samples of milk to the number of 353 have been inspected microscopically and 355 chemically. The sanitary inspectors have also been kept on the alert.

WHAT CAUSES HEADACHE. From October to May, Colds are the most frequent cause of Headache. LAXATIVE, BROMO QUININE removes cause. E. W. Grove on box 25c.

UP TO SUPERIOR COURT

Armstrong Case There on Refusal of Relief Board.

Henry B. Armstrong and Ricardo Armstrong the executors of the will of Philando Armstrong have appealed to the superior court to take from the value of the estate \$101,317, which the Board of Assessors added, and which the Board of Relief refused to remove. In the appeal a copy of which was filed with City Clerk Devine yesterday afternoon the value of real estate is put at \$79,995.00 and the personal property, \$21,322.00. The appellants state that the \$101,317 which has been tacked on by the Board of Assessors consists of notes, executed by Philando Armstrong in behalf of the Benton-Armstrong company for amounts totaling up to the \$101,000 item.

The appellants further state that the Board of Relief has refused to add them. They likewise say that the Benton-Armstrong company which is now insolvent, cannot pay over \$25,000 on these outstanding notes, and that the estate of which they are executors will sustain a loss of approximately \$75,000.

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articles could be taken, he thought, as being similar.

Mr. Rogers then did his best to show the judge that the amount asked for the station building was too great. And finally he took up the retaining wall matter, which when it was sprung by the road at the hearing last week caused such a big surprise to all concerned, the demand being that it would cost \$20,000.

The retaining wall will have to be built, so the railroad says, from the corner of James street and the new Humphrey street extension for 200 feet to a point but a few feet from the southerly abutment of the bridge which will carry the main line tracks over the street at that point. Humphrey street will be seventeen feet below the grade on an average and it will come to a point eight feet from the siding to the box factory where it is nearest. The siding is built on a curve.

Mr. Rogers cited the case of Richard Fellows in the 4th Conn. reports. Mr. Fellows owned the land at the corner of Whitney avenue and Humphrey street in 1876. He sued the city for damages, claiming that he had to build a retaining wall where the street grade was made lower than the level of his adjacent property and that he had to fill in where the street grade was higher than his adjacent property. The case went through the courts and the final decision was that Mr. Fellows could not receive damages. Mr. Rogers claimed that the present case is similar in scope and that the railroad could not hope to be paid damages for any retaining wall it might have to put in to maintain its way.

Mr. Rogers was followed by Mr. Day who finished the case for the road. Mr. Day contended that the retaining wall could have been prevented had the city chosen to select a crossing for Humphrey street further to the east, which would have been an easy matter. But no, the city wanted to have a nice straight street, and that brought it too near the siding tracks. It was in the city's power to choose and the city should pay for its choice if it selected the more expensive way. But that way leaves the road suffering to the amount of \$25,000.

Mr. Day said he could not see that the Fellows case cited by Mr. Rogers could be made to apply to the present case. The Fellows case, he said, had to do with an existing street, which was simply being graded. The present case has to do with an entirely new street.

In turn he cited a number of cases to uphold his side of the argument. One of these was the case of the city of Bridgeport vs. the New Haven road in the 36th of Connecticut, in which, he said, it was conclusively shown that a city has not the right to take anything which is being put to public use already without providing a suitable support for the remaining property.

Mr. Day laid great stress upon the damages to the case of the retaining wall. He said that the other damages asked were trivial in comparison. "By every principle of equity," he said, "and of justice the city must pay to be fair with us." Mr. Day said he thought Mr. Rogers' estimate as to the valuation of the land on which the station stands by making a comparison of the valuation per square foot with a recent sale of adjacent property at the site of the National Folding Box and Paper company was exceedingly unfair to the road. He showed the great frontage that the station lot had and argued its particularly favorable situation for the purpose it had been put to.

He said the tracks to the factory and the lot beyond must be maintained. They were getting more valuable

every year as the valuation of the land goes up with the growth of the city and the greater demand for factory sites.

At the time of the hearing last week Charles McFeeter, a carpenter and builder, had been put on the stand by the road. He had been connected with the Cedar Hill station at the time of its building, and he testified that it had cost \$5,000 without the foundations. He had said that he thought the price of building material had gone up 40 per cent. since the time of the building. Yesterday Mr. Day referred to this testimony and said that the original cost of the building was certainly a fair valuation for the building to-day. He thought that the advance in the prices of materials would just about equalize the depreciation of the building with age and justify the road in asking damages of \$7,000 for the station, the price set upon it to-day by Mr. Robinson.

After Mr. Day finished the judge adjourned court until 9 a. m. this morning and took the papers in the case. His decision will follow.

WOODRUFF HOME

(Continued from First Page.)

can cut their road right through a man's kitchen if they want to, and he cannot have anything to say about it. They set up their shops in the best residential sections of the cities of the state and who can stop them?

"Just to show you the ridiculousness of some of the charters that are being issued by the legislature of the state at present let me just give you an instance. At the last session of the legislature a proposed charter passed both houses which provided for a company that could deal in almost anything that it chose to, railroads, gas, electric light, trolley—anything. The charter provided that the proposed corporation be allowed to make purchases of plants, trolley lines, or anything it wished, and pay for it all in bonds up to the total amount of the purchase price. Imagine it," he repeated, "up to the full amount of the purchase price. The matter came to me to sign and you can imagine what I thought of it when I looked it over. Of course I vetoed it and that veto was one of the very best that was sustained by the legislature."

"The public does not know of these things, or if it did, it would not allow them. It is my belief that this hearing of Monday has done its work and that the good work is at its beginning."

The governor added a word on the railroad commissioners, saying that in his belief the commissioners were not free enough. They should be given more power to act and be made more of a final authority on railroad matters in the state. He had reference to the great number of railroad appeals now in the superior and supreme courts of the state in connection with railroad matters as proof of his assertion. Many of these matters should have their final judgment in the commission.

Asked about the rumor that he was connected with the new Connecticut Home Telephone company, he denied it emphatically. He said he had been communicated with at St. Augustine in regard to such a rumor and that his denial, as printed in the New Haven papers, was a true one. He said he knew nothing at all in regard to the new venture.

The governor left New Haven for the south three weeks ago Thursday. The trip was solely for a rest and the governor returns in vigorous health. With him was Mrs. Woodruff. He expects to find plenty to do awaiting him here and in Hartford upon his return.

EVELYN THAW ASKS DIVORCE

(Continued from First Page.)

Thaw was insane and did not know what he was doing.

"This action has been thought of for some time. It will be tried in New York county. As yet no mention has been made of any settlement in favor of Evelyn. If after the annulment proceedings are through and they are in favor of the plaintiff, some action might be taken for the recovery of counsel fees and alimony."

Mr. Peabody, who had heard O'Reilly's remarks, said: "To-day I have visited Harry at Matteawan and told him the intentions of his wife. He is willing to defend the suit."

Mr. Peabody added that his client when apprised of his wife's intentions had made no comment except to declare that he was sane at the time of his marriage and to express his willingness to meet the issue.

Asked whether Mrs. William Thaw was active in the planned litigation Mr. Peabody replied: "No; she is not."

Mr. O'Reilly added to his formal statement that Evelyn would take the stand during the annulment proceedings and that several of the medical experts who had testified at the murder trial also would be called. He added that despite his announced determination to contest the suit, he believed that Thaw would put no serious obstacles in the way of separation if for no other reason than the gratitude he felt towards his wife for the aid she had rendered him when he was on trial for his life. As to his client's financial resources, O'Reilly said that he thought she had funds enough to maintain her during the trial of the case and as for the future was capable of earning a large income as a writer.

Both lawyers emphatically denied that Evelyn had been followed by detectives or that she had made any demands upon her husband's mother for a money settlement.

It is understood the attorneys for Mrs. Thaw will depend practically on the evidence of insanity introduced at the last trial of Thaw to prove that he was mentally incompetent at the time he legally contracted marriage. Should this be accomplished the case would be won for the plaintiff, providing there was not introduced the defense that Thaw subsequently recovered full possession of his faculties and gave his wife the original contract. This point the attorneys would not discuss to-night. It was pointed out, however, that Thaw, though committed to an insane asylum as having been insane at the time he killed White, had not been declared insane at the pres-

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DERBY ANSONIA SHELTON ANSONIA.

(Special Journal-Courier News Service.)
 The funeral of Charles R. Cooper was held yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from his late home on Howard avenue. Rev. E. E. Gates, pastor of the First Baptist church conducted the funeral services which were very largely attended by the friends and relatives of the deceased. A large delegation from Sherman lodge, N. E. O. P. of which he was a member, attended in a body. Interment took place in Pine Grove cemetery, Undertaker A. C. Kaiser being in charge.

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(Special Journal-Courier News Service.)
 The Ladies' Aid society of the M. E. church will hold a bread and cake sale this afternoon, beginning at 3 o'clock in the church parlors. During the sale tea will be served.

A large gathering was present at the public whist which was held in the O. U. A. M. hall last evening, under the auspices of Roger Sherman council, O. U. A. M. Following the conclusion of whist, a musical program was rendered, and a pleasant social hour passed. The council added a neat sum to its treasury by the event.

The German Uk club will hold its annual private masquerade Friday, evening at Uk hall. Admission will be by card only.

The Ladies' Aid society and auxiliary circle of the First Congregational church will serve a supper at the church this evening from 6:15 to 8 o'clock.

Mrs. Mary Levy passed away at her home on Kneass street yesterday at 12 o'clock of tuberculosis, after an illness of several years. She was well known in this city, where she resided for some time. Besides her husband she is survived by three children. Undertaker C. E. Lewis has charge of the funeral arrangements.

A large fox measuring four feet, six inches from tip to tip was brought to this place by Dennis Rice. He had the animal in a trap set for this purpose.

A bread and cake sale will be held in the parlors of the church at 3 o'clock this afternoon from 2:30 o'clock until 3 o'clock, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid society of the church.

The Young Folks' Mission band of the Congregational church will meet at the church at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

FUND UP TO \$2,715.
 Yesterday's Receipts Best Since Subscription Started.

The mayor's fund is still on the increase. The total is now \$2,715.85, of which amount \$196.50 was received yesterday. Those contributing yesterday and their contributions follow:
 National Blues (Co. D)..... 25.00
 Edwin P. Root..... 10.00
 Frank Goetz Baking Co..... 10.00
 Jenkins & Thompson..... 10.00
 New Haven Coat, Apron, Towel & Supply Co..... 10.00
 Mrs. E. Schwab..... 5.00
 Harmonist Singing society..... 5.00
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 Jacob Strauss..... 5.00
 A Friend..... 2.00
 N. H. Trades Council..... 15.00
 Employee N. H. Union..... 15.00
 Previously acknowledged..... 2219.50

Total..... \$2,715.85
 This is the best day's receipts since the relief fund was begun. The committee met yesterday afternoon and discussed the advisability of engaging officers. Mr. Warden's office is much too small.

FOOT GUARD MERRY

Enjoyable Entertainment Given by the Company at Harmonie Hall.

FINE PROGRAM FOLLOWED
 Miss Antoinette Brett, Miss Maud Beers and Miss Ruth Phillips Have Part in It.

The entertainment of the Second company, Governor's Foot guard at Harmonie hall last evening was a very able affair.
 Miss Brett's art at the piano and Miss Beers on the violin showed clearly that both the young ladies are artists of exceptional ability. Aside from the pleasure their selections afforded apt could not but admire the personal aptness and the earnest years of study they have given to art. Mrs. F. W. Brown wins an audience when she sings. Last evening her song gave ample scope to show her large range of voice and the fine vocal skill she possesses. Miss Phillips' recitations were a revelation to many present. Her recitation bringing in, as it did, explanatory or conversational talk, impersonating two old gentlemen, two young lovers and the postman French abductor, revealed remarkable talent. Her two other selections were dialect and won hearty applause. The floral tributes from the company to the ladies carried with them the appreciation of the members for the delightful evening they had enjoyed. Corporal Hamilton's whistling selections were well rendered and enjoyed. About 10 o'clock the chairs were removed and the dancing program and social features of the evening enjoyed till about 1 o'clock.

Piano solo—(a) Solres de Vienna, No. 1. (Liszt). (b) Gondoliera, (Liszt). Miss Antoinette Brett.
 Recitation—A Scene from "The Romanians" (Edmond Rostand), Miss Ruth Palmer Phillips.
 Violin solo—"Scene de Ballet," (De Bériot). Miss Maud Beers; piano accompanist, Miss Hazel Beers.
 Recitation—(a) "When Malindy Sings" (Paul Lawrence Dunbar). (b) "Angelina Johnson," Miss Ruth Palmer Phillips.
 Soprano solo—(a) "Beloved," (Nedlinger). (b) "Sing Me to Sleep," (directed by F. M. Brown, with violin obbligato. Miss Beers; piano accompaniment, Miss Beers.
 Piano solo—(a) "Traumerl and Romanze" (Schumann). (b) "Grillon" (Whitins). Miss Antoinette Brett.
 Bass solo—"Dreaming" Second Regiment march; (c) Whistling solo, Sections. Miss Beers; piano accompaniment, Mrs. F. W. Brown.
 Piano solo—"Valse Brillante," Op. 34, No. 2, (Chopin). Miss Antoinette Brett.

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 William Alcorn presented the matter of the inspection for the schools saying that the inspector of the schools would arrive soon. Robert Grant and Michael Towers were appointed a committee of two to receive suggestions from the inspector regarding the schools.
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 It was also voted that algebra be taught in the last grade of the school and Superintendent Smith was instructed to buy books for that subject.

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(Special Journal-Courier News Service.)
 The third round in the pool tournament between the St. Augustine T. A. and B. society of Seymour and the St. Aloysius T. A. and B. society of this city was played in the rooms of the latter society on Main street last evening. The games were the most interesting played so far in the tournament and were watched with interest by over one hundred and fifty representatives of both societies. The teams broke even. The following is the outcome of the meet:
 Degnan, D. 22; Wroblewski, S. 59.
 O'Connor, D. 59; Sisoght, S. 32.
 Fitzsimmons, D. 59; McEnerney, S. 51.
 McCarthy, D. 46; O'Brien, S. 59.

The last game was nip and tuck from start to finish. O'Brien of the visiting team showing up in fine form. The next round will be played in Seymour on Thursday evening of this week.

The funeral of the late William Ryan took place yesterday morning at 9 o'clock from his home on Elizabeth street and from St. Mary's church at 9 o'clock. Rev. Father Quinn officiating. The church was well filled with the many relatives of the deceased and a large number of business men. Interment took place in Mt. St. Peter's cemetery. Undertaker J. P. Colwell was in charge. The pallbearers were James McMahon and Thomas McNamara of the Storm Engine company, Thomas Molloy and Representative George F. Clark from Court House, F. A. John Kerwin and William Lenihan from Pangasset council, K. of C., and Thomas Walsh and Peter Keefe, from Derby lodge, B. P. O. E.

When Henry Tutino was arraigned in the police court yesterday morning on a charge of attempting to kill Attilio Massimo he asked to have the case continued until his lawyer, Attorney Aronson could appear to defend him. The case was continued until Thursday morning and Tutino placed under bonds of \$100.

The funeral of the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Dutkauech of Water street took place yesterday morning at 9 o'clock, interment was in St. Peter's and St. Paul's cemetery. J. P. Colwell had charge of the funeral arrangements.

A large delegation of the C. B. Wooster Co., U. R. K. of P., went to Naugatuck last evening where they visited the company of that city. They left on the 7:50 car and did not return until the last trip. All report a pleasant time and speak highly of the hospitality of the Naugatuck company.

The banquet to the members of the firemen pool teams that took part in the recent inter-town pool tournament will be held to-morrow evening in the R. M. Bassett's quarters on Third street.

The members of St. Mary's choir met for rehearsal last evening at the home of John McNamara on Olivia street. Following the rehearsal refreshments were served and a pleasant social hour passed.

The ladies' aid society of the First Congregational church will meet at the parsonage on Derby avenue this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

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For Coughs, Colds and Throat Troubles

YOU MAY NEED IT TO-NIGHT

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HASTY AGNES WINS

Feature of Good Program at New Orleans is Her Narrow Victory.

ROBIN HOOD GETS A FIRST

Seventeen to Five Shot Takes Six-Furlong Event from Hannibal Boy.

New Orleans, March 10.—The feature of an evenly balanced program at the fair grounds to-day was the Wild Fire purse, which was won by Hasty Agnes at 11 to 5, by a head from Merrick. Hasty Agnes' victory was largely due to the strong finish given her byockey Notter. Notter rode three straight winners. Weather clear, track fast. Results:
 First, 4 furlongs—Tony W., 115. C. Kerner, 12 to 5, won; Tom Holland, 111, Brussell, 16 to 1, second; Phinon, 112, Notter, 16 to 1, third. Time, 49 1-5.
 Second, 5 1-2 furlongs—Lady Amy, 95, J. Sumter, 5 to 2, won; Nazimova, 108, J. Ferris, 20 to 1, second; Meadow Green, 107, Leibert, 8 to 1, third. Time, 1:08 2-5.
 Third, 6 furlongs—Come On Sam, 106, S. Flynn, 5 to 1, won; Cablegram, 114, J. Howard, 6 to 1, second; Minot, 102, Dubel, 40 to 1, third. Time, 1:14.
 Fourth, 6 furlongs—Hasty Agnes, 107, Notter, 11 to 5, won; Merrick, 111, C. Kerner, 6 to 1, second; Oraculum, 112, V. Powers, 3 to 1, third. Time, 1:14 1-5.
 Fifth, 6 furlongs—Robin Hood, 111, Notter, 117 to 5, won; Hannibal Bey, 111, V. Powers, 11 to 5, second; Airship, 111, C. Henry, 25 to 1, third. Time, 1:14 1-5.
 Sixth, mile and a sixteenth—Ottoman, 106, Notter, 13 to 5, won; Gilfill, 105, L. Smith, 7 to 1, second; Daring, 108, J. McCahey, 16 to 1, third. Time, 1:49 1-5.
 Seventh, mile and a sixteenth—Goldway, 110, C. Kerner, 9 to 5, won; Louise MacFarlan, 108, Minder, 10 to 1, second; Glid, 102, Watt, 15 to 1, third. Time, 1:48 2-5.

DAVIS & SAVARD.

Their Great Ten Dollar Offer Announcement.

One one recalls that the greatest blizzard in the memory of New Haven people occurred just twenty years ago to-morrow (March 12, 1888) and in view of the fact that the mercury locally is bobbing about the twenty degrees above zero, one may naturally infer that there may be an opportunity of wearing a winter overcoat a few times more before spring holds sway. These thoughts are suggested by an unusual announcement made this morning by Davis & Savard, the clothiers, 813-815 Chapel street. Their offer of \$15, \$18 and \$20 overcoats for \$10—overcoats that need no recommendation except the firm's own signature—is one that means immense savings and great satisfaction to those who buy now. Similar inducements are offered in suits, separate trousers and boys' and children's clothing.

ISN'T IT TRUE?

If all hats were just as good, just as high in quality and pleasing in line as the KNOX, and always had been, and all other hatters had always pleased hat wearers as well as KNOX,

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 Not in these days and times. "KNOX" has the "STUFF" in it and we have the "KNOX," and you can't buy them anywhere else in New Haven.

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20 per cent. Discount and 30 per cent. Discount on Entire Stock of Curtains,

as Follows:

To make room for Spring lines, a special offer during this sale:
 Twenty per cent. discount on Entire Stock of Cluny, Arab, Renaissance, Nottingham, Irish Point, Brussels and Plain and Ruffled Muslin Curtains.

Thirty per cent. discount on all lots of one and two pairs of the same kind. This is an exceptionally fine chance for curtaining small rooms.

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 20c grade for 16c per yd.
 25c grade for 25c per yd.

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 Beautiful colored madras suitable for dining, living and bedrooms, libraries and halls. To close:
 80, 85 and 90c grades for 59c per yard.
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Covered Sofa Pillows \$1.49.
 Regular \$1.98 Imported Japanese Sofa Pillow for \$1.49 during this sale.

Comfortables Reduced.
 \$4.00 Comfortable for.....\$3.19
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White and Arab IMPORTED FISH NET.
 95c grade for.....59c
 \$1.10 grade for.....79c
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Couch Covers \$1.50 to \$6.98.
 Large line from which to select. Handsome Oriental covers and Bagdad stripes.
 Seven pairs Tapestry Portiers, slightly damaged in transportation, worth \$7, your choice \$2.95.

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In silks, all colors, some with graduated ruffles and tucks, some with cut embroidery, all sizes. Formerly sold \$6.95.
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To close out a special lot in plain batiste, in black, blue and brown, made in shirtwaist style, buttoned in front, long sleeves. Formerly sold \$3.95 to \$4.95.
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To reduce my large stock of fine fur coats, neck-pieces and muffs, I am offering them at about half-price.
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Our factory facilities in these several lines and our long and practical experience in large and small contracts give customers assurance of reliable suggestions and careful estimates. We are pleased to refer to some of the finer work in this city.

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REMODELLING AND ENLARGEMENT SALE.

Many People Are NOW BUYING CARPETS NOW

They are people that are thoughtful, people that realize that purchases made next April and May must cost more than merchants are willing to sell them for to-day. Add to this the extra price concessions we are making to make room for the new lines we will offer on opening our new showrooms, and the importance of this sale must be evident.

CARPETS
 TAPESTRIES.....78c, 87c, 95c yd.
 VELVETS.....98c, \$1.15 yd.
 BRUSSELS.....\$1.29, \$1.44 yd.
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This means a saving of 15 cents to 35 cents per yard.

RUGS, Best Wiltons, 36x63, \$8.00 Values... \$5.90

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ORATORIO INTEREST

Much Aroused Over the Coming Production of Elgar's Gerontius.

COMPARED WITH PARSIFAL

Sale of Seats Will be Opened on Saturday Afternoon—Brief Analysis of Masterpiece.

The managers of the New Haven Oratorio society have received a number of letters in commendation of its

ill the store closes at 10 o'clock. The sale is open to any one who wishes to take advantage of it.

The suggestion for the Saturday sale came from a number of teachers and others who don't find it convenient to go to a sale at the usual hours.

After Saturday seats for the oratorio society's concert may be had only at the Woolsey hall box office beginning Monday at 10 o'clock. The sale will go on uninterruptedly at Woolsey hall after Saturday until the concert begins Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

No idea whatsoever can be given in type of the dramatic character of this great poem of Cardinal Newman, which Elgar has so gloriously illustrated in music. One critic in writing of the work said: "The only well known music drama that 'Gerontius' might be compared with in its deep religious significance is Wagner's

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dis. He has murmured his last prayer, the words "Novissima hora est," which words his death cut off unfinished. Part II. is introduced and Gerontius' soul is now to be reckoned with. "The composer has to face an impossible task, viz., that of illustrating absence of space through which the soul floats towards the throne of God. Sound cannot represent silence. In dealing with such an enigma music, the art of combining sounds, can therefore only attempt to attain the mind to the condition in which it may be able to realize the significance of Beethoven's saying that 'Music is the link which connects the spiritual with the sensuous life.' In this spiritual life, where the impossible may become possible it will not be paradoxical to hear the sounds of instruments though silence reign supreme and 'the soul' confess, 'I hear no more the busy beat of time. No; nor my fluttering breath, nor struggling pulse.'"

"Edward Elgar's attempt at producing the requisite setting in which to listen to the poet's conception of things beyond the tomb, takes the shape of an orchestral introduction for stringed instruments played almost throughout, very, very softly, and in tempo rubato. Commencing in this wise, to suggest the soul's passage through space or perhaps, the deep rest, so soothing and so sweet, of which the soul subsequently speaks."

Soon after appears a fierce hubbub; the angel and its charge, the soul, are approaching a cloud of demons and their distant howl grows nearer and nearer.

Only a little imagination is needed to conjure up this scene and its tremendously dramatic effect after the tranquillity of the part preceding. The entire work goes on in this way. Wonderful contrasts, remarkable orchestra effects and climaxes. The music is not always what we speak of as beautiful music, but rather magnificent and grand especially in this last, of which a brief analysis has been given here.

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HYPERION.

Miss Rose Stahl in "The Chorus Lady" To-morrow Night.

A new star has appeared in the theatrical galaxy, namely, Miss Rose Stahl, who has already attained much distinction in the vaudeville field. The vehicle through which she is winning the plaudits of her audiences is "The Chorus Lady," which is both novel and entertaining, and teaches a wholesome lesson. As Patricia O'Brien, Miss Stahl indulges in a bewildering outpouring of slang, yet reveals the honesty and virtue that dominate the life of that much maligned person, the chorus girl.

To guard her pretty young sister from the fascination of a wealthy New Yorker who has purchased an interest in the stock farm on which the O'Brien's live, Pat—as she is commonly called—brings Nora to the city to become a member of the chorus of which she herself is the leader.

only to learn several months later that her ruse has been in vain, for the man has found the weak, pleasure-loving girl and induced her to borrow money from him. Pat at the cost of her own reputation and sweetheart shields Nora from the consequences of her folly, but in the end both are restored to her. Anyone less an artist than Miss Stahl might make the character of Pat a caricature, but she endows it with a womanliness that is recognized at once.

Miss Stahl will appear in "The Chorus Lady" at the Hyperion, Friday night.

"The Jesters."

Maude Adams' new play "The Jesters" is a romantic comedy in four acts and is a translation from the French of Miguel Zamacois by John Raphael. "The Jesters" will be the attraction at the Hyperion theater Saturday evening, March 14. Miss Adams will be supported by such well known favorites as Fred Taylor, Fred Eric, William Lewers, Edwin Holt, Gustav von Seyffertitz, Mathilde Cottrelly and Consuelo Bailey.

NEW HAVEN.

Russell Brothers Scoring in New Comedy.

There was a large audience at the New Haven theater last night to see the Russell Brothers. The vehicle essayed at this time by the Russell Bros. is a musical comedy drama entitled "The Hired Girl's Millions," a cleverly drawn bit of 20th Century composition by Charles E. Blaney. The piece is a lavish production in stage settings, wonderful electrical effects and supported by a lovely chorus, stunningly gowned and perfectly trained young woman. The production in itself is an immensity of stage achievement and has been pronounced the comedy hit of the year, wherever produced. The play will be presented again to-day matinee and night.

"His Last Dollar."

"His Last Dollar" with David Higgins on the stellar role supported by an unusually strong company will be presented at the New Haven theater, Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights this week and at the matinee Saturday.

The frenzy of a corner in stocks on Wall street, in which a man from the south undertakes to sweep up all the coin in the great financial center, but, to use his own expression "breaks his broom in the attempt," and the actual running of the Great Futurity race by thoroughbred race horses, furnish the backbone of a most effective story that David Higgins and Dr. Baldwin G. Cooke have woven into a play as above—a play possessing wonderful accumulative interest, a delightful love atmosphere, and the trials of two extremely young lovers with the frowning parent and attendant vicissitudes of persistent youth; also the more mature love interest of the hero and heroine.

In the comedy part of "His Last Dollar," the authors can be said to have been more than happy in their efforts, much laughter being evoked by one, Kaufman, a mercurial Hebrew, who creates many amusing incidents.

"His Last Dollar" is a racing play with a frenzied finance touch, abounding in intense heart interest, telling a charming romance and brightened by good, wholesome comedy, while the scenic embellishments are beautiful and realistic. Thomas Reynolds is again cast as the comical Hebrew and Emma Salvatore as the adventuress, Viola Greyson. Others in the cast include: Frank Denithorn, William Belmont, Page Spencer, C. P. Eggleston, Allan Bailey, Mary Servoss, Alma MacLaren, Bliss Milford and Molly Malcolm.

POLI'S.

Grace Van Studdford, the Shining Star This Week.

Grace Van Studdford, the Red Feather prima donna, is the shining star in the Poli bill this week with her several song selections, including "Angie Laurie" and "It Might Have Been." Miss Studdford is the best artist who appears at Poli's this season. Her magnificent voice is one of the clearest and most powerful. Her recitations have been most flattering, and she is the real top notch of the bill.

Spisael Bros. and Mack in "Cafe De Paris," a comedy built around some of the sensations of the bill. The falls taken by the comedians in this act are enough to break an ordinary human up to pieces, but they manage to survive them. This act is fast and furious, and although not a word is spoken throughout the act gets a round of applause, and has the audience in screams of laughter.

Barrows-Lancaster & Co. in a Jolly Jollier, Willie Weston, the singer and imitator, Alexander and Scott from Georgia, and a host of others make up the bill. The electric light has two good series to close the bill. Mr. Inquisitive and Private Atkins minds the box, for the balance of the week is reported very large.

Karno's Night in London Music Hall. The original famous Karno company with Billie Reeves, the original "drunk" will top line the Poli bill this coming week. The Karno company made a tremendous sensation upon the occasion of their previous visit here.

BIJOU.

Capacity Audiences Enjoying Brilliant Production of "Carmen."

Capacity audiences are crowding the Bijou theater this week to witness the superb offering of "Carmen," given by the Bijou Theater Stock company with Miss Gertrude Shipman in the title role. The play is the popular success of the season, and the advance booking of seats for the balance of the week shows capacity houses at each performance.

Miss Shipman is at her best in the role of "Carmen." It is a part that is particularly well adapted to her and she makes the most of it. Her captivating mannerisms and her personal magnetism which so appeals to her audiences make her "Carmen" something that becomes the idol of each one who sees it.

The play will be given this week only. Each afternoon there will be a matinee and a souvenir matinee Friday, Saturday afternoon to the holder of the lucky coupon, Miss Shipman will present a magnificent doll, dressed like "Carmen." Seats still booking for the balance of the week.

FOR FIRST CONCERT

Program to be Given by Faculty Trio at To-night's Event.

TWO MORE WILL FOLLOW

Interesting Feature of Music Season Furnished by These Three Recitals.

The Faculty Trio will give the first of their series of three concerts to-night at College street hall. A most interesting program has been selected. The Faculty Trio consists of Professor Knight, piano; Professor Troost-wyk, violin; and Mr. Schulz, violoncello. Following is the program for the first concert:

Trio in F major Schumann
Sonata in C minor, for piano and violin Grieg
Suite, Op. 45 Horatio Parker

The Schumann Trio has never been heard before in this city and has been looked forward to with much anticipation by the music lovers of the city. The Grieg Sonata and the Suite following was played here five or six years ago by the Adamowski with Prof. Horatio Parker, the composer, at the piano.

The other two concerts of the series will be on March 25 and April 8. Season tickets for the course \$2.00, at Steiner's and Loomis's music stores; to students in the university \$1.00 at the Cooperative store. Single admission tickets may be obtained at the door for \$1.00, by students of the university for 50 cents. Students' privileges are not transferable.

The committee on arrangements of the grand charity concert to be given at Poli's New theater through the courtesy of Mr. S. Z. Poli on Sunday evening, March 22, met last evening and reported progress toward the securing of local talent for the program.

Those who have kindly volunteered to participate in the concert include Miss Elizabeth Gaffney, Miss Mary A. C. Lynch, Mr. Wallace E. Moyle, Mr. Lawrence W. Sullivan, the degree team of the New Haven lodge of Eagles. Manager Poli has promised several special numbers from his program and the Poli and Bijou orchestras have tendered their services as a big augmented orchestra under the leadership of Henry Menck.

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Tickets for the concert have been placed at 25c, 50c, 75c, and box seats at \$1, and may be obtained from members of the committee of Engrs and at the box office of Poli's New theater. The demand for tickets is quite large, owing to the attractiveness of the names which have kindly consented to add to the program that evening.

Reserved seats can be had at the Poli theater box office from 9 a. m. to 3 p. m.

If the Baby is Cutting Teeth, be sure and use that old well tried remedy, Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup, for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

ENTERTAINMENTS.

HYPERION THEATER.

SATURDAY, MARCH 14. Chas. Frohman Presents MAUDE ADAMS In Her Greatest Triumph "THE JESTERS." Prices: 50c, 75c, \$1, \$1.50, \$2. Seat sale Monday, March 9. Carriages at 10:55.

HYPERION THEATER.

"Say! Get Hep to the Data." FRIDAY, MARCH 13. ROSE STAHL In "The Chorus Lady." Seat Sale Wednesday. Prices: 50c, 75c, \$1, \$1.50, and first six rows of orchestra \$2. Carriages at 10:55.

NEW HAVEN

G. B. BUNNELL, Manager. MONDAY, TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY, March 9, 10, 11. Matinee Wednesday. Chas. E. Blaney Offers RUSSELL BROS In the New Play "THE HIRED GIRL'S MILLIONS." Big Cast, Singers, Dancers. REGULAR POPULAR PRICES.

THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY, March 12, 13, 14. Matinee Saturday. E. D. Stahl and Geo. Nicolai Present MR. DAVID HIGGINS "THE JESTERS." Supported by a Capable Company in "HIS LAST DOLLAR." America's Greatest Racing Play. REGULAR POPULAR PRICES.

Bijou Theater.

STYVESTER E. POLI, Proprietor. ENTIRE WEEK OF MARCH 9. Bijou Theater Stock Company, "Carmen." Poli's Popular Prices: 10c, 20c, 50c. Ladies at matinees with children receive special attention. Souvenir matinee Friday. Daily matinees. Seats reserved in advance. Tel. 5512.

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ENTIRE WEEK OF MARCH 9. First Appearance Here in Vaudeville.

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MONSTER

SIX-DAY CARNIVAL, HOMESTEAD SKATING RINK, SAVIN ROCK, MARCH 16-22.

THE LOAN LACE EXHIBIT

At the New Haven Colony Historical Rooms, 144 Grove Street, opens Monday, March 9th, at 10 a. m., continuing through the week until Saturday, March 14th. Admission 25 cents; season tickets 75 cents.

HOMESTEAD SKATING RINK.

Music by the \$5,000 Orchestral Organ. Open Friday, March 13. Monster Carnival Skating, commences Monday, March 16. Admission 10 cents, including dancing from 10:15 to 11:15. Skating 15 cents.

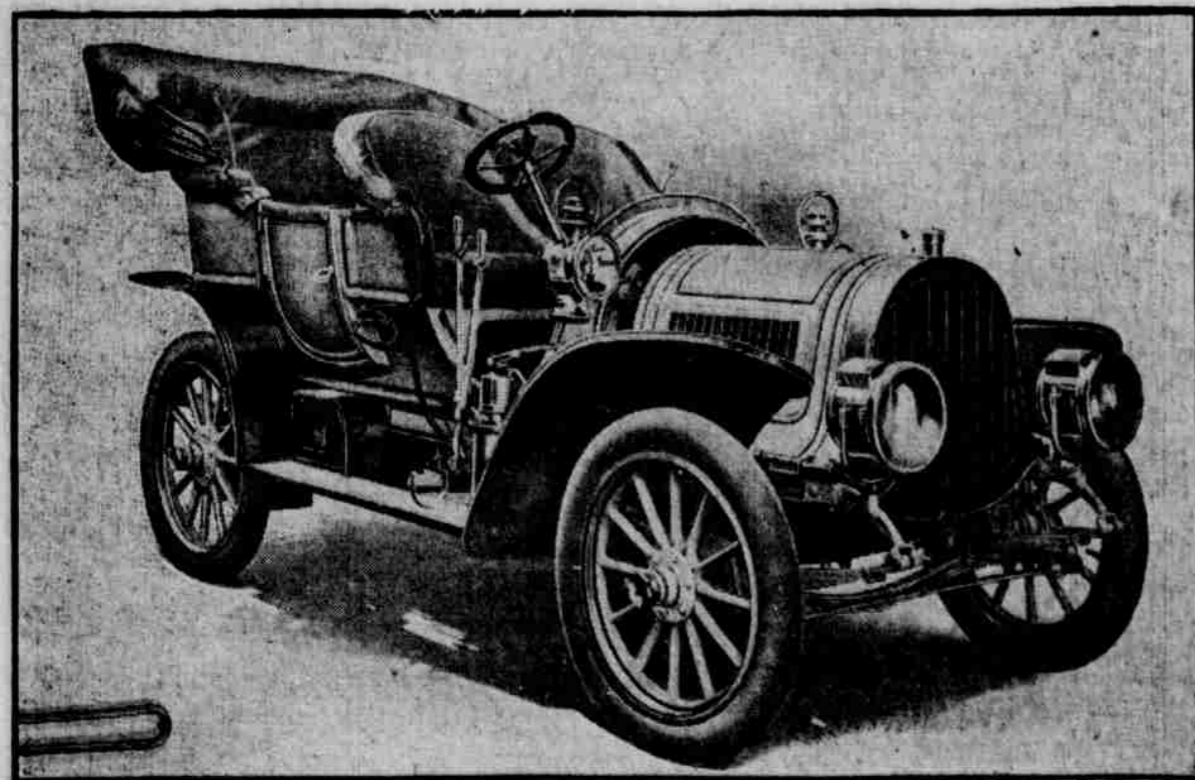


DR. HORATIO PARKER, Composer, and Conductor of Oratorio.

plan for selling seats for the coming production of "The Dream of Gerontius." Sir Edward Elgar's beautiful setting of Cardinal Newman's dramatic poem. The date for this Lenten concert by the oratorio society is March 19 and the seats will first go on sale at the M. Steiner Sons Co. at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon. This opening sale will last un-

"Parsifal." To my mind the most significant time to give this cantata is in Lent. I should select Good Friday, a day when the mind is best attuned to take in the true nature of the words.

Take for example this one "scene" out of the work as it is analyzed by Dr. Jaeger. This passage occurs after the death bed "scene" of Geront-



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News of Neighboring Places

FAIR HAVEN NEWS

Rev. Dr. Sneath Tells of Congregational Congress—Big Whist Held for Charity.

Last evening at the prayer meeting at the Grand Avenue Congregational church, the pastor, Rev. Dr. Sneath, who attended the meeting of the New England Congregational congress in Worcester last week, gave an account of the proceedings. He said in part: "More than 1,000 delegates from the Congregational churches of New England assembled in the Plymouth church, Worcester, to consider New England Congregationalism and its present duty to the questions of the immigrant, the country church, the city problem, the underpaid pastor, and that of the increased activity of men in church work. The meetings were full of enthusiasm from beginning to end. Addresses were made by Prof. Ephraim Peck of Yale, Rev. Dr. Davis of New Britain, Dr. W. D. MacKenzie of Hartford, Theological seminaries and others. It was clearly emphasized that the immigrant was the church's opportunity; to make him a citizen and Christian after the New England type and that the best way to achieve this was by bringing him into our own church and social life and not by segregating him. Dark pictures were given of the paganism, illiteracy and licentiousness which abound in the 'back-road' districts of many New England towns; and of the need for a larger ministerial force, better paid, to face these rural conditions. The question of a broadening of the Congregational polity to meet the changed conditions, including 'vision and supervision,' was thoroughly and enthusiastically discussed. The need of a new denominational self-consciousness was urged and readily endorsed. As the result of the congress, a commission of twelve men was appointed, two from each state, who shall seek to carry out the suggestions of the congress. Rev. H. H. Kelsey of Hartford and Judge Warner of Putnam are the representatives from Connecticut on this committee. This committee shall meet at least four times a year to study the problem of the denomination in New England and render such assistance as they may be able for their solution. It was also recommended that an advisory committee whose duty shall be to study the condition, advise with and aid the churches and direct and conserve the interests of the congress within the bounds of such conference.

At the fourth quarterly conference of the church year, held at the East Pearl Street M. E. church, Monday evening, the presiding elder, Rev. Dr. Richard, presided and Ester Howard was the secretary. As stated in this paper, extended, an unanimous call was extended to the pastor, Rev. E. C. Tullar to remain as pastor for another year. This vote of the conference will meet with the endorsement of the church, for Mr. Tullar has been one of the most energetic and popular pastors this church has had in years and there is a desire for him to continue the pastorate, having been here now nearly four years. He has done excellent work in the evangelistic line during and since the recent Chapman meetings and was the convener in the Fair Haven district at that time. If this call is ratified at the meeting of the New York East conference next month, then Mr. Tullar will return. But as Dr. Richard said at the conference, a church can never know who is to be its pastor until after conference. Many times a pastor is sent by the bishop where he is wanted for a particular work and a church loses its pastor. At the conference on Monday, various reports were made of the work in the church during the year. Mrs. Charles C. Francis, president of the Ladies' Aid society, reported a total of 250 receipts for the year of \$306.56, and a balance of about \$112 in the treasury. The payments for the year include some refreshments for the parsonage. A new \$60 range for the kitchen was installed, new carpets laid, window screens and other furnishings. The income of the society has been largely from the supper given and from membership dues.

One of the biggest whists of the season, was the charity whist given yesterday afternoon in the engine house in East Grand avenue by the committee of ladies from the Hose company. Sixty ladies assembled at the whist and there were fifteen tables. The committee expects to clear about \$60 which will be turned over to the city committee which is disbursing relief to the needy of the city. This was the biggest whist held on the east side this season. The committee consisted of Mrs. Jacob Frolich, chairman; Mrs. Hobart Howard, Mrs. E. M. Allen, Mrs. Dwight Potter, Mrs. John Hotchkiss and Mrs. George Cook. The prizes were awarded as follows: Hand- some silver vase, Mrs. E. H. Craig; linen embroidered bureau scarf, Mrs. E. Moeller; potted azalia, Mrs. George Allen; one dozen linen napkins, Mrs. D. A. Pollock; china tea set, three pieces, Mrs. Arthur Bradley; olive die, Mrs. B. G. Davis. The committee wish to thank the merchants who contributed the handsome prizes.

Another whist was held also yesterday afternoon, that of Gen. Lewton Lodge, O. S. of E., at the Polar Star lodge room. After the whist supper was served.

William Rowe of the east side, who went west to purchase a car load of horses, for his father, E. B. Rowe, has returned. He brought in twenty-one horses some of which have already been sold.

Mrs. William H. Shipman of Lenox street, who has been very ill with grip, was reported as somewhat better yesterday.

Another whist will be given this evening; this is the whist of the Quin- sique Hose company to be given in

the engine house. Several handsome prizes will be awarded.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stoney of Newark, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Stoney of Fairmont avenue.

Letters advertised at station A are addressed as follows: Mrs. John Bar- ry, Monroe street; Harry Adelt, Anas- tara, Berzplika, Albert Bull, George H. Hill, Mrs. John Farley, Joseph Gil- lis, Mieczyslaw Polak, Stephen Rin- gsk, Michal Luzewicz, Wawynic Twnicki.

Mr. and Mrs. George C. Black of Quin- sique avenue have had as their guest Mr. Sperry of Springfield. On Saturday evening they gave a dinner for eight in honor of their guest.

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It is yet to be demonstrated that the friends of Congressman Lilley of this State have reason to be nervous over the necessarily disagreeable position in which he finds himself as a consequence of having brought charges against the integrity of a firm of submarine boat-builders. It is of course goes without saying that they would much prefer that he be given by the committee of investigation the latitude usually given accusers of the congressional class, and not compel him to assume inconspicuously the role of defendant, but even so their faith in his resources is such that they will not believe that he will fall in his undertaking until he has played his last card and lost.

The position in which Congressman Lilley finds himself appeals to the citizens of the State of Connecticut from the sympathetic point of view without regard to partisan affiliations. It is true that George E. Lilley, the Republican congressman at large and candidate for the Republican nomination for governor, is the individual who has brought these ugly charges of political graft, but he is none the less on that account the representative of a proud people, which for the sake of the good name of the State naturally wishes him to make good. Whatever satisfaction an extreme Democratic partisan might see in his discomfiture would appear insignificant as compared with the discomfiture the commonwealth would feel in seeing one of its sons delinquent in high position of honesty and conviction and false reasoning. And it is this situation which warrants a word or two about the inconceivable features of this case. It is inconceivable, in the first place, that a man of Mr. Lilley's sense of personal responsibility should permit himself to be drawn into a controversy without good reason. In the second place, it is inconceivable that his fellow citizens at home should permit the departure of a congressional committee of investigation from conventional lines of inquiry, which embarrasses Mr. Lilley for obvious reasons, to modify their faith in the likelihood of his sound position. In fact the informal disclosures thus far made justify the belief that if he be given a fair chance to prove his case protected, as he has the moral right to be protected, by counsel, he will prove it. The alternative belief is the inconceivable one already spoken of, that he is a man of impulsive and dangerous tendencies. From the point of view of The Journal-Courier Mr. Lilley is in the right until it has been proved that he is in the wrong, and this is equally true of any other Connecticut official in a like position.

This sympathetic attitude is furthermore strengthened by the attitude of the investigating committee itself. There may be reasons, which one at this distance cannot understand and appreciate, why he should be made the defendant in the case instead of the alleged offender, but in the absence of a convincing explanation the conclusion is at least temporarily warranted that Mr. Lilley has by his charges so threatened the peace of mind of others than those included in his indictment, and has approached so near to a far-reaching congressional scandal as to justify the committee in the risk it is manifestly running of leaning on the lesser of two evils. Certainly the affair thus far proceeds upon novel theories. The man who brings the charges, himself a member of congress, and who on that account depended with reason upon a place on the investigating committee, if not its chairman, is altogether ignored and given to understand that before the committee is ready to examine other witnesses he must himself make a clean breast of it, in order that it may be determined to the satisfaction of the committee that he knows what he is talking about. Nor does the committee, in its insistence upon this course, express a willingness to hear the story in executive session, in order that the real defense may not be given at the outset the advantage to which it is plainly not entitled. One story says that even if the committee finally allows Mr. Lilley's counsel to appear the examination of witnesses will have to be made through the chairman of the investigating committee, he and his colleagues to pass upon the character and form of the questions if there is any method of procedure more likely to balk the efforts of his counsel to get at the truth. It is yet to be heard of, in other

words, the plan of investigation adopted by the committee is either expressly designed to suppress the truth or to make the seizure of the truth extremely difficult. In one sense of the word it is inconceivable that this should be so, but until some explanation can be given why it is inevitable and just and right, the home-Connecticut temperament will watch the proceeding with one eye closed.

The people of Connecticut are impressed most unfavorably by the manner in which the investigating committee is treating Mr. Lilley, and if it persists in its unprecedented course, they will not only think that he knows whereof he speaks but that he knows a lot more, which members of congress dare not make public. In other words, it is proceeding in this case in a way to elevate the muck-raker to the highest possible eminence of power and usefulness.

The New York Herald says that "Gotham is a paradise." Well, that beats the devil, as it was evidently intended to.

MODESTLY PROUD AGAIN.

Chicago is modestly proud again. It has been revealed to her that ten out of the thirty-two cities whose building records for February are reported show an increase over the records of last year, and that she is one of the ten. Of the ten only two are in the East—Philadelphia and Paterson. The other eight are Chicago, St. Louis, Denver, Cincinnati, Minneapolis, Milwaukee, Omaha and Terre Haute. In the month's showing three cities outrank Manhattan and the Bronx—namely, Chicago, St. Louis and Brooklyn. The cost of the Chicago buildings is double that of the St. Louis buildings and nearly three times as great as that of the New York buildings. Moreover, the Chicago totals have exceeded the New York totals twice in three months.

Of course this may not indicate anything like a permanent tendency, but it is pleasant for Chicago while it lasts. If she can continue to reduce her death rate and increase her population it may not be very long before she is the biggest city in the world. And even then, we suppose, she might not be wholly satisfied.

NEW POSTOFFICE BUILDING.

The Journal-Courier has only the warmest greeting for the suggestion that a campaign be begun at once for a new postoffice building. There is no possible chance for a difference of opinion as to the inadequacy of the present quarters. As Postmaster Howarth says: "Ten years ago we were doing a business of \$240,000 a year. Now we are doing about \$450,000. Ten years ago we had thirty-four clerks on the floor as against sixty-nine clerks now." So runs the argument for more space.

New Haven needs a more commodious postoffice building, but the agitation may well be confined to a movement for an addition to the present building rather than for a new one. The building as we have it is one of the most beautiful buildings in New England. It would easily lend itself to expansion, and if it were planned to occupy the entire block it would remain a thing of splendid beauty for generations to come. By all means let us have the greater postoffice building, but let it be greater with the present for its foundation and controlling design.

TO IMPROVE HORSES.

Some of the gentlemen who are self-sacrificingly laboring to improve the breed of horses are at work in Virginia, in whose legislature they have introduced a bill to establish a State breeders' association. Of this bill Cranford Mackey, Commonwealth's attorney for Alexandria county, who has during his term of office suppressed the pool rooms that for a long time flourished on the Virginia side of the Potomac, declares that if it is enacted into law "the legislature of Virginia will have pulled down the bars and opened wide the gates for every form of race-track gambling, and the laws of the State will be powerless to punish the offender." Briefly, it permits the formation of associations for the purpose of conducting races under license from a State board. Once organized and licensed, one of these associations would be permitted to carry on racing nine months in the year, free from any interference by local authorities. Of course, there is a provision forbidding the making or recording of a wager on the race course; but this, as Mr. Mackey points out, is a mere blind, inasmuch as "bookmaking can be carried on with impunity immediately outside of the race-course grounds, or at any place contiguous thereto or elsewhere." There is also a deceptive clause requiring the posting of a placard on the race course saying that bookmaking and other forms of gambling are prohibited. As a sop to the people, it is also provided that a certain percentage of the receipts shall be paid to the local authorities. Mr. Mackey says that this reminds him of the proposition "made by race-

track gamblers in Alexandria county to pay a percentage of their receipts to the board of supervisors, to be expended in building roads in the county, if I should desist in my efforts to break up the pool rooms." Mr. Mackey seems to be doing his duty, and Virginia has had enough experience in helping improve the breed of horses to know just what the new scheme means. It will be interesting to see how the horses and the men come out in this matter.

A fashion note says that low shoes will be very much worn this spring. Much-worn shoes have been in fashion all winter too.

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION.

The commission appointed by the general assembly to inquire into the advisability of creating for the use of the State of Connecticut a formal board to supervise the conduct and regulate the corporate freedom of the public service organizations which owe their existence to public favor, must have felt that there is more sinner back of the popular movement than perhaps they suspected before. The hearing held at Hartford Monday was impressive on account of the variety of the business interests represented and on account of the sober-minded manner in which the subject was treated by all of the speakers.

If there were any present who expected to hear the corporations bailed they went away disappointed. The advocates of a public utilities commission are not moved by a hatred of corporations nor by a suspicion as to the personal integrity of corporation managers. They are simply controlled in their judgment by what they know of the common weaknesses of human nature. They have looked over the history of the State and have satisfied themselves, as anybody can who takes the trouble to do so, and who is not saturated with the false notion that the possession of wealth in any one of its various forms is a guarantee of respectability, that each and every one of the "wind and water" scandals, to which the State has been subjected, might have been escaped had some other body than the general assembly been charged with careful scrutinizing each and every application for a charter and for charter rights. Though for the most part the mischief has been done, it is still the wise determination of these advocates, that with an impenetrable future before us it is well to provide against a repetition of evil.

It was plain, too, that the advocates of a public utility commission desire the cheerful and enthusiastic co-operation of the public service corporations in framing a law which shall be exactly and wholly just to all concerned. There is no intelligent man in the State who does not appreciate the tremendous part these corporations play in the daily life of Connecticut. They are not only to be protected in all of their rights and legitimate needs, but they are to be encouraged in their development. Their welfare is involved every second of the discussion but at no second separated from that of the public. Having been raised to the rank of a private monopoly it is contended that it is the part of working wisdom to make the government of the State, representing the people, a full fellow director in employing the advantage of that right of private monopoly. Instead of there being anything new and novel in the demand, the principle back of it is as old as the oldest public service corporation. If the people have not the right to protect themselves against every imaginable evil in corporate management that fact is yet to be established. Of course they have the right and they would like to exercise it with the co-operation of the corporations. Exercise it any way they will surely undertake to do.

The question of how such a commission should be organized is an important question. Whether now is the time to consider it is a matter of conflicting judgment. The choice will lie between the exercise of the appointing power by the general assembly, and the executive appointment, with and by the consent of the general assembly. We should look to see the latter plan adopted as the safer under all of the circumstances. Connecticut has not always presented the same quality of gubernatorial timber in office, but it has never yet elected a man governor who would not feel impressively the obligation to make the best selection possible for public service commissioners. This will be true in a larger sense, if, as seems likely, governors at no late date will be nominated by the people without the intervention of nominating conventions. The movement in behalf of a public utilities commission may be said to have gained momentum as a result of Monday's hearing.

A CHANCE FOR MR. CARNEGIE.

Mr. Carnegie has a great many "chances," and he takes some of them. One is handed him by the Philadelphia Inquirer which he might feel like taking. The inquirer points out that we have no real national anthem. "My country, 'Tis of Thee," is not a bad composition sung to the tune of "God Save the King." It has the advantage that most people can sing it, though not many are really familiar with the words. "Columbia, the Gem of the Ocean" is an ancient composition set to an ancient tune, and is

little sung in these days. We have no hymn which really expresses national sentiment and national virtue. The centennial ode of Whittier is a beautiful composition sung to the tune of "Old Hundred," but it was intended for a particular occasion and has never been popular. This being the situation, the inquirer would like to have Mr. Carnegie offer prizes to poets and musicians which would bring out something that would befit the dignity of the nation.

At first sight this looks good. We have become accustomed to think that money will inspire the production of anything, even a national anthem. Mr. Carnegie has the money, and there are doubtless many who would feel more or less inspired by a big prize offered by him. We don't know of any national anthem that has been produced in that way, but perhaps one can be. The experiment would be interesting. If it didn't succeed we should have to wait for the true inspiration, for which we have long been waiting.

It is announced that the father of seven or more children is practically exempt from taxation in France. "Exempt from taxation" is good.

CLEAR AND POINTED.

The committee from the New York Merchants' Association which called upon the President to make a protest against the Aldrich bill didn't get the views of the President, but he got their views, which were put very clearly and definitely. They told him that the Aldrich bill "proposes to fasten upon us an extension of the vicious principles now inherent in our present currency system, with its legal tenders in large measure the fiat money of the government and its national bank notes based on government debt as security."

The situation hasn't been any more clearly and pointedly put than that. It is the truth, and the solemn truth. It leads to the question why there should be an extension of the vicious principles that have already made so much trouble and that have in them the probability of more trouble. Is there anything sensible in seeking such extension? Clearly not. The New York committee urged the passage of the Fowler bill, which, it asserted, was designed to correct the defects in the present currency system "by basing it upon principles which have been tried and proved by our own experiences before the Civil War or by that of other communities; and to eliminate one extensive risk attendant upon industrial operations, which is now an unnecessary element of the cost of our products to the consumer and an obstacle to the extension of our foreign trade." The Fowler bill seems to be growing in favor among those competent to judge of its merits. If it is what they say it is, the cry "the Fowler bill or nothing" should take the place of "the Aldrich bill or nothing."

FOGGY, THOUGH PLAUSIBLE.

The dense London fog went be officially dispelled just yet, the Italian inventor who offered to dispel it by means of explosive disturbances in the air having been given leave to withdraw by the London County Council. The inventor has a plausible theory, but it didn't look plausible enough to the expert of the meteorological office who was consulted by the Council. The idea is that in order to beat the fog it suffices to destroy the atmospheric equilibrium which exists at the moment when the fog forms and which lasts as long as the fog lasts. The inventor states that the tranquillity of the atmosphere is the sole cause of fog; his purpose is to produce a movement in the air molecules. This movement is easily obtained by means of vibrations of the atmosphere. In order to produce molecular movement in one hundred tons of metal it is not in the least necessary to displace the mass of metal—it is sufficient to strike it with a hammer to put the molecules of the entire mass in vibration.

This looks easy, as easy as the theory of the hailstorm dissipators, or the theory of the rainmakers. Those who are supporting it are not going to be discouraged by the London County Council and the meteorological office. They are intending to tackle the London fog by private enterprise. If they succeed of course everybody will know it, and of course their efforts will be followed with deep interest.

There may be nature-fakers, but the Paris woman who has just had a pair of diamond earrings made for her laid down knows that her darling can reason.

SAVINGS AND DOINGS.

Siberia contains one-ninth of all the land on the globe. Great Britain and all Europe, except Russia, together with the whole of the United States, could be included within its boundaries.

UP-TO-DATE JOURNALISM IN TURKEY.

A German has invented a paper horse shoe, which is said to wear well and be impenetrable by moisture. It is made by saturating the paper with oil, turpentine and other ingredients. Thin layers are pasted to the hoof till the required thickness is reached.

Queen Amelie of Portugal has one of the largest scientific libraries in Europe. Her favorite study is medicine, and the library contains one of the best collections of medical authorities on the continent. She has also a large laboratory in the palace, in which she spends much time devoted to experiments.

This is how the Star-bowl announced the assassination of the late king and crown prince of Portugal: "The king and the crown prince of Portugal, after their return from Villavieja, met with an accident and were killed." And on the following day the journal announced: "The king and crown prince of Portugal, who were in place of his father, who died last night."

The first place of worship in western Australia was unique in two respects—the materials of which it was built and also the several purposes to which it was devoted. This remarkable building was made at Perth by soldiers shortly after their first arrival in 1825, and was composed almost entirely of bulrushes. In addition to its use on Sundays for divine worship, it occasionally served as an amateur theater in the week and during the whole time as a barracks.

An acquaintance the other day called on some women in an Alabama town who had at the time been much wearied by an endless succession of callers. The door was opened by Augustus Bull, the faithful old butler. "Are the ladies in?" asked the caller. "No, ma'am, they're all out." "I am so sorry that I missed them," continued the visitor, handing him her cards, particularly wishing to see Mrs. Jones. "Yes, ma'am, thank you, ma'am," responded Augustus. "They're all out, ma'am, and Mrs. Jones is particularly out, ma'am."

With the idea of increasing the practical value of the instruction in agriculture at the University of Wisconsin, a two-year course has been arranged to include the maximum amount of scientific and practical work. The present four-year course in agriculture has been revised with a view to introducing into the first two years a number of subjects, leaving directly upon farming, instead of confining the first years of the course, as heretofore, to purely scientific and theoretical work. From high school or equivalent preparation will be required for entrance to the new two-year course, as well as to the present four-year course. At least six months of practical farm experience will be required for the completion of either of these courses.

THE MESSENGER.

Strong angel of the peace of God, Not wholly undivided from men; Along the weary path I trod, Thou hast been with me, tho' unseen. My hopes have been a mad turmoil, A clutch and conflict all my life, The very craft I loved a toll, And love itself a seed of strife. And sometimes in a sudden hour I have been great with God's calm, As if thy tranquil world of power, Flowed in about me like a psalm. And peace has fallen on my face, And stillness on my struggling breath; And living, I have known a space The hush and mystery of Death. Stretch out thy hand upon me, thou Who comest as the still night comes! I have not flinched at buffets; now Let strife go by, with all its drums. —Richard Hovey, in the Papyrus.

OUR CONTEMPORARIES.

Revival of the Town Meeting. (The Boston Transcript.) The practice of holding town meetings in the evening, which is gaining headway in our suburban and manufacturing communities, is a sign of the times. Men cannot leave their employment in the office and factory and mill and workshop, geared up as these are by modern machinery, with the same ease as in the more pastoral occupations of an earlier period. The New England town meeting, venerated institution as it is, thus adapts itself to the changing times and manners.

No More Race-Track Gambling in Virginia.

(The Richmond Times-Dispatch.) Virginia is at present free from the leprosy influence of St. Asaph's, and no alluring promises of material gain could or should tempt the legislature to pass a bill under which the curse of bookmaking and poolrooms can again be fastened on our people. No gambling is as pernicious as far-reaching, and as universally destructive of men and morals as that which follows and depends upon the racecourse. The legislature is now warned, and there can be no excuse for passing a bill which on its face is open to such grave criticism.

"Our Best People."

(The Cleveland Leader.) All men are created equal, but they don't remain so. Some raise themselves above the rank by their minds; others by their goodness; a third set by their services to the State. The individual character and the individual energy make for uplifts in a thousand different ways. And when these qualities descend from generation to generation, growing like a rolling snowball, there naturally comes a class of men and women that can be called, with all propriety, "our best people." There's an aristocracy of intellect, of good breeding, of lofty purposes, of humanitarianism, of love of country and home, of the spirit that strives and the power that conquers. Men and women of wealth belong to it by virtue of themselves, not their treasures. But the cheap, vulgar, shallow people who have money and money alone, and those still cheaper people who mimic them as far as possible, think that "our best people" are only those who have great wealth and who spend it with a brass band accompaniment.

MERELY.

"If he only got that way once in a while! But now he drinks more than usual all the time!"—Le Rire. "I suppose that millionaires spent all kinds of money on their mansion?" "Oh, no; merely other people's money."—Fawc. "Tommy—Paw, what is the Chinese question?" "Mr. Tucker, I don't know. It used to be Mr. Wu, but he's quit."—Chicago Tribune. "What position does the alderman of your ward take regarding the 'Sunday saloons'?" "Usually the side entrance."—Chicago Tribune. Visitor—They tell me you are a trustee. What were you before you were sent here? Convict No. 1212—I was a trustee, mum.—Judge. "Sometimes," said Uncle Eben, "I catches myself lamblasting a mule foin doin' purty much de same as I would do if I was in de mule's place!"—Washington Star. "You look much distressed, Brown. Anything the matter at your house?" "Yes." "What?" "Social prominence."—Nashville American. "Why are you eloping your hands, me good man?" asked the cook. "I was trying, madam," answered York Handout, "to give that cup of coffee an encore."—Washington Herald. Mr. Jawback—My confound! What are you in such a stew about? Mrs. Jawback—Well, I have a right to fuss. I'm in deliver an address at the Dent, Weyers, and Weyers, and I'm afraid it's going to rain.—Cleveland Leader. Green—On the strength of your assertion that you would trust a single word with your life, I loaned him \$10 and now I can't get it back. Brown—No, and you never will. Green—Then why did you say you would trust him with your life? Brown—Oh, that's dif-

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PRISON ASSOCIATION
Quarterly Report Makes Strong Appeal for Indeterminate Sentence.

URGES MANDATORY LAW
Body Aiding Released Prisoners Would Have Punishment Fit the Criminal, Not the Crime.

Hartford, March 10.—In the quarterly report of the executive committee of the Connecticut Prison Association appended, plea is made for the more extended use of the indeterminate sentence. It recommends that a mandatory law be enacted in accordance with the bill continued from the last session of the General Assembly to assure the reclaiming from criminal practices of a larger percentage of released prisoners.

The report of the agent is as follows:

Since the meeting of the executive committee held December 10, 1907, your agent has assisted twenty-seven discharged prisoners, and has expended \$529.38, an average for each of a fraction over \$19.88.

The aid rendered was, as directed by the committee on visitation and discharges, with clothing, board while employment was being obtained, transportation to their homes or to places of employment, and tools to enable those needing them to work at a trade.

Two of those discharged during the last quarter year were insane and were cared for in accordance with the provisions of Section 2316, Revised Statutes. One was removed to New York state where he had a legal residence, and the other was placed in charge of the authorities of New Haven, where he had a legal residence.

The total number of prisoners discharged from the state prison during the time covered by this report is below the average for three months, and I think fortunately so, as employment during the past winter has been very difficult to obtain; I trust that as spring work will soon begin, the conditions in the labor market will improve.

Your agent continues to hope that the time will soon come when the sentence of prisoners committed to the state prison will be passed with some practical reference to the spirit and intent of the indeterminate sentence law now on the statutes, to the end that the beneficent principle incorporated in that law can be made

available for the better protection of the public and thus to insure the reclaiming from criminal practices a larger percentage of released prisoners, by enabling the prison authorities to increase the paroles and decrease the number of those discharged by expiration of maximum term of sentence.

Those discharged by expiration of term of sentence go to unrestrained freedom and not infrequently to their downfall but if all prisoners were first released on parole, according to merit, and went from the prison into suitable employment under good conditions and reasonable restraints, there is no room to doubt that much more desirable results would be obtained and the public would be more systematically protected, while the paroled prisoner would have much better opportunities and chances for regaining a reputable, happy life. In all respects such a method would be incomparably beyond the hap-hazard practice of trying to "make the punishment fit the crime," as the courts now do.

To secure the more desirable practice it seems likely that a mandatory law needs to be enacted, and such a bill was continued by the General Assembly of 1907 to the next coming assembly, when it is hoped by the friends of wise penological practice that it will be enacted in place of the "go as you please" law now in force.

Years of practical experience with a working indeterminate sentence law in Indiana and some other states have clearly demonstrated its great value. I cannot refrain from urging for the bill now in the blue book of 1907 continued to the next General Assembly your continued and hearty support.

Respectfully,
JOHN C. TAYLOR,
Secretary and Agent.

BANKERS FRIGHTENED.
Man Menaces Official With Nitro-Glycerine Demanding \$5,000.

Omaha, Neb., March 6.—A bold attempt was made to-day to rob the Merchants National bank by a man who, although at first it was believed was a desperate criminal, is now considered by the police to be a lunatic. He gave his name as L. L. Fee, and said he once lived at Rockford, Ill. He walked into the bank soon after it opened and menacing vice president Luther Drake with a bottle, which he said contained nitroglycerine, demanded \$5,000 cash. Mr. Drake, though believing for the moment that his life and the lives of his fellow officials and employees of the bank might be in imminent danger, conferred calmly with the would-be robber until other officials called the police, and the man was taken into custody. Tests by the police seem to show that the contents of the bottle were harmless.

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MATTERS IN COURT

Candee vs. Connecticut Savings Bank Starts Before Judge Wolfe.
LINES WILL IS HELD UP
Niece Asks Postponement for One Week of Probate of Instrument.

The suit of David P. Candee vs. the Connecticut Savings bank, et al., was begun in the civil side of the common pleas court yesterday before Judge Wolfe. The suit is over \$300. It is claimed that the late Mrs. Isabel Candee gave the bank book to David Candee, her brother and that now the bank officials will not pay to Candee the amount in question. Neither will Clarence Thompson, the administrator of the estate, give his sanction of such a transaction. The case was not finished. The counsel for the plaintiff was Attorneys Wallace and Beers, and for the defense Attorney H. C. Webb for Thompson. The case was not finished.

Milano Must Pay.
The case of Antonio Milano, charged with non-support, came up in the civil side of the common pleas court yesterday. The defendant was ordered to go to jail for sixty days. He must also furnish a bail of \$100.

Commissioners Set Hearing.
The commissioners have assigned hearings on liquor license cases as follows: Michael Troeno, 64 Hill street, to-day at 10 a. m., and Harry Torrello, 24 Hudson street, to-day at 2 o'clock.

Porcelain Case Continued.
Before Judge Wheeler in the superior court yesterday the case of Johnston vs. the Smedley company, which will be remembered as the case which concerns the porcelain pieces broken and which was begun last week, was up again yesterday, but was not finished. It will be continued to-day.

Halts Lines Will.
Attorney William A. Wright representing a niece of Mrs. Mary A. Lines, who died recently, leaving an estate worth \$50,000 appeared in the probate court yesterday morning and asked for a postponement of the probating of Mrs. Lines will until a week from yesterday. The attorney explained that he wanted to look into the provisions of the will. Attorney Wright would not disclose the name of his client, but from another source it was learned that she is a Mrs. Wolvern, a niece of Mrs. Lines.

LeBrun Estate.
In a decision given yesterday afternoon Judge Studley of the probate court, throws out the claim of John Harry Thomas LeBrun of Bridgeport for a third part of the estate of \$25,000 left by August LeBrun, the shoe merchant in Congress avenue. The stepson has so far not filed notice of appeal.

Instructor Perry Fined.
Justice of the Peace Elijah B. Treat of Oxford has found Walter N. Perry, instructor in history in the New Haven high school, guilty of cruelty to dumb animals and fined him \$1 and costs, which will amount to about \$25.

Notice was yesterday filed of the appeal of Henry B. and Ricardo Armstrong, executors of the estate of the late Philander Armstrong, from the decision of the board of assessors and the board of relief, which boards refused to abate taxes on \$101,317 property.

In their appeal the executors stated that the amount was in notes, etc., on money borrowed for the use of the Benton-Armstrong company. They state that if the amount is not taken

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from the assessable property, the Benton-Armstrong company, which is insolvent, will be unable to pay over 25 per cent on claims. They say that the abating of the taxes on this amount will mean \$70,000 to the estate.

John Imig's Will Filled.
The will of John Imig, who was a cabinet maker in this city, was filed in the probate court yesterday. The estate is estimated to be worth \$3,000 and goes to the widow, Agatha Imig, who is the administratrix.

Mrs. Bourne Named.
Mrs. Annis E. Bourne was yesterday appointed executrix of the will of her husband, the late Prof. Edward G. Bourne. Frederick M. Warren and Charles D. Nicoll were appointed appraisers.

COMIC OPERA STAR ON TRIAL.
Mrs. Hitchcock Accompanies Husband but is Not Allowed in Court.

New York, March 10.—Raymond Hitchcock, the comedian, was put on trial to-day in the criminal branch of the supreme court before Justice Blanchard on an indictment growing out of charges preferred by a fifteen year old girl. There have been several postponements and an effort to have still another adjournment was made to-day by Hitchcock's counsel but Justice Blanchard directed that the selection of a jury to be begun without delay.

Hitchcock arrived at the court room early accompanied by his wife, who is known on the stage as Flora Zabelle, and his counsel. Mrs. Hitchcock was not permitted to enter the court room, however. She was escorted to the ante room in which Evelyn Nesbit Thaw spent much of her time during the trial of her husband for the murder of Stanford White.

PIE PROBE AT COMMONS.
Columbia University Daily Gets After College Dining Hall.

New York, March 10.—There was a decided fall in Columbia's dining hall stock this morning, and the market for pies, cakes, and buns on Morning-side suffered great depression, all because the Columbia Spectator, the students' daily paper, had begun an investigation of conditions in the University Commons.

This investigation, unlike others which have broken out from time to time, is a carefully planned and thoroughgoing expose, by which the students hope to impress the authorities with the fact that they are not being well fed. Last night should linger in the faculty's mind on the subject, the Spectator attempts to show by comparative figures that not only is the common food of inferior quality, but of superior price.

GOV. GUILD GIVEN OPIATES.
Boston, March 10.—Governor Guild, who is confined to his room with an attack of rheumatism, complicated with the grip, was still suffering severely to-day, although his condition was not considered at all dangerous. The pain was so intense during last night, as well as the night before, that opiates were administered. Only the most important business is being submitted to him for his approval.

DESPONDENT WOMAN MAY DIE.
New Britain, March 10.—Mrs. James W. Myers, a young woman 19 years of age, made an attempt on her life by swallowing a large dose of oil of turpentine at her home this noon and was removed to the New Britain hospital in a critical condition. Despondency, as the result of her husband being unable to secure work is given as the cause of her act.

SKI RUNNER OVER PRECIPICE.
Berne, Switzerland, March 10.—Rudolph Koch of Saint Moritz, the champion ski runner of Switzerland, met his death yesterday while indulging in his favorite occupation. He was sliding in the mountains above Borzun, when he carried over a precipice by an avalanche and killed.

UNOPPOSED TREATIES RATIFIED.
Washington, March 10.—The senate to-day ratified and made use of the thirteen treaties negotiated at the international conference at The Hague. The conventions adopted are those to which no opposition had been made.

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DEATHS.
ANDREWS—In this city, March 10, 1908, ELIZA Brewster Andrews, in the 86th year of her age.
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YARDMASTER RESIGNS.
Elmer E. Jordan, yardmaster at Cedar Hill, who lives at 127 Fountain street, Westville, has resigned to accept a position with the Lehigh Valley railroad. Mr. Jordan has been with the New Haven road about two years, coming from Erie. In his new position he will have headquarters at Sayre, Pa., and he leaves New Haven with the best wishes of his superior officers and all those who worked under him. J. R. Potter, formerly yardmaster at Providence, takes his place here.

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CARTER IN CHARGE

Former Yale Pitcher Assists Captain Jones With Baseball Men.

HOT WORK FOR THE MEN

Merritt and Van Vleck Away—Pitching Machine is Dispensed With.

"Dutch" Carter, who pitched for the championship Yale baseball team of 1896 came here yesterday and commenced his work as graduate coach of the Yale baseball team, following the resignation of graduate coaching by Captain Tad Jones.

Carter has the same winning manner coaching baseball as Frank Hinkley has coaching football and the way he sailed in for the men in the cage yesterday was something of a surprise. His first comment that none of the fielders knew how to catch the balls was received with applause by the assembled onlookers and before the practice had progressed far, radical changes were made.

The pitching machine which has been in the cage for the past few days has been sent back to the manufacturers and human pitchers were used.

Merritt and Van Vleck, the most prominent candidates for the position this year were both absent. Coach Carter turned his attention to Howard Jones, Finkle Dunbar, Bill Cushing and the ten or more pitchers who are out for pleasure rather than for the team.

Jones, however, is showing remarkable form and it seems likely that his arm this year will be so that he can pitch in the minor games at least. Merritt and Van Vleck are both near the danger point in regard to their studies and it is possible that Jones' services may be called upon in one of the big games. Cushing is also showing up well.

Yesterday Captain Jones spent the afternoon in batting up flies for the fielding candidates to catch. After the regular practice he had a little special work in his regular position of catcher, Coach Carter pitching.

Two changes were yesterday announced in the Yale baseball schedule by Manager Thornton. Trinity college will be given April 1 and the game with Manhattan college was shifted from March 25 to 28.

Both will be played in New Haven. The Springfield Training school was offered a game here April 2 but was obliged to decline. That date was also offered to the Waterbury Connecticut league team but was too early for Durant's men.

Manhattan was shifted to a date three days later than the original date might prove too early for play. Although Yale is scheduled to open the season March 21 with New York university, it is not now thought that a game will be possible so early in the season.

Capt. Tad Jones has been unable to take the Yale players out of doors yet but expects to do so by the last of this week. They have had two weeks' cage drill.

DUAL SWIMMING MEET.

Yale and Harvard to Meet at Brookline To-night.

The entries for the monster swimming meet of the Brookline Swimming Club at Brookline to-night, in conjunction with which there is to be a dual meet between the Harvard and Yale swimming teams, includes many collegiate swimmers.

Yale and Harvard are pretty evenly matched, but it is expected that the Yale boys will win the water polo match. In Captain Richards, Yale has one of the fastest sprint swimmers in the country, who in the present holder of the intercollegiate record for 100 yards.

In the 50-yard race Harvard will be represented by Captain Paul Withington and Aspinwall, while Yale will rely upon R. Moses and S. Marcia. Withington should win this event, while in the century race Richards and R. W. Catlin will represent Yale, while Withington and R. F. Hoyt will probably swim for the Crimson. Richards should win.

MAKES DUCKPIN RECORD.

Providence Man Gets Three Strings of 392.

INVITATION TO HOYT.

Automobile Club President Asked to Local Auto Show.

Formal invitation was sent Hon. Colgate Hoyt, president of the Automobile Club of America yesterday, urging his attendance at the opening ceremonies of the New Haven automobile show which begins at dusk here a week from to-night.

President Hoyt is to be in this city as the guest of the Yale Auto club on that date and the show committee feel sure that he will consent to attend the opening which will be held before the hour of the Yale club reception. There is a possibility that the Yale association may also attend the opening in a body.

The invitation to President Hoyt which was sent yesterday by Manager Dill was as follows: Hon. Colgate Hoyt, The Auto Club of America: Dear Sir: Learning that you are to be in New Haven on the opening of Wednesday, March 18, we thought it likely that you might honor us by your presence at the opening of the Annual Automobile Show of the New Haven Dealers' association which will begin on that night.

We extend you a most cordial invitation to attend and assure you that by doing so you would be paying the local association a great compliment. The opening can be arranged at your convenience. Hoping most sincerely to receive your acceptance we remain,

W. T. Dill, Manager. Very truly yours, THE N. H. DEALERS' ASSN.

YALE HALL WINS.

Boys Get Basketball Victory Over West Haveners.

In a very interesting and exciting game the Yale Hall boys defeated the Union high school quintet at the Boys' club yesterday afternoon by a score of 20 to 12. The game was marked for its cleanliness throughout. The passing and team work of the Yale Hall boys was especially noteworthy. Rowley, the right forward of the Yale Hall team, although handicapped by having an injured hand, played a star game. Kiernan, the strong Yale Hall right guard, played a grand offensive and defensive game. Schuster excellently for the Union high boys. This is the second game of the series each having won one game before. The final game is to be played next Tuesday. Clifford of the Yale team has been lately coaching the Yale Hall boys, and thus helped their victories.

The lineup of both teams was as follows: Yale Hall. Union High. Rowley. Right forward. Kendall. Right forward. Hull. F. Gettings. Left forward. J. Gettings. Dickerman. Schuster. Center. Kiernan. Right guard. Mullin. Right guard. Hammermann. Morrissey. Left guard.

Summary: Goals from field, Yale Hall, Rowley 4, Kiernan 3, F. Gettings 2, J. Gettings 1, Union high, Hull 3, Dickerman 1, Kendall 1, Schuster 1. Referee, Slavine. Scorer, Lovell. Timer, Dickerman.

LIPTON CUP CONDITIONS.

Yachts Must Not Number Over 100 Feet Over All.

New York, March 10.—Conditions governing the ocean race of sailing yachts for the \$1,000 cup presented by Sir Thomas Lipton to be sailed under the auspices of the Brooklyn Yacht club were announced to-night.

The race is open to sailing vessels measuring not more than 100 feet, extreme length, of any rig and belonging to any organized yacht club in the world. The distance of the race is 825 miles and will be started on July 4 at 10 o'clock in the morning. The course will be from Gravesend bay to Fire Island lightship, then to Northeast End lightship, off Cape May, N. J., and return.

NAVY CREW LOSES DOUGLAS.

Annapolis, March 10.—Rowing at the naval academy will suffer on account of the loss of Douglas, who broke a rib wrestling Saturday evening, and is not likely to be in the boat again. Douglas is captain of the football team, and was doing great work as an oarsman.

The Navy will row Columbia on May 9, the latter sending a "varsity and probably a freshman crew. Harvard will row on May 15, and it is expected that the New York Athletic club and the Arctics and Arundels of Baltimore will send junior crews on dates to be fixed.

HARVARD LOSES CAHILL.

Worcester, Mass., March 10.—Harry Cahill, the Harvard star athlete, will in all probability enter the University of Pennsylvania in the fall. Cahill was counted upon as a point winner in the dashes at the intercollegiate games by the Crimson team, and his loss will be severely felt. He is a star football player, and undoubtedly would have occupied a position in the Harvard back field next fall.

STILL GOING DOWN

Local Polo Team Drops Second Game of the Week to the Wanderers.

EASY PREY, TOO, 6 TO 2

Pawtucket Continues on the Climb—New Britain is Defeated by Fast Rough Riders.

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING. W. L. P.C. New Britain 49 39 .559 New Haven 44 38 .539 Bridgeport 40 37 .519 Hartford 41 40 .506 Pawtucket 37 41 .474 Waterbury 35 44 .442 Providence 23 46 .333

GAMES TO-NIGHT.

New Haven vs. Hartford. Bridgeport at Providence.

In a polo game that was a poor exhibition of the grand game, New Haven went down to defeat before the Wanderers from Hartford last night. It was without question one of the poorest displays of the game seen here this season. And the crowd was a small one.

Bone's team had Lincoln, the leading rush getter, on the front line while Starke's five had Schiffer filling the latter's position on their rush line. The loss of Farrell was without question sorely felt by the local boys last night. And his absence played havoc with the team's combination play.

From start to finish there was not the slightest effort made by either quintet to play a passing game. It was every man for himself. The first period opened with Lincoln and Warner on the rush line for New Haven, both teams started in to play a slap bang game, and the rubber was sent with lightning rapidity from one end of the rink to the other.

For a time neither goal tender had anything to do, the shooting being of the most erratic kind. After three minutes and twenty seconds of play the ball was sent in the direction of Mullin's cage by Schiffer. It had just rolled enough to enter the cage, going in uncollected through Saunders getting in front of Mullin, so that the latter was unable to see the leather. Ten seconds later Hart scored a clever goal, and a few seconds after Miller made a drive from the center which Mullin was unable to stop. There was no improvement in the play throughout the second period during which time each side scored a goal.

Hartford was penalized three times and lost the goal they earned in this period. In the last period Warner retired and Lincoln replaced Bone, but matters did not improve any and Starke's men sent the ball past Mullin for three tallies before Lincoln secured the ninth and last goal of the game for New Haven.

The following is the score and summary: New Haven. Hartford. Lincoln. Schiffer. First rush. Werner, Bone. Second rush. Gardner. Center. Saunders. Coggeshall. Halfback. Mullin. Sutherland. Goal.

First Period. Won by Caged by Time. Hartford. Schiffer. 3:20 Hartford. Hart. 3:30 Hartford. Miller. 4:10

Second Period. Hartford. Schiffer. 4:15 New Haven. Lincoln. 1:15

Third Period. Hartford. Schiffer. 1:30 Hartford. Hart. 5:30 Hartford. Hart. 2:05 New Haven. Lincoln. 1:09

Rushes, Lincoln 9, Warner 2, Schiffer 1; stops, Mullen 29, Sutherland 28; fouts, Saunders, Schiffer, Hart, Miller; goals, Hartford 6, New Haven 2; timer, Wohlhammer; scorer, Mustarde; referee, Rorty.

PAWTUCKET QUERS GRAYS.

Climbers Step Up Once More at Home.

(Special to the Journal-Courier.) Pawtucket, R. I., March 10.—Providence didn't have a lookin' to-night, the Tigers tussling with them from bell to bell. Cunningham and Pierce had hardy and Doherty standing on their heads by their clever shots. The feature of the game occurred when Cunningham stopped Thompson's drive from the spot and hit back for a goal, the stunt being pulled off in four seconds.

Great defense by Pence Cameron and Mansfield kept Providence's score down. The ball came out on Pawtucket four times. Summary: Pawtucket. Position. Providence. Cunningham. Thompson. First Rush. Pierce. Second Rush. Mansfield. Hardy, O'Brien. Center. Cameron. Doherty. Half Back. Pence. Goal. Mallory.

Goals, won by Caged by Time. First Period. Pawtucket. Mansfield. 6:44

Second Period. Pawtucket. Cunningham. 5:04 Pawtucket. Cunningham. 5:41 Pawtucket. Cunningham. 5:51 Pawtucket. Pierce. 1:25 Providence. Thompson. 2:14

Third Period. Pawtucket. Pierce. 15:48 Providence. Thompson. 6:52

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New Haven Bowlers Drop Match, Despite One Good Game.

FINAL GAME BRINGS 1034

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New Britain. Berg 182 183 157-502 Behnk 202 200 184-585 Walker 244 209 217-670 Basso 166 179 188-533 Walther 472 169 191-533

Score, Faterbury 9, New Britain 3; rushes, Jason 6, Mercer 6; stops, Bannon 17, Cusick 44; fouts, Jean 2, Jason; referee, Leahy.

Drives for the Cage

Again the awful shadow of the "Dimples" and under some one takes a night, but that fact didn't hurt them. The moving stowaway brought them up to us while they stood still. A percentage of 519.1 day looks right to us.

Down, down! That's where we're going fast, and under some one takes a fourth place.

Lack of combination made the game prove uninteresting to-night, both teams played like sheep without a shepherd, every man on both sides went astray and played here, there and everywhere.

Brilliant playing on the part of individuals was even at a premium, it was as if they were not playing through the contest, and none of the players on either side showed any clever work.

It was lucky for Sutherland that he wore a mask last night, when that lightning drive from Larry's stick came and played the back of his head. It might have been worse, Sutherland, as your cranial is still intact.

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A the Y. M. R. C. allies last night the Pickwick and the Algonquins met in battle arrays. Mr. Pickwick, however, was no match for his opponents who captured all of the three games rolled. The scores:

Algonquins. H. A. Mix 215 223 213-451 Short 192 184 192-551 Bohler 129 158 156-442 Farr 150 127 188-455 Chapin 179 169 203-551

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Algonquins. H. A. Mix 215 223 213-451 Short 192 184 192-551 Bohler 129 158 156-442 Farr 150 127 188-455 Chapin 179 169 203-551

886 873 932-2691 Pickwicks. Smith (Ave) 187 187 197-591 Marsney (Ave) 180 180 180-540 Prater 154 158 146-407 Phillips 159 129 119-407 A. Powell 171 150 133-454

MAPLES THRICE VICTORS.

Win From Mahogany Team in R. R. Y. M. C. A. League.

The Maples drew three straight plumbs from the Mahogany team in the series on the Railroad Y. M. C. A. alleys last night. The scores:

Maples. Warley 150 159 160 Lee 185 187 167 Mansfield 190 174 187

525 470 524 Mahogany. Moran 174 194 169 Parmlee 144 132 140 Hills 176 140 185

494 459 494 MERIDEN GETS TWO.

Silver City Men Outrolled Bridgeport Five.

(Special to the Journal-Courier.) Meriden, March 10.—Meriden took two falls out of the Bridgeport bowlers to-night although the visitors scored the first victory. Both teams rolled rather low scores. High single went to Douglas of Bridgeport with only 216. The score:

Bridgeport. Lewis 188 213 126-526 F. Musante 142 140 149-421 Douglas 216 187 155-558 J. Musante 170 166 102-438 French 182 172 176-511

897 878 713-2493 Meriden. Brooks 140 134 218-552 Darbault 143 158 176-487 Quinn 184 206 186-576 Yost 182 165 169-516 Pullen 138 158 164-477

784 911 903-2508 Y. M. R. C. RECORDS.

Mix Has Slight Lead in Individual Series.

In the individual tournament at the Republican club alleys Mix has a slight lead over White, who is eight points behind him. Mix also stands highest on the averages, with 210.9, and his high single, 243, is the best by twenty pins. The records through this week:

W. L. P.C. Plus. Mix 13 9 3 1.72 377 White 11 15 6 1.74 372 Beecher 15 9 6 6.00 2780 Hall 15 9 6 6.00 2823 Putney 12 12 9 5.71 4175 Buecher 21 12 9 5.71 4175

Crowe 21 12 9 5.71 3563 Larom 18 10 9 5.55 3349 Garter 21 10 9 5.55 3574 Raymond 12 6 9 5.00 2952 Brown 18 9 9 5.00 3040 Judd 18 9 9 5.00 2531 Snow 18 7 11 3.59 3126 Chapin 18 7 11 3.59 2998

Liquist 3 1 2 3.33 513 Garter 9 2 17 2.36 444 Barnett 12 3 9 2.53 2107 Powell 18 4 14 2.22 3039

Mix vs. Larom; Mix vs. Snow; Chapin vs. Judd; Chapin vs. Putney; Crowe vs. Larom; Crowe vs. Snow; Mix vs. Barnett; Barnett vs. Powell; Putney vs. Garter; Liquist vs. Garter; Liquist vs. Brown; Brown vs. Hall; Brown vs. Riley; White vs. Raymond; Hall vs. Raymond; Garter vs. Powell; Beecher vs. Judd.

STATE Y. M. R. C. AVERAGES.

Local Railroad Branch Leads League Without Defeat.

This far in the State Y. M. R. C. bowling league the railroad branch team of this city has been having everything its own way, with six straight wins. This team also leads in team single and high string. Below are the figures up to March 10.

W. L. P.C. Railroad N. H. 6 0 1.00 0 New Britain 4 0 1.00 0 Waterbury 4 0 1.00 0 New Haven 3 0 1.00 0 Bridgeport 3 0 1.00 0

H. G. H. T. Railroad 934 2526 Waterbury 918 2364 New Haven 808 2299 New Britain 829 2329 Bridgeport 811 2214

Individual Averages. Chapin, N. H. 9 295 178.2 644 Schlegel, R. R. 6 215 175.8 579 Moran, R. R. 3 112 122.8 518 Wilver, W. R. 3 112 122.8 518 Williams, R. R. 3 109 110.0 509 Larson, N. B. 3 103 103.0 489 Kron, N. B. 3 99 102.0 483 Warner, W. R. 3 96 101.3 477 Dickson, R. R. 3 94 97.3 473 Schecher, R. R. 3 88 91.3 437 Porto, R. R. 3 87 90.3 437 Doane, R. R. 3 86 89.3 433 New Haven 3 85 88.3 429 Nichols, W. 3 74 76.3 490 Seabright, B. 3 69 71.3 482 Sierratt, B. 3 66 68.3 469 Hubbard, W. 3 64 66.3 457 Peterson, P. W. 3 64 66.3 457 McPartland, W. 3 60 62.3 448 Morris, B. 3 59 61.3 443 Andrews, N. H. 3 51 52.3 501 Brunness, W. 3 47 48.3 511 Ferrier, N. H. 3 47 48.3 511 Scripture, N. B. 3 46 47.3 506 New Haven 3 45 46.3 500 Peterson, P. W. 3 45 46.3 500 Peterson, P. W. 3 45 46.3 500

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CLINTONS IN LEAD

Claim Close Contest That Ends in Disagreement Over Decision.

REFeree CHANGED DECREE

Goal Scored After Play and Before Change is Made—May Be Dispute.

Before a very large crowd the Clinton quintet defeated the Light guards at the armory last night by the score of 15 to 14. The game was very exciting, and was throughout, the result always being uncertain. This was the second game played between these two teams, the Light guard winning the first game, and the Clintons the second. Both teams played great games, doing great passing and blocking. Many fine shots were made during the game by members of both teams. The game was clean, few fouls being called. Toward the end of the game both teams worked like beavers, making many brilliant plays.

For the Clintons all played a very good game, accomplishing much passing. They were bound to win, for this victory meant much

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DOINGS IN REALTY

Papers Filed Yesterday in the Office of the Town Clerk.

The following papers were filed in the town clerk's office yesterday:

Quit Claim Deeds. Peter David to Frank E. Bollman, Ashland St., 125. Dwight N. Clark to Wilbur M. Allyn, Whalley avenue, 45 feet. Geo. Leete Peck to Wilbur H. Smith, Exchange street, 50 feet. Wilbur H. Smith et ux to Geo. Leete Peck, Exchange St., 50 feet. Charles E. Hamilton to Henry W. Crawford, oyster grounds, New Haven harbor. E. Chas. Milderbrand et als. ex. to The Colonial Realty Co., Willow St., 25 feet. Nathan W. Hendryx to Thomas F. Maxwell, East Haven. Frank E. Bollman to Sadie Theresa Darich, Ashland street, 125 feet. Ralph S. Pagter, executor, to Isidor Soff, Hamilton street, 33 feet. Thomas King to Patrick Heaney, Edwards St., 33 feet. Patrick Heaney to Bridget King, Edwards street, 33 feet. Mary A. Hendryx et al. to Nathan W. Hendryx, East Haven. James B. DeLuca et als. to Bridget T. Ross, Grand avenue, 9 inches. E. Chas. Milderbrand et als. ex. to James Byrne, Willow street, 25 feet.

Warranty Deeds. Joseph DeFilippo to Nicola Caruso, et al., Dixwell avenue, 48 feet.

Mortgage Deeds. Mary A. Phelps to The Colonial Realty Co., 50 feet on Sylvan avenue, \$440. Nicola Caruso, et al. to Joseph D. Filippio, Dixwell avenue, 48 feet; \$500. Anna Brown to Henry J. Reynolds, lease 79 and 83 Congress avenue, Hotel Congress, five years. Alice M. Merriman to George W. Austin, 65 feet on Elm street, Yale college land, 124 feet.

Building Permits. 432 Oak street, Florence Crittenden mission of New Haven; carpenter, J. H. Thompson. Frame dwelling Lombard street, owner Royal S. Dow; mason, H. E. Warner; jr.; carpenter, H. B. Wooding; architect, H. B. Wooding.

GORDON BROWN IN SOCCER. Former Yale Captain to Head Freebooters.

Gordon Brown, captain of Yale's victorious football eleven of the fall of 1906, commonly known as the greatest team Yale ever had, will appear on the gridiron against Yale this spring. At the head of the Flushing Freebooters he will come to New Haven about the first of April to try conclusions with the Yale soccer team which opens its season Saturday.

The Flushing Freebooters have the reputation of being the best soccer team on Long Island if not in the whole state of New York. Gordon Brown's ability as a football player would lead the casual observer to consider long before playing him in the list of soccer players anywhere except near the top. Around him are grouped men of ability on the gridiron as well as in the financial world and the result is a strong well trained team.

SMITHSON MAKES RECORD. Does 70-Yard Hurdles in Marvelous Time of 8-4-5 Seconds—The Summaries.

New York, March 10.—The results in the principal events at the New York Athletic club indoor meet were as follows:

60 yards dash, handicap—Final heat, won by D. Robbins, Yale university, (9 feet); B. Hopkins, Yale, second; N. A. Sherman, Dartmouth, third. Time 6 2-5 seconds.

Putting 8 pound shot handicap—Won by L. Bangs, Harvard, (10 feet) with put of 58 feet, 11 inches; C. C. Little, Harvard, (10 feet) second, 55 feet; J. Bredemus, Princeton, (10 feet) third with 64 feet, 7 inches.

300 yards run, handicap. Final heat won by C. Bleistein, Yale, (15 yards); G. J. Merz, N. Y. A. C. (12 yards), second; C. F. Barker, Irish American A. C. (15 yards), third. Time 3:1-5 seconds.

400 yards novice, final heat won by E. H. Mackenzie, New York, unattached; C. Baird, Yale, second; S. Short, Yale, third. Time 1:4 2-5 seconds.

P. C. Smithson, formerly of Portland, Oregon, running in the colors of the New York Athletic club, made a new world's record of 8-4-5 seconds over the 70 yard hurdles.

60 yards dash, scratch, final heat won by G. Butler, Yale; N. A. Sherman, Dartmouth, second; L. Stevens, Yale, third. Time 5 2-5 seconds.

Special 600 yards match race—Harry Hillman, New York A. C. beat Guy Haskins, U. of P. by two yards. Time 1:2 4-5.

70 yard hurdle handicap. Final heat won by P. C. Smithson, (scratch); D. Robbins, Yale (6 feet), second; L. King Yale (10 feet) third. Time 5 seconds.

In the third trial heat Smithson made a new world's indoor record of 8-4-5 seconds. The time for the final also beats the previous record for this event, which was held by E. C. Northridge, of the Irish American Athletic association, who made 9-1-5 seconds, last year.

1,000 yards run, invitation—Won by W. Sheppard, Irish-American A. A.; C. Walthers, N. Y. A. C., second; C. J. Bacon, Irish-American, third. Time, 2:20 3-5.

880 yards run, handicap—J. B. Halsted, Cornell university (18 yards), and Leroy Frantz, Princeton (25 yards), ran a dead heat; M. Kirjasoff, Yale (30 yards), third. Time, 1:58. In running off the dead heat Halsted finished first, but as both men fouled each other the judges allowed the men to be placed as they finished.

Three standing jumps, handicap—Won by B. Adams (4 feet), with 20 feet 3-4 inches; E. F. Bloodgood, Y. M. C. A., New York (4 feet), second, with 20 feet 7-3-4 inches; W. B. Conners, Princeton university (4 feet), third, with 25 feet 3-5 inches.

One-mile relay for colleges—Won by Cornell university team (A. T. White, R. S. Shattuck, M. Smith and A. M. Stearns); Amherst (C. M. French, J. Carpenter, R. W. Hitchcock and R. L. Hurlburt), second; Pratt Institute team, Brooklyn, third. Time, 3:5 4-5.

One-mile intercity club relay race—Won by New York A. C. team, Crockett, Koch, Sedley and Hillman; All-Boston team, Power, Rand, Desaulnier and Wither, second. Only two teams ran. Time, 3:36 2-5.

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YALE SWIMMERS OFF.

Meet Harvard To-night in the Tanks of the Brookline Club. The Yale swimming and water polo teams will go to Boston to-day to meet the Harvard teams to-night at the Brookline tank. Under ordinary conditions a Yale victory would look like a settled fact from the start, but Yale has met with a few accidents before the contest.

Otto Schwartz, who was the star Yale 50 yard man left college several days ago and has weakened the team in that event. Catlin, who with Captain Richards represents Yale in the 100 yard race has been ill at the infirmary for the past week and probably will be unable to go to-day to Boston.

One of the principal events of the evening will be a match between Daniels, the world champion and Rich of Brookline, Mass., who is the champion of Massachusetts. The Yale entries in the meet are:

Freshman relay—Winslow, Martin, Gordy and Ortmeier. Varsity relay—Richards, Moses, Goodhue and Catlin or a substitute. 50 yards—Moses and Martin. 100 yards—Richards and Catlin. 200 yards—Goodhue and Hyde. Dive—Peters and Hughes. Plunge—Beatty and Reid. Yale water polo team—Hyde, Richards, Beatty, Mann, Church, Needham, Stevenson and Gordy.

LEGAL NOTICES. District of New Haven, ss. Probate Court, March 7, 1908. ESTATE OF ELLEN R. SALMONSON, late of Hamden, in said District, deceased.

The Administrator having exhibited his administration account, it is ORDERED, That the 13th day of March, 1908, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, a Court of Probate to be held at New Haven, in said District, be appointed for a hearing on the allowance of said account, and that notice of the time and place of said hearing be given by publishing this order three times in some newspaper having a circulation in said District.

By the Court, JOHN L. GILSON, Clerk. District of New Haven, ss. Probate Court, March 8, 1908. ESTATE OF KATE FEARING WELLMAN, late of New Haven, in said District, deceased.

The Court of Probate for the District of New Haven hath limited and appointed six months from the date hereof for the creditors of said deceased to bring in their claims against said estate. Those who neglect to exhibit their claims within said time will be barred.

All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to GEORGE F. BUTTERWORTH, Executor. m19 2t

TO ALL PARTIES WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Notice is hereby given that the Superior Court for New Haven county has appointed the undersigned the Receiver of the New Haven Decorating Company, a corporation located in the town of New Haven, in the said District, and has limited the period of four months from and after March 5, 1908, for the creditors of said company to bring in their claims against said company, which are not presented within said period, shall be forever barred. Said claims should be addressed to me at No. 433 State street, New Haven, Connecticut, dated at New Haven, this 4th day of March, 1908.

DAVID A. ALDEN, Receiver, New Haven Decorating Co. By order of the Superior Court. BERNARD E. LYNCH, Attorney for the Receiver, First National Bank Building, New Haven, Connecticut. m11 2t

ESTATE OF EDWARD G. BOURNE, late of New Haven, in said District, deceased. The Court of Probate for the District of New Haven hath limited and appointed six months from the date hereof for the creditors of said deceased to bring in their claims against said estate. Those who neglect to exhibit their claims within said time will be barred.

All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to ANNIE M. BOURNE, Executrix. m11 2t

ESTATE OF SARAH E. FLEMING, late of New York, N. Y., owning property in said District, deceased. The Court of Probate for the District of New Haven hath limited and appointed six months from the date hereof for the creditors of said deceased to bring in their claims against said estate. Those who neglect to exhibit their claims within said time will be barred.

All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to FRANK S. ANDREW, President. m11 2t

COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC LIGHTING. The Committee on Public Lighting of the Board of Aldermen will meet in Rooms 10-11, City Hall, Wednesday, March 11, at 8 o'clock p. m., for the consideration of the following petitions:

Petition of Solomon Freedman, et als., for an electric arc light on Gilbert street, between Howard avenue and Cedar street. Petition of William Barnes et al., for an electric arc light corner of Elm and Hobart streets. Petition of Rev. John F. Corcoran, et als., for an electric arc light on Edgewood road, north of the St. Francis' orphan asylum grounds. Petition of Francis P. Ryan for an electric arc light on Perkins street, between Grand avenue and old Shore line railroad. Petition of Timothy Egan, et als., for an electric arc light on Ferry street between Peck and English streets. Petition of Henry A. Spang for an electric arc light corner of Elm and Brownell streets. Petition of Frank Kenna for an electric arc light on Ashmun street between Grove street and York place. Petition of George Murphy, et als., for an electric arc light on Asylum street, between Congress and Havenport avenues. Petition of Arthur N. Dean et als., for an electric arc light corner of Pearl and Ashmun streets.

All persons interested in the foregoing are hereby notified to be present and be heard thereon without further notice. Per order, JOSEPH H. MULVEY, Chairman. m11 2t

NEW HAVEN TAXES AND WESTVILLE SCHOOL DISTRICT TAXES. Notice is hereby given that all persons liable for taxes in New Haven on 1907, last and payable April 1, 1908, for the City and Westville school district, shall be well commence to receive notice as said date on April 1, 1908, at his office, No. 8 City Hall, Church street, between office hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., Saturdays 9 a. m. to 1 p. m.

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