TELEGRAPH, 2nd Edition.

4.45

LATEST NEWS.

EATEN BY A BEAR.

A Central News telegram from Berne to-day says that the body of a workman was found in ... brown bear ... this morning half eaten by the ...

MR. BOOTH TUCKER WELCOMED.

A message from New York says that an assembly of ... thousand persons welcomed Mr. Booth Tucker, the new Salvation Army Commissioner, ... night with great enthusiasm.

KASSALA EVACUATED.

Colonel Stevani has had farther encounters with the Dervishes in the neighbourhood of Kassala. He captured a part of their forts on the ... inst., but was unable to dislodge the enemy ... The Colonel reported these facts to General Baldissera, and intimated his intention to renew the attack on the following morning, but the General would not sanction this, and ordered the evacuation of Kassala by the Italian troops.

MATABELES DRIVEN BACK.

The principal news from Buluwayo is that the Hon. Maurice Gifford, one of the directors of the British South Africa Company, and general manager of the Bechuanaland Exploration Company, who has been taking a prominent part in the military operations against the turbulent Matabele, has been wounded in the shoulder. A relief party has gone to his assistance. Later accounts state that heavy fighting is proceeding at the disturbed district. The natives have been driven back, with the loss of three men on the British side.

THE SNOWDON DISASTER.

The precise cause of the disaster on the Snowdon Mountain Railway still remains a mystery. The general manager in the course of a statement to a press representative on Tuesday said the whole thing was a puzzle to him. It is, however, clear that the engine jumped the rack rail, and, failing to get into gear again, became quite unmanageable. But why it should have done so no one is able to explain. Beyond "a bit of shine," the rack at ... is said to be in perfect order. Major ..., who recently inspected and passed the line on behalf of the Board of Trade, was expected to open an inquiry to-day. As we previously announced, Mr. Roberts, one of the passengers who jumped from the train on Monday, died early on Tuesday morning.

DISTRESS IN ARMENIA.

Despatches from Constantinople show that in Turkish Armenia the persecution of Christians is being carried on with remorseless activity. An American missionary has been imprisoned at Diarbekir and treated as a common felon. An interesting pendant to this statement is supplied by the announcement that all the United States warships now east of Malta will shortly assemble in the Gulf of Iskanderun. Despatches from the ... of Antioch state that terrible distress prevails. The people are terrified because of the ... of Turkish troops. The friends of Lord ... will, remarks a contemporary, be interested to hear that Sir P. Currie, the representative of the British Government, "continues his representations to the Porte."

WHAT THE TURKS THINK OF THE QUEEN.

The following significant incident is described by a trustworthy English witness: "During the ... at Aintab a dog was mounted on a donkey and driven through the streets, the people shouting, while beating the donkey 'There goes the Queen of England!' 'There goes Lord Salisbury!' After we had gone through, the same ceremony was performed with six dogs on donkeys, as representing the six Powers." Comment, says the *Daily News*, is needless.

AN ACTRESS'S STRANGE STORY

DRUGGED, GAGGED, AND ROBBED.

At Southwark Police Court on Tuesday Alfred ..., Herman Finberg, Joseph Wright, George ..., and James Wilson were charged with being concerned, together with another man not in custody, in assaulting Elizabeth Bartholomew, by placing their hands on her mouth, threatening to cut her throat, and forcibly tearing and stealing from her person the following jewellery: Three bracelets, one gold watch, a gold chain, two brooches, two gold rings, and one diamond ring, of the total value of £100. The prosecutrix, a handsomely-dressed woman, about 30 years of age, said that she was an actress. On Monday night she was in a coffee-shop at Croydon with her sister and sister-in-law and their children. The prisoners were there, and got into conversation with witness and her party. Gorman represented himself as a musical artist, whom she knew by name, and after they had come ... together, witness accompanied them to ... Stamford Street. The prisoner Finberg ... there, and also a sixth man, not yet ... They played and sang for awhile. ... they turned down the gas, threw her ... and said, "Let's cut her throat, if she ... up her jewellery." They dragged her ... fingers, and took her watch and chain ... brooch. One ring they could not get ... slipped a diamond out of it with a ... They also took half-a-sovereign ... purse, and two tortoiseshell combs out ... By Inspector Crawford: She would ... gone into the house, only Gorman told ... a club. Prisoners were remanded.

WARWICK AND LEAMINGTON.

Mr. Alexander Tucker gave a vocal recital in the ... Rooms, Leamington, on Tuesday. Mr. Tucker is not a stranger to Leamington, and ... a crowded audience. Mr. Tucker has ... excellent bass voice, which was heard to ... advantage in "Big Ben," "Still is the ..." and "The Old Trombone." Mr. Tucker ... assisted by Miss Kennett on the cello and ... Kennett at the pianoforte.

An accident happened about noon at Leamington on Tuesday on the Parade, near the ... Gardens. Two valuable horses attached to a ... wagonette belonging to Mr. Perkin, mews ... ran away and dashed into the rear of ... belonging to Mrs Greenman. The iron ... of the cab penetrated one of the horse's leg's, ... The horse was shot in the presence ... crowd of people. Fortunately no other ... done.

..., polisher, 67, Irving Street, Birmingham, was charged at Leamington this ... with stealing a table knife, value 1s., ... Westminster Coffee Tavern, on April 6, ... further with assaulting William Jennings, ... by throwing a jug at him, at the Great Western ... on April 6. The first charge was withdrawn. With reference to the second charge, ... said there was a row [with regard to ... for beer, and he threw his jug and beer ... to show that he could pay for more. He ... not throw it at complainant. Defendant ... given the benefit of the doubt, and the case ... dismissed.

At the Easter Vestries already held at ... are St. John's and St. Paul's. The Rev. W. G. Wise presided at St. John's, when Mr. ... was re-appointed vicar's warden and Mr. ... parish warden. The parish accounts were ... and approved. The Rev. G. E. A. ... took the chair at St. Paul's, and ... stated that the total offertories for the year ... to £365 6s. 1d., and after payment of ... there was a balance in hand of £3 12s. ... had not occurred for some years past. ... expenditure on the last quarter had been ... which, if continued, would leave a deficit at ... of the year. It had been decided to ... the choir expenses, and, if necessary, ... assistance to outside objects. Mr. H. S. ... was reappointed parish warden, and Mr. ... vicar's warden. The Vicar announced that ... vicarage was in course of erection at a total ... £3,210, of which four-fifths had been ...

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EXCITING SCENE ON THE CLYDE.

OVER TWENTY MEN IMMERSED.

At six o'clock on Tuesday evening, as the workmen, some hundreds in number, employed by Messrs. Alexander Stephen and Son, Linthouse, Govan, near Glasgow, were leaving their work, the usual rush was made for the landing stage which the ferryboat starts from to convey the men across the Clyde. Over twenty men and boys were crossing the gangway to the landing stage when it collapsed, and all were thrown into the water. A scene of a most exciting character ensued. There were no appliances for the work of rescue at hand, but fellow workmen dived into the water, and assisted their comrades to the landing stage and to the shore. In all twenty men and boys were got out. Four were unconscious, and were at once treated by the Shipyard Ambulance Corps. As there was a great crowd about the landing stage at the time of its collapse, it was impossible off-hand to say if any were missing. The tide was rising, and it was thought it would be some time before any further information could be obtained. Matthew Barton, an engineer, who was the means of saving many, says he dived for an old man and a boy, but failed to rescue them. Many caps have been found floating in the water, but as those rescued immediately hurried home, with or without caps, this is not much guide at present. By half-past seven in the evening the four persons—three men and a boy—who were taken out unconscious had recovered. A later message states that the accident was due to the fact that previous to the breaking of the gangway one of the harbour penny steamers had come alongside and landed passengers. The outgoing passengers got mixed up with the rush of the shipbuilding workmen coming on to the landing stage, and a congestion arose on the gangway, which broke in the centre. A crowd of persons fell in one mass into the river. The work of rescue was immediately started. Twenty men and boys were in consequence brought to the surface, but as onlookers asserted that at least one elderly man and a lad had been drowned the water at the scene of the accident was dragged, but up to a late hour no bodies had been recovered. James Latta, who had been on the gangway, was severely bruised on the head, and was taken home.

The bed of the Clyde where the 25 men fell into the river has been searched by divers, but no bodies have been recovered. It is concluded that no lives were lost.

THE DOUBLE MURDER IN LONDON.

ACCUSED IDENTIFIED.

The man who is in custody on the charge of murdering Mr. Levi and Mrs. Gale in Whitechapel has been identified. He is a notorious convict named Seaman, and has already undergone two long terms of penal servitude. He was identified by his former landlady. Seaman is confined in the padded room at the hospital, where he was taken after leaping from the house of his victims. Electric alarms are to hand should assistance be required to restrain him. The accused man, at the present time, could well be brought before a magistrate, as the only serious injury from which he is suffering is the broken arm. It is not likely that his detention in the above institution will be prolonged, as the authorities, knowing his condition, have given notice that the bed on which he is lying will shortly be required. The man himself has stated that he is well aware of the fate in store for him; but, if possible, he means to cheat the law. The funeral of Mr. John Goodman Levi, one of the victims of the double murder perpetrated at 31, Turner Street, Whitechapel, took place at the Jewish Cemetery, West Ham, amid many expressions of sorrow on the part of the Jewish population resident in Whitechapel and the immedite vicinity. Two private carriages and a number of cabs brought up the rear of the procession, these being filled by the workpeople of the deceased. The hearse was flanked on each side by the pall-bearers and several officials of the Jewish Synagogue and members of the Jewish Board of Guardians. The coffin, which was mounted with heavy brass fittings, and covered with wreaths, bore the following inscription: "John Goodman Levi, aged 75 years. Died April 4, 1896." Dr. Alder read the service.

DESPERATE STRUGGLE IN A TRAIN.

At the Bromley (Kent) Petty Sessions, a powerfully-built man, giving the name of Sidney Winter, and described as an electrician, was charged with various offences at Bickley Railway Station on Good Friday morning. The solicitor for the prosecution said that the prisoner travelled usually from Penge to London with a workman's ticket, and on the return journey he had on six different occasions fallen asleep, and was carried past to Bickley, where with considerable difficulty he was persuaded to leave the train. At 12.45 a.m. on the 3rd he was woke up by the guard of the train on its arrival at Bickley, and he refused to leave. A porter came, and the pair attempted to remove him, but he slashed and cut at them till they were beaten off. A third man found him on his knees on the floor of the carriage, and on attempting to seize him prisoner called out that he had rheumatics in his knees, and if not let alone he would put what he had in his pocket into the porter. Then he rose and a struggle ensued, during which the prisoner fell backwards, and his head smashed and passed through the window glass of the carriage. Then he dashed to the platform, and knocking half a dozen men right and left, rushed up the stairs into the station-house and into the street. A point duty police-constable came along, and the prisoner, doubling back into the station, knocked Foreman-porter Launer over with one blow. By this time the stationmaster was aroused, and he sent for more help. This arrived, and, after four hours' combat, the prisoner was overpowered and locked up. He was convicted by the magistrates, and fined £4, including costs, or one month's hard labour in default.

WHITNASH VESTRY.

LIVELY PROCEEDINGS.

The Vicar (the Rev. A. H. M. Russell), in proposing the adoption, at Whitnash Vestry, of the churchwardens' accounts, said there was one item which the churchwardens and he were anxious for the Chairman of the Parish Council to explain. Some sacramental wine was kept over from July 1, 1886, to June 1, 1895. Mr. Palmer sent in an account for 3s., whereas on June 20, 1886, when he last occupied the position of churchwarden, there was a bill for £1 4s. Mr. Palmer said that when he gave up office two or three bottles were left, and when he took office again he used those before he paid for any more. The Vicar: Having paid a bill here for £1 4s. on June 20, 1886, you went out of office a fortnight afterwards, and yet last year you sent in a bill for three bottles of that wine. Mr. Palmer: That was what I paid for it out of my own pocket. The Vicar: What became of the wine for which £1 4s. was paid? Mr. Palmer: It was used when I was in office. After another remark from the Vicar the accounts were passed. Two names were submitted for the office of churchwarden—Mr. Palmer and Mr. Crump. On the voting appearing to be in favour of Mr. Crump, the Vicar said: Will anyone demand a poll? I do, and the poll of the parish is not by ballot. I fix the day a week hence. I shall sit in this room from three till four and from six till eight, and every elector will come and give me his name, and it will be entered down on the paper. The rate book will be here, and the Assistant Overseer, and the proposed churchwardens if they like. The voting is plural. I have six votes; Mr. Reading and others have six votes. A parishioner: Shall we have six, Sir. The Vicar: Certainly not. The Vicar afterwards replied to what he termed a scurrilous letter written by Mr. Palmer in a local newspaper with regard to the parish award.

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BOARD OF GUARDIANS.

COVENTRY.

THE MANAGEMENT OF THE INFIRMARY.

Mr. T. G. Pegg presided over the weekly meeting of the Coventry Board of Guardians this morning. The Birmingham Guardians wrote in favour of the establishment of an institution for imbecile and idiotic children, and the Board decided to support any movement in that direction. On the subject of irrecoverable poor rate Mr. J. B. Dawson wrote explaining that the sum of £56 0s. 3d. irrecoverable from Holy Trinity Parish was made up by the allowance of 30 per cent. to owners on compound, voids, and reductions by appeal to the Assessment Committee. Mr. R. J. Tilt wrote similarly with regard to St. Michael's Parish. The sum of £459 17s. 3d., he added, was much lower than usual. Mr. Allchurch next brought forward his motion for the appointment of

AN INFIRMARY COMMITTEE

to consist of not less than seven and not more than eleven members, whose duties should be specially to supervise the management of the Infirmary. In introducing the subject Mr. Allchurch said it had been suggested that this was only the thin end of the wedge towards doing away with the Ladies' Committee. He would be one of the last to do that. He would have it said to him that the infirmary was well managed now, and that some would say "let well alone." (Hear, hear.) That might have been said with regard to two neighbouring Unions a short time back, yet now in one a Local Government Board inquiry was pending, and in the other was an inmate awaiting his trial for manslaughter. Such a committee as he suggested would emphasise the good management of the institution, while they would be able to find out and eliminate any imperfections there might be. There had in the past been some little friction between some members of the Board and those who had specially the management of and were responsible for the good conduct of the Infirmary. He believed such a committee as he proposed

WOULD ACT AS A BUFFER

between any cantankerous Guardians or over-officious officials, and those who had the management of the Infirmary. Then there was the statement that there were already over forty visitors to the Infirmary, and they ought to be considered sufficient. It was a case of everybody's business, and yet nobody's business. He did not believe that the Guardians who visited the house could answer the fourteen questions set down in the book, for it would take a whole day to do so thoroughly and conscientiously. Mrs. Haywood seconded. Mr. Beamish did not consider Mr. Allchurch had made out a case. Until there were complaints with reference to the administration of the infirmary he should object to any alteration, and he therefore proposed as

AN AMENDMENT

that the arrangements remain as at present. Mr. Cleaver seconded this. Mr. Kendrick said he had come to the conclusion that Mr. Allchurch's proposition was in the right direction. Mr. West supported the amendment, and Mr. Wincott the proposition, the latter expressing surprise that a committee of this kind had not been formed when the infirmary was built. Mr. West asked if the Medical Officer had sole control of the infirmary, and whether it laid with him as to whether a person was in the infirmary or not. The Chairman replied that the Guardians supervised and directed everything. Mr. Kirk spoke against the proposition, and remarked that there was the danger of the efficiency of an institution being paralysed by

THE MULTIPLICATION OF AUTHORITIES.

Mr. W. J. Dalton could not support the proposition, but suggested that the Stores Committee should have their power enlarged, so that they could visit the infirmary. Mr. Stevens and Mr. W. E. Dalton intimated that they were in favour of the proposition. The Chairman pointed out that in the case of any exciting matter requiring action it was generally referred to the whole Board in committee. Mr. Petre spoke in opposition, and asked if the committee were to hold a watching brief to see that the Guardians did their duty? Mr. Neal thought there were already too many visitors to the infirmary. Whenever any one went there they found either preaching, praying, or singing going on. The inmates would rather be left to themselves a little more. On being put to the vote

THE AMENDMENT WAS CARRIED

by ten to six. Mr. Murray Browne, the Local Government Board Inspector, mentioned to the Board that a few days ago he was visiting the workhouse, and had been struck by the large amount of work which was thrown upon the nurse who attended to the imbeciles and convalescents. It was not possible that she could satisfactorily supervise the whole of that department alone. And also, there was no night nurse in that part of the building. He congratulated the Board on their appointment of the night nurse of the infirmary. (Hear, hear.) They wanted another nurse, but he would not suggest what arrangements they should make for nights. That was for the Board or Visiting Committee to do. The Chairman said Dr. Iliffe had called their attention to this matter, and the Board would take the question into consideration.

ITEMS AND INCIDENTS.

The silver market on Tuesday was steady, owing to some buying on account of the French Mint, and bars were again quoted 31¼d. per ounce.

The Gloucestershire Joint Committee, at their quarterly meeting on Tuesday, resolved to purchase 12 bicycles for the use of the police at headquarter stations.

A lad named Maurice Webb, who acted as assistant to his father, the owner of a barber's shop in the main street of Youghal, cut his throat with a razor used in the shop, causing death almost immediately.

A cigar shop in the Strand, London, was entered by burglars on Monday night, and 2,500 cigars stolen, the contents of the till emptied, and other valuable property taken. The thieves appear to have gained access through the skylight. No arrest has yet been made.

At an inquest on a child held in London the father, Henry St. John Foale, tool maker, caused some excitement by indignantly declaring that the inquiry had been held merely for the purpose of pleasing the doctors. The child had died from natural causes.

The police are now in possession of such definite information in connection with the murder of Mr. Henry Smith, of Muswell Lodge, Muswell Hill, on February 14, that they have issued a description, accompanied by wood-cuts, of two men who are "wanted" on the charge of committing the crime.

At Faversham, while engaged in unloading a cargo of railway metals from a steamer to a barge at the mouth of the river Swale, one of the rails, weighing nearly half a ton, fell on the back and legs of a workman named John Amos. Both legs were smashed, and his back was severely injured. Amos died shortly afterwards.

A drinking fountain, erected as a memorial of the poet Wordsworth and his sister Dorothy, was unveiled on Tuesday in Cockermouth, his native place. Letters were read from Mr. Gladstone, who recalled his recollections of Wordsworth, and from Mr. Bayard, who spoke of the influence of his writings in the United States.

Mrs. Burgess, the wife of a Macclesfield coal dealer, was killed by a horse kicking her in the chest. It appears she went into the stable and began beating the horse with a stick, when the animal kicked out, striking her on the chest. She reeled and fell dead in the yard. She was 44 years of age, and leaves a family.

The Unionist ladies of the Lichfield Division assembled at the Guildhall, Lichfield, on Tuesday, and presented Mrs. Darwin, wife of Major Leonard Darwin, late member and unsuccessful candidate at the last election, with a Staffordshire knot in diamonds, as a token of their respect and in recognition of her services to the Unionist cause in the constituency.

For five seats on the Croydon Board of Guardians for the hamlet of Penge there were only two nominations received — viz., Mrs. Miriam Williams, a retiring member, and Mrs. Furness, a member of the Independent Labour Party. They have been duly declared elected, and the London County Council have had to order another election to take place to fill up the remaining three seats.

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COVENTRY AND DISTRICT.

The Rev. H. Armstrong ... the living of Stivichall, ... ntry.

It is reported ... that the cycle importers are ... the demand being considered ... excess ... supply.

Mr. F. W. ..., of the ... Board of Guardians, ... been ... by his medical adviser to ta... from public duties for the next ...

The Bishop of Worcester has been compelled to cancel all ... ments for April, by medical advice, and ... abroad until the first week in May. Bis... yston will take his April confirmations.

The health of the Rev. H. E. Bottomley, his many friends will be glad to learn, has much improved of late. At the present time the reverend gentleman is staying at Coundon Court with Alderman and Mrs. Singer, but shortly he will go to Clifton, near Bristol for a change of air.

The Technical Education Committee at Bulkington are about to hold a series of lectures on gardening, Mr. Thomson being the lecturer. Mr. F. A. Newdigate, M.P., has proffered the use of his gardens for any experimental work the students may desire to perform.

The Longford Quadrille Class brought their winter session to a close last evening with a Cinderella dance, which was very largely patronised. Mr. Berry's band supplied the music, and the M.C.'s were Messrs. H. Kimberley, W. Smith, and G. Barber.

Archibald Wm. Pollard, machinist, Well Street, Coventry, was fined 10s. 6d. at Leamington this morning for being drunk and disorderly in the Rugby Road last Sunday evening. Defendant was endeavouring to ride a bicycle, but could not stick on it.

The annual Easter party was held at Exhall Church Schools on Tuesday evening, the members of the Evening Sewing Class creditably performing a sketch entitled "The Boys' Picnic," and several songs were also given. Dancing, however, proved the principal attraction. The proceeds were devoted to the brass lectern fund.

Abnormally heavy has been the railway traffic to and from Coventry during the Easter holidays. On Tuesday no less than 1,751 persons went by excursion to Birmingham, 1,321 to Leamington, 465 to Leicester, and 249 to London. On Monday there were 135 excursionists to the Metropolis. The ordinary traffic has been equally heavy.

The Coventry Cotton Spinning Mills having been secured by the Daimler Motor Company, Limited, the sale commenced this morning of the spinning machinery and plant. There was a small attendance of buyers. The sale is to be continued to-morrow and Friday. The auctioneers are Messrs. James and Lister Lea and Sons, of Birmingham.

Mr. E. Kirk is to have the "town bat" for making the highest score at cricket last season for a Coventry Club against a recognised senior team. Mr W.S. Loudon, the donor, has decided that the bat is to be awarded irrespective of whether the winner has taken it in past seasons. Mr. Kirk's score of 106 not out, which qualifies him for the honour, was made on June 17, for St. Michael's against Small Heath.

Two young fellows, James Reaney Gosford Street, Coventry, and John Guering, Castle Street, Coventry, were charged at Leamington this morning with wilfully damaging a public lamp to the extent of 4s., under the bridges on the 29th ult. It was alleged that one of the men threw a stone deliberately at the lamp, and the other one knocked a stone through the lamp with his stick. Each defendant was fined £1 1s., including costs, with the alternative of one month's imprisonment.

Members of the Early Morning School of Little Bayton Chapel, Foleshill, arranged a football match between the Benedict and Bachelor members, and an interesting contest on Tuesday ended in the singles favour by 3 to 1. Cricket and other games were also indulged in. Afterwards a tea was held, at which a good number were present, and subsequently a very enjoyable entertainment was given, a dialogue being one of the chief features. Mr. F. Gadsby gave a Shakesperian recital.

Councillor Slingsby presided last night at the monthly meeting of the Coventry Grocers' Association. Correspondence with Mr. C. J. Murray, M.P., as to his action and views upon the Agricultural Produce Marks Bill, was read. Copies of the Bill referred to, the Shops Early Closing Bill, and Meat (Foreign and Colonial) Bill were laid before the members. The question of extending the membership was again taken into consideration, and various suggestions were made which were considered practical. The matter of combination buying was introduced, and adjourned to the next meeting.

THE ALLEGED REVOLVER SHOOTING AT LEAMINGTON.

Alphonso Farrini, Johnson's Court, Satchwell Street, was charged at Leamington this morning with shooting at Joseph Mancini with a loaded revolver, with intent to do him grievous bodily harm, on April 2.—Mr. Rupert Sanderson, who represented defendant, asked for a remand.—Mr. Davies, for the prosecution, consented, but asked particularly that there should be no bail however high the amount.—Mr. Sanderson said it would be prejudicial to defendant, who was now in a bad state of health, if bail were not granted. —The Chief Constable said the police had considerable difficulty, and been put to much expense to capture prisoner.—Prisoner was remanded until Friday, bail being refused.

COVENTRY FOOTBALL CLUB.

FIRST TEAM RECORD.

With the defeat of the Stade Francais at Paris on Tuesday by five tries to a penalty goal, the Coventry Football Club first fifteen brought their list of engagements for the season 1895-96 to a close. Thirty-four matches were played, of which 24 were won, four drawn, and six lost. The defeats were by Coventry and District Union, Oxford University, Richmond, Harlequins, Gloucester, and Cambridge University. Drawn games were played with Burton, Old Merchant Taylors, Leicester, and Old Edwardians. No Midland team could beat them, so that their winning of the Midland Counties Cup is quite consistent with their form throughout the season. The only fixture that could not be played was that against Newport on December 28, when there was so much snow on the Newport ground that the team were wired not to make the journey. The total scoring has been 35 goals 39 tries, against 16 goals 23 tries, or 280 points against 147. A full list of results is appended:

		For. G.	T.	P.	Agst. G.	T.	P.
1895							
Sept. 21—Coventry & Dis. Union	L h	0	0	0	2	0	10
" 28—Burton	D h	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oct. 5—Nuneaton	W h	3	1	16	0	2	6
" 12—Old Edwardians	W a	0	1	3	0	0	0
" 19—Penarth	W h	0	3	9	0	0	0
" 26—Moseley	W h	1	0	5	0	0	0
Nov. 2—Edgbaston Crusaders	W h	3	5	29	0	0	0
" 9—Leicester	W a	0	1	3	0	0	0
" 16—Rugby	W a	3	0	15	0	1	3
" 23—Gloucester	W h	0	2	6	0	0	0
" 30—Oxford University	L a	2	1	11	3	0	15
Dec. 7—Nuneaton	W a	1	1	6	0	0	0
" 14—Old Merchant Taylors	D h	0	0	0	0	0	0
" 19—Old Uppinghamians	W h	1	1	8	0	0	0
" 21—Richmond	L a	0	0	0	3	1	18
" 26—Harlequins	L h	0	0	0	2	1	13
1896							
Jan. 4—Moseley	W h	2	0	10	0	0	0
" 9—Bedford	W h	2	1	13	0	0	0
" 11—Guy's Hospital	W h	0	2	6	0	0	0
" 18—Gloucester	L a	0	1	3	1	3	14
" 25—Leicester	D h	0	0	0	0	0	0
" 29—Cambridge	L a	0	0	0	2	7	31
Feb. 1—Portsmouth	W h	1	1	8	0	0	0
" 8—Burton	W a	0	1	3	0	0	0
" 15—St. Thomas's Hospital	W h	2	3	19	1	3	14
" 22—Bedford	W a	2	0	8	0	2	6
" 29—Old Edwardians	W h	2	0	10	0	1	3
Mar. 7—Second Fifteen	W h	4	1	23	0	2	6
" 14—Stratford-on-Avon	W h	4	5	32	0	0	0
" 21—Old Edwardians	D a	0	0	0	0	0	0
" 25—Old Edwardians	W h	0	2	6	1	0	5
" 28—Burton	W a	2	0	10	0	0	0
Apl. 4—Moseley	W a	0	1	3	0	0	0
" 7—Stade Francais	W a	0	5	15	1	0	3
		35	39	280	16	23	147

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THIS DAY'S NEWS.

KILLED BY A COLLIERY TRAIN.

A sad accident occurred at Granville Colliery, near Burton-on-Trent, on Tuesday morning. A little girl named Emily Collier had just taken breakfast to her brother, and while crossing the colliery rails was run over and killed by some trucks which were in motion.

FIGHTING IN WEST AFRICA.

From West Africa it is announced that the British force commanded by Captain Mugliston at Odo-Otin, in the Yoruba country, in the hinterland of Lagos, was unexpectedly attacked by native tribes. A Maxim gun and some artillery were brought to bear upon the enemy with good effect, and put them to flight. There was no loss on the British side.

ACCIDENT AT A THEATRE.

Towards the termination of the "Swiss Express" at the Metropole Theatre, Camberwell, London, Mr. Renad, one of the principals, slipped whilst performing one of his trick acts, and fractured his arm. The limb was at once set by Dr. Graham Scott, of Denmark Hill, and Mr. Renad appeared on the stage at the evening performance with his arm in a sling.

CLAIMING A RIVER.

The Bedford Town Council has decided to take immediate steps to protect public rights on the river Ouse, which has for many years been looked upon as Bedford's pleasure resort. A Mr. Simpson, residing in that neighbourhood, has come forward and claimed the river between Bedford and Great Barford as a private waterway, and as proprietor of the navigation to have sole and exclusive right to the river to the exclusion of the public. At the weekly meeting of the Council the Mayor said that the public right in this matter ought to be protected, even if it cost them £1,000.

SUICIDE OF A DOCTOR.

A determined suicide has occurred at Wootton Bassett, Wilts. Dr. Miller Kirkman was called at five o'clock, and as he had to go to Salisbury in order to give evidence at the Wilts Quarter Sessions against a man charged with attempted suicide by cutting his throat. He dressed himself, and then cut his throat in his bedroom with a razor, almost severing the jugular vein. With the blood streaming from the wound he went to his surgery, and there took a dose of prussic acid. No motive is assigned for the suicide. Deceased, who leaves a widow and a large family, went to Swindon Races on Monday, and returned home in his usual spirits.

PLAYING WITH A REVOLVER.

A sad tragedy occurred at Vienna on Easter Sunday. It seems that a young fellow aged 18 had taken from the drawer of a commercial traveller who lodged with his parents a revolver. Thinking it was not loaded he pointed it at his mother, saying, "Mother, I am going to shoot you." The next instant the ball passed through the mother's left eye, and she fell senseless. The boy, seeing what he had done, cocked the revolver again, but his father took it from him before he could use it upon himself. The mother died in the hospital without recovering consciousness, and father, son, and daughter stood round her bed in mute despair.

A REMARKABLE WILL.

The will of the late Mr. George Meace Smith, of Southwark, who recently died in his 75th year, was proved on Tuesday. The will is of a remarkable character. After leaving a large sum of money to his relatives and friends, the testator divides the remainder of his estate, valued at £250,000, among the servants in his employ at the time of his decease. To his coachman he leaves £200, to all his gardeners £100 each, to all his employees (some 200 in number) £100 each, and to the 70 managers of his oilshops throughout London he bequeaths from £250 to £500 each. A sum of £4,000 is left to the Rev. James Geddes, minister of the Congregational church at which Mr. Smith worshipped.

ALLEGED TEETOTAL BURGLARS.

An extraordinary burglary at the Bedford Arms Hotel, Clapham Road, London, was reported to the police. After the landlord, Mr. Charles Crockford and his family had retired to rest the other night robbers broke into the premises and stole a considearble quantity of money. After having emptied a number of bottles of lemonade and ginger beer and smoked some of the choicest cigars, the thieves, in a spirit of mischief, turned on all the beer taps and flooded the bar. The barrels of whiskey, gin, etc., were also smashed in such a manner that the contents ran to waste. A remarkable feature of the burglary was that the perpetrators had evidently contented themselves with the non-intoxicating liquors of the establishment.

A FIGHT IN A WORKHOUSE.

At the Brentford Police Court, two greyheaded old man, named Epps, 65, a bootmaker, and Nash, 70, a carpenter, both inmates of Isleworth Workhouse, were charged with fighting in one of the wards. William Hayes, the master of the workhouse, said that the two men were allowed to go out the previous afternoon, and on their return they had not been in the building many minutes before they began fighting. They damaged each other so severely that they bled profusely from their wounds. An inmate of the ward in which the fight took place said that the prisoner Nash started the disturbance by striking Epps. Nash was a very quarrelsome man, and was continually "rowing" with someone or other. Nash was sent to prison with hard labour for 14 days, and Epps was discharged.

MR. TREE'S STRANGE VISITOR.

A tall, stylishly-dressed young man, who gave the name of James Marchant, but refused his address and any account of himself, was charged at the Westminster Police Court, London, with having stolen a purse containing money and a cheque for £14 15s., the property of Mrs. Beerbohm Tree, from her residence in Sloane Street, Chelsea. It appeared that the prisoner called on Sunday evening, and presenting a card bearing the name "James B. M'Avoy, Carl Rosa Company," asked to see Mr. Tree. The prisoner was shown into that gentleman's study, but hurriedly left, stating that he would return in ten minutes. The purse was afterwards missed, and the prisoner was arrested when he presented the cheque for payment at Drummond's Bank. The prisoner was remanded for a week.

RAILWAY ACCIDENTS.

A curious accident occurred on the London and North-Western Railway main line between Lancaster and Preston, and near to Garstang Station, to a goods train from Carlisle, which included a wagon laden with heavy machinery consigned to Blackpool. The weight caused the spring of the wagon to give way, with the result that it caught in the chairs supporting the metals, and before the accident was discovered about a mile length of chairs was broken. The damage to the permanent way necessitated a single line being used, delaying traffic. The line between Leeds and Huddersfield was blocked for four hours owing to a number of goods wagons leaving the rails near Mirfield Station, where the line crosses the viaduct over the river Calder. The permanent way was seriously damaged, as well as a number of the wagons, but no one was injured.

DEATH FROM STARVATION.

At the City of London Coroner's Court an inquiry was held respecting the death of William Goudge, aged 86 years, a tinplate worker. John Goudge said that the deceased was his father, and he lived by himself, the witness allowing him 4s. a week. The deceased was lame, and unable to do much for himself. On Saturday last the witness was sent for, and found him unconscious, and he died the same night. Dr. John Kearney said that he was called to see the deceased on Friday afternoon, and found him lying in bed unconscious. The deceased died the next night, and the autopsy showed the cause of death to be want of nourishment. There was not a particle of fat about the body. The son, recalled, said his father had money to a considerable amount, which he lent out, and so could have bought food if he had cared to. The jury returned a verdict of "Natural death," and exonerated the son from all blame.

BURGLARY IN A BEDROOM.

At the South-Western Police Court, London, John Leonard, aged 60, described as an engraver, of no home, was charged with burglariously entering 131, Alderbrook Road, Balham, and stealing a watch and chain, in addition to some clothing, the property of Robert Ripley, a greengrocer. The prosecutor said shortly before five that morning he was awakened by his wife, who exclaimed, "There's a man in the room." Witness jumped out of bed, and the prisoner rushed out of the room, taking the watch and chain from the mantelshelf and some clothes from a chair. He escaped out of the back door, and made his way to the main road. Witness followed in his night-shirt, and succeeded in overtaking the prisoner, with whom he had a struggle, during which the accused tried to get his knife from his pocket. Witness overpowered the man, and, on the arrival of a constable, gave him into custody. The prisoner, who made no defence, was committed for trial.

TO-DAY'S SPORTING NEWS.

WARWICK MEETING.

2.0—The BUDBROKE HURDLE PLATE of 50 sovs. Two miles over eight hurdles.

Morell Tov .... A Nightingall 1
Grand Vizier .... Wilson 2
Livy .... Dales 3

Also ran: Peter (Mr. T. Milne), Columbin ... (Owner)

Betting: 5 to 4 on Morell Tov, 3 to 1 agst Grand Vizier, 10 to 1 bar two.

Won by three parts of a length, six lengths divided second and third.

2.15—The Second Year of the THIRD BIENNIAL MATCH of 100 sovs each. One mile. Polemia ... gives 1 ... lb.

WELTER

The Tartar 1
Minnow 2
Spic and Span 3
Three ran

TOWN

Hasty Boy 1
Off 2
Lethe 3
14 ran

CATTERICK BRIDGE MEETING.

1.30—The YORKSHIRE MAIDEN STEEPLECHASE PLATE of 30 sovs (25 sovs for the winner and 5 sovs for the second). Two miles and a half.

Boyne Water (Targett) beat Molly (H. Taylor).

Betting: 2 to 1 on ... who repeatedly refused, and after Boyne Water fell and refused several times he finished alone.

TRIAL.

Maid of Valetta 1
Gobe Mouche 2
Mrs Chant 3
Nine ran

HORNBY

Cousin Agnes 1
Lady Blake 2
Scrivener 3
Nine ran

ADDITIONAL ARRIVALS.

WARWICK.

Spic and Span, North Sea.

CATTERICK.

Mary McGregor, Tow Rope, Lilian Witt, Silk worth.

ACCEPTANCES.

NEWMARKET.

CRAWFORD PLATE.—Mona, The Nipper, Mountain Chief, Anise II, Proposition, Royal Corrie, Queen's Piper, Macready, Villager, Cabler, Somerville, Orouney, Crystal Palace, Tamarind; weights raised 3lbs.

SPORT AND PASTIME.

Tuesday's football. — Association: League, Division I., Wolverhampton Wanderers 1, Bury 0; Notts Forest 1, Sheffield Wednesday 0; Small Heath 2, Sheffield United 1; Derby County 2, Everton 1. Division II., Burslem Port Vale 1, Loughborough 1; Leicester Fosse 2, Newcastle United 0. Western League (Bristol) 2, Aston Villa 0; West Bromwich Albion 3, Stoke 2. Rugby: Northern Union, Leeds 15 points, St. Helen's 3; Halifax 3, Hull nil; Liversedge 6, Widnes nil; Brighouse Rangers 26, Leigh nil; Manningham 3, Broughton Rangers nil; Hunslet 12, Runcorn nil; Tyldesley 3, Rochdale Hornets nil; Warrington 5, Wigan 2; Stockport 8, Huddersfield 4. Coventry 14, Stade Français 3; Neath 8, Bristol nil; Leicester 3, Cheltenham nil; Abercarn 12, Northampton 3.

Notts County cricket team defeated 24 colts at Trent Bridge, on Tuesday, by six wickets. P. Bagguley and W. Gunn, both relatives of present county players, showed batting form above the average.

The Newport football fifteen for the fifth successive year have proved that they are the champion Rugby organisation. This season they have played 26 matches against the strongest teams in the United Kingdom, and have won 21, lost 2, and drawn 3. They have scored 43 goals 47 tries (350 points) against 3 goals 12 tries (50 points). Their only defeats were by Swansea and Cardiff, at times when the Uskiders were somewhat disorganised. Cardiff, Penarth, and Llanelly were the only ones who succeeded in drawing with them. The figures for the past season are only in keeping with those of the past five seasons, during which Newport played 142 matches, and have only been defeated nine times, while they have scored 2,068 points to 233.

TO-DAY'S COMMERCIAL.

Stock Exchange, 2.

Call money is easy at ½ per cent., and three months bills 9-16. Bombay and Calcutta exchanges 14 5.16. The stock markets present a firm appearance, though business is not very active. Consols have further improved and show a rise of 1-16 for money, and 1-8 for the account. Home rails continue to show strength. Great Northern deferred marking a rise of 1. Metropolitan ½, and other sorts 1-8 to 5-8. As regards Americans, the tone is better and a general recovery has occurred, the rise ranging from 1-8 to ½, and Union Pacific marking the greatest advance. Trunks are steady. The firmness of the Paris bourse had caused an advance of ⅛ in Italians, and Spanish Argentines are also ¼ up. ... mining shares the tendency is good, but dealings are restricted. Westralians are also firm. Great Boulders, Westralia gold trust, Chartered gold fields, and Debeers are higher.

An inquest was held at Muggington, near Derby, on the body of George Turner, landlord of the Cock Inn, Muggington, who met with his death in consequence of injuries sustained while schooling a thorough-bred as a steeplechaser for a gentleman at Derby. The horse became unmanageable, and after jumping into a ditch dashed at the wall of the inn, killing itself instantly, while Turner, who was riding the animal, sustained concussion of the brain, which proved fatal. A verdict of "Accidental death" was returned.

A SCENE ON THE CANAL.—An unsophisticated joker was fishing one day in the muddy waters on the western portion of the canal, when, to his surprise, he got a strange bite. He immediately gave his line a jerk that would have brought out a shark, when, lo! and behold, he pulled out a huge snapping turtle, and threw it flat on the tow path. He stood in amazement, gazing on the "singular beast," when an Irishman came along, accompanied by a large dog. "The countryman tried, by gentle words, to get the son of the Emerald Isle to put his finger into the turtle's mouth, but he was too smart for that; "but," says he, "I'll put my dog's tail in, and see what the beast will do." He immediately called up his dog, took its tail in his hand, and stuck it into the turtle's mouth. He had hardly got it in when the turtle closed its mouth on the poor dog's tail, and off it started at railway speed, pulling the turtle after him, at a more rapid rate than he had ever travelled before. The countryman, thinking that his day's work would be thrown away if the animal should run far at that rate, turned with a savage look upon the laughing Irishman, and said: "Call back your dog." Paddy put his hand into his pocket, threw his head to one side, winked, and then answered, "Call back your fish!"

DIDN'T RISK IT.—A queer story comes from one of the inland holiday resorts of Wisconsin. A young man from Chicago was stopping there with his wife, and the wife wandered down to the shore of the lake to enjoy the evening breeze. A short pier jutting out into the lake looked inviting, and she went out on it, unmindful of several urchins who were hovering about the boathouse at the shore end of the pier. A few minutes later her husband came to the lake to join her but was intercepted by one of the urchins. "Say, mister, is that your girl?" asked the boy. "She's my wife," replied the young man. "Well, you tell her to go home, 'cause we boys wants to go in swimmin'," said the youngster, and thinking that would settle the matter, they all retired to the boathouse to undress. The young man promptly informed his wife of the request, but she was enjoying herself and was not anxious to leave. She laughed and called to a new arrival at the boathouse, "Tell the boys," she said, when he had come to her, "to run out and jump into the water if they wish to. I won't look." The little fellow hurried to the boathouse with the message, and there was an immediate council of war. At its conclusion he returned to the end of the pier and said: "Please, ma'am, the boys say they dasn't risk it."

The Essence of Tulips.—A kiss.

Love does not laugh at wedlock-smiths.

The grass widow is not by any means green.

A Matchless Novel.—One without a wedding.

What New Women should Do.—"Wear larger shoes and smaller hats."

The most angry woman in a dispute will generally be found to be in the wrong.

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NUNEATON AND DISTRICT ...

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We regret to state that the young man Pugh, of Nuneaton Town Football Club, injured in the football field on Monday, died this morning. His condition yesterday was so grave that the authorities at the hospital, where he has been lying since the accident, thought it desirable to communicate with his friends. Deceased was 21 years of age, and had been employed at one of the gun factories in Birmingham.

We shall publish the winning numbers of the Mear Prize Drawing in our issue of Friday. The widow of the unfortunate man who lost his life on the railway may comfort herself that she and her children have met with practical public sympathy in a measure that is rarely extended to anyone. We understand that the Prize Drawing has raised no less a sum than £85—a result probably without parallel in this district. But Mr. Wale, honorary secretary, and his fellow workers have laboured early and late, and it is to his and their efforts that this splendid total must be attributed.

The suggestion which we threw out the other day to the effect that the Recreation Ground might be utilised by the new Town Band for the purposes of promenade concerts during the summer months, has been under consideration by the musicians in question, and we are glad to learn that there is every likelihood that something will be done in the matter. The band, however, are badly in want of funds, and in whatever they undertake the public will have to support them. The Recreation Ground is doubtless the right place for a promenade concert, and there could be no objection to sheets being placed at the entrance to receive the contributions of visitors. Any attempt to renew the disgraceful rowdyism which prevailed on a similar occasion when the Wesley Band were in attendance could be prevented by the presence of the police. Failing this, the idea is to organise select promenade concerts, hiring a field for the purpose—but the scheme does not, to be candid, suggest much financial success.

Night riding without lights is becoming much too prevalent amongst cyclists in this district, and trouble is certain to follow. There is no excuse for such folly, and the police are only doing what is obviously a most necessary duty in summoning offenders. We are asked to draw attention to the matter, and we hope that the recklessness will cease.

The Nuneaton Town and Leamington match provided sufficient attraction for a large crowd of holiday-makers yesterday. It was a good game, and open throughout. Considering that the home team were minus the Brothers Perry, Pugh, and Griffiths, a draw was a very creditable result. Although neither side scored, the play was very interesting, and at times exciting.

It is to be hoped that these ventilating shafts in Lister Street will contribute in comfort to the residents what they lack in beauty. Rising to an abrupt termination, they constitute about as ominous and unsightly a picture as sanitary science could well devise. If such an objectionable contrivance became general, the town would be positively disfigured. Wherever possible these ventilating shafts ought surely to be fixed against the house wall, and not in a line with the curbstone.

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BULKINGTON SPORTS.

A BOY INJURED.

The annual athletic sports held in connection with the Grand Independent Order of Loyal Caledonian Corks, Bulkington Lodge No 524, were held in a field opposite the Malt Shovel Inn, Bulkington, on Easter Tuesday afternoon. The officials were: Handicapper and timekeeper, Mr. C. Thomas (Nuneaton); starter, Mr. G. Pegg; judges, C. Dalton and H. Dewes. The Bulkington Brass Band was in attendance. During the progress of the sports a regrettable accident occurred. Shortly after a start had been effected in the bicycle race a little boy named Whitcroft, of Bedworth, who had encroached upon the track, was accidentally knocked down by one of the competitors. The boy was unconscious for some time, and was removed home in a trap. Details of the sports:

Quarter-mile Open Race.—1st, T. Heyward, Bedworth, scratch; 2nd, J. Jacques, Bedworth, 3yds; 3rd, A. Allen, Collycroft, 12yds. Won in splendid style. Time, 1m. 10s.

Half-mile Open Race.—1, H. Berwick, Hinckley, 20yds; 2, J. Miller, Attleborough, 30yds; 3, W. Lee, Collycroft, 12yds. Won very easily. Time, 2m. 40s.

One Mile Open Race.—1, J. Marston, Bedworth, 30yds; 2, J. Brown, 70yds; 3, A. E. Boosley, Attleborough. Won by 10 yards; short distance between second and third. Time, 5m. 30 4-5s.

120 Yards Open Race.—1st Heat: 1, W. Summers, Hinckley; 2, H. Butler, Bedworth; 3, H. Heyward, Bedworth. Time, 13 2-5s. 2nd Heat: 1, T. Heyward, Bedworth; 2, J. Porter; 3, T. Pilgrim, Hinckley. Time, 13 2-5s. Final: 1, T. Heyward; 2, Summers; 3, Pilgrim and Butler dead heat. Heyward ran a grand race, and thoroughly deserved his victory. Time, 13 1-5s.

Walking Competition, One Mile Open. 1, H. Daffern, 50yds; 2, T. W. Shephard, scratch.

Open Mile Bicycle Race.—1, H. Whetstone, 50yds; 2, Eugene Johnson, Longford, scratch; 3, A. Clarke, 7yds. Time, 3m. 20 1-5s.

At the conclusion of the sports Mrs. Forge, of Weston-in-Arden, distributed the prizes.

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Reports from Calcutta state that the cases of cholera in that city are increasing daily. The deaths on Saturday and Sunday last numbered 76 and 21 respectively. The heat is terrific.

President Cleveland has sent the concurrent resolution of the two Houses of Congress in respect to Cuba to the Department of State. His Secretary is reported to have said that the President is going to wait for further information from Cuba before he takes action.

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