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Commissioner of Pensions Executes a Long-Considered Plan.

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WASHINGTON, March 28.—The following letter from Hon. H. Clay Evans, resigning the commissionership of pensions, together with an appended statement, was made public at the White House tonight:

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, BUREAU OF PENSIONS, WASHINGTON, March 15, 1902.—To the President: For some time I have been considering the question of resigning. It will soon be five years since I assumed the duties of this office and I now have the honor of tendering you my resignation as commissioner of pensions and will thank you to accept the same at as early a date as may suit your convenience.

Thanking you for your kindly consideration and with assurance of my best wishes I am, very respectfully,

H. CLAY EVANS.

The statement appended to the letter is as follows:

Mr. Evans some months ago verbally expressed his desire to resign, and finally put it in writing on March 15. The president, however, has told him that he will have to remain as commissioner, in the first place, until his successor has been determined upon, and in the second place, until there is some position to tender him which the president will regard as a promotion and as a fitting reward for his excellent services in the department.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL CHANGES

G. A. Clark Succeeded by G. A. Dixon as Superintendent of the Omaha Division.

CHICAGO, March 28.—Numerous changes have been announced by the Illinois Central management in pursuance of a plan to reorganize the southern and western portions of the system. The changes are in line with the policy of the company to make the organization as compact as possible, and such as will fit present conditions, caused by a rapidly expanding traffic. The appointments are as follows:

M. Gilleas, formerly general superintendent of the lines south of the Ohio river, resigned and made third vice president and general superintendent of the Yazoo & Mississippi Valley road; O. M. Dunn, formerly division superintendent of the Louisiana division, with headquarters at New Orleans, to be assistant general superintendent of the lines south of the river; C. T. Scaife, formerly local agent at New Orleans, to succeed O. M. Dunn north of the Ohio river. G. F. Bailey, formerly superintendent of the Springfield division at Clinton, has been relieved and will later be assigned to other duties, and G. A. Clark, former superintendent of the Omaha division, takes his place. G. A. Dixon, former superintendent of the Cherokee division, succeeds Mr. Clark.

Denver to New Orleans.

GUTHRIE, Okl., March 28.—The general solicitor of the Denver, Kansas & Atlantic railroad announced today that active construction on the line from Denver to New Orleans will begin at once. This road is financed by Chicago capitalists and passes diagonally through Oklahoma from northwest to southeast.

FIRE RECORD.

Two Pacific Coast Ships.

SEATTLE, Wash., March 28.—A special to the Times from Dawson says: A disastrous fire started at midnight in Steamboat slough opposite the city. The slough is used by Yukon river boats for winter quarters. Of the steamers and several barges present when the fire started, Glenora and Mona, the property of J. E. Genelle of Vancouver, B. C., have been completely consumed. The loss so far is $37,000 and the fire is still raging. Its origin is unknown.

Paper Box Factory.

KANSAS CITY, March 28.—Fire early today destroyed the building occupied by the National Paper Box company. Loss, $57,000.

The Kansas City Paper Box factory is owned by the same company which owns the Omaha Paper Box factory and which has houses at Minneapolis and other cities, with headquarters at Minneapolis. E. Eggers, the Omaha manager, is one of the heavy stockholders in the company.

Five-Story Structure.

BOSTON, March 28.—A loss of $60,000 resulted from a fire tonight that riddled the upper two stories of the five-story building 81 to 83 Franklin street, occupied by Redding, Baird & Co., artists and workers in leaded and stained glass. The lower floors were occupied by Wyckoff, Seamans and Benedict, typewriter agents. Redding, Baird & Co.'s loss is $50,000, fully covered by insurance.

Business Block at Morning Sun.

MORNING SUN, Ia., March 28.—(Special Telegram.)—Fire this morning destroyed one of the prominent business blocks in this city, entailing a loss of $27,000, with $10,000 insurance. The heaviest losers were: D. H. Morrison and Talbot, clothiers.

Chemical Plant, Memphis.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., March 28.—The Virginia-Carolina Chemical company plant is on fire and threatened with destruction.

HYMENEAL.

Chandler-Taylor.

FLORENCE, Neb., March 28.—(Special.)—Miss Carrie L. Taylor of Florence and William O. Chandler of Hancock, Ia., were married here last night at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonidas Taylor by Rev. A. R. Julian of Atkinson, in the presence of a large number of friends, several of the relatives of the contracting parties from abroad being in attendance. Mr. and Mrs. Chandler will reside near Hancock.

Man Shoots Woman During Quarrel.

CINCINNATI, March 28.—C. N. Pendleton, a real estate dealer, is in jail on the charge of murder. Early today he shot and instantly killed Mrs. Anna Baker. The parties lived on adjoining lots in the east end of the city. They have had quarrels about division fences. Today the quarrel was resumed and Pendleton shot the woman dead. Her husband, a one-armed man, went to her rescue too late. Pendleton fired three shots ineffectually at him, when Baker wrenched the revolver from him and would have shot him if there had been another load in the weapon. Neighbors held Pendleton until officers arrived.

Men Buried in Mine.

SEATTLE, Wash., March 28.—A special to the Times from Dawson says: A mine caved in yesterday on Hunter creek, burying eleven men. All were rescued, more or less injured, except Lon Boesmer of Maple, Mich., who is dead.

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GILBERT WINS THE TROPHY

Iowa Man Defeats Elliott and Crosby in Fifty-Bird Match.

GETS THE SPORTSMEN'S REVIEW CUP

Wrests Wing Shot Championship from Kansas City Man in Twenty-Five Straight on Shoot-Off.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 28.—Fred Gilbert of Spirit Lake, Ia., today won the fifty bird shooting match for the Sportsmen's Review trophy, and thus takes absolute possession of that cup. The contestants were: Gilbert, J. A. R. Elliott of Kansas City, and W. R. Crosby of O'Fallon, Ill. Gilbert and Elliott tied on forty-seven out of fifty, Crosby losing four birds. In the shoot off at ten birds, Elliot lost his first, second and sixth birds, Gilbert killing ten straight.

Today's shoot which is preliminary to the opening of the Grand American handicap tournament, which begins officially on Monday, next, took place at Blue River Shooting park, just outside the city limits. The shoot began at 3 o'clock and lasted an hour. The weather conditions were ideal and the birds satisfactory.

The contest was for the possession of the Sportsmen's Review cup, emblematic of the wing shot championship of America. Elliott was the holder of the trophy, having successfully defended it since May 17, 1900, when at St. Louis, in competition with thirty-six other crack shots, he tied with seven of them, with a score of twenty-five straight, and killed 100 straight in the shoot off. Gilbert, who became the permanent owner of the cup by defeating Elliott and Crosby today, won it the first time it was put in competition. This was an open contest, November 4, 1898, at Cincinnati, twenty-eight shooters competing.

Crosby, the first man up, missed his first and eleventh birds and his twenty-third and forty-second fell dead out of bounds. Gilbert missed his twelfth bird and his thirty-third and forty-first fell dead out of bounds.

Elliott's second bird fell over the line and he missed his fifth and forty-sixth. Crosby being out of the race, Elliott and Gilbert shot off their tie. Gilbert killed ten, making a straight score. Elliott missed his first and sixth and his second bird fell outside of bounds. The birds were a lively lot and the second barrel was used on more than half of them.

FITZ ACCEPTS THE OFFER

No Word Yet from Jeffries Regarding Fight Proposal from Charleston.

NEW YORK, March 28.—On behalf of the Charleston Athletic club, J. C. Juadon and W. McLaughlin, members of the southern organization, have made a personal offer to Fitzsimmons for the bout with Jeffries.

The proposition was 75 per cent of the gross receipts, with a guaranteed purse of $26,000. Fitzsimmons immediately accepted the offer. As evidence of good faith the southern clubmen have offered to post a forfeit of $5,000 when the contract shall have been signed by the fighters.

Juadon and McLaughlin explained to Fitzsimmons that there is nothing in the laws of South Carolina to prevent a boxing contest between heavyweights from being decided in the state.

"If Jeffries," said the former champion, "is as anxious for the match as I am he will not hesitate to accept the Charleston offer. It is the best and most sincere one that has yet been made for the match. Immediately after articles of agreement are signed by Jeffries and myself the southerners will post $5,000 to be divided between us. Later they will post the full amount of the guaranteed purse money."

Jeffries, who is now in Los Angeles, Cal., has been communicated with relative to the Charleston club's bid.

CHICAGO, March 28.—According to the notice given Robert Fitzsimmons Monday the Los Angeles Athletic club has demanded a return of the forfeit money posted to insure the bout when the tids were tendered, says the Chronicle's Los Angeles special. This practically closes the Jeffries-Fitzsimmons incident as far as the Los Angeles Century Athletic club is concerned.

The club has proposed a fight with "Denver Ed" Martin, who recently defeated Frank Childs in Chicago, but Jeffries declares he will not battle with a colored man until he is entitled to demand champion recognition.

WILL CONTEST BIG FIGHT

Century Club to Raise Charleston Bid in Hopes of Getting the Fitz-Jeff Match.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., March 28.—The Century Athletic club is still in the contest for the Jeffries-Fitzsimmons fight and will make a new offer that will raise the bid of the Charleston club. Yesterday the prospects for bringing the fight here were considered very slim, but the offer from South Carolina has spurred the local promoters on to a new effort. The forfeit money placed in San Francisco has been left there as a guaranty of good faith and the purse money is still on deposit with the Citizens' bank of this city.

Thomas McCarrey, president of the club, said: "The bid from Charleston does not bother us a bit. We do not believe they can make good, and we have good reason to believe that the offer is not bona fide."

CHARLESTON, S. C., March 28.—Promoters of the bout between Fitzsimmons and Jeffries propose to have the contest take place at the exposition grounds, where a great arena will be built, plans for which have already been made.

There is some uncertainty here as to the attitude of the state authorities in the matter and it is reported that Governor McSweeney will not permit the contest to take place. An effort is being made to smooth the differences and there is hope that it will be found possible to pull off the fight.

WALCOTT TO MEET BIG ONE

Will Fight Fred Russell, Who Weighs Two Hundred and Twenty.

BOSTON, March 28.—Joe Walcott was matched to fight Fred Russell for a decision before the Wabash Athletic club, Chicago, April 4. Walcott, who, it is said, only weighs 140 pounds, is forced to meet a man who weighs 220 pounds and is six feet tall. Ben Donnelly, a foot ball player, will referee.

Two-Man Bowling Tourney.

The second series of the two-man tournament was played on the Gate City bowling alleys last night. Score:

	1st.	2d.	3d.	Tot.	Team Tot.
Conery	185	172	193	550	
Zitzman	152	153	112	417—	967
Jones	157	163	147	467	
Chandler	198	159	191	548—	1,015
Davey	181	150	168	499	
Mollyneaux	153	127	125	405—	904
Keller	169	161	154	484	
Plotts	146	152	143	441—	925
Neale	148	137	170	455	
Hughes	143	168	174	484—	939
Beselin	190	170	178	538	
Al Krug	206	201	148	555—	1,093

Date for Golf Contests.

CHICAGO, March 28.—At a meeting of the directors of the Western Golf association matters in regard to the western championship were considered. The sense of the directors was that the amateur championship tournament should be held after the national event at Glen View. This will be finally decided by the new directors early next month. Two new clubs were admitted to membership—Elmhurst and Des Moines, Ia.—making the roster thirty-nine.

Preserve Live Birds.

COLUMBUS, O., March 28.—The Brannock bill to prevent trap shooting at live birds was passed today by the house without opposition. The bill provides for a heavy penalty for violation of the statute.

Meteor Makes Trial Trip Today.

NEW YORK, March 28.—At the office of the builders of the German emperor's yacht Meteor it was announced today that the yacht will be ready to leave its anchorage tomorrow. It probably will be taken out by its captain and designer for a ten-mile thrash into the wind for the purpose of testing its sailing qualities.

GOOD NEWS OF THE WESTERN

Whitfield Gets Encouraging Reports from Various Cities in the League.

KANSAS CITY, March 28.—(Special Telegram.)—President James Whitfield of the Western league was able to be at his office today for the first time since his return from Peoria the early part of this week. He was taken ill in Peoria last week and when he came home Tuesday was compelled to go to bed.

When he went down to his office today he found a stack of league mail awaiting him and encouraging reports from the towns of the league. Included in his letters were fifteen contracts from Billy Hart of Peoria, Joe Quinn of Des Moines and Packard of Denver. Hart reports that he has signed a full team and is after more. Quinn says he has fifteen men under contract and is still pulling the strings.

Both Quinn and Hart have secured several stars from the Southern and Three-I leagues, with a few veterans sandwiched in. Hart and Vaughn will compose one of the batteries of the Peoria team. Both are old National league men, know the game from A to Z and will surely be able to get good work out of the youngsters. Hart is the old Pittsburg and Cleveland pitcher, while Vaughn was the mainstay behind the bat for the Cincinnati team for years. Hart also has a promising pitcher in Simonton, a Cincinnati youngster who has been highly recommended by the newspaper men of his town. Another good pitcher for Hart's team is Schaffstaf, a Southern league graduate.

Manager Charlie Nichols of the local Western league team has received a letter from Hugh Duffy, who has arrived in Milwaukee, and the Brewers' manager says everything there is bright, in spite of the claims of the association people that the Western league cannot go in Milwaukee. With a better situated park and a team to compare favorably with the association bunch he sees no reason why the Western league should have any trouble in Milwaukee. He has signed twelve men up to date.

From Denver comes a report that Gus Dundon, the third baseman who has been claimed by both Gear of Kansas City and George Tebeau of Louisville, has reported to Packard and prepared to guard third base for the Grizzlies. Dundon wrote Packard a letter during the winter, saying he intended to stick with Denver, and, according to the Denver papers and other information he is already in the Colorado capital ready to begin the spring practice. This will be something of a disappointment for Tebeau, as Gus is a good man and would have fitted in well at third corner for the Colonels. "White Wings" announced last winter that he had secured Dundon for Kansas City. Since then he has given out Dundon's name in his Louisville list, and the excuse given for taking Gus away from Kansas City was that he refused to come here.

WINNER RUNS LONG GAUNTLET

Dickey Played from Sixty to One to Six to One, Takes Two-Year-Old Race.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 28.—W. J. Dickey, winner of the 2-year-old race at Oakland today, was played from 60 to 1 to 6 to 1 and the ring was hit hard. Honiton was favorite and as Dickey had done nothing in his races the book charged up the long price against him. The youngster worked well and there was a rush to get aboard. The price was cut rapidly and very little went on at anything over 7 to 1. The good thing and the favorite had the race to themselves and in a drive Dickey won by a neck. Two favorites won. Captain Gaines, whose recent form was very bad, upset calculations by winning the last race from the favorite, Cougar, at odds of 10 to 1. Horton was a 7 to 10 favorite for the mile and an eighth event, but he was none too well handled by Ransch and Artilla beat him easily. Results:

First race, one mile, selling: Free Lance won, Expedient second, Satan third. Time: 1:41½.

Second race, one-half mile, purse: W. J. Dickey won, Honiton second, Escarola third. Time: 0:48¾.

Third race, eleven-sixteenths of a mile, selling: Lass of Langdon won, Axminster second, Ursula third. Time: 1:09¼.

Fourth race, one mile and an eighth, selling: Artilla won, Horton second, Commissioner Forster third. Time: 1:58.

Fifth race, three-quarters of a mile, purse: Beau Ormond won, Headwater second, Sea Queen third. Time: 1:13¾.

Sixth race, one mile, selling: Captain Gaines won, Cougar second, San Venado third. Time: 1:40¾.

Rain Cuts No Figure.

WASHINGTON, March 28.—Rain today had no effect on the betting faction at Bennings, though it materially decreased the assemblage in the stand. Notwithstanding the heavy condition of the track the favorites captured five of the races, Elizabeth Moan, Blue Delft, Justice, Charley Moore and All Saints winning. Jockey T. Burns landed three winners. Results:

First race, five and one-half furlongs: Elizabeth Moan won, Cormorant second, Gwinne third. Time: 1:11.

Second race, one-half mile: Blue Delft won, Ada second, Mexicana third. Time: 0:52.

Third race, six furlongs: Earl Eave won, Red Damsel second, Princess Ottillie third. Time: 1:18.

Fourth race, five furlongs: Justice won, Odds and Ends second, High Carnival third. Time: 1:19 2-5.

Fifth race, six furlongs: Charlie Moore won, Caithness second, Lac third. Time: 1:31.

Sixth race, one mile and seventy yards: All Saints won, Lou Rey second, Farrel third. Time: 1:52¾.

Lady Curzon's Nose in Front.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., March 28.—The first five favorites won today at Clinton park. Jockey Lynn rode two winners. The finish between Lady Curzon and Cogswell was the closest of the meeting. Lady Curzon lasted just long enough to win by a nose from Cogswell. The track was sloppy. Attendance large. Results:

First race, selling, six furlongs: Pillardist won, Ermack second, Joe Collins third. Time: 1:20.

Second race, selling, five and one-half furlongs: Braw Lad won, Curd Gilliock second, Tenny Belle third. Time: 1:12.

Third race, selling, three-quarters of a mile: Lady Curzon won, Cogswell second, Salinda third. Time: 1:17¼.

Fourth race, selling, six furlongs: Schwalbe won, Harry Wilson second, Trio third. Time: 1:18¾.

Fifth race, selling, seven furlongs: Censor won, Ida Penseance second, Prue Wood third. Time: 1:32¾.

Sixth race, selling, one mile: Algie M won, B. G. Fox second, Pay the Fiddler third. Time: 1:46½.

Jockey on Four Winners.

CHARLESTON, S. C., March 28.—Laura's First, Katie Gibbons and Toad Rainey were the winning favorites at the Exposition track today. Jockey Hall rode four winners and came in second on his other mount. Results:

First race, selling, six furlongs: Laura's First won, Ohio King second, John W. Daney third. Time: 1:22.

Second race, for maidens, six furlongs: Dewey D won, Nellie C second, LaVitesse third. Time: 1:22½.

Third race, selling, five furlongs: Katie Gibbons won, Intent second, Deadly Nightshade third. Time: 1:06.

Fourth race, selling, seven furlongs: Doctor North won, Ordeal second, Lady Hayman third. Time: 1:34.

Fifth race, selling, seven furlongs: Toad Rainey won, Cathedral second, Lady Riley third. Time: 1:34.

ATHLETIC CARNIVAL TONIGHT

High School Boys and Girls Will Give Exhibition at Germania Hall.

Feminine and masculine athletes of the Omaha High school will join in a carnival of sports to be held tonight at Germania hall. There are fourteen events on the program and all promise to be of interest and excellence. The affair is really a sort of mixed tournament between the four different classes, with outside events added. Webster Sutherland will lead the seniors, Claude Robertson the juniors, George Thompson the sophomores and Richard Patterson the freshmen.

Wrestling, basket ball galore, sack race, obstacle race, tumbling, relay races and similar affairs constitute the card. The juniors and seniors will contest at basket ball and racing, as will the freshmen and sophomores. Finals will then occur between the two winning teams for the championship.

Supple-Gans Fight Off.

BUFFALO, N. Y., March 28.—The proposed bout between Curley Supple and Joe Gans has been declared off and Manager Herrman of the International Athletic club left for Baltimore tonight with articles signed by Frank Erne for a twenty-round match with Gans. The clubhouse across the river will be enlarged to seat 4,500 persons. A bid for the Young Corbett-McGovern fight will be made.

BANK GIVES AWAY MONEY

Nearly Eighty Thousand Dollars in Good-Will Offerings.

FAREWELL TOKENS TO ITS EMPLOYES

One Man Who Stuck to His Job Thirty-Seven Years Gets Twelve Thousand Dollars—Night Watchman Draws Ten Thousand.

CHICAGO, March 28.—The Merchants' National bank of this city, which will soon go out of business, its interests being merged with those of the Corn Exchange National bank, today presented its employes with farewell gifts.

The gifts were in cash and aggregated between $70,000 and $80,000. The presents were handed out without ceremony and before the recipients knew what the envelopes contained the chief officers of the bank had put on their hats and departed. One employe of the bank, who had held his position over thirty-seven years, received a check for $12,000, while the night watchman received one for $1,000. Another employe found a check in his envelope for $3,000 and the lowest amount of money given any clerk was $50. That was awarded to a messenger boy who had served the institution only a few months. The size of the checks was proportionate to the length and value of the men's services.

FEDERAL RAILWAY COMPANY

New Rapid City Incorporation Files Articles with Chicago Capital Invested.

PIERRE, S. D., March 28.—(Special Telegram.)—Articles of incorporation were filed today for the Federal Railway company of Rapid City, with a capital of $18,000. The incorporators are William T. Coad, Charles D. Mattison and J. B. Henry of Rapid City, Joseph H. Mulke and Forest C. Murdock of Chicago.

Dead and His Treasure Buried.

BELLE FOURCHE, S. D., March 28.—(Special.)—Thomas Beckman was found dead at the ranch of J. T. White, a few miles from Belle Fourche. He had been staying alone at that place. D. R. Evans of Belle Fourche found his body stretched on the floor. The clock was still running and it is not thought he had been dead long.

Beckman was 70 years of age and had been a familiar figure around Belle Fourche a long time. Every few weeks he would appear in town with several hundred dollars in gold coin. It was noticed that many of the gold pieces smelled earthy and musty and it is thought the old man had a treasure buried somewhere about the place. A few days before he died he came to town with about $300. He spent about half of it and friends induced him to take $100 to the bank. This is still on deposit to his credit. Parties contemplate visiting the ranch to search for the old man's cache.

Mrs. George Kenney a Suicide.

CENTRAL CITY, S. D., March 28.—(Special.)—Mrs. George Kenney was found dead in one of the rooms at the Shannon hotel in Central City, and a bottle of laudanum close by told the tale of a suicide. Death had evidently occurred several hours before she was found. The husband of the deceased was working at the new cyanide plant of the Homestake company, near Central City, and took charge of the remains. Family troubles are believed to have led to the act.

Bankers Will Meet at Huron.

HURON, S. D., March 28.—(Special.)—The executive committee of the South Dakota Bankers' association, was in session here Wednesday evening, arranging for their annual convention to be held here May 21.

DECLINE OF COEDUCATION

President-Elect James of Northwestern Says the System is Losing Ground.

CHICAGO, March 28.—Dr. E. J. James, president-elect of the Northwestern university, presented his first communication to the trustees today. On the subject of coeducation he said in part:

There are many signs of a marked reaction in the public mind on the subject of coeducation. Friends of the movement may well view it with some concern. The tide seems in certain ways to have ebbed. A pronounced reaction has set in. Not only has the system ceased to make new converts, but there are indications that it is losing ground in the very territory which it had so completely won. A new period of questioning is upon us. A sort of vague prejudice has arisen in the country at large which indicates a new attitude of the public mind toward the whole problem. The system is attacked on new grounds and from new points of view.

We are, moreover, not left to merely theoretical criticism and vague suggestion as to what the public sentiment is on the subject. This is evidenced in certain quarters by some very interesting external signs. The distinct alteration in the attitude of a number of institutions toward the subject is indicated by their policy. The rapid growth of attendance at the women's colleges during the last few years is also a very significant fact.

All these things and many others of like kind point to a serious crisis in the history of this movement and it behooves those who believe in coeducation to study the system with all seriousness. The grounds of discussion have changed entirely in the last generation. The old objections have lost their force and entirely new ones are now to the front. The notion that women are incapable of doing college work so commonly urged a generation ago, has completely disappeared. The suggestion that young men and women cannot be trusted to observe proper relation in their social intercourse has been exploded in view of the fact that the moral tone of coeducational institutions is distinctly higher than that of the community at large and is certainly not inferior to that of schools for one sex alone.

But, on the other hand, one hears oftener the claim that the increasing number of women tends to feminize the institutions where they are, in some cases to such an extent as to discourage the attendance of men. It is urged with increasing persistence that the social distractions and dissipations, with their widening invasion of the serious purpose that should go with school life, form a very serious problem; while others emphasize the fact that the broad difference in the future careers of the two sexes should find a more adequate recognition in the college curicula.

Bank Teller Missing.

NEW YORK, March 28.—H. C. Copeland, president of Riverside bank, complained to the police today that H. G. Bell, receiving teller of the concern, was missing and that an examination of his accounts disclosed a shortage of $12,500. He charged him with embezzlement of that sum and asked the police to arrest him. Bell has not been at the bank since Monday.

Released from Custody.

CINCINNATI, March 28.—William T. Lake, deputy state organizer of the Maccabees and for whom the Kansas City authorities made a requisition on a charge of forgery, was released from custody today. Governor Nash notified Sheriff Taylor that the requisition had been withdrawn on the pledge of relatives to place Lake in a sanitarium.

Bill for Ohio Osteopaths.

COLUMBUS, O., March 28.—Osteopaths were given official recognition in Ohio today by the passage of an act in the house. The bill provides for a committee to examine osteopathy and to regulate the practice of that system of curing human ills. They are not to be permitted to practice surgery or administer drugs.

Rain Stops Ball Game.

BALTIMORE, Md., March 28.—The Princeton-Johns Hopkins base ball game scheduled for today has been declared off on account of rain.

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