

SPORTING NEWS.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

Table with columns: Carolina Association, Won., Lost., Pct. Rows include Greenville, Spartanburg, Greensboro, Winston, Anderson, Charlotte.

Eastern Carolina League.

Table with columns: Won., Lost., Pct. Rows include Wilson, Wilmington, Raleigh, Goldsboro.

National League.

Table with columns: Won., Lost., Pct. Rows include Pittsburg, Chicago, New York, Cincinnati, Boston, Philadelphia, Brooklyn, St. Louis.

American League.

Table with columns: Won., Lost., Pct. Rows include St. Louis, Detroit, Cleveland, Chicago, Philadelphia, Boston, New York, Washington.

Southern League.

Table with columns: Won., Lost., Pct. Rows include New Orleans, Memphis, Atlanta, Nashville, Mobile, Little Rock, Montgomery, Birmingham.

Virginia League.

Table with columns: Won., Lost., Pct. Rows include Danville, Richmond, Norfolk, Roanoke, Lynchburg, Portsmouth.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

Carolina Association. At Spartanburg: Spartanburg, 4; Anderson, 5. At Charlotte: First game—Winston-Salem, 2; Charlotte, 0. Second game—Charlotte, 1; Winston-Salem, 2.

Eastern Carolina League. At Raleigh: Raleigh, 6; Kinston, 3. At Goldsboro: Wilson, 6; Goldsboro, 1.

American League. At Washington—First game: Washington, 0; Chicago, 1. Second game: Washington, 4; Chicago, 7. (13 innings.) At New York—First game: New York, 3; Detroit, 8. Second game: New York, 4; Detroit, 11.

At Philadelphia: Philadelphia, 2; St. Louis, 3. At Boston: Boston, 8; Cleveland, 6.

National League. At Chicago: Chicago-Brooklyn, postponed, wet grounds. At Pittsburg: Pittsburg-Philadelphia, postponed, rain. (Two games today.) At Cincinnati: Cincinnati, 4; New York, 3. At St. Louis: St. Louis, 1; Boston, 4.

Southern League. At Mobile: Mobile, 3; Atlanta, 2. At Little Rock: Little Rock, 3; Montgomery, 2. At Memphis: Birmingham, 8; Memphis, 4. At New Orleans: Nashville, 3; New Orleans, 1.

Virginia League. At Roanoke: Roanoke, 4; Richmond, 1. At Danville: Danville, 2; Portsmouth, 0. At Norfolk: Norfolk, 0; Lynchburg, 3.

South Atlantic League. At Macon: First game—Macon, 1; Jacksonville, 3. Second game—Macon, 1; Jacksonville, 2.

Schedule "B" Tax.

Lawyers, Physicians, Dentists, Cigarettes Dealers, etc., are hereby notified that they have been doing business since June 1st without licenses. Come to the sheriff's office at once and get your license and by so doing save trouble.

J. W. BIDDLE.

POLICE MAKE A BLUNDER

Mistake Explained by Lack of Familiarity

DATE OF DEATH GETS THEM UP

Philadelphia Police Believe They Have Made Mistake in Arresting Frederick Gies, Jr., in Connection With Killing of Dr. Wilson.

Philadelphia, Pa., July 7.—Though the police pretend to believe that Frederick Gies, Jr., arrested as a suspect in the case, knows something about the murder of Dr. William H. Wilson, of this city, who died on June 26 after drinking a bottle of ale containing cyanide of potassium, developments yesterday tend to show that the authorities have blundered in the matter and that Gies finds himself in his embarrassing position as the result of his efforts to protect the name of his young wife.

The records at the bureau of health show that Mrs. Gies died on June 19 and that her infant babe died the day previous. To clearly connect Gies with the sending of poisoned ale to Dr. Wilson the authorities will have to assume that Gies knew four days before that time that his wife was going to die, for on June 15 the man who sent the poisoned ale to Dr. Wilson purchased from William Olmstead at the Keystone Type Foundry a letter "S" from a font of type known as "Stuyvesant," and which letter was used as a seal stamp by the murderer who prepared the bottle of ale sent to the physician. That Gies did not purchase this letter "S" seems certain, for Olmstead failed to identify him at police headquarters as the customer who ordered the type.

More than this he was at his place of employment on Saturday morning June 27, or the day after Dr. Wilson died. It was on this day that a letter was mailed to Coroner Jermon from Bristol, Pa., in which the supposed murderer told why he had sent the poison. This letter was mailed during the afternoon, and in their efforts to trace the movements of the writer of the letter the police ascertained that the supposed murderer reached Bristol, Pa., at 12.47 p. m. The train left Torresdale at 12.35.

Supt. John B. Williams, of the Curtis Publishing Company, where Gies was employed as foreman of the overlay department, says that Gies left the office between 11.30 and 11.45 a. m. on that day, and it would have been impossible for him to have reached Torresdale, which is a suburban point more than an hour's ride from the center of the city, in time to purchase a ticket and catch the train for New York.

The mix-up regarding the date on which Mrs. Gies died seems to be explained by the unfamiliarity of Mrs. Haas, in which house she died, with the English methods of writing dates. Dr. William Heck, who attended Mrs. Gies, dated the death certificate "6. 19-08." Mrs. Haas, remembered the figures, accepted the figures as meaning sixth day, 1908, instead of sixth month, nineteenth day, and thus had the date June 6, in mind.

Investigation of Wilmington, Del., according to the authorities, shows that Gies married Elizabeth Wilson Alexander, in that city on May 26 under the name of William Henry Stenton. The license was obtained from Magistrate Broman and the ceremony was performed by the Rev. George Lewis Wolfe.

Fred Buckman, the express clerk who received from the supposed murderer the package which contained the poisoned ale sent to Dr. Wilson, received today a letter, in which he is advised to go slow in attempting to identify any person who sent the bottle of ale.

"The outcome of the Wilson case seems likely to depend very largely upon your testimony," says the writer, "and I hope you will go very slow, indeed, in identifying anybody in the matter.

"It would be awful to send anyone to the gallows for putting such a man as Wilson out of business. Buckman confronted Gies at the city hall tonight, but refused to positively identify the prisoner as the man

who left the package of ale at the express office.

Gies will be arranged tomorrow for a hearing as an accessory in the death of his wife.

The mother of Gies' wife, in an interview today, said she did not believe her son-in-law knew anything of the murder of Dr. Wilson. She said he was not that kind of a man.

TRY TO DITCH MILITIA TRAIN.

Wreckers Spike Ties on Track, But Engine Spoils Plot.

Watertown, N. Y., July 8.—The Third Regiment, National Guard of Pennsylvania, about 800 strong, arrived today at Pine Camp. The regiment is in command of Col. William G. Price, Jr., of Philadelphia and all of the troops are from the Quaker City. The first section had a close call from a wreck. The train was rushing along at a fast speed last night between Scranton and Wilkes-barre, when many of the men and officers were jolted out of their seats.

It was found that on the curve which the train had just rounded several ties had been placed on the lower rail and spiked down. The engineer failed to see them, but the engine succeeded in knocking them from the track without jumping the rails.

CLEVELAND PORTRAIT GONE.

Mysteriously Disappears from Bryan Headquarters.

Denver, July 8.—In view of the temper of the Bryan delegates, it is not surprising that there are no pictures of Cleveland hanging in Denver. One artist, Kasselbaum, from Atchison, Kans., conceived the idea of making two oil paintings, one of Bryan and the other of Cleveland, and bringing them to Denver for display.

He brought them. They were hung in the Albany Hotel, which is one of the headquarters of the Bryan contingent. When the storm broke over the Parker-Cleveland resolutions, the Bryanites made a dash for the Cleveland picture, and it disappeared from the knowledge of men.

The countenance of Bryan now greets the callers at the Albany.

NEW DANISH MINISTER.

Count Von Moltke to Succeed Constantin Brun Here.

Copenhagen, July 8.—It has been definitely settled that Constantin Brun, the Danish minister to the United States, will be transferred from Washington to London in the autumn, to succeed F. E. de Bille, who retires from the diplomatic service. M. de Bille has represented his country in London for the last eighteen years.

Count Carl von Moltke, the minister to Italy, whose wife was Cornelia von Rensselaer Thayer, daughter of Nathaniel Thayer, of Boston, will succeed M. Brun at Washington.

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ORDINANCES.

By the Board of Aldermen of the City of New Bern. Be it ordained, That all owners of dogs shall keep the same off the sidewalks and streets of the city of New Bern until the paving of the streets has been thoroughly completed. Any dog found upon the streets during the period, the owners thereof shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction, shall pay a fine of \$5.00 for each offense.

It is ordained, That any or all persons are hereby forbidden to walk on or enter upon the sidewalks of the city of New Bern during the process of paving, that part thereof that is set apart by roping in or otherwise barred. Any one violating this ordinance shall be fined \$5.00 for each offense.

It is ordained, That spitting on the sidewalks is strictly prohibited. Any person violating this ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction shall be fined one dollar.

It is ordained, That no person shall be allowed to skate with roller skates upon the sidewalks of the city of New Bern. Any violation of this ordinance shall subject the offender to a fine of \$2.00.

F. T. PATTERSON, City Clerk. June 15th, 1908.

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