

BOSTON WINS WITH NEW MEN

Deaneaters Capture a Double-Header from Toban's Aggregation.

NEW YORK-CHICAGO GAME A BIG FAVOR

Cleveland Falls to Profit by Errors of the Philadelphia Team-Louisville Drops Two Games at Baltimore-Brooklyn Wins.

Boston, 6-5; St. Louis, 3-2; Brooklyn, 4-3; Pittsburgh, 3-2; New York, 13; Chicago, 2; Philadelphia, 3; Cincinnati, 2; Baltimore, 3-4; Louisville, 2-1; Washington, 4-0; Cincinnati, 14-3.

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SMASHES A WORLD'S RECORD

Harry Elkes Takes Championship from Taylor, the Frenchman.

PAGE SET BY THREE MOTOR TANDEMS

Champion Continually Calls for a Sprinter Pace—Makes Over One Mile More Than Taylor's Record for an Hour.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 13.—Harry Elkes, the champion middle distance bicycle rider, tonight broke the world's record in a test of speed for that period on the Woodside park one-third mile track. His record for the hour was 36 miles, 747 yards.

The best previous record was held by Edouard Taylor, the French champion, who some weeks ago rode 35 miles 698 yards in an hour, in France.

Six thousand people saw Elkes perform the feat and great excitement prevailed as Elkes roared off mile after mile. The champion was paced by three motor tandems and continually called for more pace. The spectators did not believe the flyer could keep up the pace.

When Elkes had finished the spectators swarmed over the track and he was lifted to the shoulders of a number of enthusiasts and carried to his dressing-room. The exhibition was held under the auspices of the National Cycle association.

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COMPANY OF INDIAN SCOUTS

Nephew of Senator Tillman Asks Authority to Organize Chippewas for Service in Philippines.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13.—Colonel James H. Tillman of South Carolina, a nephew of Senator Tillman, was at the White House today and asked the president to authorize the organization of an independent company of Indian scouts for service in the Philippines. It is proposed to make Mr. Tillman, who was colonel of the First South Carolina regiment during the Spanish war, captain of the company and Joseph H. Woodbury, "Hole-in-the-Day," the chief of the Chippewa Indians of Minnesota, first lieutenant, and some member of the regiment "Hole-in-the-Day" second lieutenant. It is said more than a company of Chippewas are ready to enlist in case they are allowed to go to the Philippines as an independent organization. The president referred his callers to Secretary Root.

RELIEVING THE STRINGENCY

Secretary Gage Anticipates October Interest to Ease New York's Money Strain.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13.—The secretary of the treasury decided today that the money stringency in New York to anticipate the October interest. This will amount to \$5,956,526 and is due on the 4 per cent of 1907. The secretary's action was taken without solicitation.

VENEZUELA COURT CONCLUDING

Final Decision of the Arbitrators Forthcoming in a Few Days.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13.—Information reaching officials here is that the British-Venezuela court of arbitration now sitting in Paris will conclude its work and render a final decision about the first of the coming month. This is due to the desire of Chief Justice Fuller, one of the arbitrators, to return to Washington in time for the opening of the supreme court on October 10.

Mr. W. K. Taft, secretary of the arbitration, believes that he will make only a brief speech and this has permitted an understanding to close the work about the first of the month and to render a verdict on this important international question before the arbitrators separate.

GERMAN LEAD GRABBING DENIED

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13.—Neither the State department nor the German embassy have any official advice on the reported acquisition of a large tract of land nearly 1,000 miles square in Brazil by the German government. The German minister, Mr. von Mumm, says that no such acquisition has been made by his government, but that the report probably grows out of the work of a newspaper in Brazil, in which articles which are conducted in Germany and are distinctly private enterprises.

NEW TWO-DOLLAR COUNTERFEIT

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13.—The secret service has discovered a new counterfeit \$2 silver certificate. It is of the series of 1896, check letter "C." Bruce secretary, Roberts treasurer. It is printed on two pieces of paper pasted together, but no attempt having been made to imitate the silk fiber in the genuine. It is apparently a zinc etching, the lath work and portraits are especially bad and the counterfeit should be readily detected.

BARON FAVA MADE A SENATOR

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13.—The king of Italy has appointed the Italian ambassador in London, Baron Fava, senator of the kingdom and member of the upper branch of the Italian Parliament. The ambassador received from King Humbert a heavy gold medal, one face showing a bas-relief of the king, while the reverse bears the inscription: "Fava, Senatore del Regno."

ESCAPE FROM AGUINALDO

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13.—The War department has information concerning the escape from Aguinaldo of Dr. Gonzales and Senor Bonifacio Arcevalo. These men were in the insurgent camp for some time and, being very wealthy, they were associated quite heavily with the cause. Dr. Gonzales was offered the position of minister of foreign affairs by Aguinaldo, but declined.

NEW VENEZUELA TARIFF

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13.—The new Venezuela tariff which is about to go into effect may call for an exercise of the retaliatory clause of the Dingley tariff law. The United States minister in Venezuela, Mr. Loomis, is to make a careful study of the new law with a view of determining if its effect is to discriminate unfavorably against the United States.

TARTAR MATTER REFERRED TO CHONTE

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13.—It is stated at the War department this afternoon that the Tartar matter had been referred to Ambassador Chonte, which makes an international question of it. The contention of the War department is that, notwithstanding the Tartar files the British flag, the assumption of British authority over it is unauthorized and is chartered by the United States government.

POPE'S HEALTH IS EXCELLENT

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13.—Private letters received at the papal delegation here speak of the excellent health the pope has been enjoying of late, his vigorous appearance and the interest he takes in current affairs. These advices from the best posted sources in Rome are regarded as offsetting the frequently repeated reports of the pope's decline.

POSTAL RECEIPTS AT OMAHA

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13.—Postal receipts at Omaha for August amount to \$28,592, a decline of \$470, compared with August business in 1898. Receipts at Des Moines, Ia., for August aggregate \$24,439, against \$19,317 in August, 1898, an increase of \$5,122.

COMMISSIONER EVANS TAKES A TRIP

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13.—Commissioner of Penitentiaries Evans left here tonight for a trip to California, with the expectation of being absent several weeks.

VANDERLIP BACK AT DEAK

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13.—Assistant Secretary Vanderlip has returned to the city from a ten days' official trip through New England.

ENLISTMENT PROCEEDING

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13.—The enlistments yesterday were 476, making a total of 6,796.

FREIGHT MEN MEET

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 13.—The regular monthly meeting of the Southwestern Freight committee convened here today. There was a

UP TO THIS TIME THE DEPARTMENT HAS HELD TO THE CONTRARY, AND THERE MUTUALIZED PARTIES CLAIMING THAT THEY HAD FOUND IT THE GOVERNMENT HAS APPROPRIATED THE SAME WITHOUT MAKING RESTITUTION.

WINGS A CHICKEN THIEF

Charles Brown Brings Down a Colored Man Who Raids His Hen Coop.

Ernest Lindsey, a colored man who lives in the vicinity of Eighth and Clark streets, Wednesday night determined to go out on prospecting tour for chickens. He went to chickening, only to find that Charles Brown, who lives in the vicinity, and began to feel around among the roosts, humming as he worked the tune of "All I Want is Ma Chicken."

He was successful in getting his hands on the lower extremities of a fat fowl, but the old hen had a voice like a foghorn and no sooner did the yellow fingers close around the yellow legs than there was the most terrific squawking in the coop that was ever pulled off in a hen house. At the first alarm, Mr. Brown grabbed his trusty shotgun from the handy place where he keeps it and began to prow toward the coop.

When he was about half way there he saw a dark form emerge from the hen house and began to move rapidly across the lot. He cried halt, but his command was not obeyed with military precision, but on the contrary, the order had the effect of accelerating the speed of the fleeing man. Finding words of little avail, Mr. Brown brought his shotgun to his shoulder and pulled the trigger. The night air was rent with the explosion and the whole neighborhood was aroused, but the culprit kept right on in spite of the noise.

Calling to mind the old verse about "Try again," Mr. Brown brought his musket to his shoulder once more and pulled the trigger. This time the game was bagged, for Mr. Lindsey, feeling that discretion was the better part of valor, came back to meet his pursuer on the run, and was