IN THE FIELD OF SPORTS.

Omaha Wins the Last Game of the Milwaukee Series.

STANDING OF THE BALL CLUBS.

The Minneapolis-St. Joseph Game Winds Up in a Row—The Buffalo Races—Turf and Diamond Notes.

Standing of the Clubs.

Following is the standing of the Western association clubs up to and including yesterday's game.

	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Per Ct.
Omaha	78	53	25	.679
St. Paul	79	51	28	.646
Minneapolis	79	43	36	.544
Sioux City	76	35	41	.461
St. Joseph	73	33	40	.452
Denver	77	34	43	.442
Milwaukee	76	30	46	.395
Des Moines	74	29	45	.393

Omaha 6, Milwaukee 3

MILWAUKEE, Wis., August 6.—Omaha won the last game of the series to-day. Score:

MILWAUKEE.	r.	b.	o.	a.	e.	OMAHA.	r.	b.	o.	a.	e.
Poorman, rf	0	0	3	0	0	Willis, cf	1	0	1	0	1
Lowe, lf	1	2	3	0	0	Beveid, 3b	0	0	3	1	0
Schoch, ss	1	1	0	4	0	Strauss, rf	2	2	1	0	0
Sutton, 2b	1	2	2	2	0	Crooks, 2b	1	2	2	3	0
Morrissey, 1b	0	1	9	0	0	Cooney, c	0	1	9	0	2
Silch, cf	0	0	1	0	0	Walsh, ss	0	2	1	4	1
Alberts, 3b	0	0	1	1	1	Andrews, 1b	1	1	9	0	0
Hurley, c	0	0	5	2	1	Canavan, lf	1	1	0	0	0
Alexander, p	0	0	0	1	0	Clarke, p	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	3	5	24	10	2	Totals	6	9	27	9	5

BY INNINGS.

Milwaukee	0 0 1 0 0 2 0 0 0—3
Omaha	2 0 0 3 1 0 0 0 *—6

SUMMARY.

Earned runs—Milwaukee 1, Omaha 5. Three-base hit—Andrews. Home run—Lowe. Bases stolen—Lowe, Schoch, Silch, Alberts, Strauss, Walsh, Andrews, Canavan. Double plays—Crooks, Walsh, Andrews. Bases on balls—Schoch 2, Morrissey, Silch, Alberts, Willis, Andrews. Hit by pitched ball—Willis. Struck out—By Alexander 5, by Clarke 7. Passed ball—Hurley. Wild pitch—Clark. Time of game—2 hours. Umpire—Hurst.

Sioux City 14, Des Moines 9.

DES MOINES, August 6.—Des Moines lost the game in the first two innings by the weakness of Hennessy and Kennedy. Score:

DES MOINES.	r.	b.	o.	a.	e.	SIOUX CITY.	r.	b.	o.	a.	e.
Patton, rf	0	1	1	0	0	Cline, ss	2	2	4	1	0
Maskrey, lf	3	2	2	0	0	Glenn, lf	3	3	1	0	0
Connell, 3b	2	1	0	5	1	Powell, 1b	1	2	14	0	0
Smith, 1b	1	1	14	0	1	Brosnan, 2b	3	1	2	5	0
Cody, c	1	2	3	2	0	Genins, cf	2	2	0	0	1
Traffley, ss	0	0	2	1	0	Bradley, 3b	2	3	0	2	0
Hart, cf	1	0	0	0	0	Crotty, c	2	1	5	1	1
Kinsman, 2b	1	2	2	4	0	Flanagan, p	0	2	0	4	0
Hennessy, p	0	0	0	0	0	Jevne, rf	0	0	0	0	0
Kennedy, p	0	0	0	2	0						
Totals	9	9	24	14	2	Totals	14	16	27	13	2

BY INNINGS.

Des Moines	0 0 1 0 0 5 1 0 2—9
Sioux City	6 4 0 0 1 1 0 2 *—14

SUMMARY.

Earned runs—Des Moines 5, Sioux City 10. Two-base hits—Bradley, Crotty. Three-base hit—Flanagan. Double play—Cline to Powell. Bases stolen—Cody, Smith, Hart 2, Brosnan, Bradley, Glenn. Bases on balls—By Kennedy 1, by Flanagan 6. Bases given for hitting man with ball—By Flanagan 1. Struck out—By Kennedy 3, by Flanagan 5. Passed balls—Cody 1, Crotty 2. Wild pitches—Hennessy 1, Kennedy 2. Time of game—1 hour and 55 minutes—Umpire—Doescher.

Denver 9, St. Paul 6.

ST. PAUL, Minn., August 6.—Wild pitching by Meekin and a home run hit by Rowe gave the game to Denver. Score:

ST. PAUL.	r.	h.	o.	a.	e.	DENVER	r.	h.	o.	a.	e.
Hawes, lb	1	1	13	0	0	Dalrymple, lf	1	3	0	1	0
Murphy, cf	0	1	0	0	0	McClellan, 2b	2	3	5	5	0
Reilly, 3b	1	3	2	1	0	Tredway, rf	2	0	0	0	0
Werrick, 2b	0	1	2	5	1	Kirby, 3b	0	1	3	5	0
Daly, lf	1	1	2	0	0	White, ss	2	1	3	3	2
Miller, ss	1	1	1	4	0	Turner, cf	0	1	1	1	0
Broughton, c rf	0	2	3	1	0	Rowe, lb	1	1	4	1	1
Farmer, rf c	1	1	1	1	0	Dolan, c	0	1	0	1	1
Meekin, p	1	3	0	0	0	Twineham, c	0	1	2	1	0
Tuckerman, p	0	1	0	0	0	Fagan p	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	6	15	24	12	4	Totals	9	11	27	19	3

BY INNINGS.

St. Paul	1 0 2 1 1 0 0 0 1—6
Denver	0 1 3 0 4 1 0 0 *—9

SUMMARY.

Earned runs—St. Paul 1, Denver 1. Home run—Rowe. Two-base hits—Reilly, Werrick, Broughton, Dalrymple and McClellan. Double plays—Miller to Werrick to Hawes, White to Rowe to Twineham. Bases on balls—Off Meekin 4, off Fagan 3. Hit by pitcher—Tredway. Struck out—By Meekin 3, by Tuckerman 1, by Fagan 1. First base on errors—St. Paul 2, Denver 3. Left on bases—St. Paul 10, Denver 8. Wild pitches—Meekin 1, Fagan 3. Stolen bases—Hawes, Reilly, Farmer, Daly and White. Passed balls—Broughton 3, Dolan 2. Time—1 hour, 55 minutes. Umpire—Briody.

A Row in Minneapolis.

MINNEAPOLIS, August 6.—The game to-day was given to St. Joe in the sixth inning by a score of 9 to 0. Ackard, the Sporting Life correspondent in this city, sat immediately behind the umpire and kept up a continual stream of indecent remarks. McDermott finally demanded the would-be ruler to be ejected from the grand stand, which was accordingly done. Owing to a questionable decision made a few minutes before, several in the crowd sided with the correspondent, who left the seats. In the difficulty that ensued the crowd ran into the diamond and took possession of everything, while McDermott, without watch or sun, gave the game to St. Joe. The score stood 10 to 4 in St. Joe's favor.

OTHER BALL GAMES.

The National League.

CLEVELAND, August 6.—Result of to-day's game:

Cleveland	0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0—1
Washington	8 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—8

Base hits—Cleveland 8, Washington 7. Errors—Cleveland 6, Washington 0. Batteries—Cleveland, Bakeley and Snyder; Washington, Haddock and Daly. Umpire—Lynch.

PITTSBURG, August 6.—Result of to-day's game:

Pittsburg	0 0 0 2 0 0 1 0 0—3
Philadelphia	2 1 0 0 3 1 0 0 *—7

Base hits—Pittsburg 7, Philadelphia 9. Errors—Pittsburg 3, Philadelphia 3. Batteries—Pittsburg, Staley and Miller; Philadelphia, Buffinton and Clements. Umpire—McQuaid.

INDIANAPOLIS, August 6.—Result of to-day's game:

Indianapolis	1 1 0 3 2 0 0 0 1—8
Boston	1 0 1 0 0 1 0 0 0—3

Base hits—Indianapolis 11, Boston 8. Errors—Indianapolis 2, Boston 7. Batteries—Indianapolis, Getzein and Daily; Boston, Madden and Kelley. Umpire—Curry.

CHICAGO, August 6.—Result of to-day's game:

Chicago	1 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 1—3
New York	2 0 0 1 3 0 2 1 1—10

Base hits—Chicago 9, New York 15. Errors—Chicago 5, New York 3. Batteries—Chicago, Tener, Dwyer and Warrell; New York, Keefe and Ewing. Umpire—Powers.

COLUMBUS, August 6.—Result of to-day's game:

Columbus	0 0 0 2 1 0 0 1 0—4
Brooklyn	0 0 1 2 0 0 0 0 0—3

PHILADELPHIA, August 6.—Result of to-day's game:

Athletics	0 0 4 0 2 0 2 0 0—8
Baltimore	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0

Amateur Games.

KEARNEY, Neb., August 6.—[Special to THE BEE.]—The Kearney base ball team has just returned from a tour through the state, playing twelve games. They brought with them triumphant honors from each game. On the 12th inst. they will play with Milwaukee and the following day with Minneapolis. Out of thirty-seven games played this season they have won twenty-nine.

GENOA, Neb., August 6.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—Superintendent Backus returned from the Agency this morning with the remainder of the Indian nine and beat the Lafayettes on the association ground 12 to 6.

Latest Base Ball Gossip.

Omaha won two out of six games on her present trip. The worst showing she has made this season.

The Omahas will be home to-day and to-morrow afternoon will begin a series of three games with the Milwaukees.

Milwaukee is at last out of the last hole. Des Moines now claims the tail-end honors Rather hard on the champions, eh?

Clarke and Cooney were the battery yesterday and they seemed to have but little trouble in wholloping the Brewers.

St. Paul surrendered another ball to the Denvers yesterday and in consequence the Omaha fans are again in high feather.

Omaha, despite her reverses, comes back in the lead and with a month's play on the home grounds should put a clinch upon the pennant.

SWIFT PINIONS.

Two Boston Homing Pigeons Beat the World's Record.

BOSTON, August 6.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—Thirteen hundred yards a minute through stormy skies for twelve hours, is the wonderful record of five of Henry Wagener's homing pigeons. It is now the world's record, the best previous having been 502 miles at an average speed of 1,120 yards per minute, from Springfield, O., to Keyport, N. J.

The Boston birds were entered in competition for the George W. Childs' cup. The contest for this trophy for years has been a lively one, and the honor of winning it is among fanciers considered great. The birds were shipped to King's Mill, Ont., on Tuesday of last week, and it was arranged that they should be liberated yesterday morning at 5 o'clock. The distance from King's Mill to the dove cote of Mr. Wagner is 508 miles. The liberator, however, chose to release them from St. Thomas, which is seven miles further from Boston, and started them at 5:45 a. m. Wagener's birds were found in their cote about 5 o'clock last evening. Word was instantly telegraphed to Philadelphia of their arrival. The birds were in remarkably fine condition.

Sullivan Waives Examination.

PURVIS, Miss., August 6.—Sullivan was arraigned before Justice of the Peace Carter to-day, and waiving examination was placed under $2,000 bonds to appear before the circuit court of the special term to be held here commencing August 12. Sullivan leaves for Port Christian to-morrow morning.

THE SPEED RING.

Grand Circuit Races.

BUFFALO, N. Y., August 6.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—Two races were finished at the opening of the grand circuit trotting here this afternoon. There were three on the programme, but the heats were so divided that it took all the afternoon to get the first two classes entered. In these there were exciting finishes, and several records were lowered by the heats. There was a fairly good attendance. The track was smooth, but rather hard, and the judges were rather slow in getting the horses away.

The 2:30 trot had only four starters, but required six heats to settle. Reference was the favorite before the start and up to the fourth heat, when he quit on the lower stretch and Star Lilly nosed him out and the latter became the choice. Reference was lame and the hard footing made him grow worse. A lot of money was lost by his defeat. Marksman Maid, after getting a heat, took sick and in the last heat was not fit to start. Wayne Wilson, a fast stallion from the west, was unsteady, although he showed a lot of speed at times. Star Lilly made a new record of 2:20¾.

In the 2:27 pace Hal Pointer finally won after keeping in the rear for two heats. Red Belle caught a mark of 2:17, and Minnie P. also won a heat in 2:19. Hal Pointer made a slip in the fifth heat and was set back, but but in the next he behaved well and was too fast for his opponents.

The 2:20 class for a stake of $5,000 will come first to-morrow and three other classes are on the programme.

Monmouth Park Races.

MONMOUTH PARK, August 6.—"Champion day" at Monmouth Park was a most interesting one. There were 19,500 persons in attendance, and they had perfect weather for the enjoyment of their sport. The track was in fair condition. Interest was generally centered in the rich junior champion stakes, the value of which is more than $30,000. Twelve starters came to the post. Cayuga was the favorite at 2 to 1. The start was an excellent one. Going up the back stretch Ballarat made the pace. Chesapeake was at his saddle dress, and Devotee and Protection close up. Chesapeake led into the home stretch, with Protection pushing him and going steady as a clock. At the last furlong post Protection was led out and he immediately jumped into the lead and won with apparent ease. Barnes, his jockey, won the race last year with Proctor Knott. He also won the champion stake to-day with Los Angeles, making his winning for the day $40,000. Summary:

Seven-eighths of a mile—Bess won in 1:34¼, Fitz Roy second, Endurer third.

Junior champion stakes, two-year-olds, three-fourths of a mile—Protection won in 1:20¾, Chesapeake second, Banquet third.

The third race did not fill.

Champion stakes, mile and a half—Los Angelos won in 2:54, Eurus second, Firenzi third.

One mile—Theosodius won in 1:52½, May O. second, Daisy Woodruff third.

Three-fourths of a mile—Little Ella won in 1:21½, insight second, J. O. C. third.

Five-eighths of a mile—Vendette won in 1:06½, Glockner second, Souriere third.

Chicago Races.

CHICAGO, August 6.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—There was fine weather, a large crowd and a fast track at the West Side today. Summary:

Selling, five-eighths of a mile—Harry Kuhl won, Mamie C second, Pullman third. Time—1:02¾.

One mile—Bankrupt won, Hopedale second, Fanchette third. Time—1:43¾.

Handicap, mile and a quarter—Fayette won, Insolence second, Beaconsfield third. Time—2:09¾.

Seven-eighths of a mile—Paco won, The Deacon second, Combination third. Time—1:32¼.

Three-quarters of a mile—Laura Stone won, Sunday second, Crispmer third. Time—1:16¼.

Three-quarters of a mile—Moonstone won, T. J. Rush second, Fred Wooley third. Time—1:15¾.

Three-quarters of a mile—Hatto won, Pantome second, Black Diamond third. Time—1:16¾.

Thinks He is a Good 'Un.

J. J. Burns, of South Omaha, wants to match himself for a game of hand ball against any man in the world for $500 a side, best two games out of three.

Lewis and McMillen To-night.

The wrestling match between Evan Lewis, the strangler, and McMillen, the strong man, comes off at the Coliseum this evening. The match will be catch-as catch-can, three best in five, for a purse of $350. There is much interest being taken in the affair, and the prospects are for a large turnout. Lewis is one of the most formidable catch-as-catch-can wrestlers in the world, having thrown all the celebrities, from Joe Acton, Cannon and the Jap down to the smaller fry. McMillen is also a good man, being an antagonist for any man at mixed styles, and no slouch at catch-as-catch-can. He is confident of beating the Strangler, but if he does he will realize when he gets through that he has accomplished the biggest task of his career. In addition to the main event C. M. Jackson and Signor Mardis will have a go catch-as-catch-can, best two out of three, for a purse of $25. There will also be an amateur three-mile bicycle race between young Taggart and Fluscher, and a one-mile handicap between Fluscner and Ganger.

Dunmire's Victory.

Rollo O. Heikes, of Dayton, O., and one of the crack shots of the country, shot a 100 blue rock match with John Dunmire, on Dunmire & Gwin's grounds across the river, yesterday for the price of birds and shells. The conditions were three traps, 18 yards rise, and the following are the scores:

Dunmire	11111	11111	11111	11111	00111	11111	11111
	11111	11111	11110	11110	11111	11110	01111
	11111	11110	11111	11111	11001	10011	00
Heikes	11111	11111	11111	00111	11111	11111	11111
	11101	01110	11101	11111	11111	11101	11101
	00111	10110	11111	11111	11111	11111	00

It is due to Mr. Heikes to state that he used wood powder for the first time, simply as an experient, and that his ordinary work is accounted for by the fact that he was unaccustomed to it. A stiff breeze was blowing, and altogether the day was highly unfavorable for trap shooting.

That hacking cough can be so quickly cured by Shiloh's Cure. We guarantee it. For sale by Goodman Drug Co.

LARRABEE AND THE ROADS.

Iowa's Governor Wants More Light on Certain Points.

THE NATIONAL GUARDS IN CAMP.

Wheeler Secures the Marion County Delegation—A Boy's Miraculous Escape from Death—Harlan's Complaint.

Punching Them Up.

DES MOINES, Ia., August 6.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—Governor Larrabee is going to punch up the railroads on a new line and has addressed a letter to the railroad commissioners asking them to obtain and incorporate in their report information from every railroad doing business in the state as to the following:

1. The names of all persons who were stockholders on the 30th day of June, 1889; their place of residence and the amount of stock owned by each.

2. The salary paid to its general officers, as president, vice president, secretary, treasurer, auditor, general managers and assistant traffic managers, general freight agent, general solicitor and division superintendents.

3. The average daily wages paid its employes, as station agents, conductors, brakemen, engineers, etc.

4. The names of its regular attorneys in this state; the salary and other compensation of each, also the names of all other attorneys in the state retained by the road during the past year and the retaining fee, per diem, or other compensation or emolument whatsoever received by each.

The number and total mileage of so-called one and two thousand mile tickets issued to persons in this state for other than cash compensation, and whether cash value of all mileage tickets is included in its report of gross receipts.

The governor says: "There is reason to believe that it is the practice of some companies not to include the value of such mileage in their reports of total earnings, upon which the classification of railroads for the purpose of regulating their tariff is based."

In concluding, the governor says that if any roads refuse to give the desired information they are to be reported to him.

Regimental Encampment.

DES MOINES, Ia., August 6.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—Regimental encampments of the Iowa National Guards are in progress this week at West Union and Fort Madison. Two companies of regulars from Omaha are encamped with the state troops at each place, and when these camps end the regulars go into the next, and so on till they have camped with all the regiments. Governor Larrabee left for Fort Madison this afternoon. He will review the troops there to-morrow and at West Union on Friday.

Controlled by Wheeler.

KNOXVILLE, Ia., August 6.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—The Marian county convention, held here to-day, was controlled by the Wheeler men. They instructed for him for governor by a vote of 44 to 20.

Caught in a Shaft.

DES MOINES, Ia., August 6.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—One of the narrowest escapes from instant death that has been reported for many days occured yesterday at Muscatine, the victim being Willie Richie, the youngest son of W. S. Richie. He was at work at Hershey's mill, when his coat caught in a tumbling shaft, and the little fellow was whirled around two or three times by the wheel before the machinery could be stopped. His clothing was all torn from his back, and it is the greatest wonder in the world that he was not drawn in and crushed to death.

Considering Harlan's Complaint.

DES MOINES, Ia., August 6.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—The railroad commissioners were at Harlan, Shelby county, today to give a hearing to complaints of citizens that the Rock Island is giving inadequate train service. Harlan is the terminus of a branch from the main line at Avoca, and has now but one train a day each way. The railroad company had reduced the service to cut down expenses, and the people complained. In beginning the hearing some time was consumed in going over the history of the branch line, showing the amount subscribed by citizens and the amount paid in taxes by townships for the building of the line. Then, reaching the immediate complaint, the attorney for the railroad stated that the decrease in earnings compelled the company to decrease the service. In reply the attorneys for the complainants asked that the company make a report of the volume of business on this branch line during the last five years. In order to allow time for this purpose the hearing was adjourned for three weeks, and will be resumed August 27 at Harlan.

It Goes Uninstructed.

GLENWOOD, Ia., August 6.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—The republicans of Mills county held an enthusiastic convention here to-day and selected a strong delegation, headed by Attorney General Stone, to the state convention. Resolutions complimentary to Governor Larrabee and the railroad commission were adopted, but the delegation goes to Des Moines uninstructed.

Crushed By a Thresher.

DES MOINES, Ia., August 6.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—Henry McCormack, of Fairfield, was killed by a threshing machine three miles east of that place last night. He was riding on the machine crossing a bridge over a deep ditch, when the engine suddenly ran off one side, turning completely over and crush McCormack beneath the wreck.

Gone With the Tramps.

MASON CITY, Ia., August 6.—[Special to THE BEE.]—George Cary, aged thirteen, disappeared from his home in St. Paul last week. His father, William Cary, was in the city yesterday in search of him and found that he had left here Saturday with three tramps. A big reward is offered for his recovery and return to his parents.

The Cake Was Poisoned.

DES MOINES, Ia., August 6.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—The three-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. McCarthy, of Sac City, was poisoned yesterday while at a neighbor's by eating a cake filled with strychnine set for rats. The child died in a short time.

The New Era Delegate.

DES MOINES, Ia., August 6.—Governor Larrabee has appointed John Hayes, of Red Oak, to be commissioner to the New Era exposition at St. Joseph, Mo. Mr. Hayes is president of the state agricultural society.

A BRUTAL FATHER.

He Locks a Chain Around His Boy's Neck and Leaves Him Choking.

WINONA, Minn., August 6.—Ernest Hoppe, a railroad laborer, living at Minnesota city, put a heavy log chain about the neck of his twelve-year-old boy yesterday morning and and locked it so tight that the boy was nearly choked. Hoppe then calmly placed the key in his pocket and went away about his work. Two or three hours after this the suffering boy's little brother called the neighbors, and they carried the boy to a blacksmith shop, where the chain was removed. When Hoppe came home the neighbors came out in force, and after a struggle put the chain about his neck and tied him to a post near the residence. He swore a blue streak at first, but at last quieted down. The only offense of the boy was losing the sheep out of the pen where they had been confined without water. The brutal father said if the boy had died he would have rejoiced over the affair with a keg of beer. The boy has gone away.

Privy Councilor Kruger Arrested.

BERLIN, August 6.—Privy Councilor Kruger has been arrested on suspicion of being concerned in the naval frauds.

SPARKS FROM THE WIRES.

The cruiser Atlanta sailed to New York last night for repairs.

John Higinbotham, an aged Topeka capitalist, died yesterday.

The noted African missionary, Cardinal Massaiave, died yesterday in Naples.

The Topeka sugar works were almost totally destroyed by fire yesterday morning.

Another attempt to secure a reduced rate for the Milwaukee encampment has failed.

The New York Sun gave Mayor Grant $10,000 yesterday for the world's fair fund.

Large numbers of counterfeit silver dollars have made their appearance in Kansas City.

The National Editorial association will meet in Detroit August 27 and continue in session four days.

A warrant was issued yesterday for C. M. Whitney, who was at one time surveyor of the port of St. Louis.

The department commander at Los Angeles urges all California comrades to attend the Milwaukee encampment.

In a quarrel about the ownership of a town lot at Guthrie, Oklahoma, a man named Stevens was shot dead yesterday.

Colorado miners held a meeting in Denver last night to protest against the free importation of lead ores from Mexico.

The Black Prince and the Invincible, of the British navy, collided off Spithead Monday. Both vessels were much damaged.

A dispatch from St. Louis says Sheriff Pohlman has declined to appoint a jury to pass upon the sanity of Wife Murderer Anderson.

No well regulated household should be without Angostura Bitters, the celebrated appetizer. Manufactured by Dr. J. G. B. Siegert & Sons. Ask your druggist.

Business Troubles.

SALEM, Mass., August 6.—At a meeting of the creditors of McKean & Appleton, boots and shoes, to-day, a statement was submitted to show the direct liabilities to be $59,00; contingent liabilities $11,000, with assets $32,000. The firm made an offer of 40 cents on the dollar, and a committee of investigation was appointed.

OSWEGO, N. Y., August 6.—The property of the Riverside and Oswego Mills company, owning extentensive worsted mills in Oswego Falls, Oswego county, was to-day closed by the sheriff on an attachment for $412,000, in action brought by Juliard McKenzie & Quinby, dry goods and commission merchants of New York City. The defendant is a foreign corporation located in Providence, R. I., with a capital stock of about $1,000,000, and the action is commenced to secure the payment of money loaned the defendant. The action will probably cause a temporary suspension, but an early adjustment of the trouble is looked for.

Nebraska and Iowa Pensions.

WASHINGTON, August 6.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—Pensions issued to Nebraskans: Original invalid—William H. Sage, James W. Pace, John Stewart, Alonzo McMichael, Sidney A. Howe, David A. Anderson.

Iowa: Original invalid—Nathaniel Plum, Charles Bowman, George Boyd, Addison L. McIntosh, George Tunnicliffe, William Dugan, Frederick Potman, Isaac E. Robinson, George C. Alden. Increase—John M. Gudgel, Osborn B. Lincoln, Joseph Babb, Albert Green, Martin Nelson, Porter Bradley.

Tracy Leaves for Brooklyn.

WASHINGTON, August 6.—Secretary Tracy left here for Brooklyn this afternoon, accompanied by his naval secretary, Lieutenant T. B. Mason, and Mrs. Mason. At Brooklyn the secretary will be joined by his family and the party will take the Dispatch and sail to Bar Harbor, where they will spend several weeks.

Cregier Talks With Burke.

CHICAGO, August 6.—Mayor Cregier had a talk of three-quarters of an hour's duration with Burke to-day. Absolutely nothing of the tenor of the conversation has thus far been learned.

The Judge Favors Mrs. Maybrick.

LIVERPOOL, August 6.—When the trial of Mrs. Maybrick for the murder of her husband was resumed this morning the judge delivered his charge to the jury. His remarks were strongly in favor of Mrs. Maybrick.

A White Star Knight.

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LONDON, August 6.—[New York Herald Cable-Special to THE BEE.]—It is reported that Managing Director May, of the White Star line, will be recommended to knighthood.

Abstracts of title to Wyoming oil lands furnished. Assessment work done and verified to by affidavit and certificate of recorder. Claims located. J. J. Corbett, Casper, Wyoming.

Expelled From the Exchange.

BUFFALO, N. Y., August 6.—E. B. Wilber was to-day expelled from the merchants exchange on charges of appropriating grain after it had been sold.

Why Kummerow Was Relieved.

On recommendation of the committee on special teachers, the board of education at its last meeting decided to dispense with the services of Mr. Henry Kummerow, the teacher in calisthenics.

Mr. Kummerow was asked yesterday if there was any reason he knew of which had led to this action on the part of the board. Said he: "I know nothing about it. The first intimation I had of it was what I saw in the papers. I can think of no reason why such action was taken. I have given the matter considerable attention and have been careful to do my duty fully. No member of the board has spoken to me about the matter, and I have received no notice from the board that my services had been dispensed with."

One of the members of the committee on special teachers was asked why the committee had made the recommendation referred to.

"Well," said he, "there are reasons. The first is that Mr. Kummerow has not attended to his duties in the way he should have done. The other is that the committee thought the instruction could be just as well given by the various teachers. The exercises are very simple and the teachers know as much about it as Mr. Kummerow. It was also thought that it would be better to cut off this expense of a special teacher."

The Tennis Tournament.

Owing to the rains of yesterday morning it was decided at first not to resume the tennis tournament at the Y. M. C. A. athletic grounds yesterday, but as the mud in the tennis courts dried up by evening and some of the contestants appeared on the scene ready to play it was decided to continue the contest. The spectators, of which a large per cent were ladies, were not as numerous as on the preceding evening, but they were none the less enthusiastic when a clever hit was made.

Mr. Strang, of the Leavenworth street club, again entered the court to continue the contest with Mr. Dickey, of the Dodge street club, their scores being a tie the previous evening. Mr. Strang won the contest easily this time with a score of 6—1. This being the two best out of three for Strang, he was declared the winner.

The second court was also occupied by singles, Bert Coombs, of the St. Mary's avenue club, and Will Doane, of the Chicago street club, facing each other. Coombs is quite young, but is a promising player, and made it pretty interesting for his opponent, who is a player of long practice. Coombs won the first game with a score of 8 to 6, and Doane the second with a score of 6 to 3.

Mr. Purdan, of the Y. M. C. A. club, tossed racquets with Mr. Jordan, of the Dodge street club, and the two played a close and exciting game, which was interrupted by the approach of night. The games continue this evening.

The second-class rate to Puget Sound points via the Northwestern line at St. Paul is now $35. Tickets on sale at city ticket office, No. 1401 Farnam st. and Webster st. Union station. Free colonists sleeping cars provided from St. Paul.

IT WAS ALMOST A MURDER.

Jack Haley Shoots Reddy O'Neill During a Drunken Row.

HE REFUSED TO "SET 'EM UP"

And Emphasized His Refusal by Putting a Bullet Into His Tormentor's Head—Two Versions of the Affair.

Reddy O'Neill Shot.

Cries of "Don't shoot! For God's sake don't shoot!" followed by a pistol shot, attracted a large crowd to Ed. Rothery's saloon, at the corner of Eleventh and Harney streets, last night about 10 o'clock.

"Reddy" O'Neill, a man well-known to the sporting fraternity and the police, fell headlong to the floor, bleeding profusely from a wound in the head. A large crowd quickly surrounded the place, and in the confusion the man who had done the shooting made his escape. It was learned that he is a printer from Davenport, Ia., named Jack Haley, and he is described as being a short, very thick-set man, with dark complexion and very heavy black moustache. He is about twenty-eight years old.

The patrol wagon was at once called and conveyed O'Neill to St. Joseph's hospital.

Ed Rothery says the two men were in his place earlier in the evening, and O'Neill asked Haley to "set 'em up." Rothery told him not to ask that, as Haley was a stranger to him (O'Neill). They soon went out without having had any quarrel or dispute. Later, Rothery says, he was behind the bar, when he heard a pistol snapped twice and some one exclaim, "Don't shoot," followed by a shot, and O'Neill staggered in the door. All attention was directed to O'Neill, who was bleeding profusely.

Another version of the affair, and probably the correct one, as given by an eye witness, is as follows:

The two men, O'Neill and Haley, were in the saloon for some time during the evening. O'Neil had been trying to persuade Haley to "set 'em up," and spend his money. Haley refused, and a heated argument ensued. Considerable feeling was displayed by both sides and finally Haley started for the door. He stopped at the door with one foot on the step outside and the other inside the saloon. He then pulled his revolver and fired at O'Neill, afterwards making his escape out of the door.

At the hospital O'Neill was attended by a physician, who, after examination, announced that the ball had struck directly on top of the head and had passed around back under the scalp, coming out about three inches from where it entered. The skull was not fractured. The man was very weak from loss of blood, but the doctor was of the opinion that he would soon recover. At midnight he was resting easy, with good prospects of recovery.

At last accounts Haley had not been apprehended.

Republican Central Committee.

The republican state central committee will meet at the Millard hotel this evening to fix upon a time and select a place for holding the convention next fall. Following is the membership of the committee as selected at Lincoln one year ago.

Thomas Carlin, O'Neill; G. W. Bowman, Columbus; D. C. Wartham, Pawnee City; T. Darnell, St. Paul; J. Byron Jennings, McCook; J. T. Spencer, ——; L. W. Hayne, Minden; A. J. Wright, Tecumseh; L. B. Cary, Sidney; C. O. Bates, Beatrice; Lorin Clark, Albion; T. C. Bruner, W. F. Bechel, and Cadet Taylor, Omaha; John Eberly, Stanton; C. C. McNish, Miner; H. M. Wells, Crete; D. A. Campbell, Plattsmouth; J. C. Roberts, David City; Webster Eaton, Lincoln; A. W. Pierce, Waverly; M. L. Freese, Arcadia; F. M. Wetherell, Hebron; D. A. Scoville, Aurora; W. G. Butterfield, Nelson; J. F. Hilton, Blair; H. T. Arnold, Osceola; J. C. Watson, Nebraska City; W. A. Dillworth, Hastings.

L. D. Richards, of Fremont, is chairman, and Walt M. Seeley secretary. None of these gentlemen have arrived yet, but those who come will come will get in on to-day's trains. It is not expected that there will be a full attendance of the committee. Too little attention attaches to the matter. As the convention only nominates candidates for one or two positions, it lacks in political excitement and will probably not be held until late. The only contest is between the cities wanting the attraction. Lincoln, Hastings and Fremont seem to be the principal rival points, with Lincoln first, Hastings second and Fremont third in the race. The names of Beatrice, Nebraska City, Grand Island and Kearney may be presented.

MARKSMEN MOUNTED.

The Cavalry Competition Now Opened at Bellevue.

The first day's preliminary practice in the cavalry competition of the departments of the Platte, the Columbia and Dakota, commences to-morrow. The shooting will take place at the rifle range at Bellevue, which has just been vacated by the infantry rifle competitors of the department of the Platte.

This is the first cavalry competition of this kind which has been held and its working will be watched with interest by soldiers throughout the country.

So great has been the improvement in rifle practice in the infantry that it has been thought advisable to endeavor to introduce the same efficiency with small arms in the mounted service of the army. In the latter, rifle practice has thus far received but little stimulus. As a consequence there is some uncertainty as to the standard of excellence which this contest will develop. There is little doubt, however, that with successive competitions and studious practice on the post ranges that the cavalry will produce as fine mounted marksmen, every thing considered, as have been discovered among the foot soldiery. The weapons to be used are a modified carbine and revolver. The former is somewhat shorter than the Springfield rifle and with it the cavalry has become more or less familiar. With the revolver, however, but comparatively little shooting has been done. Yet, it is admitted that accuracy in using this weapon is as great a desideratim in the cavalryman as is almost the knowledge of the use of his sabre.

In this competition there will be representatives of the First, Second, Eighth and Ninth regiments of cavalry. From each of these there will be two officers and forty-eight men, one of the latter coming from each troop.

The shooting will be done with the men dismounted, while the horses are standing and also galloping. With the revolver five shots will be fired in quick succession to the right, left and front. When the horses are moving, they are expected to cover a space of 100 yards in twenty seconds. These are the main features of the contest, though there are others which will be afterwards referred to.

The prizes are the same as those used in the infantry competition, the first being a gold medal, the second, third and fourth being silver, and the remaining six being of bronze.

The preliminary practice will continue until Saturday next. The competition proper will commence on Monday next and continue until Saturday the 17th.

The competition will be in charge of Colonel Guy V. Henry, Ninth cavalry, inspector of small arms practice of this department. It was originally to have taken place at Fort Robinson, but through the influence and efforts of Colonel Henry it has been transferred to this city, where it will be convenient to all concerned. Colonel Henry will be assisted by the following officers:

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