CURRENCY IN GREAT DEMAND

New York Banks Paying Big Premiums to Secure It.

SCHEMES THAT ARE BEING RESORTED TO

Silver Freely Used in Paying Checks—The Banks Have Ceased to Ship Greenbacks to the Country—Notes from the Financial World.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—The overshadowing question this morning in financial circles was the scarcity of currency. At many banks it was admitted that cash payments for large checks over the counters had been suspended for some days, except in cases where it was known that the actual cash was necessary. In other words, the banks used discrimination, and where it was thought the demand for actual cash (currency) was for the purpose of hoarding, the bank insisted on a certified check being taken.

Domestic Exchange.

In the very general collapse of the machinery of domestic exchange the collection of drafts on banks in other towns and cities has been managed on an unusual scheme. Usually when a New York bank depositor turns in a check drawn to his order on an out of town bank the New York bank remits to its own correspondent in the same place for collection, or else sends direct to the bank drawn upon. In both cases out of town banks have either delayed remitting or have neglected exchange, and thus charging up to the New York bank the cost of exchange. The city banks have, therefore, resorted in an unusually large measure of late to direct collection through the express companies, which make a specialty of presenting drafts direct at distant points, drawing out the money and shipping it to New York. The cost of this transaction has for a long time been materially below the rate charged for interior exchange.

Many curious incidents are related by the bankers as to the working of such collection. Some outside banks have taken pains to pay such drafts in inconvenient currency, notably standard silver dollars. One case is mentioned of a country bank on which a draft for several thousand dollars was collected returning the money in gold, $400 in standard silver dollars and $600 in subsidiary coin, almost entirely dimes, with a liberal sprinkling of Canadian pieces. It is quite probable, unless the draft actually exhausted the little bank's resources, that the country banker got the better of its city creditors, for the loss on exchange could hardly have exceeded the virtual loss on non-legal tender.

Must Part with Their Bonds.

While the majority of savings banks officials persisted today in saying that they will not be tempted to part with their government bonds, yet a well informed minority of them declare that it is unavoidable. A former savings bank president, and now the head of a trust company which has extensive dealings with savings banks, said that the sale of bonds would not be necessary. He explained as follows: "The savings banks are well prepared for the scarcity, and it is not entirely unexpected. They have guarded their reserves fully by the application of the notice rule, and previous similar experiences go to show that the notices given will not be availed of."

He explained by relating that when he was president of a savings bank in 1873 the notices given him in that time called for $900,000. The notices were for sixty days. At the end of that time only $300,000 were taken, and adding: "I cannot now remember the proportion, but I do recollect distinctly that returns were made daily. This shows, of course, that hoarding is going on to enormous amounts; and as evidence of this, I may repeat what a Louisville banker told me yesterday. He said that the Louisville safe deposit had never done a good business and was constantly advertising space. But since this period of currency famine the institutions have not a box to spare. Another amusing incident is that which took place at a local safe deposit. A man who had closed his account, $12.50, at a savings bank, put it in a safe deposit, paying for his little hole, $5.

Stopped Shipping Currency.

The banks here have shut down on the shipment of currency to the interior. The scarcity is so pronounced that agents are bidding a premium of $10 per $1,000 today. Institutions with large pay rolls have been compelled to resort largely to the use of silver. One bank is reported to have paid 1 per cent for all the currency received at a big retail establishment. The banks request depositors to use checks as much as possible, and where cash is required are paying a large portion in silver dollars. The supply of bills at the subtreasury is growing limited and has caused a refusal on the part of the subtreasurer to receive checks from the banks in payment for silver dollars and currency for shipment and pay roll use. The subtreasury has collected its checks through the clearing house. An order of the subtreasurer today that the banks must deposit cash against the withdrawal of currency and silver is one of the results of the conference yesterday between Carlisle and Assistant Subtreasurer Jordan.

MORE CERTIFICATES ISSUED.

Further Action by the New York Clearing House—Features of the Stock Market.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—At the Stock exchange money on call was 3½@5. Time money and mercantile paper was neglected. The subtreasury was $273,000 debtor at the clearing house today and paid the difference in gold.

The usual ten-day statement of the kinds of money in which customs at this port are made shows large increases in gold coin. Payments for the past ten days show that 12¼ per cent of the total was gold coin; 4.6 gold certificates, or over 17 per cent, which is the largest proportion of gold coin in years.

The loan committee of the clearing house today issued $1,300,000 in certificates, making the total outstanding $31,550,000.

Inquiry for stocks in the loan crowd, while not as brisk as on previous days of the week, is still large. Leading issues command a premium. New York Central, lent at ⅛@1-16 per diem; Lackawanna at ⅛; Burlington & Quincy at 1-32@1-16. General Electric, Western Union, Lake Shore and Rock Island at 1-32; Northwest at 1-64. Good judges of the market say there are still very heavy short interests outstanding. They say there has been a perfect craze to go short on stocks for the past month and the bulk of this remains to be covered.

Sterling exchange is decidedly stronger, with posted rates up to $4.81½ and $4.85. Demand for bills to cover gold importations were again heavy this morning and accounts in a great measure for the strength of the market. Advance in the bank of England discount rate also affected the market and has a tendency to check the outflow of gold from London. Foreign bankers here thought the movement would let up for a time, as a rise in actual selling rates reduces the profit materially.

Balfour on Money.

LONDON, Aug. 3.—A meeting was held at the lord mayor's residence today to consider the financial situation. There was a large attendance of legislators and financiers. Ambassador Bayard of the United States being among the number.

Hon. A. J. Balfour made an address, in which he said that a gold standard could never satisfy the commercial wants, the double standard alone would prevent dangerous oscillations in trade. He deprecated isolated action by single governments, and recommended an international agreement fixing a ratio between gold and silver.

The meeting adopted a vote of thanks to Balfour for his address.

Charles Foster's Overdraft.

FOSTORIA, O., Aug. 3.—The statement of Assignee Gormley, for Charles Foster and Foster & Co., shows that Foster had overdrawn his personal account to the amount of $136,000. Foster admits the overdraft, but says he has now more than $100,000 of his own securities pledged for the endorsements of the bank. He courts investigation.

PATTERSON ON SILVER.

What the Colorado Editor Has to Say Upon the Subject.

CHICAGO, Aug. 3.—In an interview this evening Hon. Thomas M. Patterson, son of Colorado, said: "Tonight's dispatches give the denial to all charges made by the single gold standard press to the effect that silver is an unpopular money and that it lies hid in the treasury at Washington without any demand. United States Treasurer Morgan has given out that no more silver certificates will be issued by the Treasury department at present, as the limit prescribed by law has been reached. What he means is that there are 39,000,000 standard silver dollars, and certificates representing them, in active circulation doing the business of every section of the country. There is not a silver dollar left in the treasury that can be issued, because there are silver certificates already issued and outstanding representing every one of them. The Treasury department also says the reduction in the number of silver dollars in the treasury has been brought about by recent large demands for these dollars from the south to move its crops and pay off its farm hands.

Demand for Silver Certificates.

"There is also, according to the same dispatches, an immense demand in New York for silver certificates of small denominations, which the Treasury department is unable to supply for the same reason that prevents it sending the silver dollars to the south. These statements carry with them two lessons, one showing that people are in nowise averse to silver money or its representative, the silver certificate, and that owing to the process of withdrawal by timid money owners there is a dearth of currency of small denominations, which might be readily removed if the Treasury department would but coin into silver dollars some part of the large amount of silver bullion now in the treasury.

"Is it not a glaring shame that the south should be seeking in vain for silver dollars to move its crops, and the eastern cities should be suffering for small denominations of silver certificates for their needed commerce, which is denied them, while there are 180,000,000 of ounces of silver bullion in the treasury which the department has a perfect right to coin into silver dollars and put in circulation either in the form of certificates or coin? This extraordinary fact should be well considered by southern members of congress before they succumb to the demands of President Cleveland's reference to anti-silver legislation.

"The same dispatches tell us that the $100,000,000 of the gold reserve has been fully restored, with but little danger of its being reduced below that amount in the future; also that $6,000,000 or $8,000,000 of gold lately arrived here or is on its way from Europe. If it was the silver purchasing clause of the Sherman act that drove gold from the south a month ago, it must be the operation of the same law that brings it back. There is no ground for either claim. The gold goes and comes under laws and through transactions in which the Sherman law plays no appreciable part.

If Carlisle Would Only Listen.

"If the Treasury department was not so hostile to silver and determined that it should be given no chance until after congress has acted upon the Sherman law, Secretary Carlisle would listen to the cry that is coming up from the south for more silver dollars and supply its wants by coining the treasury bullion, which he has a perfect right to do. If he would do this it is confessed by the Treasury department it would relieve the present demand for money in the south, and which it is anxious to obtain."

Will Sue the Cordage Trust.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—Henry Allen & Co., brokers, have announced that they intend to bring suit against the officials of the National Cordage and the other members of Cordage pool for whom they operated previous to the collapse of the Cordage company. Mr. Allen tonight said the Cordage pool for whom he operated still owed the firm some $300,000. He said the suit would speak for itself when it was filed. He would not say whether it would be of a civil or criminal character.

Several members of cordage people seen tonight say that they owe nothing to Allen & Co.

It was a failure on the part of members of the Cordage pool to come up with margins that caused Allen & Co. to suspend when Cordage dropped sixty points on the Stock exchange.

Lazarus Silverman Fails.

CHICAGO, Aug. 3.—Lazarus Silverman, the well known private banker, has suspended. Liabilities, $500,000. Assets said to be greater. Cash on hand $6,000.

Silverman was one of the largest operators in northwestern iron properties, and interested to a considerable extent with the Schlessinger syndicate. In the absence of Silverman, a representative of the house claimed that the embarassment is only temporary. Deposits are estimated at $600,000, mostly by Hebrews engaged in small business. Other liabilities are estimated at from $100,000 to $200,000. The assets have a nominal value of $2,000,000, of which $700,000 is real estate.

New York's Idle Thousands.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—The World tomorrow will have a long article indicating that the metropolis will soon be overrun by an army of idle men. Statistics from fifty-seven trades in New York City go to show that in these trades alone over 36,000 men are out of work. This represents only a portion of the city's unemployed. It is stated that thousands are coming here from the west and that immigrants are tarrying in New York because of the stagnation in western states. It is also pointed out that the host of idlers is being daily increased by the shutting down of factories.

Will Apply to the Courts for Relief.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—J. Edward Simmons, chairman of the Reading general mortgage bondholders' committee, and William Mertens, chairman of the income bondholders' committee, have issued a circular calling on bondholders of securities to join in protecting their interests and will apply to the courts for immediate relief.

England's Gold Stock Decreasing.

LONDON, Aug. 3.—Stocks quiet, market steady. Americans were in better demand. The Bank of England advanced its rate of discount from 2½ to 2¾. The proportion of the banks reserved liability has been reduced since last week from 48.33 per cent to 46.11. During the week its stock of gold decreased $10,272,000. Stocks closed dull and firm.

Frightened for Her Gold.

LONDON, Aug. 3.—At the regular weekly meeting today of the directors of the Bank of England it was decided to advance the rate of discount to 3 per cent. The advance, which was unexpected, is attributed to the further large withdrawals of gold today, and the probability of fresh shipments on Friday or Saturday.

Reducing the Hours of Labor.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 3.—President Roberts of the Pennsylvania Railroad company has issued an order for the reduction of hours of labor in the mechanical department from six days a week of ten hours a day to five days of nine hours each. This action is taken with a view to reducing the expenses.

Affected by Hard Times.

STAMFORD, Conn., Aug. 3.—The Yale & Towne Manufacturing company, manufacturers of Yale locks, hardware and hoisting machinery, gave notice tonight of a reduction in wages and salaries of 10 per cent during the continuance of disturbance in business.

Stock Yards Close.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 3.—The Union Stock Yards company at Rodeo has suspended operations on account of the depressed financial condition. The plant is now and valuable. W. H. Silberhorn of Chicago is largely interested in it, also F. A. Hams of Omaha.

Nebraskans Against the Sherman Law.

LINCOLN, Aug. 3.—A petition signed by Governor Crounse, every banker in the city and a majority of business men, asking for the repeal of the Sherman law, was forwarded today to congress.

WILL PAY ALL DEPOSITORS.

Closing of the American National Bank of St. Paul—A Good Showing.

ST. PAUL, Aug. 3.—The American National bank of this city will not open its doors for business tomorrow. This step was rendered necessary by the steady drain upon its resources for several months, depositors having withdrawn $1,562,000 since January. The present financial stringency has made it impossible to realize ready money on assets in sufficient amounts to meet all withdrawals, and the directors today decided to close temporarily in order to get the affairs of the bank in better shape. The bank has a capital of $2,000,000, with a surplus of $200,000. The deposits amount to $2,400,000, and the bank holds bills aggregating 4,000,000. The assets are more than ample to meet all liabilities. The officers announce that they will pay all depositors with interest, so that no loss will be sustained.

California's Gold Supply.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 3.—During the past three months $3,800,000 worth of fine gold has been received at the Bank of California as a product of the California gold mines and smelters.

Notes of the Panic.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—Speyer & Co. have engaged $500,000 gold to arrive here next week from London.

STEVENS POINT, Wis., Aug. 3.—The Commercial bank has failed. Assets, $200,000; liabilities, $100,000.

HARTFORD, Conn., Aug. 3.—F. B. Walker & Son's paper mill at Burnside has ordered a reduction of 10 per cent in wages.

MACON, Ga., Aug. 3.—The mills of the Bibb Manufacturing company of this city closed down today and 600 people are thrown out of employment.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 3.—The project to secure the shipment of $1,000,000 in gold from London direct to Philadelphia has been practically abandoned.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., Aug. 3.—The leading bankers of this city have signed a petition to congress asking for the repeal of the silver purchasing clause of the Sherman bill.

BERLIN, Aug. 3.—In consequence of reports from New York showing an advance in the price of wheat, the prices of grains here have generally risen from ¾ to 1 mark.

MORRISTOWN, Pa., Aug. 3.—The Woodstock yarn mills of J. Morton Brown & Co., were taken possession of by creditors today. Liabilities, $151,000. Two hundred employes are thrown out of work.

JAMAICA, L. I., Aug. 3.—Fred W. Dunton, president of the Bank of Jamaica, president of the New York and Brooklyn Suburban Investment company and the Boynton Bicycle Railroad company, has assigned. The assets are more than enough to cover liabilities.

DETROIT, Mich., Aug. 3.—The Michigan-Peninsular Car company has cut down expenses by discharging 1,500 men and by reducing the wages of 1,600 men still at work. The Standard Pearl Button factory has decided to close down. This is the first pearl button factory established in the country after the passage of the McKinley bill.

BAGGED A PAIR.

William Elburn Neatly Captures Two Young Men Who May Be Burglars.

William Elburn, foreman of the Twenty-second street car barn who lives on Franklin street was awakened about 1 o'clock this morning by two men trying to get into the house in the next lot to his own. He fired a couple of shots at the fellows and went out in his night clothes, and making them hold up their hands, marched them to Twenty-fourth and Decatur streets and turned them over to an officer, who sent them to jail.

One of them gave the name of Lewis Murphy, and said he had been discharged from company G, First infantry, yesterday and had arranged to leave the city this morning. He said he wanted to see Clara Ruby and that she lived on Franklin street, but he did not know her number. He claims he was only trying to awaken the people at the house where he was found by Elburn.

The other man gave the name of S. C. Lumly. The young men do not look like burglars, and tell a pretty straight story.

The police think they were making pretty late social calls and Elburn will appear against them in the police court this morning.

IN THE COUNTY JAIL.

Sheriff Bennett Admits that McGinn and Dodrill Are Back in Their Cells.

Messrs. McGinn and Dodrill are again the guests of Douglas county, having returned Wednesday afternoon from their visit to Council Bluffs, whither Sheriff Bennett so neatly escorted them Monday night for the good of their necks, they having agreed in consideration of the sheriff's solicitude in their behalf to return when called for without legal quibbles or anything of that kind.

The sheriff was rather doubtful as to the advisability of bringing back the men on Wednesday, and therefore requested a BEE reporter whom he found waiting to meet him and his charges not to say anything about their return, but yesterday afternoon, having sized up the situation, he decided that the public might as well know of their presence as not, as he considers that the excitement is about over.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

H. C. Larsen of Tobias is in Omaha.

Frank Lovett of New York is in town.

Lynn Kemper has returned from Chicago.

M. W. Codman of Wilbur is at the Murray.

D. N. Wheeler of Pender is an Omaha visitor.

C. M. McKnight of Lincoln is a guest at the Paxton.

Miss Edna Brown has returned from her trip to Chicago.

B. F. Yoder of Cheyenne, Wyo., is in the city on business.

Miss Jennie Casey of Crete is visiting friends in Omaha.

O. P. Warman and wife of Fullerton are at the Merchants.

R. F. Brown and wife of Hastings are guests at the Dellone.

Frank L. Johnson and Will Clark of Grand Island are in the city.

J. C. Carson of Deadwood, S. D. is transacting business in Omaha.

A. K. Leonard and P. H. Salter of Norfolk are sojourners in Omaha.

Miss Myrtle Brancht of Fremont stopped over in Omaha yesterday.

F. C. Murphy of Kearney has his name inscribed on the Paxton register.

Clyde Opelt of the Windsor hotel at Lincoln is stopping at the Dellone.

H. T. Irvine and G. W. Irving are two Lincolnites booked at the Merchants.

Mrs. R. D. Jennings and Miss Jennings of Hot Springs, S. D., are at the Millard.

Among the Nebraskans booked at the Millard are W. T. Blackman of Hastings, B. H. Arnold of Columbus and F. G. Simmons of Seward.

Mrs. S. Wright Butler, wife of the popular pastor of St. Mary's Avenue Congregational church in this city, presented her husband with a son at Lagrangeville, N. Y., last Sunday.

A. G. Rintleman and family of Fort Worth, Tex., are visiting the family of Sheriff George A. Bennett. Mr. Rintleman is a prominent banker and capitalist of the Lone Star state.

At the Mercer: A. T. Rotter, Chicago; T. S. Cartwright, Fort Wayne, Ind.; R. E. Wotzke, city; T. E. Sedgwick, York; J. T. Clark, Lincoln; G. C. Dunbury, Witchita, Kan.; J. A. Morris, Portland; Thomas Moore, Cheyenne; J. M. Fleming, Fremont; S. J. Miller, Akron, O.; Ora Haley, Laramie; J. G. Eberle, Norfolk; A. J. Leach, Oakdale, Neb.; S. W. Eller and wife, Sioux City; Jacob Kolf, St. Louis; C. D. Clapp, Elmwood, Neb.; J. A. Gray, East Carandelet, Ia.; F. D. Haldeman, Ord; F. G. River, St. Paul.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—Omaha: H. C. Cotter, T. H. Cotter, J. H. Dwight, jr., Hoffman. Redland, Neb.: D. Daniels and wife, Broadway Central.

HULDA'S THREE FAST MILES

Sensational Performance of the Mare at the Buffalo Track Yesterday.

BROKE THREE RECORDS IN ONE RACE

Maud S and Martha Wilkes Both Laid in the Shade—Hal Pointer Outfoots Mascot in the Free-for-All Pace—Other Sports.

BUFFALO, Aug. 3.—Some sensationol racing marked the third day of the Grand Circuit meeting here, and several records went by the board. In the stake for 2:15 trotters Hulda trotted the fastest three-heat race on record, beating the best average of Martha Wilkes, and also twice lowered the Buffalo track record, 2:10¾, by Maud S. Hulda's third mile was also the fastest ever made by a 5-year-old, and the time, 2:08½, should be universally considered the race record, as the 2:08¼ made by Martha Wilkes at Evansvile, Ind., last year bore a taint of suspicion.

Hal Pointer won a great free-for-all pacing race after an interesting and hard fought battle. In the last heat two noted side wheelers fought it out down straight, and Pointer clearly and fairly outfooted Mascot.

Class 2:15, trotting, stake $5,000: Hulda won, Pixley second, Dandy third. Time: 2:12¾, 2:10½, 2:08½.

Free-for-all pace, purse $10,000: Hal Pointer won, Mascot second, Manager third, Blue Sign fourth, Guy fifth, Major Wonder sixth, Flying Jib distanced in second heat. Time: 2:07¾, 2:06½, 2:06, 2:08.

Class 2:20, trotting, stake $2,000: Prince Herschel won, Hildeburn second, Miss McGregory third. Best time: 2:15¼.

First Day at Friend.

FRIEND, Neb., Aug. 3.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—The races today were good ones and pretty well attended:

2:30 pacing: McGinty took first, Kearney Girl second and Dick third. Time: 2:28.

3:00 3-year-old pacing: St. Joe first, One-Eyed Riley second, Action third. Time: 2:40.

Running, five furlongs: Sleepy Jim first, Hebron second, Harry Edwards, jr. third, York fourth. Time: 1:06½.

In the ladies' bicycle race of one-half mile, Miss Alley of Milford took first, Miss St. John of Dorchester second. Time: 52. A fine program is to be carried out tomorrow.

Silver City's Results.

SILVER CITY, Ia., Aug. 3.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—The weather was fine, the crowd large and the racing good. Winners: Yearlings, Phœnom, best time, 1:32; 3:00 trot, Ben Harrison, best time, 2:32¼; 2:40 pace, Kid Davis, best time, 2:27¼.

Brighton Beach.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—Results at Brighton Beach:

First race, five-eighths mile: Hardy Fox (8 to 1) won, King Clere (2 to 1) second, Coal Mine (15 to 1) third. Time: 1:04¼.

Second race, three-fourths mile: Factotum (20 to 1) won, Florinda (40 to 1) second, Clarus (15 to 1) third. Time: 1:14¼.

Third race, six and a half furlongs: Darkness (8 to 1) won, Shelly Tuttle (9 to 5) second, Clement (20 to 1) third. Time: 1:23¼.

Fourth race, five-eighths mile: Carmine (7 to 1) won, Morrissey (2 to 1) second, Australitz (10 to 1) third. Time: 1:00¾.

Fifth race, seven furlongs: Lou Rhett (4 to 1) won, Bess McDuff (8 to 5) second, King Crab (4 to 1) third. Time: 1:29 1-3.

Sixth race, five furlongs: Eclipse (5 to 2) won, Merry Duke (40 to 1) second, Skedaddle (6 to 5) third. Time: 1:03¼.

Going at Gloucester.

GLOUCESTER, N. J., Aug. 3.—Results:

First race, mile and an eighth: Captain Hammer (even), Jamestown (10 to 1) dead heat, Renie (30 to 1) third. Time: 2:00. In the run off Captain Hammer won easily. Time: 2:03.

Second race, three-fourths mile: Robin Hood (4 to 5) won, Miss Nace (6 to 5) second, Some More (15 to 1) third. Time: 1:18.

Third race, four and a half furlongs: Fleurette (9 to 10) won, Jersey (8 to 5) second, Red Elm (10 to 1) third. Time: 58.

Fourth race, four and a half furlongs: Uncertainty (1 to 3) won, Sawdust (40 to 1) second, Alarm Bee (15 to 1) third. Time: 57½.

Fifth race, one-half mile: David L (15 to 1) won, Frank Rhart (6 to 5) second, Cona colt (4 to 1) third. Time: 51.

Sixth race, six and a half furlongs: Louis R (20 to 1) won, Successor (6 to 1) second, Garrison (3 to 1) third. Time: 1:26½.

Monmouth Park Program.

MONMOUTH PARK, Aug. 3.—Results:

First race, five furlongs: Bandit (16 to 5) won, Iola (4 to 1) second, Kazan (30 to 1) third. Time: 1:00¾.

Second race, six furlongs: Lustre (13 to 5) won, Steve Estes (7 to 1) second, Vestibule (3 to 1) third. Time: 1:13½.

Third race, the Passaic stakes, six furlongs: Arab (6 to 1) won, Chesapeake (10 to 1) second, Kinglet (5 to 1) third. Time: 1:13¼.

Fourth race, one mile: Aloha (16 to 5) won, Picknicker (7 to 2) second, Merry Monarch (6 to 5) third. Time: 1:39 3-5.

Fifth race, seven furlongs: Mackintosh (5 to 1) won, Chief Justice (6 to 1) second, Mayin (6 to 5) third. Time: 1:28¾.

Sixth race, seven furlongs: Little Charlie (6 to 1) won, Tiny Tim second, Bayard (4 to 1) third. Time: 1:29½.

On the Sturgis Kite.

STURGIS, Mich. Aug. 3.—Summary today's trotting races:

2:25 class, trotting: Blan Alco won, Herman H second, Strathallen third. Best time: 2:19¾.

2:10 class, trotting, mile dash: Belle Flower won, Lord Clinton second, Cora Alloid third. Best time: 2:12¾.

2:27 class, trotting: Silver Plate won, Ebony Wilkes second, Mabe third. Best time: 2:19½.

2:22 class, trotting, mile dash: Latitude won, Cartridge second, Racine third. Best time: 2:16½.

Results at Knoxville.

KNOXVILLE, Ia., Aug. 3.—Attendance fair; track slow:

2:35 pace: Ned B won, Noxall second. Atlanta third. Best time: 2:18¾.

2:24 trot: Conquerer won, Trombone Rex second, Grael third. Best time: 2:18½.

3:00 pace: Expertine won, May B second, Abner Taylor third. Best time: 2:21½.

WHEELS AGAINST WHEELS.

Directors of the Roadster Club Take Summary Action—Deplorable Differences.

The first fruits of the case of Two Wheels against Four Wheels, that has been agitating the members of the Gentlemen's Roadster club, were harvested at a meeting of the directors last evening when William Snyder was expelled from membership "for conduct liable to endanger the welfare of the club." A resolution preferring a number of charges had been presented at a previous meeting, but the sentiment of the directors, after hearing the evidence, was that they were not sustained, and that expulsion could only properly be effected under section 26 of the constitution, which provides for removal for the cause outlined above.

Each side in this unfortunate controversy, that promises speedily to undo all that the club has accomplished in the past two years, maintains that it has a majority of the members with it. While it is probable that each and every member has a more or less well defined preference in the matter of racing vehicles, it is apparent to any one who has canvassed the situation at all that there are but a few on each side who have taken the matter seriously to heart. These few, however, have become greatly wrought up, and some very bitter feeling has been engendered.

The wrangle is even more to be regretted in view of the fact that the June meeting given under the auspices of the club was such an unqualified success that the Commercial club is anxious to have another this year, and has already submitted a proposition to the Roadster club, guaranteeing $10,000 in purses for a race meeting to be held under the same auspices this fall. Those who have witnessed with pleasure the vast improvement in the past two years in the class of roadsters driven on the streets of Omaha can only deplore the unfortunate controversy, and hope that the wheels in the heads of a few individuals will not further imperil the success of the club by allowing the question of a few additional spokes to disrupt a prosperous organization, that has given its members much pleasure and accomplished such general good for the city at large.

NATIONAL LEAGUE GAMES.

Phillies Get Some Sweet Revenge Out of the Senators.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 3.—O'Connor, Philadelphia's new pitcher from Dartmouth, started in to pitch today, but after he had given the first three men bases on balls he was relieved by Taylor, who pitched a good game. Weather fine. Attendance, 5,098. Score:

Philadelphia	1	0	8	3	3	1	1	1	4—22
Washington	4	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0— 7

Hits: Philadelphia, 22; Washington, 11. Earned runs: Philadelphia, 11; Washington, 4. Batteries: O'Connor, Taylor and Clements; Meekin and Farrell.

Red Ehret Almost Won.

PITTSBURG, Aug. 3.—It took twelve innings to settle the game, which was exciting throughout. Cincinnati finally won on two hits. Attendance, 3,100. Score:

Pittsburg	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0— 4
Cincinnati	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	1— 5

Hits: Pittsburg, 10; Cincinnati, 8. Earned runs: Pittsburg, 3; Cincinnati, 1. Errors: Pittsburg, 3; Cincinnati, 5. Batteries: Ehret and Sugden; Parrott, Sullivan and Vaughn.

Rattled the Spavs.

CLEVELAND, Aug. 3.—Anson's colts got somewhat rattled in the fifth inning and lost the game. Score:

Cleveland	3	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	*— 8
Chicago	1	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0— 4

Earned runs: Cleveland, 1; Chicago, 1; Errors: Cleveland, 2; Chicago, 8. Batteries: Clarkson and Connor; McGill and Schriver.

Nichols is Winning 'Em All.

BROOKLYN, Aug. 3.—A crowd of nearly 5,000 persons greeted the Brooklyns and Bostons. Boston won. Attendance 4,800. Score:

Brooklyn	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1— 2
Boston	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0— 5

Hits: Brooklyn, 6; Boston, 7. Errors: Brooklyn, 2. Earned runs: Brooklyn, 2; Boston, 2. Batteries: Haddock, Sharrott and Daily.; Nichols and Bennett.

Some Colonels at Large.

LOUISVILLE, Aug. 3.—The Browns defeated the Louisvilles today by superior hitting and all-around playing in the field. Third Baseman Pinckney, Fielder Browning and Catcher Clark were released after the game. Attendance, 1,800. Score:

Louisville	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	1— 4
St. Louis	1	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	*— 7

Hits: Louisville, 4; St. Louis, 12. Errors: Louisville, 2. Earned runs: Louisville, 4; St. Louis, 4. Batteries: Rhoades, Clark and Grim; Hawley and Peitz.

Orioles Outbat the Giants.

BALTIMORE, Aug. 3.—Baltimore won by bunching their hits. Attendance 2,250 Score:

Baltimore	3	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	0— 7
New York	2	0	1	0	1	0	1	1	0— 6

Hits: Baltimore, 12; New York, 9. Errors: Baltimore, 5; New York, 1. Earned runs: Baltimore, 5. Batteries: Mullane and Kelly; Baldwin and Miller.

Standing of the Teams.

	W.	L.	P.C.		W.	L.	P.C.
Boston	56	28	66.7	New York	39	43	47.6
Philadelphia	51	31	62.2	St. Louis	38	43	46.9
Cleveland	44	32	57.9	Baltimore	37	45	45.1
Pittsburg	47	35	57.3	Chicago	34	46	42.5
Brooklyn	41	41	50.0	Washington	31	51	37.8
Cincinnati	39	42	48.1	Louisville	25	46	35.2

SPARKS OF SPORT.

Some Splendid Shooting.

The Bemis park monthly live bird club shoot took place yesterday afternoon. George Loomis again won the medal and now holds the same for weekly shoots of the Bemis Park, Omaha and Raymond Gun clubs.

Rinehart missed his last bird, or, as Parmelee says, he would have had a picture taken of himself tomorrow with the medal on. The score:

Blake	10222	11212	12212—14
I. I. Dickey	21211	00211	22012—12
Hawks	20221	01200	12202—10
Dr. Ginn	02112	01212	22121—13
Peters	21111	22021	12111—14
Towle	22022	02211	12001—11
Read	22112	21220	00211—12
Loomis	22211	12022	22112—14
Rinehart	12221	11112	12120—14

Tie on meual—miss and out.

Blake	1	2	1	2	0		
Peters	2	2	1	1	2	2	0
Loomis	2	1	1	2	1	2	2
Rinehart	0						

Dr. Ginn shot at the trap for the first time and made the splendid score of 13 out of 15, and the birds were above the average summer birds, as the following private match between Parmelee, Peters and Colonel Dickey will prove:

Peters	11212	10111	10121	11001—16
Parmelee	10101	00220	02210	21001—11
Dickey	21012	22222	01111	11221—18

Corbett and Mitchell Training.

ASBURY PARK, N. J., Aug. 3.—James J. Corbett arrived here tonight. He was accompanied by William A. Brady, his manager, Bill Delaney, "Young Corbett" and Joe Corbett, his brother, and Wood and Thorpe. Corbett will take it easy for two weeks, and will then go into training for his fight with Mitchell.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—A London correspondent writes: "Charley Mitchell and his friends are located at Brighton Beach. Mitchell never appeared in better or finer condition than at present. He is quietly training, although he pretends to outsiders he is not. Mitchell is said to have weighed 220 pounds when he arrived at Brighton. Today he is down to about 190, and will probably enter the ring at 180."

M. V. A. R. A. Regatta Races.

MINNEAPOLIS, Aug. 3.—It was Minnesota Club day at the Mississippi valley regatta at Lake Minnetonka today. That club captured every event in which it started. The water was smooth as glass. Following are the results:

Junior pair: Westerns, Karsh and Sheehan, first; Lurlines, Jones and Meade, second. Time: 10:19.

Junior fours: Minnesota, Wann, Houghton, Mabon and Holbert, first; Westerns, Lamp, Westhus, Thomas and May, second. Time: 8:35.

Junior singles, one-fourth mile dash for Catlin medal: Koenig, of Westerns, first; Henderson, of Catlins, second; protest filed.

Junior singles: Brown, of Lurlines, first; Schaack, of Delawares, second; McDonald, of Winnepeg, third; Blakelee, of Pullman, fourth. Time: 10:14.

The Navahoe's Main Sail Split.

LONDON, Aug. 3.—The yacht race for the town prize of £100 took place today over the fifty-mile course, the start being made from Cowes. The Santa Anita crossed the finishing line eight minutes ahead of the Valkyrie. The American yacht Navahoe and the yacht Calluna each met with accidents to their rigging and were compelled to drop out of the race. The Navahoe's main sail was split. It will be repaired and bent on tonight.

Dempsey Makes Another Match.

ST. PAUL, Aug. 3.—Jack Dempsey is matched to fight Dick Burge, champion lightweight of England, for $10,000 a side and the championship of the world, the match to come off between November 1, 1893, and January 1, 1894. The club before which the battle will take place will be decided upon later. The match was arranged by cable today. Each has deposited a forfeit of $1,000.

Progress of the Tennis Tourney.

CHICAGO, Aug. 3.—In the tennis tournament today Hovey defeated Taylor; G. L. Wrenn defeated Wardner by default; Johnston defeated Chapman; Mundy defeated Seabury; C. G. B. Neel defeated Sam T. Chase; Hovey defeated McCormick.

Roadster Club Meeting Tomorrow.

There will be a meeting of the stockholders of the Omaha Gentlemen's Roadster club at the Merchants hotel Saturday evening. Stockholders are requested to be present in person, as proxies will not be recognized.

Sawdust Boys Accept.

OMAHA, Aug. 3.—The Sawdust ball team accepts the challenge of the Clipper Juniors for a game Sunday afternoon next on the bottoms north of the bridge.

FRED HENNINGSEN, Captain.

Billy Paxton's Pacer.

Billy Paxton's pacer, the yearling colt Phenom, by Director, out of Maud B, distinguished himself at Silver City, Ia., yesterday in his maiden race by winning in three straight heats. Best time: 2:32¼.

John Roberts Sails.

LONDON, Aug. 3.—John Roberts, the champion billiard player of England, who is matched to play Frank Ives, the crack American player, for $1,000 a side, sailed for New York.

ON DARKEST TENTH STREET.

Somewhat Complicated Mess Stirred Up by the Police Last Night.

Sergeant Whalen and the officers on Tenth street and Capitol avenue made a roundup of colored inmates last night and arrested William Patten, R. Robinson, Charles Long, Bertha Wann and Mizzie Payne.

Patten is charged with being drunk, creating a disturbance and obstructing an officer. Robinson is recorded as disturbing the peace, Long as an inmate and lover of Bertha Wann's, and Mizzie is charged with threatening to do up Bertha.

Robinson is a porter on a Union Pacific chair car, and Mizzie Payne says he tried to leave his monogram on her person with a sharp razor. He was arrested and Mizzie and Bertha had a scrap about it. Mizzie threatened to waft Bertha across the dark river with a dangerous looking knife and Long stopped hostilities by making a gun play.

This is why Judge Berka will have additional work to do this morning in the police court.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Major Furay passed a very bad night, and his condition early this morning was not improved. A physician is in attendance at his bedside at all times.

Mrs. M. R. Rodgers-Webb invites the public to listen to her lecture at the African Methodist Episcopal church, corner of Eighteenth and Webster streets, on "Jamaica; A Summer Home in Winter," tonight.

Mrs. Ida McKenna desires to return her heartfelt thanks to the many friends who gave her so many expressions of aid and sympathy during her recent affliction in the death of her husband, the late Edward McKenna.

The fire and police alarm system is being removed from the jail to the first floor of the city hall under direction of Superintendent Coulter. The new quarters are directly under Chief Seavey's office and the operators will be stationed there.

Tuesday night the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor of the Southwest Presbyterian church gave a very pleasant social on the church lawn at Twentieth and Leavenworth. There was a good attendance and an enjoyable time. Refreshments were served on the lawn.

At the present time there is no paving under way, all of the contractors having finished work on streets under contract. The schedule in the office of the city engineer shows, however, that there are several jobs under way in grading and the construction of main and district sewers.

Verner Coy of 1044 South Thirty-fourth street found a pocketbook containing a considerable sum of money on Farnam near Fifteenth street yesterday afternoon and turned it over to Captain Cormack. The pocketbook belonged to Mrs. Patrick Heafey and was returned to her by the captain.

Receiver Hunt of the water works company, accompanied by Attorney Webster, appeared in federal court yesterday morning and asked for an order requiring the receiver to pay over such moneys as he could spare to the holders of coupons on outstanding obligations. The order was promptly issued, and the receiver and his legal adviser went away happy.

An ordinance is pending in the council amending the existing ordinance regulating the appointment of special police officers. Under the old ordinance each special officer appointed is required to furnish a bond that is approved by the police commissioners. The new ordinance was recommended by the commissioners and will remove this objectionable feature.

The Board of Public Works yesterday advertised for bids upon asphalt for paving in several districts. The bids will be opened in ten days. This is the third time the board has solicited bids upon this material. In each case heretofore they were rejected, as the members considered the prices excessive and denounced the bidding as a combine of the asphalt interests.

Hugh Murphy has completed the paving of Twelfth street from Jones to Leavenworth with Colorado sandstone. He is also making preparations to commence work on the other districts that have been awarded to him just as soon as he receives the necessary orders from the Board of Public Works. The orders will be issued just as soon as the water connections are made on the streets.

All Owing to that Stupid Waiter.

Boston Globe: "I hear there's trouble between you and Miss De Trop."

"Yes; everything is declared off."

"What was the matter?"

"We went into my usual restaurant the other evening and I ordered lemonade for two. The stupid waiter served it in such a manner that she got hold of my glass."

SALVINI'S OTHELLO.

One Performance that Reached the Great Actor's High Standard.

It is very seldom that I have attained satisfaction with myself in that role, writes Salvini in the Century. I may say that in the thousands of times that I have played it I can count on the fingers of one hand those when I have said to myself: "I can do no better;" and one of those times was when I gave it at the Teatro del Florentini in Naples. It seemed that evening as if an electric current connected the artist with the public. Every sensation of mine was transfused into the audience. It responded instantaneously to my sentiment, and manifested its perception of my meanings by a low murmuring, by a sustained tremor. There was no occasion for reflection, nor did the people seek to discuss me; all were at once in unison and accord. Actor, Moor and audience felt the same impulse, were moved as one soul.

I cannot describe the cries of enthusiasm which issued from the throats of those thousands of persons in exhaltation, or the delirious demonstrations which accompanied those scenes of love, jealousy and fury, and when the shocking catastrophe came, when the Moor, recognizing that he has been deceived, cuts short his days, so as not to survive the anguish of having slain the guiltless Desdemona, a chill ran through every vein, and as if the audience had been stricken dumb, ten seconds went by in absolute silence. Then came a tempest of cries and plaudits and countless summonses before the curtain. When the demonstration was ended the audience passed out amid an indistinct murmur of voices, and collected in groups of five, eight, or twelve everywhere in the neighborhood of the theater; then, united as if by magnetic force, they came back into the theater, demanded the relighting of the footlights, and insisted that I should come on the stage again, though I was half undressed, to receive a new ovation. This unparalleled and spontaneous demonstration is among the most cherished memories of my career, for it ranks among such as an artist rarely obtains.

She Heard Heavenly Music.

A devout woman of a fashionable suburb of Boston was recently sick, as her family and friends believed, unto death. She had made her preparations, and was daily awaiting her end with patient resignation.

Her hours of suffering were cheered by the glimpses of the unseen world that came to her, and one day she called to her attendants, who were grouped around her in hourly anticipation of her decease:

"O, that heavenly music! Don't you hear it?"

Strongly impressed, in spite of themselves, by her fervor, they strained their ears to catch the harmonies of heaven, when a clyclonic burst of sound from a street organ, manipulated by an Italian across the street, swung full into the rollicking measures, "Ta-ra-ra-doom-de-ay," accompanied by high kicking.

There was a moment's silence in the sick room, then an involuntary burst of laughter, in which the sick woman joined. From that moment a reaction set in, and today she has the prospect of years of life before her.

Has Cholera on Board.

LONDON, Aug. 3.—The barque Elizabeth McNeil from Cherbourg has arrived at Gravesend with cholera on board. A seaman on the vessel was attacked by the disease and was removed to the hospital.

LADY MANAGERS SHOCKED

Features of the Midway Plaisance that They Think Immoral.

CAIRO VILLAGE DANCE OBJECTIONABLE

Impelled by Their Sense of Duty Several of the Members Make a Tour of the Foreign Theaters with Alarming Results.

CHICAGO, Aug. 3.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—Some of the lady managers have been down on Midway plaisance. They told their experience at the board meeting this afternoon. They were not pleasant experiences. In fact, the women went so far as to say several harsh things concerning certain features of the street nations, and as they told them they wept. If some of the more determined can bring it about the council of administration will before long receive petitions, in the names of wives and mothers represented on the board, requesting that the objectionable theater be shut down forthwith and not reopened while the fair continues.

The matter of the plaisance was introduced in an unusually tame session by a call for the report of a committee appointed two weeks ago to send out cards to the women on the Midway plaisance for the purpose of inviting them to the Woman's building. They were to be shown its beauties by members of the board.

The committee had made no report and had taken no action. The women needed no report to set them talking. Isabella Beecher Hooker was the first to speak. She reviewed briefly the character of the famous street and said in conclusion: "I think we had better invite that quarter, not in bulk, as has been suggested, but very much in detail."

"Do you mean to say," cried one of the women, jumping to her feet as Mrs. Hooker sat down, "that any woman has fallen so low that the board of lady managers will not hold out a helping hand to her?"

Shocked the Lady.

This brought Mrs. Barker to the platform. "I will take second place to no one in missionary work," she said. "I went down to the Plaisance yesterday, impelled by a sense of duty. [Applause and laughter.] I never have been so grieved or shocked in my life as at the things I saw. I shall most certainly oppose inviting the women who perform at the theaters there to meet socially the members of this board. They are, many of them, not representatives of foreign nations but women of Chicago, chosen to act the disgusting parts. Can you endure the thought that your sons and your daughters should witness such spectacles? I consider it our duty, rather than to entertain these people, to enter a protest against them and demand that the places where they perform should be closed.

"Appoint me as a committee and I will go and plead with those women at whatever cost, but I strongly object to the members of the board putting themselves on record as entertaining the women who so grossly violate the name of dancing on the Midway plaisance."

Then Mrs. Barker sat down and cried as if her heart would break. Mrs. Felton hastened to lend her moral support. "I want to say," she said, "that I went with Mrs. Barker into these places, impelled like her by a high sense of duty. Regarding our experiences I can only add that I had no idea we were living so near such demonstrations."

Other Side of the Case.

Mrs. Sheppard's testimony was on the other side of the question. "I don't know where Mrs. Barker and Mrs. Felton went," she said. "I have been on the plaisance a great deal, and have never found anything disgusting, but, on the contrary, much that was interesting and fascinating."

Mrs. Eagle, too, stood up for the plaisance. "I have been most everywhere on the plaisance," she said, "and I have not yet been frightened away from anything. Perhaps I may be, but so far as my observation goes I do not coincide with the views expressed by those whose sense of duty took them to the Oriental theaters. I should like to ask where they went."

Mrs. Felton hastened to inform Mrs. Eagle that the self-appointed committee of investigation went to the Egyptian, Algerian, Persian and Turkish theaters. Mrs. Felton coupled the information with a resolution to the effect that the council of administration be requested on the part of the board, to investigate the matter.

Want the Places Closed.

Mrs. Wise added an amendment requesting the council of administration to shut down the objectionable places. As the discussion had been entirely formal, however, neither resolution or amendment was recorded, and further debate was called off by a motion to adjourn. Mrs. Charles Price was in the chair, Mrs. Palmer having left it shortly after the subject was introduced. The only part she took in the discussion was to laugh with the rest when Mrs. Barker alluded to her "sense of duty."

"I'm afraid we've all been there, Mrs. Barker," she said.

It is not improbable that a crusade will now be made by the director general on Midway plaisance, and if there are any offensive exhibitions there they will be promptly stopped. The council of administration has authorized the director general to investigate the common reports and take any necessary action without further notice.

There are one or two dances on the Midway which have excited a good deal of comment. The dance in the Cairo village is permitted by contract, but the night features have aroused the greatest objection.

WORLD'S FAIR CONGRESSES.

Different Meetings Held at Chicago Yesterday and Their Objects.

CHICAGO, Aug. 3.—In the water commerce congress lake navigation was the subject under discussion today. Samuel A. Thompson, secretary of the Board of Trade of Duluth, made the principal address. He pictured the advantages of a ship canal connecting the great lakes with the Atlantic ocean. Several other addresses were made in the same line.

In the congress on military engineering General A. W. Greeley of Arctic fame, now chief signal officer of the United States army, read a paper on "The Signal Corps of the Army of the United States, with reference to Its Engineering Development." Lieutenant Colonel C. F. C. Beresford of the Royal engineers, British army, and Dr. Pinchus, Assyriologist of the British museum, both read interesting papers.

The first meeting of women lawyers took place today. Many famous women were grouped in the hall when the meeting was called to order. Addresses were made by Catherine Waugh McCullough, J. Ellen Foster and others.

Dissolved the Attachments.

Hearing was had before Judge Scott on Wednesday, on a motion made by Breckenridge & Breckenridge, attorneys for Sloan, Johnson & Co., to dissolve the attachments issued against their clients in favor of the Dayton Spice Mills company, the Mills County National bank and the Gedney Pickle company, nearly all of said attachments having issued on the affidavit of the plaintiffs that there was evidence of fraud on the part of the defendants.

Yesterday morning Judge Scott rendered a decision dissolving the attachments, stating in brief that bankruptcy or insolvency do not imply an attempt to defraud and that he had never yet investigated a case wherein he found less ground for belief in fraudulent intentions. The decision applies also to the attachments issued against William Sloan et al.

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