MISTAH MILLAH'S HOME RUN

Wonderful Feat Accomplished by Lycurgus in the Game Yesterday Afternoon.

ALL OMAHA COULDN'T DO THE CHAMPS

Captain Abbott's Cherubs Lam the Picked Nine with a Grace and Agility Seldom Seen in These Parts—Making a Dictionary.

ELL, IF ALL Omaha didn't go out to Young Men's Christian Association park yesterday afternoon and try to do what sundry fragments of the community have at divers times failed to do, and meet with the same luck, you can take my head for a foot ball.

The stalwart lads of the cross simply pounded the everlasting tarwater out of the whole outfit, and if Captain Abbott's gay gazelles must be put down, I am afraid it will be necessary to call out the militia to do it, that's all.

The manner in which the cherubim swarmed in over the plate was enough to lead one to believe that an epidemic of nostalgia had broken out among them. No sooner would one of the lonely reach first than he would make a passionate, impetuous dash for home, and what's more, he generally got there.

Putrifaction set in on All Omahas' work at a very early stage in the warfare, and as hostilities got warmer and thicker, so rotten was their defense that the park smelt very much like an over-ripe glue factory.

But they plugged away manfully, however, clear up to seventh inning, when their luck changed and—got worse!

Just like that old poker player you've all read about.

Right here the Celestials jumped upon the Allmosts with both feet and kicked, beat, swatted, punched, jabbed and jammed them until they resembled a lot of chimney sweeps in the last throes of the delirium trimmin's.

When they got through with their hilarity they had as many runs chalked up to their credit as the whole of Omaha got in the entire contest.

Six.

One Inning Worth Watching.

It was an exciting hiatus in what was otherwise a very tired and lonesome game.

The crowd, too, was wrought up in the twinkling of an eye, a glass one. That subtle something which makes the laziest and the dullest individual on earth the peer of the brightest and keenest man that ever walked on four legs, that extra superfine sense we call intuition, taught the big crowd that the Young Men's Christian Associations—even in their lambkike guise—were somebody to be recognized.

And they were.

Just as soon as that old Scotch melody lifted his green bay tree and smashed Lycurgus Miller smack in the frontispiece for a two-sacker, quick as a flash there ran from the amphitheater to balcony, from balcony to bleacher, and from bleacher back to amphitheater, a wild, tumultuous outbreak akin to one of the harmonious consultations of the Sameset club, and in less time than it takes to tell it an ampletudinodity of applause possessed the park and, echoing from point to point, so climaxed the procedure that sentiment ruled and a universality of brother and sisterhood and comradeship dominated the situation.

Everybody seemed to think that the millennium was just coming round the corner!

And there was one other crisis in the strife that should not be allowed to pass unchronicled, and it shan't.

In was in the opening of the third inning, when the score stood 2 to a couple of horse collars in favor of the Christians.

Mistah Miller's Masterpiece.

Lycurgus Miller, the cafe au lait pitcher for All Omaha, was the first man to face General Winfield Scott Camp on this momentous occasion.

Haven't you ever seen Mr. Miller, the amous rifle shot twirler, at the bat? Well, he makes a study fit for the gods. He looks something like the chiaroscuro in one of those old Morello pictures that somebody digs up from the rubbish in their garrets every once and awhile. He has been known to make as many as two hits in a single season, and at this juncture he was due for one of his biennials, and it is probable that Mr. Camp and All Omaha will never forget Lycurgus.

You see, it is Mistah Millah's strong individualism, when he takes his coat off, that gives him such a prominent place in psychologic development. History tells you and me the doings of possibly a thousand or two of men, whose mental, moral, physical and other stature looms not nearly so high above their fellows as Lycurgus loomed above All Omaha yesterday afternoon. You know very well, if you know anything, that when the professions of war, journalism, the ministry, medicine or law are alluded to, quicker than an ice wagon wings its way along the asphalt pavement there are photographed upon the lenses of your mentality, names not born to die.

So let that of Lycurgus Miller henceforth stand on and forever to the end of time.

He swatted Winfield for a home run!

It was a regular, full blown, life size lollapoocodalium.

Sandy's Unquestioned Authority.

When Daniel Webster and I wrote the unabridged dictionary we both decided that a lollapoocodalium should stand for four bases, nothing more nor less, and it would make no difference to us how much Worcester, Gladstone, Senator Ingalls, Mr. Evarts or Ignatius Donnelly might kick, we irrevocably agreed on that.

You see, we say of the woman, she is peerless among beauties; of an author, he is the clearest and most convincing; of an orator, he is sublimely eloquent; of a prize fighter, he has never yet been put to sleep; of a race horse, he has beaten the record; of a minister, he is the grandest and most foremost preacher of his time. But a base ball player, one who makes a home run and ties the score; what do you say of his achievement. That it was a colossal drive? No. A mighty swat? No. Then what?

Why, a lollapoocodalum, of course.

In the cant and uncultured phraseology of the day it would be a homer or a four-sacker, but Dan and I, when we were compiling our lexicon, soared above such commonplaces. We were too smooth, too full of rich, red blood for any nonsense of that kind. We wanted a word to suit the deed. And we got it.

The figures, they will probably supply what you have failed to find above.

No discount.

Y. M. C. A.

	A.B.	R.	I.B.	S.H.	S.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Stoney, ss	4	1	0	1	1	1	4	0
Austin, 2b	4	2	1	0	1	5	0	1
Trail, m	2	1	1	0	1	1	0	1
Beal, m and 2b	4	2	2	1	1	0	1	0
Camp, p	6	1	0	0	1	0	10	0
Abbott, c	5	2	2	0	1	10	3	0
McKelvey, 3b	3	2	0	0	1	1	5	1
Jeffries, 1b	4	0	3	0	0	7	0	0
Wilkins, lf	4	0	0	0	0	2	1	0
Lowry, rf	4	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	40	15	11	1	7	27	24	3

ALL OMAHA.

	A.B.	R.	I.B.	S.H.	S.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Walsh, ss	1	1	1	0	0	1	0	0
Kennedy, ss	3	0	1	0	0	0	2	4
Gatewood, 2b	4	0	0	0	0	4	2	3
Dolan, 3b	4	0	1	0	0	1	4	1
Creighton, rf	3	0	1	0	0	1	0	0
Jellen, lf	4	1	1	0	0	2	0	0
Lacey, c	3	1	1	0	1	6	0	2
Beadron, 1b	3	2	1	0	1	8	0	0
Davis, m	4	0	1	0	0	2	0	0
Miller, p	4	1	3	0	0	0	7	0
Totals	33	6	11	0	2	24	15	10

SCORE BY INNINGS.

Y. M. C. A.	2	0	3	1	0	2	6	1	*—	15
All Omaha	0	0	2	3	0	1	0	0	0—	6

SUMMARY.

Earned runs: Y. M. C. A., 4; All Omaha, 4. Two-base hits: Jeffries, Abbott, Lowry, Jellen. Three-base hits: Kennedy, Dolan, Miller. Home runs: Miller. Double plays: Beal to Stoney to Jeffries; Kennedy to Gatewood to Beadron. Base on balls: Off Miller, 7; off Camp, 2. Hit by pitcher: Miller, 1. Struck out: Miller, 5; Camp, 8. Passed balls: Lacey, 1. Wild pitches: Miller, 2. Time: One hour and fifty minutes. Umpire: Jack Haskell.

NATIONAL LEAGUE GAMES.

Pittsburg's Errors Help Boston to Break the Losing Streak.

PITTSBURG, Sept. 16.—Rank errors gave the game to Boston. Both Klien and Nichols pitched great ball. Score:

Pittsburg	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0—	3
Boston	0	3	1	0	1	1	0	0	1—	7

Hits: Pittsburg, 9; Boston, 8. Errors: Pittsburg, 6; Boston, 3. Earned runs: Pittsburg, 3; Boston, 3. Batteries: Killen and Earle; Nichols and Bennett.

Commy Should Sandae 'Em.

CINCINNATI, Sept. 16.—Although outbatted, New York won through the wildness of Parrott and Sullivan. Score:

Cincinnati	0	2	1	0	0	0	1	3	0—	7
New York	4	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	3—	11

Hits: Cincinnati, 13; New York, 9. Errors: Cincinnati, 3; New York, 1. Earned runs: Cincinnati, 5; New York, 3. Batteries: Parrott, Sullivan and C. Murphy; Peitz, Baldwin, Milligan and Wilson.

Tim Will Assert Himself.

CLEVELAND, Sept. 16.—With the score 15 to 11 in favor of Cleveland and with one man out in the eighth Umpire Hurst gave the game to Cleveland, 9 to 0, because Baltimore refused to play any longer. Attendance, 500. Score:

Cleveland	3	0	0	1	1	2	4	4	1—	15
Baltimore	0	5	1	0	0	4	1	0	0—	11

Hits: Cleveland, 15; Baltimore, 10. Errors: Cleveland, 5; Baltimore, 8. Earned runs: Cleveland, 1. Batteries: Young and O'Connor; Baker and Robinson.

Took One Apiece.

LOUISVILLE, Sept. 16.—The Colonels and Bridegrooms played two games and broke even. The second game was called at the end of the sixth inning on account of darkness. Score:

Louisville	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0—	5
Brooklyn	0	1	5	1	1	0	3	0	0—	11

Hits: Louisville, 10; Brooklyn, 15. Errors: Louisville, 5; Brooklyn, 2. Earned runs: Louisville, 2; Brooklyn, 5. Batteries: Menefee and Weaver; Daub and Daley.

Second game:

Louisville	0	4	0	7	0	1—	12			
Brooklyn	0	0	4	3	0	0—	7			

Hits: Louisville, 13; Brooklyn, 8. Errors: Louisville, 5; Brooklyn 5. Earned runs: Louisville, 1; Brooklyn, 3. Batteries: Kilroy and Grim; Sharrott and Lachance.

Colts Pulled Out Another.

CHICAGO, Sept. 16.—The Phillies looked like winners for five innings, but went to pieces in the sixth and eighth when the locals commenced to find Carsey. Clausen pitched a good game. Score:

Chicago	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	4	2—	8
Philadelphia	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	1—	4

Hits: Chicago, 8; Philadelphia, 9. Errors: Chicago, 3; Philadelphia, 4. Earned runs: Chicago, 3; Philadelphia, 4. Batteries: Clausen and Schriver; Carsey and Cross.

And the Senators Lost.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 16.—Both clubs played well. Score:

St. Louis	0	0	2	3	0	0	1	0	1—	7
Washington	4	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—	6

Hits: St. Louis, 9; Washington, 11. Errors: St. Louis, 5; Washington, 2. Earned runs: St. Louis, 2; Washington, 3. Batteries: Hawley and Twineham; Stephens and Maguire

Standing of the Teams.

	W.	L.	P.C.		W.	L.	P.C.
Boston	82	36	69.5	Cincinnati	55	62	47.0
Pittsburg	72	46	61.0	Baltimore	54	65	45.4
Philadelphia	68	49	58.1	St. Louis	50	66	43.1
Cleveland	64	52	55.2	Chicago	51	68	42.9
New York	63	55	53.4	Louisville	45	68	39.8
Brooklyn	61	56	52.1	Washington	38	80	32.2

Amateur Games Today

The Conventions and Nonpareils play the last game of their series at Nonpareil park this afternoon. Both clubs are in good shape and a hot game is looked for.

Conventions.	Positions.	Nonpareils.
Creighton	Catch	Lacy
Miller	Pitch	Camp
Bowman	First	Flynn
Carrigan	Second	McAuliff
Kennedy	Short	Gatwood
Dolan	Third	Stoney
Lawlor	Left	Jellen
Davis	Middle	Bradford
Robison	Right	Moriarty

Game called at 3:30.

The Clippers and Originals will play their first game of the season this morning at Forty-third and Jones streets. The teams will line up as follows:

Clippers.	Position.	Originals.
Graham	Catch	Bennison
Driscol	Pitch	Hurley
Hayes	First base	Hoffman
Land	Second base	Guild
Rooney	Third base	Goodrich
Knickerbocker	Short stop	Miller
Frank	Left field	Dyball
Wearne	Center field	Newcomb
Waller	Right field	Thompson

In the afternoon the Clippers go to Council Bluffs to play the Council Bluffs Nonpareils at the Fair grounds.

The Athletics and the Shamrock Juniors will meet on the latter's grounds at Fifth and Marcy today at 10 a. m., and a very good game is expected. The Athletics have played nine games and have not been defeated yet. The Shamrocks will do their best to down the champions. The following are their positions:

Athletics.	Position.	Shamrocks.
Hart	Catch	O'Connors
McCann	Pitch	Kleffner
J. McAuliffe	First base	Woods
Lynnan	Second base	Frick
D. Foley	Short stop	Lowery
S. McAuliffe	Third base	T. Dolan
Mahoney	Left field	T. Foley
Sommers	Middle	Whitney
Stien	Right field	T. Dolan
Buck Ireman	Substitute	Butch Mulvihill

Foot Ball Games Scheduled.

A meeting of the executive committee of the Interscholastic Foot Ball league was held in Lincoln Saturday afternoon. Delegates were present representing Omaha, Lincoln, Ashland, Nebraska City and Plattsmouth High schools. Games were scheduled, provisions were made for umpires and referees, and other business of the League transacted.

The League is now organized in a flourishing condition, and its games promise to be among the leading attractions in western foot ball this season.

Lorenzo and Lotta at Courtland beach.

PRELIMINARY WORK ENDED.

Competitors on the Army Team Conclude and Get Ready for Record Shooting.

CHICAGO, Sept. 16.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—The preliminary firing of the United States army teams at the Fort Sheridan rifle range ended this afternoon with the infantry skirmishing. Captain Charles A. Varnum has received a telegram from Fort Riley, extending Colonel J. W. Forsythe's congratulations to the contestants whose records with revolvers have been best. The averages yesterday were surprisingly high and close. Among the best in the ordinary quota were:

Sergt. R. Wilson, Co. B, 17th infy	434
Sergt. F. Drechsler, Co. C, 16th infy	434
Corp. E. E. Stevens, Co. B, 1st Infy	431
Second Lieut. J. C. Greggs, 19th Infy	429
Private W. J. Davis, Co. A, 25th Infy	420
First Sgt. M. J. Murphy, Co. D, 13th infy	423
Private F. Alexander, Co. F, 4th infy	419
Private G. Smith, Co. G, 7th infy	410
Lance Cpl. G. Du Chemin band, 10th infy	410
Corp. E. Gardner, Co. H, 18th infy	369
Sergt. James Noblitt, Co. D, 18th infy	402
2d Lieut. A. B. Foster, 19th infy	406
Sergt. W. Hight, Co. E, 23d infy	398

In the distinguished marksmen competition the best scores were:

Sergt. F. D. Powell, Co. D, 14th Infy	456
First Sgt. P. B. Spencer, Co. E, 17th Infy	447
Sgt. F. Webster, Co. F, 11th Infy	443
Sgt. A. J. Hubbard, Co. D, 23d Infy	400

The record firing begins Monday morning.

Held Up a Stage Coach.

TAHLEQUAH, I.T., Sept. 16.—The four-horse stage that carries the mail between this place and Fort Gibson was "held up" about eight miles from here. Two men with handkerchiefs over their faces ordered the driver to halt. They then went through the passengers and carried off the registered mail pouch and also the letter pouch.

Showed Off Their Royalties.

STUTTGART, Sept. 16.—Emperor William and the king of Wurtemburg reviewed the Thirteenth Army corps yesterday. The emperor led his infantry regiment past the king and then the king marched past Emperor William at the head of five regiments.

ALIX GETS THE BIG PURSE

Ninth Heat of the Great Free-for-All Race Won by the Iowa Mare.

HARD BLOW TO THE CROOKED GAMBLERS

Sure Thing Men and Fixers Cleverly Beaten by an Honest Man and His Honest Animal—Close of the Washington Park Meeting.

CHICAGO, Sept. 16.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—After three days the battle between the free-for-all trotters for the purse of $15,000 came to an end at Washington Park this afternoon. This race, which commenced on Thursday, has been quite the most sensational one of the year, not only for speed, but for the numerous incidents that accompanied it.

The ninth heat today resulted in a pronounced victory for the peerless Alix, who came out wonderfully fresh after the terrible strains she had undergone during Thursday and Friday. Pixley was favorite before the deciding heat, but she could only hold the lead to the last furlong when Alix, who had been forcing the clip, passed her when she pleased and won by six lengths in 2:09¾.

Morris J. Jones of Kenosha, Wis., one of the owners of the wonderful race mare, says that he was warned of the combination to defeat Alix yesterday, and was told just when the attempt to foal her would made. He asked the judges to protect Alix, and they did increase the number of patrol judges, but when Pixley ran into the other mare, the three men in power failed utterly to punish the offense properly.

Made Him a Cash Offer.

Mr. Jones was offered $2,500 to drop the first heat yesterday, and it was on account of his refusal that the combination was made to cut Alix down. The judges have come in for general censure, and more than one member of the Northwestern Breeders association has openly denounced the evident partiality. The victory of Alix was the more popular because the ring of tricksters that prey on the trotting turf was smitten hip and thigh, despite all the efforts made to prevent the gallant mare from winning. Alix has several more dates, but will be taken back to the farm at Kenosha for a rest, and will probably not start before the Lexington meeting next month.

The balance of the card today was uneventful, two classes for colts being simply farces so far as a contest was concerned. Coastman, the favorite for the pace, came off first after some close finishes, especially in the fourth heat, when Rocker was head and head with him at the wire. Cartridge had the speed of the 2:22 trotters, and stepped three heats below his former record.

Belle Vera came out late in her attempt to beat the world's record, and as Budd Doble was too ill to drive her she was handled by his brother Charlie. The latter could not do the mare credit, and after a break in the first trial past the half, Belle Vera trotted a mile in 2:08½, nearly a second slower than her own mark. There are a few unimportant classes left over yet, but the meeting is practically at an end. The circuit goes on next week at St. Joseph, Mo., where most of the fast ones will compete. Summaries:

Last of the Meeting.

Four-year-olds, trotting, Consolation purse, $300:

Roy Wood, ch. m., by Neatwood-Aldinta (Harrington)							2	1
Tyrsenus, bl. c., by Young Wilkes (Ernst)							1	2

Time: 2:29, 2:28¾, 2:30.

Free-for-all, trotting, Columbian Exposition purse, $15,000:

Alix, b. m., by Patronage-Atlanta by Attorney (J. Curry)	1	6	8	1	6	2	3	2 1
Pixley, b. m., by Jay Gould (Dickerson)	2	10	2	2	8	1	2	1 2
Nightingale, ch. m., by Bambrino King (Geers)	9	3	3	5	2	8	1	3 3
Lord Clinton, blk. g., by Dennings Allen (Raybould)	3	2	4	4	1	4	7	6 5
Walter E., b. g. (Stewart & McElroy)	2	4	7	8	3	3	4	4 4
Ryland T., b. g. (Walker)	5	9	5	3	7	5	5	5 6
Little Albert, ch. g. (Kelly)	8	8	6	6	5	7	8	7 dr
Green Leaf, b. g. (Shuler)	10	7	9	7	4	6	6	dr
Hulda, b. m., by Guy Wilkes (Hickok)	6	1	1	9	dr			
Alvin, ch. s. (Lang)	4	5	10	dr				

Time: 2:07¾, 2:10¼, 2:10½, 2:11½, 2:11½, 2:09¾, 2:12½, 2:15¼, 2:09¾.

2:17 class pacing, purse $1,500:

Coastman, br. s., by Bourbon Wilkes-Albatross by Conster (Cole)	1	1	2 1
Jack Bowers, br., by Kilblack Tom Hill (Hill)	3	4	1 3
Rocker, b. g. (McHenry)	11	2	11 2
Red Lady, b. m. (Geers)	2	6	6 4
Cyclone, b. s. (Jones)	5	7	3 5
Wilkie Knox, br. s. (Ernst)	10	5	9 3
Russell, br. c. (C. Doble)	9	3	7 6
Polly T. (Van Springer)	4	10	8 7
Guinette, b. s. (Rea)	8	8	6 6
Dechicourt, b. s. (Walker)	6	11	6 11
Eliza Benson, b. m. (Tomlinson)	7	9	10 10

Time: 2:14¼, 2:13, 2:12¾, 2:12¾.

2:22 class trotting, purse $1,500:

Cartridge, ch. g., by Eldridge-Lady Stout by Mambrino Patchen (Allis)	1	1	1
Alphington b. s., (Wood)	2	8	2
Allorria ch. m., (C. Doble)	8	2	3
Isabelle br. m., (Hudson)	7	3	7
Ready Boy g. s. (Potters)	3	9	10
Black Diamond, m. (Rea)	6	4	5
Monette bl. m., (West)	4	5	6
Raven Wilkes b. g., (Jones)	5	7	4
Jim Wilkes b. g., (Dorsey)	10	6	11
Prince B b. g., (Spencer)	12	10	8
Bubbles b. g. g., (Johnston)	9	11	9
H B bl. g., (McHenry)	11	dr	

Time: 2:18; 2:17¼; 2:18¼.

Three-year olds, trotting National sire stakes $6,75.

Dancourt bl. c., by Ambassador, Lowland Girl by Legal Tender jr. (Mahoney) 1 1
Helen K b. f., (Canton) 2 2
Time 2:56; 2:46.

MADE THE MATCH.

Tammany and Lamplighter Will Go at Guttenburg in Eleven Days.

GRAVESEND, Sept. 16.—The track was today in vile condition. The chief topic of conversation at the track was the match between Tammany and Lamplighter for a mile and a quarter at 122 pounds for $10,000 to take place at Guttenburg, September 28. This, of course, providing the track is in good condition. Garrison will ride Tammany, and Taral will be on Lamplighter. The fight against the pool rooms on the Guttenburg track began here in earnest today. President P. J. Dwyer ordered the Western Union wire out of the ground. He will not allow messages of any kind to be sent from the track during the races.

First race, mile and a sixteenth: Highland (11 to 5) won, Strathmeath (9 to 2) second, Torrifier (11 to 10) third. Time: 1:49¾.

Second race, six furlongs: Stonenell (9 to 10) won, Annie Bishop (20 to 1) second, Pedestrian (6 to 1) third. Time: 1:17.

Third race, mile and an eighth: Red Banner (7 to 2) won, Orchis (6 to 15) second, Martyrdom (5 to 1) third. Time: 1:58¾.

Fourth race, mile and a half: Lamplighter (1 to 20) won, Calmus (12 to 1) second. Time: 1:23½. Two starters.

Fifth race, five furlongs: Rama (8 to 5) won, Hartford (12 to 1) second, Longbook (12 to 1) third. Time: 1:04¾.

Sixth race, mile and an eighth: Kirkover (3 to 1) won, Marshall (3 to 1) second, Forerunner (3 to 1) third. Time: 1:57.

Muck at Latonia.

CINCINNATI, Sept. 16.—A mucky track at Latonia today made good time out of the question. Summaries:

First race, selling purse, six furlongs: Lady B (5 to 1) won, Blue McHenry (4 to 1) second by a nose, Mollie Gray (2 to 1) third. Time: 1:22½.

Second race, selling, purse, fifteen-sixteenths mile: Marie K (4 to 1) won, Espanita (7 to 2) second, Rancagua (20 to 1) third. Time: 1:42¾.

Third race, a free handicap, mile and an eighth: Kincsem (6 to 5) won, Bessie Bisland (11 to 5) second, Moravia (3 to 1) third. Time: 2:03.

Fourth race, Newport stakes, selling sweepstakes, mile and seventy yards: Elizabeth L (3 to 2) won, The Sculptor (11 to 5) second, Forest Rose (3 to 1) third. Time: 1:52½. The winner got $1,140.

Fifth race, five furlongs: Selika (5 to 1) won, The Kitten (9 to 2) second, Ohio Belle (5 to 2) third. Time: 1:06.

Results at the Fair Grounds.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 16.—The track was fast. Results:

First race, six furlongs: Warren Leland (3 to 1) won, Royal Flush (5 to 1) second, Loftin, jr. (7 to 1) third. Time: 1:16.

Second race, five and a half furlongs: Tottie Mills (5 to 1) won, Wahatchie (2 to 1) second, School Girl (40 to 1) third. Time: 1:09¾.

Third race, five furlongs: Cass (30 to 1) won, Benita (4 to 1) second, Alcenor (3 to 1) third. Time: 1:03¾. (3 to 1) third. Time: 1:03¾.

Fourth race, one mile: Gazette (2 to 1) won, Frances Pope (8 to 1) second, First Chance (3 to 1) third. Time: 1:44½.

Fifth race, one mile: Elroy (10 to 1) won, Sly Lisbon (3 to 1) second, Kildare (12 to 1) third. Time: 1:43¾.

Sixth race, mile and 100 yards: Chimes (3 to 1) won, Hotspur (7 to 2) second, Kenwood (9 to 1) third. Time: 1:50.

Results at Gloucester.

GLOUCESTER, Sept. 16.—The races here today resulted:

First race, six and a fourth furlongs: Mark Stone won, Yevay second, Blackwood third. Time: 1:22¾.

Second race, seven furlongs: Sweet Alice won, Dutch Oven second, Strasburg third. Time: 1:30.

Third race, seven furlongs: Toano won, Uncertainty second, Censor third. Time: 1:30¼.

Fourth race, seven furlongs: Bellsarius won, Chatham second, Wallace G third. Time: 1:32½.

Fifth race, four and a half furlongs: Dart won, Belle Blackburn second, Little Bravo third. Time: 58.

Sixth race, six and a half furlongs: Jim Clare won, John Arkins second, Black Hussar third. Time: 1:28¾.

Going at Guttenburg.

GUTTENBURG, Sept. 16.—Results:

First race, five furlongs: Azrael won, Lemon Blossom second, Strathmaid third. Time: 1:04.

Second race, six furlongs: Como Home won, Sun Glimpse second, Clarus third. Time: 1:19¼.

Third race, one mile: Wampeno won, Brazos second, St. Anthony third. Time: 1:46¼.

Fourth race, seven furlongs: Major Daly won, Tomo second, Major Joe third. Time: 1:30¼.

Fifth race, four and a half furlongs: Miss Alice won, Balance second, Pantizen third. Time: 57¾.

Sixth race, six and a half furlongs: Dalsyrian won, Indigo second, Fox Glove third. Time: 1:25.

COFFEE IS GOING UP.

Brazil's Revolution Affects the Market in This Country Very Seriously.

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—The trouble in Brazil, the local coffee merchants say, is being actually felt in trade. Unless the revolution is soon settled they fear their business will be very seriously affected. In fact, prices for spot coffee are already very near what is called the "danger mark." Joseph O'Donough of the O'Donough Trading company said coffee was going up in price and futures from September to December had advanced about ½ cent per pound. Frederick Sherman, receiver for Thomas Barr & Co. of this city, said that the revolution in Brazil had put an embargo upon all transactions with that country. Spot coffee was now about 5 cents higher than it was at this time last year and had almost reached the point to make merchants uneasy. Europe is beginning to unload her reserve supply here at profitable prices. The quantity of coffee here and afloat bound for this port, he thought, is equal to but one month's supply. The normal stock of the United States was 500,000 bags, but at this time the market is from 150,000 to 200,000 bags short.

Lorenze and Lotta at Courtland beach.

CONGRESS WILL FAVOR IT.

There Will Be No Opposition to a Continuance of the Fair.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 16.—Congress will give its approval to the plan of continuing the World's fair until January 1. This was made evident by a number of interviews had with congressional leaders. There was not a word of disapproval, but senators and members gave their hearty endorsement to the plan. In some cases, as with Senator Daniel, this was more than mere encouragement. It amounted to an earnest plea that the World's fair managers ought to extend the time and that there was not the slightest question as to congress giving its approval. Senators Hill and Stockbridge and some of the members fear that the cold weather might be an objection and Mr. Hill advised Chicago not to make the move, as he thought it would result in a pecuniary loss. No one doubted, however, that congress would give its sanction, although in some cases senators did not care to make a statement amounting to a pledge in advance that they would vote in favor of a bill authorizing a continuance of the exposition.

BONDED WAREHOUSE FULL.

Stored with Goods on Which Merchants Are Unable to Pay the Duty.

CHICAGO, Sept. 16.—All the bonded warehouses in Chicago are filled to their utmost capacity. The recent stringency of the money market rendered it impossible for many to pay the duties on the goods, and they are either taking advantage of that law that provides free storage one year for goods that are unclaimed, or are bonding and storing them for three years. Unclaimed goods after one year, and bonded goods which are not redeemed after three years, will be sold at auction after a notice by publication according to law. The proceeds first apply to the duty, then to the cost of the freight and storage. If anything is left after this, it goes to the owner of the goods. It was learned at the United States collector's office yesterday afternoon that more goods are stored away in Chicago warehouses than ever before. The consignees say they will let them stay there until times are better. In August the value of goods received at the port of Chicago was $1,920,000.

FORGERS ON A TOUR.

Young Men Captured Who Have Been Working an Extensive Territory.

FORT WAYNE, Ind., Sept. 16.—The police have arrested two young men giving their names as Tom Foley and Charles Matthews for passing forged checks upon merchants in exchange for goods. Papers and memoranda found in their posession indicate that they have been playing a star engagement throughout Missouri and Illinois. These papers show that at Springfield, Mo., they raked in $72 by passing checks purporting to have been drawn by John Simmons. At Hannibal they got $53. A. Danville, Ill., they forged among others a check on J. W. Rogers on which they received $13 and a pair of shoes. They kept a regular set of books in which a partnership account was kept.

Music afternoon and eve at Courtland.

Northern Pacific Complications.

CHICAGO, Sept. 15.—In the United States circuit court, in the case of P. B. Winston et al. vs the Northern Pacific railroad, the receivers were given until this afternoon to file their report on the advisability of continuing the lease of the Wisconsin Central lines. The application for continuance was made by Attorney Curtis in behalf of eastern bondholders. Mr. Spooner also urged the continuance. He stated that owing to the financial situation in the east the eastern receivers had been unable to come here for conference, and owing to his illness Mr. Payne had not been able to go east. Mr. Curtis, who appeared for the eastern receivers, had not come fully prepared to sign the report. Mr. Brandeis opposed the continuance. After the presentation of the report of the receivers arguments will begin if nothing further is heard from the eastern bondholders. If they desire to send counsel the arguments will not be heard till Monday.

Aft. and eve., trapeze artists, Court'l'd.

SETTLED THE STRIP

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soon gave way to wooden structures. In the meantime grocery stores, meat markets, restaurants and saloons have been established in tents and the towns already begin to take on the appearance of municipalities.

Deadly Work of Blade and Bullet.

Near Black Bear, north of here, the dead body of James Reardon of Milford, Mass., was found on the prairie after the rush. He had been stabbed to death, and the weapon with which the crime had been committed was found sticking in his breast.

Further north the dead body of W. D. Blake, supposed to be from Gainesville, Tex., was found. He had been shot through the heart. It is not known whether he was murdered or shot by accident.

The dead body of Madeline Granger of Terre Haute, Ind., was also found on the prairie. There were no marks of violence upon her body, and it is believed she died from some natural cause.

Sooners Shot by Soldiers.

GUTHRIE, Okl., Sept. 16.—Information received here by courier tells of four sooners who were shot and fatally wounded last night by soldiers. The names of the killed are at present unknown.

The men killed had secured their certificates and had gone into the Strip to locate. Several soldiers came on the sooners and called on them to halt. They refused, whereupon the soldiers fired upon them.

WON A WATERLESS WILDERNESS.

Prairie Fires and Drouth Had Brought Desolation on the Strip.

ARKANSAS CITY, Kan., Sept. 16.—After the race was over and when the settler looked around to see "where he was at," he was sore, very sore. The man who had taken up a homestead found himself located upon about as apparently undesirable a patch of land as could well be found in the whole breadth of Uncle Sam's domain. Prairie fires had swept great tracts of land and left them black and uninviting. Other tracts had been cut clear of hay by men who have made a living, and some of them fortunes, gathering the prairie grass. What hay had been left by the fires and hay makers was parched to a crisp by the recent hot winds and matted on the ground by the same agencies.

The prospect was a dreary one. Prairie extending as far as the eye could reach, relieved by no signs of human life excepting those brought into the desolate waste by the settlers themselves. Few of the homesteads were provided with natural water. The lack of water will be the great obstacle in the way of the homesteaders' comfort and that of his flocks and herds.

The season has been unusually dry, even for this dry climate. But little rain has fallen for a full month and none for the past two weeks. The creeks have run dry and the Arkansas and Cimarron rivers have reached a condition of stagnation, so that what little water is obtainable is of bad quality. There are very few springs in the Strip and the digging of wells in the sandy soil is a long and arduous process. They must be sunk at least 100 feet and in some cases 150 feet before water is found. Pending the digging of wells or a fall of rain the settlers will experience great difficulty, and in many cases, actual suffering, in providing water. In any case they will be obliged to haul it long distances from the rivers and then it will be insufficient and of undesirable quality. Most of the settlers have taken with them to their claims an ample supply of food and no inconvenience will be encountered on that score.

Tough on Townsiters, Too.

The townsiter was also a disappointed man when he found himself in possession of a much-coveted lot. In his dreams and fancies had pictured to himself a town at least. When he got his lot he found that he had a twenty-five-foot piece of land in the open prairie exactly similar to 1,000 other pieces, divided from each other only by imaginary lines. At the government townsites only the blocks had been surveyed, and it was