HOOSIERS WIN FIRST GAME

American Association Stars Bat Out Four Runs to Omaha's One.

CLEAN, FAST EXHIBITION OF BASE BALL

Visitors Show Splendid Form in Every Department and Home Team Matches Them in All but Batting.

American association stars from Indianapolis won from the Omaha team Wednesday afternoon by a score of 4 to 1. The victory was well earned, as the visitors made more than twice as many safe hits as the locals and played equally as clean a game in the field.

Beautiful weather greeted the rival league teams and a crowd of 1,000 people was out to see the opening contest of a series of five. Ball could hardly have been swifter or cleaner than that exhibited by both clubs, the errors being but one to a side and every sort of chance being attempted.

Owen was in the box for Omaha and was touched up for ten hits all told. Meanwhile Mr. Killen of the opposing team was simply unfindable after the first two innings, during which the Omahas managed to secure four singles for one run, their only one. It is indicative of the clever ball the easterners play that the only tally the Rangers could get was earned.

The brilliant fielding and lightning throwing to base by the Indianapolis men was a feature. As an individual fielding star Leftfielder Woodruff was the top liner. He caught eight fly balls out of as many chances, and some of them were wonders.

As a hitter the deaf mute first baseman, Kihm, swept the boards for the afternoon. He poled out a single, a two-sacker and a triple. Today the same teams play again. Score:

INDIANAPOLIS.

	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Hogriever, rf	5	0	1	0	0	0
Fox, 2b	4	0	1	0	4	0
Coulter, cf	4	1	1	1	0	0
Kihm, 1b	4	1	3	12	0	0
O'Brien, ss	4	1	1	0	2	0
Kuhn, 3b	4	0	1	0	2	0
Woodruff, lf	4	0	1	8	0	0
Matthews, c	3	1	0	6	0	1
Killen, p	3	0	1	0	3	0
Totals	34	4	10	27	11	1

OMAHA.

	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Genins, 3b	4	0	1	1	1	0
Carter, rf	3	0	0	2	2	0
Wright, 1b	4	0	1	12	1	0
Dolan, ss	3	0	0	5	4	0
Stewart, 2b	3	1	1	0	6	0
Welch, lf	4	0	1	3	0	1
Thomas, cf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Gonding, c	2	0	0	2	2	0
Owen, p	3	0	0	1	3	0
Totals	29	1	4	27	19	1

Indianapolis	0	1	1	0	0	2	0	0	0—4
Omaha	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—1

Earned runs: Indianapolis, 2; Omaha, 1. Three-base hit: Kihm. Sacrifice hits: Gonding, Killen. Two-base hit: Kihm. Stolen bases: Dolan, Hogriever. Left on bases: Indianapolis, 4; Omaha, 4. Bases on balls: Off Owen, 2; off Killen, 3. Struck out: By Owen, 1; by Killen, 5. Time: 1:30. Umpires: Moran and Figgemeier.

ATHLETICS ARE CHAMPIONS

Philadelphia Clinches the American League Pennant in Two Games with Baltimore.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 24.—The Philadelphia American league team, popularly known as the "Athletics," defeated Baltimore twice today and thus won the championship of the league for 1902. The new champions fought hard for both games. Good opportune hitting won the first contest. In the second game the home players tied the score in the eighth inning on a single and two doubles. They won in the ninth, after two men were out on two bases on balls and a wild pitch, on which Hartzel scored from second base. Attendance, 7,731. Score, first game:

PHILADELPHIA.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.	BALTIMORE.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Hartzel, lf	2	1	1	0	0	McFarland, cf	1	2	1	0	0
Fultz, cf	1	2	1	0	0	Selbach, lf	1	2	4	0	0
Davis, 1b	0	2	9	0	1	Howell, ss	1	1	2	4	0
L. Cross, 3b	0	1	1	3	0	Jones, 1b	2	2	9	0	0
Seybold, rf	1	1	5	2	0	Arndt, 2b	0	0	1	1	0
Murphy, 3b	0	0	5	2	0	Mathison, 3b	0	1	1	1	0
M. Cross, ss	1	1	2	2	0	Wilts, rf	0	0	4	0	0
Schreck, c	1	1	2	2	2	Smith, c	0	0	0	1	0
McAllister, p	1	1	0	1	1	Butler, p	0	0	1	2	0
						*Williams	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	7	10	27	13	4	Totals	5	9	24	7	0

*Batted for Butler in the ninth.

Philadelphia	1	0	4	0	0	2	0	0	*	—7
Baltimore	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	1	0	—5

Earned runs: Baltimore, 2; Philadelphia, 4. Two-base hits: McFarland, Jones, Davis, L. Cross, McAllister. Three-base hit: Hartzel. Sacrifice hit: McAllister. Stolen bases: Howell, Fultz. Double plays: Seybold to Davis, McAllister to L. Cross to Davis. Left on bases: Baltimore, 4; Philadelphia, 7. First base on balls: Off Butler, 6; off McAllister, 2. Struck out: By McAllister, 2. Time: 1:30. Umpire: Connolly.

Score, second game:

PHILADELPHIA.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.	BALTIMORE.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Hartzel, lf	2	1	2	0	0	McFarland, cf	0	0	4	0	0
Fultz, cf	1	3	4	0	0	Selbach, lf	0	1	5	0	0
Davis, 1b	1	1	11	0	0	Howell, ss	1	0	1	0	2
L. Cross, 3b	1	1	1	2	0	Jones, 1b	1	1	9	0	0
Seybold, rf	0	2	2	0	0	Arndt, 2b	1	2	1	2	0
Murphy, 2b	0	0	2	1	2	Mathison, 3b	0	0	2	3	0
M. Cross, ss	0	1	1	3	0	Katoll, rf	1	1	1	0	0
Schreck, c	0	0	4	1	0	Smith, c	0	0	3	0	1
Wilson, p	0	0	0	4	0	Wiltze, p	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	5	9	27	11	2	Totals	4	*8	*26	6	3

*Two out when winning run was made.

Philadelphia	0	0	1	1	0	0	2	0	—	5
Baltimore	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	—4

Earned runs: Philadelphia, 2. Two-base hits: Arndt, Hartzel, L. Cross, Seybold. Sacrifice hit: Mathison. Stolen bases: Howell, Hartzel, Davis. Double play: Davis (unassisted). Left on bases: Baltimore, 9; Philadelphia, 7. First base on balls: Off Wiltse, 3; off Wilson, 2. Hit by pitcher: By Wilson, 2. Struck out: By Wiltse, 4; by Wilson, 1. Passed ball: Smith. Wild pitch: Wiltse. Time: 1:46.

Enough for Washington.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 24.—Four errors by Boston, mingled with six hits, gave Washington sufficient runs to win today's game. Orth had the visitors at his mercy, allowing them only three hits up to the ninth inning. Attendance, 1,062. Score:

WASHINGTON.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.	BOSTON.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Doyle, rf	1	1	1	0	0	Dougherty, lf	0	0	1	0	1
Ryan, cf	1	1	3	0	0	Parent, ss	1	1	0	3	1
Stanley, lf	1	0	3	0	0	Stahl, cf	0	1	2	1	0
Keister, 2b	1	2	0	4	0	Freeman, rf	1	1	0	0	0
Barry, 1b	0	2	15	1	0	Gleason, 2b	0	1	2	3	0
Ats, 1b	1	1	0	2	0	LaChance, 1b	0	0	14	0	0
Ely, ss	2	1	2	2	0	Ferris, 2b	0	0	0	2	2
Clarke, c	1	2	0	0	0	Warner, c	0	1	4	0	0
Orth, p	0	1	1	2	1	Sparks, p	0	0	0	4	1
Totals	8	12	27	11	1	Totals	2	5	24	13	5

Washington	0	0	6	0	0	2	0	0	*	—8
Boston	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	—2

Earned runs: Washington, 1; Boston, 1. Two-base hits: Carey, Parent, Warner. Three-base hit: Gleason. Struck out: By Sparks, 2. Left on bases: Washington, 4; Boston, 4. Time: 1:30. Umpire: Johnstone.

Postponed Games.

At Chicago—Chicago-St. Louis, both games postponed; rain.

At Cleveland—Cleveland-Detroit, game postponed; rain.

Standing of the Teams.

	Played.	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Philadelphia	134	83	51	.620
St. Louis	131	75	56	.573
Chicago	129	73	57	.558
Boston	124	74	60	.552
Cleveland	132	68	65	.511
Washington	134	59	75	.440
Detroit	132	50	82	.379
Baltimore	132	50	85	.371

Games today: St. Louis at Chicago, Detroit at Cleveland, Philadelphia at Baltimore, Boston at Washington.

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PAPA BILL ON EASY STREET

Omaha Magnate Sans Himself and Dreams of Next Year's Pennant.

"Papa Bill" Rourke stood around sunning himself yesterday, looking idly back upon a busy and prosperous season of base ball. He felt good about the season of 1902 and he felt confident about the prospects for that of 1903. An abstract of his ruminations runs somewhat as follows:

"This talk about there being any change made in that percentage standing is all hot air. Kansas City is first, Omaha second and so on, and so they will remain. That meeting at St. Joseph next Thursday will not monkey with the standings. I feel confident of that. Of course there are many protests in; we all have some, in fact, but they will not be pushed. I have a couple myself, but shall say nothing about them unless compelled to in self-defense by the actions of some other manager in insisting that his be considered.

"The real object of this meeting is to see where we all stand and to make plans for the season of 1903. There has been talk of compromise with the American association and we have been approached to that end by emissaries from that league. I do not believe there will be any compromise. Burns and Van Brunt, the biggest moneyed men of us all, are in favor of us plugging on ahead and fighting it out to a finish, and, as they will be the heavy losers if anyone is, the rest of us cannot object. I would certainly have no kick coming, as I could break even in this town even under the most unfavorable circumstances.

"Concerning my next year's team I can say just this. I have signed just one man so far. That is Eddie Hickey. Then I may safely say that Stewart, Dolan, Genins and Gonding will be with me sure. That gives me five strong men which will make a very good nucleus round with to build a team. I have made definite offers to almost all the rest of the men with whom I finished the season, but they are chary of signing yet, as ball players always are so early after the finish. They say that Owen goes to the White Stockings and Brown to the St. Louis National league team. I do not know. I have offered each good money—$300 a month—and I think it would pay them to stay with me and be star men rather than go to a place where they run a big chance of not making good. Of course their salaries would be larger in the big leagues, but they will be in with a bunch of twelve or fifteen pitchers at the first of the season, and they will have to work for their places."

In the National League.

Games today: New York at Philadelphia, St. Louis at Cincinnati.

Postponed Games.

At New York—New York-Boston game postponed; wet grounds.

At Cincinnati—Cincinnati-St. Louis game postponed; wet grounds.

PING PONG TOURNEY A SUCCESS

Jerome McGee Wins the Handsome Silver Stein in First Event.

Before a crowd of spectators that frequently overtaxed the capacity of the gallery, Jerome Magee won the first ping pong tournament at the parlors in The Bee building last night, playing through a field of thirty-two entries to victory in five rounds. Magee thus took first prize, a handsome silver stein, while Sam Burns, who was defeated only by Magee in the final round, took second prize, a miniature silver loving cup.

Magee won on his slashing Lawford stroke, which has made him known as the showiest and speediest tennis player who ever hit Omaha, and which is especially effective in ping pong, where no overhand strokes are legitimate. The pole vaulter had his game down to perfection, and was safe as well as swift. His match with Burns was won by 6-0, 6-1.

Society sent a large quota of its satellites out to witness the play. The entire tournament was played off in the one night, beginning at 8 o'clock. Four tables were kept busy till the semi-final round, and interest was keen. There were many closely fought matches, notable among them being that of Tom Creigh and F. M. Smith, which the latter finally won by scores of 4-6, 6-3, 12-10. George Pritchett was playing a very strong game the early part of the evening, but was put away in the third round by Magee, 6-3, 6-4.

The initial tournament was voted a great success and others will doubtless follow, probably some for women, and some mixed affairs. The summary by rounds reads:

First Round—Fred Hamilton beat Charles Shiverick, 6-3, 6-3; J. L. Houston, jr., beat J. L. Paxton, 6-4, and then by default; Spike Kennedy beat George Rasmussen, 7-5, 6-2; Sam Burns, jr., beat Frank Haskell, 6-3, 9-7; Joe Baldrige beat Stockton Heth, by default; Tom Creigh beat Lee McShane, by default; F. M. Smith beat J. Rymmelhart, 4-6, 6-3, 7-5; Wood Allen beat W. Hearle, 4-6, 7-5, 6-1; Ezra Millard beat Will Burns, by default; A. Benn beat Benny Cotton, 6-1, 6-1; Sam Caldwell beat W. K. Cundiff, by default; J. E. Buckingham beat A. V. Kinsler, by default; Jerry Magee beat R. T. Burns, 6-1, 8-6; Harry Tukey beat W. P. Palmer, 6-4, 5-7, 6-4; George Pritchett beat George McIntyre, 6-0, 6-2.

Second Round—Hamilton beat Houston, 6-4, 6-4; Sam Burns beat Rasmussen, 6-4, 6-2; Creigh beat Baldridge, by default; Smith beat Allen, 6-3, 6-1; Millard beat Benn, 4-6, 6-3, 6-1; Caldwell beat Buckingham, by default; Magee beat Rustin, 6-4, 6-0; Pritchett beat Tukey, 1-6, 8-6, 6-2.

Third Round—Sam Burns beat Hamilton, 6-4, 6-4; Smith beat Creigh, 4-6, 6-3, 12-10; Caldwell beat Millard, 6-4, 6-2; Magee beat Pritchett, 6-3, 6-4.

Semi-Final Round—Sam Burns beat Smith, 6-4, 7-5; Magee beat Caldwell, 6-2, 6-3.

Final Round—Magee beat Sam Burns, 6-0, 6-1.

DEVIL CARS GO AWFUL PACE

One of Them at Providence Track Gets Down Near Mile-Per-Minute Pace.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Sept. 24.—World's records were smashed at Narragansett park today and the second annual race meeting of the Rhode Island Automobile club was a great success, despite bad weather.

George C. Cannon was the sensation of the day. He clinched his title to the steam championship of the world by driving the famous car of his own construction in 1:05¼, the fastest mile ever made over the Narragansett park track. The previous world's record was 1:07 2-5, held by Mr. Cannon himself. Then, to complete his fame, the young Harvard student set a new world's record for steam cars for five miles at 6:05 flat, reducing the previous mark from 6:43 1-5, another record of his own. His time by quarters for his world's record was 0:16½, 0:33, 0:49¼, 1:05¼. His five-mile record was 1:12½, 2:26¾, 3:41½, 4:54, 6:05.

Alex Winton and his "Bullet" were held back by the strong wind, but they covered six miles in 6:39 3-5. Five miles were covered in 5:30 3-5, and the fastest single mile was 1:05 3-5.

Percy Owen won the thirty-horse-power and the free-for-all gasoline classes and the sweepstakes. Mr. Owen also won the sweepstakes a year ago.

The first race for motor bicycles, five miles, was won by George M. Hendee's "Indian" in 6:34 2-5. The open class for electric carriages, two miles, was won by Knight Neftel in a car of his own make in 4:23.

Then Alex Winton and his "Bullet," in the five-mile race, broke the track record, the first time around, in 1:06¼. The second mile was in 1:05¾, the third in 1:06½, the fourth in 1:06¼ and the fifth, the fastest, in 1:05 3-5. The heavy wind prevented him completing ten miles.

A gasoline machine, under 1,200 pounds, went five miles in 7:42½. The special race for touring cars was won by F. Tudor, jr., of Boston. Percy Owen, with Winton's "Pup," made the five miles in 6:25¾, to win the gasoline class, limited to thirty-horse-power. He won the free-for-all, five miles, in 6:43½, and the sweepstakes, same distance, in 6:14¾. A special race for motor bicycles was won by John Ruel, five miles, in 6:05½.

Joliet Races Still Delayed.

JOLIET, Ill., Sept. 24.—Rain prevented the second day's program at Ingall's park today. Over 150 horses are waiting an opportunity to race.

GOLF TOURNEY GETS START

Women Play Qualifying Round in the Interstate Championship.

MEN WILL TEE OFF THIS MORNING

Pairings and Time Announced to the Entries Yesterday Promise a Busy Session on Country Club Links Today.

Ideal golfing weather, bright and bracing, greeted the crowds of gutty chasers who assembled at the Country club yesterday morning for the opening day of the transmississippi golf tournament. The first day was given over to the women and this morning the qualifying round of the women's championship was played. There were ten entries, the eight lowest scores, medal play, to qualify. The following qualified:

Mrs. George W. Roope, Denver, 97; Miss Belle Dewey, 115; Mrs. A. P. Guiou, 127; Mrs. C. T. Kountze, 128; Miss Ella McShane, 134; Mrs. D. H. Wheeler, 134; Mrs. E. H. Sprague, 117; Mrs. D. B. Ellis, Denver, 116.

The other two entries were Miss May Shane, 153, and Miss Caroline Mercer, 138. These failed to qualify. For this afternoon's first round the eight who qualified are matched as follows:

Mrs. Roope and Mrs. Wheeler, Mrs. Sprague and Mrs. Guiou, Miss Dewey and Miss Ella McShane, Mrs. Ellis and Mrs. Kountze.

Mrs. Roope's score of 97 strokes was easily the lowest for the morning, so to her goes the silver flask as a trophy for best qualifying score.

Women Play Today Again.

Later it was decided not to play the preliminary round of the women's championship till Thursday, as the time was not pressing. The fact that there remain but eight qualifying players to play down necessitates but three rounds more, while had there been sixteen four rounds would have been needed. Thus the eight will play today at 12:30, just after the last pair of the men has started. The women's pairings will remain as published.

Late in the afternoon the women's contests in long driving and approaching and putting were held. Mrs. Roope of Denver took first honors in the driving contest, laying her gutty a good 137 yards distant from the tee.

The approaching and putting contest was closely played, Miss Ella McShane of Omaha winning. Each woman played three balls to the eighth hole from a point seventy-five yards distant. They played over the bunker and into the hole. The woman making the lowest aggregate score on all three balls took first. Miss McShane accomplished the feat of holing out all three in but nine strokes, which is very creditable work. That is an average of but three strokes to the ball.

In the evening social features held full sway at the Country club. Though not all of the entries had yet arrived, there was a considerable gathering of golfers there, and at 7 o'clock a table d'hote dinner was served to forty persons. At 8:30 music and dancing began, and by 9 o'clock the club was crowded with a great crush.

Pairings for Championship.

Pairings for the Transmississipi amateur golf championship were made public yesterday and show 102 men entered for the qualifying round. Play on this round begins at 9 o'clock on Thursday morning, at which time the first pair, Elliott Marshall of St. Joseph and H. G. Leavitt of Omaha, will leave tee No. 1. From that time on the pairs will start at intervals of four minutes. So many and there that the last pair, J. Baldrige and E. W. Dixon, will not get away till 12:20 in the afternoon.

The sixteen lowest scores at medal play will qualify and at 2 o'clock in the afternoon these sixteen will start in on the first round. The second round comes Friday morning at 9 o'clock, the third round Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock, the semi-final round at 9 o'clock Saturday morning and the final round for the championship at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon.

Meanwhile the second sixteen best scores will qualify for the consolation cup and the first round will occur Friday morning at 10 o'clock, the second Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock, the semi-final round Saturday morning at 9:15 and the final round at 2:15 in the afternoon. The pairings read:

9:00—Elliott Marshall and H. G. Leavitt.
9:04—C. C. St. Clair and T. R. Kimball.
9:08—H. D. Adams and W. E. Martin.
9:12—H. E. Ely and E. M. Morsman, jr.
9:16—J. H. Reynolds and W. A. Redick.
9:20—C. W. McConaughy and H. B. Morrill.
9:24—John Murphy and K. E. Jewett.
9:28—F. W. Maxwell and E. M. Fairfield.
9:32—C. M. Carter and H. Lawrie.
9:36—B. F. Gulnaud and H. C. Sumney.
9:40—J. R. Maxwell and R. R. Kimball.
9:44—P. B. Clark and H. C. Cartan.
9:48—W. H. Ferguson and A. L. Reed.
9:52—W. H. Daggett and W. Rogers.
9:56—Ray Huttenlocher and Clemy St. Clair.
10:00—J. H. Butler and J. T. Stewart 2d.
10:04—W. H. Dunshee and J. P. Hobbs.
10:08—F. L. Woodward and J. R. Lemist.
10:12—D. B. Ellis and W. J. Foye.
10:16—W. Dickinson and A. V. Kinsler.
10:20—T. Hufford and W. D. Bancker.
10:24—S. A. Foster and J. Q. Adams.
10:28—G. H. Titus and J. W. Robb.
10:32—J. G. Berryhill, jr., and E. V. Lewis.
10:36—M. V. Bolton and D. M. Vinsonhaler.
10:40—F. L. Houck and Ward Burgess.
10:44—John Powers and W. H. McCord.
10:48—H. H. Ferguson and H. E. Bush.
10:52—R. H. Finkbine and J. B. Rahm.
10:56—C. A. Galloway and Herb Howell.
11:00—John Francis and E. H. Sprague.
11:04—C. B. Wahlquist and H. C. Townsend.
11:08—A. M. Barnhardt and J. F. Schmelzer.
11:12—Dr. A. O. Hunt and G. M. Entriken.
11:16—J. D. Foster and H. R. Penney.
11:20—J. J. Dickey and J. A. Scobie.
11:24—J. S. Brady and M. C. Peters.
11:28—E. C. Finkbine and H. T. Lemist.
11:32—Oscar Allen and R. B. Busch.
11:36—L. M. Smith and L. Drake.
11:40—H. Cummings and C. Wilhelm.
11:44—W. P. Hall and C. S. Montgomery.
11:48—G. N. Peake and F. G. Strickland.
11:52—Frank Hamilton and J. E. Baum.
11:56—Thomas Kilpatrick and F. Colpetzer.
12:00—E. E. Bruce and W. F. Smith.
12:04—F. P. Kirkendall and C. N. Dietz.
12:08—Fred Hamilton and C. D. Kountze.
12:12—A. J. Love and J. A. Kuhn.
12:16—J. L. Kennedy and D. Baum.
12:20—J. Baldridge and E. W. Dixon.

The Omaha Field club members and their friends as well as friends of Country club members are invited to the grounds during the days to witness the play during the tournament.

MOROS ARE HARD TO REACH

Chaffee Cables that Captain Pershing Has Had to Return to Camp Vicars.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 24.—That the task of reducing the Moros to terms is proving difficult is indicated by the following cablegram received today by the War department from General Chaffee:

MANILA, Sept. 23, 1902.—Adjutant General Washington: Captain John J. Pershing returned to Vicars; unable to reach Macin forts; water and swamps prevented. CHAFFEE.

The dispatch means that Captain Pershing has been compelled to retreat to his base at Camp Vicars, and that the Moro position is much stronger than was believed by army officers.

The Chief of Healers.

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SIAM'S CROWN PRINCE COMES

Will Be Here in October with a Retinue of Natives of Terrible Names.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 24.—The Siamese minister, Mr. Phya Akharaj Haradhara, accompanied by Mr. Edward H. Loftus, the secretary of legation, conferred with Third Assistant Secretary of State Pierce today respecting the forthcoming visit to the United States of Crowfa Maha Vajariavudh, the crown prince of Siam. The visit will be semi-official in character. The crown prince does not wish to be burdened with a full official reception which would divert him from the more serious purposes of his trip, but he does wish to have sufficient official recognition to insure comfort in his movements and opportunities to meet persons who may assist him in his mission, which is to study our industrial establishments. The royal visitor will spend about six weeks in this pursuit, in that time traversing the country from New York to San Francisco, at which point he takes ship for home.

The president has designated Secretary Pierce to represent the government in looking after the comfort of the crown prince, whose expenses will be defrayed by himself, except in small matters. David B. Sickles, vice president and treasurer of the American Surety company of New York, and who, during President Hayes' administration was minister to Siam, will assist Mr. Pierce. The prince's suite consists of Colonel Ravajalloboh, first aide-de-camp; Camp Luang Sarasidhi, second aide-de-camp; Mon. R. Anuavatra, private secretary; his royal highness, Prince Chakrobinse, brother of the crown prince, and an aide officer and attendants not yet designated.

He will sail for New York October 10 and will be presented to President Roosevelt at the first opportunity. Both of the Siamese princes speak English perfectly and are, in large part, European bred.

EDUCATION FOR OFFICERS

New Scheme for the Army Proposed by Secretary Root Before Starting West.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 24.—Before leaving for the west Secretary Root issued an order establishing the general scheme of education and training of officers of the army. The order establishes schools at every post of the army for officers, including all lieutenants and captains of less than ten years service as commissioned officers. These schools take the place of the former method of training in the officers' schools and lyceums. It is not intended that officers shall be forever attending recitations. Under the old system of lyceum instruction there was no such thing as graduation, but under the new scheme prepared under the direct supervision of the secretary of war, officers will be able generally within two years to secure certificates in all the courses which they are required to pursue. The purpose is to give officers a thorough technical knowledge of drill regulations, guard duty, target practice, service with troops in camp, military law, field engineering and other branches of knowledge indispensable to military men. Recitations are prescribed for the junior officers and this practical course will occupy two periods of ninety days each between November 1 and April 30. Every lieutenant will be required to establish his fitness not only in the theories of his ordinary duties, but also must learn practically the duties of adjutant, quartermaster, commissary and those of other staff bureaus.

It is intended that the officers who establish the greatest professional aptitude under the provisions of this order shall be selected for further instruction at the general service and staff college and the war college at Washington.

WESTERN MATTERS AT CAPITAL

Postmasters Appointed and Rural Free Delivery Routes Established.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

WASHINGTON, Sept. 24.—(Special Telegram.)—Postmasters appointed:

Nebraska—E. T. Foe, Cowles, Webster county, vice Charles E. Putnam, resigned.

Iowa—Charles Brubaker, Medford, Warren county; Mrs. Lottie Baxter, Muchakinock, Mahaska county.

Wyoming—Mrs. Nellie Gabbott, Carbon, Carbon county.

Rural free delivery will be established at Chester, Howard county, Ia., November 1, with two carriers. The routes embrace an area of thirty-six square miles, containing a population of 900. The postoffice at Hanover, Buena Vista county, Ia., has been ordered discontinued.

George Fenton, Charles E. Wilson and W. H. Wooster have been appointed substitute carriers at Marshalltown, and Wilber Say at Clarinda, Ia.

The postoffices at Craig and Wood River, Neb., become international money order offices, and the office at Finchford a domestic money order office on October 1.

PENSIONS FOR WESTERNERS

Survivors of the Wars Generously Remembered by the General Government.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 24.—(Special.)—The following pensions have been granted:

Issue of September 3:

Nebraska: Increase, reissue, etc.—John Fosler, Milford, $8. Widows, minors and dependent relatives—Nancy Houck, Sutherland, $8.

Iowa: Widows, minors and dependent relatives—Minors of William W. Patterson, Council Bluffs, $12; Catherine Young, Nevada, $8; Emily E. Maxwell, Volga, $12.

South Dakota: Widows, minors and dependent relatives—Hannah E. Cordes, Redfield, $8.

Issue of September 4:

Nebraska: Increase, reissue, etc.—Alvin Nelson, Lincoln, $10. Widows, minors and dependent relatives—Minor of Henry Liebhart, Dawson, $2; Emily A. Fullman, Valparaiso, $8.

South Dakota: Increase, reissue, etc.—Daniel Thomas, Mitchell, $8.

Iowa: Original—John Dobler, Davenport, $6; Jesse R. Ong, Iowa City, $6; John E. Throw, Red Oak, $8 (war with Spain). Increase, reissue, etc.—John D. H. Wright, Spencer, $12; George Goodman, Waukon, $8. Widows, minors and dependent relatives—Mary Woods, Clinton, $8; Allie E. Chambers, Le Claire, $8; Mary A. Parks, Cincinnati, $8; Sarah Badley, Keen, $12; Margaret Woodruff, Washington, $12.

MONTGOMERY TO INVESTIGATE

Cruiser Sails from Cape Haytien to Examine Situation in Regard to Blockade.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 24.—The cruiser Montgomery sailed yesterday from Cape Haytien for Gonaives, St. Mary's and Port de Paix to investigate the situation at those ports in connection with the blockade declared by the provisional government of Hayti.

These three places are in the possession of the revolutionists and Montgomery will investigate to determine whether the blockade is effective or simply a paper declaration. So far as known here the provisional government has no ships with which to enforce a blockade.

San Francisco got away from Norfolk for Cape Haytien, where it will relieve Montgomery if the situation at Santa Marta Colombia, should necessitate the sending of the latter ship to that point.

LORD DERBY CAPTURES PRIZE

Ten Thousand Dollar Purse at Readville is His Winning.

THE RAJAH ALSO MARRIES PROFITABLY

Weds Himself to the $7,000 New England Futurity for Foals of '99—Pacing Team Makes Good Mark.

READVILLE, Mass., Sept. 24.—Twenty-one thousand dollars in purses was offered for the events of the New England Breeders' meet at the Readville track today. Lord Derby captured the $10,000 purse in the 2:07 trot, while the other big purse, $7,000, for the New England futurity for foals of 1899, was won by The Rajah, sired by the Prince of India. Another feature was the trial by B. F. Dutton's pacing team, Dariel, 2:05¼, and Connor, 2:03¾, against their own team record of 2:10. They made two trials and in each succeeded in lowering their former record a second and a quarter.

There were but three entries in the 2:07 trot. Lord Derby drew the pole, with Chain Shot next, then Onward, Silver and Anzella outside. Some little difficulty was encountered in scoring the first heat. Lord Derby coming down slowly. Finally the judges threatened to fine Spear unless he drove Lord Derby down with the others and a good start was made. Lord Derby broke just after the starting and Anzella took the pole, led all around and finished first, Lord Derby just escaping the distance flag. In the second heat Chain Shot took the lead, with Anzella second and Lord Derby way behind at the half, but here Lord Derby began to assert his rights and rapidly overhauled the field. In the third and fourth heats Lord Derby outclassed the others and won easily.

The New England futurity stake brought out six starters. The bay horse Direct View, ran away from the others in the first heat and won in 2:16¼, but went in the air in the next two heats, which were won by The Rajah.

The best racing of the day was in the 2:19 pace, the game little horse Locanda winning a popular victory after losing the second heat through a break. Results:

2:07 trot, purse $10,000:

Lord Derby, b. g., by Mambrino King-Cloribel, by Almont Junior (Spear)	4	1	1	1
Anzella, b. m. (Sanders)	1	3	4	4
Chain Shot, b. g. (McDonald)	2	2	2	2
Onward Silver, ch. h. (Hussey)	3	4	3	3

Time: 2:06¾, 2:07¾, 2:08¾, 2:09.

2:09 pace, purse $2,000:

Locanda, br. h., by Allerton-Kathrina, by Alcyone (Brodbine)	1	5	1	1
Terrill S, ch. h. (Lassell)	3	1	5	2
Kitonica, b. h. (Lozier)	2	2	2	3
Diavolo, br. g. (O'Neil)	4	3	4	6
Sphinx S, ch. g. (Spear)	5	3	3	4
Art Alco, b. g. (Timothy)	7	4	6	5
Cinch, ch. g. (Bass)	6	6	7	7

Time: 2:07½, 2:08¾, 2:07¾, 2:08¾.

2:24 trot, purse $2,000:

Maxine, b. m., by Jackdaw-Pansy McGregor (Lyons)	1	1	1	
Katrinka, b. m. (Lozier)	2	2	2	
Invader, b. g. (Demarest)	5	3	3	
Melton, b. h. (Lassell)	3	6	6	
Red Cliff, ch. g. (Carpenter)	4	4	4	
Kamerer, b. h. (Young)	8	5	5	
Nanita, b. m. (Switzer)	9	7	7	
Boralma Brother, b. h. (Paige)	7	8	8	
Handspring, b. h. (Pierce)	6	ds		

Time: 2:11¾, 2:11¼, 2:12¼.

New England Futurity, foals of 1899, purse $7,000:

The Rajah, b. g., by Prince of India-Buffalo Maiden (Lyons)	2	1	1
Direct View, b. h. (McDonald)	1	3	5
Kyrillis, ch. h. (Young)	3	4	3
Oxford Boy, b. h. (Paine)	4	2	3
Fruition, b. g. (Cheney)	6	6	4
Highland Laddie, blk. h. (Milan)	5	5	6

Time: 2:16¼, 2:18½, 2:18¾.

Against time to beat 2:10 pacing to team: Dariel, b. m., and Connor, blk. g. (McDonald), won in both heats. Time: 2:08¾, 2:08¾.

REGULARS IN THE PARADE

Secretary of War Designates Which Are to March with the Grand Army Veterans.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 24.—At the request of the local committee having in charge the annual encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic, the secretary of war has instructed the commanding general, Department of the East, to direct the following named troops of the army to participate in the military parade of Tuesday, October 7: