

OLDFIELD MAKES NEW MARK

In the Mile Run Nearly One-Half Second is Cut Off.

HARROUN GOES A RAPID FIFTY

Immense Crowds Cheer the Drivers as They Speed Around Course at Indianapolis Performing the Feats.

INDIANAPOLIS, May 31.—In snatching races at the Indianapolis speedway new records were set for the national championship in stock car classes, which will be contested annually.

A crowd of 25,000 people cheered the drivers on to desperate feats of speed and the companies of militia were pressed hard in controlling the eager spectators who overflowed the grandstands on to the field, straining for a near view of the heroes of the motors.

Oldfield cut the mile speed record down from 23.7 to 22.5. He made the former record on the Los Angeles track. In a wonderfully fast dash through-out the fifty-mile race Harroun easily led his rivals and was ahead of the record at thirty and forty miles and the finish. His time was 42.4. The former record, which was 44.6, Harroun himself had set at Atlanta.

BRAGG WINS TWO RACES

Caleb Bragg, the Cincinnati amateur, with his Fiat, was the third star of the day's triumphs. He won two ten-mile and one five-mile free-for-all race and had to put up a hard fight for each of them with Kirscher in a Darracq.

For the national championship, the drivers battled with all their skill, forcing their engines to the limit of their power. The leaders were always hunched at the home stretch and the contests were not decided until the front wheels of the victors actually had crossed the wire of the timing machine.

The entries had been cut down by the strict decisions of the technical committee of the American Automobile association, which stated that every car that did not comply with the specifications as to weight and cylinder measurements in the various sections should be barred. But the races were none the less sensational because of the smaller fields of contestants.

L. Chevrolet, in a Buick, winning the 161 to 230 championship for ten miles, set the record down to 9:33 for 9:46 and Dawson (Marmon), wrestling from Harroun the victory in the 231 to 300 class for five miles put a new mark at 4:41, seven seconds better than the old time.

SETS A FAST PACE

Oldfield in a Knox won both the five and mile championships in the 451 to 600 class, which included the highest power cars recognized under the stock car racing rules. Leading all the way, Oldfield cut down the record for five miles from 4:33 to 4:30.

The honor for setting the championship record for ten miles in the 301 to 401 class went to Aitken (National), who pulled down the time from 5:38 to 7:33.

Only two accidents marred the day's sport and in neither of them was anyone injured, though Harroun had the narrowest escape from death that he had ever experienced. His Marmon Wasp, with which he so brilliantly won the 300 mile race Saturday, burst a tire and buried itself on the cement wall that guards the upper margin of the track. Sliding along the top of the wall, the car tore a furrow in the cement for fifty feet and then toppled over, flinging Harroun from his seat. He picked himself up unhurt, but his Wasp was a smart of steel. It was only partial consolation for his loss when F. H. Wheeler, vice president of the Speedway company, leading him before the thronged grandstands, presented him with the \$10,000 silver trophy and a check for \$1,000, which he won in the 300-mile race.

Nobody Hurt

The second accident of the day occurred in the five-mile free-for-all, when Kirscher's Darracq cast high in the air one of its front tires. Summoning all his strength, the driver held his car steady, flying car true to the track and finally turned off into the inner field and stopped itself in the sand. The ten-mile race for cars of 161 to 230 cubic inches piston displacement started with four entries: Buman, Bulck; L. Chevrolet; Frayer, Preston, and Miller; Warren, Detroit; Chevrolet jumped to the lead at the start, with Burman a close second, and they held this order to the finish, drawing far ahead from Frayer, who finished third, and Miller fourth. Time: 9:33. This was the first of the national championship races. A new record was set in this class, the former record was 9:46.

Dawson, Marmon, won the five-mile championship for cars of 231 to 300 inches piston displacement in 4:41.5. This breaks the old record, which was 4:44.

Harroun, Marmon, was second; Anderson Marmon, third.

BRAGG TAKES THE LEAD

Bragg, Fiat, took the lead at the crack of the pistol in the five-mile free-for-all and won the race from Kirscher Darracq, second. Aitken, National, was third. Time: 7:33.

Harroun's Marmon snatched the victory from Dawson, Marmon, and Clark, Cutting, in the ten-mile championship for cars of 231 to 300 cubic inches displacement. The result was close. Time: 9:33.

Barney Oldfield, Knox, led all the distance in the championship five-mile race for the cars of 161 to 230 cubic inches displacement and broke the record in 4:30.3. The old time was 4:44. Aitken, National, was second and Kincaid, National, third.

Aitken, National, took first honors in the five-mile championship for cars 201 to 400 piston displacement. Kincaid, National, second and Merz, National, third. Time 4:37. Kincaid on Friday broke the record by going the distance in 4:37.7.

REED IN THE FIVE-MILE

Reed, driving a Stoddard-Dayton, won the five-mile free-for-all handicap in a field of sixteen cars. His handicap was 15 seconds. Toussy, National, 54 seconds, was second and Aitken, National, 37 seconds, was third. Time 7:33.6.

Oldfield, Knox, won a brilliant victory in the ten-mile championship for cars 61 to 99 inches displacement with Merz, National, second and Kincaid, National, third. Time 7:33.5.

Nine cars started in the biggest race of the day, the final event on the program, fifty miles for cars of 231 to 300 inches displacement.

The prize is a silver trophy valued at \$2,500. The starters were: Fox, Pope-Hartford; Scherfner, Jackson; Anderson, Marmon; Miller, Warren-Detroit; Kincaid, Great Western; Harroun, Marmon; Dawson, Marmon; Clark, Cutting, and Hisebe, Cutting.

WHAT A SUMMER COLD MAY DO

A summer cold, if neglected, is just as apt to develop into bronchitis or pneumonia as at any other season. Do not neglect it. Take Foley's Honey and Tar promptly. It loosens the cough, soothes and heals the inflamed air passages, and expels the mucus from the system. Sold in all drug stores.

Church Growth in United States is Showing Gains

Census Figures Show Ninety Communicants Out of Each 1,000 of the Population.

WASHINGTON, May 31.—Church growth in the United States has been greater than the increase in population, between the years 1900 and 1906, according to the special census report on the census of religious bodies for 1906, now in press.

Out of every 1,000 people in the 49 principal cities of the country, that is, those which had a population of more than 25,000, there were 499 church members, while for the area outside these cities there were 263, and for the entire country there were 393. As compared with 1900, the report shows a gain of thirty communicants in each 1,000 of population for the principal cities and a gain of fifty-one outside of them. Female members in 1906 outnumbered the male members by 32 per cent. In the principal cities the excess of female members was proportionately less, being 300,336, or 23.5 per cent.

Strike Ordered on All Southern Pacific Lines

Bridge Building Gangs to Go Out Because of Refusal of Demand for Higher Wages.

HOUSTON, Tex., May 31.—A strike of all members of the International Order of Maintenance of Way employees of the Southern Pacific lines was ordered tonight by President A. B. Lowe of St. Louis, the order to go into effect Wednesday.

Lowe will make a final effort to effect a compromise of the order's demands with President Pay of the railroad tomorrow, but does not expect to succeed. The strike will tie up all bridge building operations, along the line, according to an official of the order. The company, according to Lowe, has refused to recognize the order and also refused to grant a demand for higher wages.

Dangerous Surgery

In the abdominal region is presented by the use of Dr. King's New Life Pills, the painless purifiers. 25c. For sale by Beaton Drug Co.

Indictments for Insurance Men

Investigation of Merger of Fraternal Tribunes and American Home Circle Stir Fraternal Men.

ROCK ISLAND, Ill., May 31.—(Special Telegram.)—Conspiracy, embezzlement, larceny and perjury, are said to be among the accusations contained in the indictments prepared by State Attorney L. M. Magill for presentation to the Rock Island grand jury tomorrow, in the fraternal insurance case.

It is said that some of the persons against whom the indictments are directed, reside in Chicago, and others in Springfield, and other Illinois towns. Attorney H. A. Weld said today that he discovered, after the looting of the reserve fund, that certain men had received more than \$60,000 for accomplishing the merger of the Fraternal Tribunes with the American Home Circle, and that the \$25,000 that was paid to the officers of the Fraternal Tribunes was only a part of the main fund.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is sold on a guarantee that if you are not satisfied after using two-thirds of a bottle according to directions, your money will be refunded. It is up to you to try. Sold by all dealers.

HINZLE, ST. LOUIS MAN, DEAD

Went to His Room and Cut His Throat with a Knife.

COLUMBUS, Neb., May 31.—(Special Telegram.)—F. J. Hinzle, representing the G. V. Brauch Butcher Supply company of St. Louis, committed suicide in his room at the Meridian hotel some time between Sunday evening and this morning by cutting his throat with a knife. Hinzle arrived at the hotel Sunday evening and left a call for 7 a. m. When the clerk could get no response to the call, entrance to the room was gained through the transom and the man's body was discovered. Coroner Gass held an inquest and the jury returned a verdict of suicide.

Hinzle resides at Dubuque, Ia., and the coroner notified his relatives at the St. Louis house. He was about 50 years of age. His remains will be sent to Dubuque. When the body was discovered it was cold, indicating that he had been dead some time.

Conservation of Nature's Resources

Applies as well to our physical state as to material things. C. J. Budlong, Washington, R. I., realized his condition, and took warning before it was too late. He says: "I suffered severely from kidney trouble, the disease being hereditary in our family. I have taken your bottles of Foley's Kidney Remedy, and now consider myself thoroughly cured. This should be a warning to all not to neglect taking Foley's Kidney Remedy until it is too late."—Sold by all druggists.

Women, Don't Let Husband Know All

By MADAME VERON

(From Chicago Inter Ocean.) "Don't disillusion your husband altogether. Don't let him know every secret of your toilette. Conceal from him the processes by which you retain your beauty. Nothing is so disenchanteing to a man as to see his wife's face nightly smeared with cold cream. It is disgusting—and unnecessary.

"Any woman ought to keep her husband guessing all the time. He ought to have to say to his friends: 'Well, my wife is the most amazing problem I know about. She always looks about 16, and she neither paints nor powders.'"

"You can do this if you will dissolve a small original package of maystene in a half-pint of witch hazel and massage the face, neck and arms with this solution three or four times a week. You will shortly find you have a lovely, soft complexion, fair and dainty, without spot or blemish—lucely SHIRDLU hme-gin SHR SHR SHR and men the best of it all, that maystene prevents the growth of hair and is absolutely harmless to the most delicate skin. Make the solution yourself.

"Be beautiful, and don't let him know how you do it."—Adv.

ESTRADA WINS FIERCE FIGHT

Engages in Conflict Started by General Lora.

MADRIZ FORCES ARE REPULSED

Heavy Losses Sustained by Them After Long Conflict Waged Unsuccessfully Near Bluefields.

BLUEFIELDS, Nicaragua, May 31.—General Lora, commander of the Madriz forces, again attacked General Estrada's position yesterday. About 3 o'clock in the morning he began an assault on Estrada's left flank with 500 men, but after hard fighting, in which many were killed and wounded, the Madriz troops were forced to retire. Estrada's losses were light.

About the same time an assault was begun on the extreme south flank, but this, too, failed, there being further heavy losses to Lora's men. Estrada succeeded in capturing a large number of prisoners, who report that General Lora is convinced that it will be impossible to take the entrenchments of the provisionals.

The port of Bluefields has been officially changed by the provisional government from the bluff to a point three miles up the Escondido river and the custom house has been officially removed to the city of Bluefields. The representatives of Madriz, however, who now hold the bluff, claim the right to stop all vessels proceeding in and out of the harbor for the purpose of collecting duties. This has complicated the situation and it is understood that a ruling of the American State department as to whom duties shall be paid is awaited.

There are rumors current that the bluff was lost to Estrada through treachery and the taking of this strong position by the Madriz forces has materially lessened Estrada's chances of success.

Bargain Counter Offerings—You will find The Bee Want Ad Pages a successful medium for reaching buyer and seller.

Farmers Lose Big Elevator at Dorchester

Ten Thousand Dollars' Loss Sustained and Burlington Loses Water Tank.

LEASE OF LIFE FOR HOOKWORM

State Board of Health of Texas Will Not Act. CANNOT WORK WITH COMMISSION

DORCHESTER, Neb., May 21.—(Special Telegram.)—Fire which broke out here at 11:45 p. m. tonight destroyed the Farmers' elevator and the water tank of the Burlington company, which stood behind it. The loss on the elevator is estimated at \$10,000. The building was valued at \$4,500 and in it were from 5,000 to 6,000 bushels of grain. The fire was discovered in the top of the elevator, and as the only water supply was the hose at the station, which would not reach the height, the flames spread with uninterrupted progress. The elevator was burned to the ground at 1:30; there was nothing remaining but the heaps of blazing corn. The loss to the railroad company in the destruction of the water tank is not at present known.

AUSTIN, Tex., May 31.—Not one cent of the Rockefeller \$1,000,000 fund for the investigation of the hookworm disease will be spent in Texas, according to State Health Officer Brumby. When asked the reason the doctor said today: "There are a number of hitches we don't care to discuss. It suffices to say there will be no hookworm investigation. It was impossible for the State Board of Health and the hookworm commission to get together. The commission wanted the board to duplicate the amount to be spent by the commission and this was not possible, it is said."

ALL PARTY LINES ARE IGNORED

Republicans and Democrats Join Hands to Denounce Legislative Members.

EFFINGHAM, Ill., May 31.—A call was signed tonight by the chairman of the republican and democratic central committees for a mass meeting of voters of Effingham county, to be held here next Saturday for the purpose of adopting resolutions denouncing the present members of the legislature from this, the forty-second district. D. W. Hostlaw is the senator and D. J. C. Beckemeyer, M. C. McMackin and Harvey McCullom, the representatives. Those who are planning the meeting express the hope that Marion, Clinton and Clay counties, also in the forty-second district, will take similar action.

Persistent Advertising is the Road to Big Returns.

Blizzard Sweeps Superior Region

Boats Are Seeking Haven of Port as Refuge from Wind and Cold.

DETROIT, Mich., May 31.—A special to the Detroit News from Calumet says that Lake Superior and the surrounding country are in the grip of a fierce blizzard, with northerly winds and a heavy snowfall. All boats are seeking ports of refuge from the gale. A heavy sea is running all along the southern coast. No boats are reported within reach of the wireless. Wire and train service are practically demoralized.



Tired Worn-out Dishes. Dishes and pots and pans get tired and worn out—when they get dirty, greasy and sticky. They need a thorough cleansing—to put new life into them. Soap will not cleanse them below the surface, and besides leaves them with a "soapy" smell that is anything but appetizing.

Gold Dust is the real doctor for tired dishes. Gold Dust makes dish-water that digs—gets under the surface and searches out every hidden particle of dirt and germ that ordinary dish-water overlooks. Gold Dust not only cleanses—it sterilizes. Besides, Gold Dust will cut your dish-washing time right in two, and give you that much more leisure.

Do not use Soap, Naphtha, Borax, Soda, Ammonia or Kerosene with Gold Dust. Gold Dust has all desirable cleansing qualities in a perfectly harmless and lasting form. The Gold Dust Twins need no outside help. Made by THE N. K. FAIRBANK COMPANY, CHICAGO Makers of Fairy Soap (the oval cake)

"Let the Gold Dust Twins do your work"

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Journeyed 125 Miles to purchase "Blue Ribbon" Exhibit Pianos

MR. R. J. MCKAY, an exceptionally well known "knight of the grip," a traveling salesman, came to Omaha for an EXCEPTIONALLY fine piano, and GOT IT. Mr. McKay is a resident of Central City, Nebraska, and, learning of our showing of National Piano Dealers' Association Exhibit pianos, made up his mind to have something SUPERIOR to ordinary stock instruments. He purchased of us a superbly styled exhibit piano; a masterpiece in French burr walnut; an instrument that caused no end of comment at the recent Convention at Richmond, Virginia.

MR. O. E. BUCKLEY, another "drummer" who has made an unusual success of his calling, found his choice in a magnificent Ivers & Pond, Style "703"—an instrument in the rarest of San Domingo mahogany. Mr. Buckley resides in Norfolk, Nebraska—a considerable distance to come for a piano. We cite these two instances merely to show YOU what awaits you at YOUR very door—an exhibit of "Blue Ribbon" prize winning pianos that captured plaudits from the best posted retailers in America, when shown at Richmond, Virginia.

YOU may see these exquisite instruments WITHOUT traveling 125 miles from your home.

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