Nebraska

DIAMOND VALUES SHRINKING

Assessors Miss Them or People Are Passing Them Up.

TABLE OF FIGURES FOR STATE

Ninety-Seven Thousand Dollars' Worth Returned for Taxation by Owners—One Stone in Banner County.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

LINCOLN, Neb., Aug. 4.—(Special.)—Either the elective precinct assessors have not assessed all of the diamonds in Nebraska or the people are not investing in them as of yore, for the total value returned by the assessors to the State Board of Equalization is less this year than last. In 1909 the assessed value of all the diamonds in the state amounted to $97,256 and this year, with Gage county missing, the total valuation is $94,413. The Gage county diamonds last year were assessed at $2,283. Banner county still has its $5 worth of precious stones. The following table shows the assessed value of diamonds last year and this year by counties:

	1909.	1910.
Adams	$ 1,691	$ 2,004
Antelope	560	618
Banner	5	5
Blaine	20	20
Boone	268	283
Box Butte	1,008	1,065
Boyd	256	186
Brown	154	040
Buffalo	1,904	1,964
Burt	515	536
Butler	683	854
Cass	1,150	1,114
Cedar	904	967
Chase	4,300	137
Cherry	252	248
Cheyenne	508	470
Clay	1,502	1,324
Colfax	283	573
Cuming	556	582
Custer	1,667	1,047
Dakota	318	311
Dawes	398	512
Dawson	1,191	1,285
Deuel	60	67
Dixon	259	366
Dodge	3,190	3,415
Douglas	17,927	21,410
Dundy	56	87
Fillmore	528	501
Franklin	370	714
Frontier	81	143
Furnas	825	754
Gage	2,283	...
Garden	...	17
Garfield	...	101
Gosper	55	68
Grant	216	180
Greeley	54	181
Hall	2,983	3,915
Hamilton	2,000	1,155
Harlan	477	529
Hayes	6	8
Hitchcock	225	124
Holt	1,023	567
Hooker	...	33
Howard	724	656
Jefferson	1,312	1,414
Johnson	707	649
Kearney	253	338
Keith	227	326
Keya Paha	42	35
Kimball	37	42
Knox	537	417
Lancaster	17,127	16,000
Lincoln	619	922
Logan	25	10
Loup	5	10
Madison	1,426	1,814
McPherson	84	109
Merrick	553	1,112
Morrill	70	129
Nance	269	246
Nemaha	1,021	954
Nuckolls	1,064	766
Otoe	1,703	3,854
Pawnee	485	560
Perkins	142	185
Phelps	838	1,077
Pierce	559	727
Platte	1,207	1,510
Polk	355	432
Red Willow	822	1,078
Richardson	2,766	2,723
Rock	119	200
Saline	1,151	1,384
Sarpy	257	320
Saunders	1,235	1,602
Scott's Bluff	524	624
Seward	1,218	1,612
Sheridan	590	762
Sherman	141	373
Sioux	95	216
Stanton	190	323
Thayer	481	516
Thomas	....	119
Thurston	103	309
Valley	327	340
Washington	425	504
Wayne	615	523
Webster	1,091	773
Wheeler	...	153
York	1,464	1,519
Total	$97,256	$94,413

Exciting Time for Bishop.

E. C. Bishop, state superintendent, had a narrow escape from death by lightning during the recent electrical storm, and at the same time saved his home from being destroyed by fire only by the most strenuous work. Mr. Bishop was at home alone when he was awakened by fire in his room. With wet towels he smothered the flames in the room, only to discover another blaze in the attic which had eaten a hole through the ceiling. He climbed into the attic and put out that blaze and then discovered that the lightning which had set fire to the house had also melted a gas pipe and gas was burning. This necessitated the use of wet blankets and towels until finally this blaze was extinguished. Then the superintendent had to grope his way to the cellar and turn off the gas. He went out the front door in his pyjamas and the door locked behind him. This necessitated breaking in the rear door. It was past midnight, however, so the superintendent was not interrupted in his burglarious act.

Telephone Company Reports.

The Nebraska Telephone company today filed its report, showing the business it has done during the fiscal year. The gross receipts amounted to $2,032,854; total operating expenses, $1,441,811; interest paid, $27,154; taxes paid, $73,541; 8 per cent dividend on common stock, $278,013; insurance, $3,925; rights, privileges and use of other property, $39,528; net surplus, $118,882.

Tramp Injured by Cars.

FREMONT, Neb., Aug. 4.—(Special.)—A man, who gave his name as Tom Moore and his residence New York City, was found this morning on the Burlington tracks about a half mile south of the brewery with both legs nearly severed. He was conscious when found and said that he was walking along the track about 10:30 last night when he was struck by a train. His injuries, however, plainly show that he was run over by car wheels, and it is the opinion of the surgeon who examined him that he must have fallen between two cars or fallen off a brake beam. He was taken to the hospital, but his condition is such that there are no hopes of his recovery. He says that he is a tramp and formerly a book agent.

Ringo Out of Race.

PAPILLION, Neb., Aug. 4.—(Special.)—E. R. Ringo withdrew this morning from the senatorial race of this, the Fifth district. This leaves no contest in the primary on either side, practically ceaning that ex-Senator Laverty, republican, and E. E. Placek, fusionist, both of Sanders county, will be pitted against each other in the election proper.

Alleged Wife Murderer Held.

WAYNE, Neb., Aug. 4.—(Special.)—Henry Hograve, charged with the murder of his wife, was bound over to the district court. It is alleged that Hograve poisoned his wife with strychnine that he might marry another woman. At the preliminary trial the woman whom it is said he wanted to marry testified that Hograve several times told her he was going to poison his wife.

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Queer Pranks of Wind in Custer

Concrete Foundation of Barn Scattered Over Lot—Another Carried to Adjoining Farm.

BROKEN BOW, Neb., Aug. 4.—(Special.)—The long drought was broken in this part of the county Tuesday night when a severe rainstorm mingled with plenty of hail swept over town. The wind at times reached the proportions of a small tornado, breaking off branches of trees, blowing over telephone poles and creating other small damage. Out in the country the storm seemed to be more severe, commiting many vagaries along its path of destruction. At the farm of Thomas Noonan, south of town, the barn was lifted bodily and set on top of a large corncrib that had previously been unroofed, while all of the outbuildings were blown to pieces. Mrs. Robert Brindle, whose place joins Noonan's, was amazed to see her stable containing one horse accompany the wind across the boundary line and deposit itself on Noonan's property. The horse was found amid the wreckage on the interior with hardly a scratch on him. A new barn with concrete foundations on the Martin place, four miles south, was completely demolished, the foundations being scattered all over the yard. Over two inches of water fell in little less than an hour. The rain was badly needed here and it is now confidently predicted that over 70 per cent of the corn will be saved. Some damage is reported from the hail, but not enough to offset the general benefits of the storm.

Four Mill Levy Fixed for State

Reduction of One-Half Mill from Levy Made for Previous Year.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

LINCOLN, Aug. 4.—(Special.)—In the absence of Governor Shallenberger, the State Board of Equalization this afternoon fixed the levy for the state general fund at 4 mills, and the university levy of 1 mill was made. The general fund levy is reduced one-half of a mill from the levy of last year. The university levy is fixed by law.

The grand assesment roll approximately is $410,000,000, consequently the taxes to be paid into the general fund will be $1,640,000 and the university fund $164,000. Last ytar the taxes levied for the general fund amounted to $1,795,429, and the amount raised by the 1 mill university levy was $398,985.

Treasurer Brian and State Auditor Barton agreed to the levy of 4 mills for the general fund and did not attend the meeting, only Secretary of State Junkin and Land Commissioner Cowles being present.

THRESHING MACHINE IS BURNED BY INCENDIARY

Oil Poured Over New Separator of C. G. Johnson of Central City and Match Appled.

CENTRAL CITY, Neb., Aug 4.—Was the threshing machine of C. J. Johnson, living south of town destroyed by some enemy, or by some competitor, who was provoked because he would not increase his charge for threshing grain the same as other operators in the neighborhood had done? This is a question that is hard to answer, but there is an interesting story connected with the occurrence and several features of more than common interest. Tuesday night he brought his outfit home and left it in the back yard. About 1:30 o'clock Johnson was aroused by his wife, who had been awake, and looking out of the window had discovered the separator on fire. He hastened out to the burning machine, but he says that although the fire was just started he discovered that it spread with a sweep over the whole machine, indicating that oil or some other highly inflamable material had been spread over it. In a few minutes the machine was a mass of ruins. Johnson was thoroughly convinced from the manner in which the machine was consumed that it was cevered with oil, and the finding of an empty can near the scene added to his suspicions. He has not an enemy that he knows of in the world, which adds to the mystery. The only ones he thinks who could have wished him ill are other operators who might be displeased at his intention to pull over across the river and thresh at the old rate for the Hamilton county farmers, while other operators have lately raised the price.

The machine which was burned was a large Gaar-Scott, which Johnson had taken from the cars here only a few days before. The separator cost $1,300 and was insured for $600.

CUSTER COUNTY PIONEERS MEET

Annual Picnic of Old Settlers Held on Court House Lawn.

BROKEN BOW, Aug. 4.—(Special.)—The Old Settlers' association of Custer county held its annual meeting and picnic here today. Despite threatening weather 2,000 or 3,000 old-timers took part in the reunion. At 12 o'clock the court house grounds were filled with dinner baskets and diners, free coffee being served by the local management to all who would partake. At 1:30 the program opened with a band concert, followed by an address of welcome by Mayor Rockwell, invocation and response by Rev. Mr. Norwood and President Cavanee, recitations by the Misses Violet Larsen and Vera Eddy, and the address of the day was given by Judge H. M. Grimes of North Platte. The vocal music for the occasion, under the direction of Miss Adah Bowen, was excellent, and consisted of a chorus of Broken Bow voices and choruses from other parts of the county. Talks of five minutes were made by D. M. Amsberry, E. R. Purcell, J. D. Ream, W. C. Elliott, H. B. Schoeringer, L. B. Wamsley, Judge W. J. Rice, Robert Farley and R. G. Carr. Prizes were distributed to the oldest male and female settlers, first born male and female children, the oldest person on the ground the to the best vocal chorus outside of Broken Bow.

Nebraska News Notes.

WISNER—Mrs. H. Mitchell dropped dead in her home from heart trouble Monday.

GORDON—Solomon Dix, jr. and Carrie Douglas were married here Monday evening.

GORDON—Mrs. Everett Havener fell on a radiator in her home Sunday, breaking her collarbone and sustaining other injuries. She is in a critical condition.

BEATRICE—Homer Folden and Miss Gertie Billings, both of this city, were married at Maryville, Kan., yesterday. They will make their home in this city.

BEATRICE—Word has been received here of the death of Mrs. J. H. Marsh, which occurred at Eureka Springs, Ark., last Saturday. He formerly resided at that place and was 70 years of age.

NEBRASKA CITY—Invitations have been issued for the marriage of Miss Evelyn B. Storm and Reuben B. Beard. They will be married at the home of the bride's grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Huckins.

NEBRASKA CITY—Mrs. Tordorf and two sons were called to Moorehead, Kan., last evening by a telegram announcing the death of her son-in-law, Charles Buskirk, who was killed by lightning near that place.

CAMBRIDGE—Cambridge defeated Stockville here yesterday in a shut-out game, the best that has been played on the grounds this season. Score: 1 to 0. Only three errors occurred in the game, which was fast from start to finish.

NEBRASKA CITY—During the storm Wednesday morning considerable damage was done by lightning to the system of the Nebraska City Telephone company, and aside from buring out many phones, a long string of heavy cable was burned. The lightning did considerable damage in this vicinity.

GORDON—Gilbert Gilkinson, 7-year-old son of John Kilkinson, was seriously, person of John Gilkinson, was seriously, perhaps fatally, injured here this afternoon at the corner of Second and Pine streets, when his horse that he was riding fell with him, striking his head on the pavement. He was unconscious for some time.

OAKLAND—Wednesday at high noon, at the home of Mrs. John Boyd in this city, her daughter Mary was united in marriage to Mr. Randerson of Rockford, Ill., Rev. A. J. Warne of the Methodist church officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Randerson left on the evening train for Rockford, where they will make their home.

WAYNE—The home of John Gustaveson, two miles north of Wayne, was struck by lightning during the storm of Tuesday evening and entirely destroyed. This is the third time this man's house has been struck during six years. No one was injured. The property was uninsured, the policy having lapsed in April.

LEXINGTON—Preparations are being made for the seventh annual chautauqua to be held in Lexington, Neb., commencing August 9. The talent secured for this year is of the best to be had, such as Ralph Parlette, Ralph Bingham, Senator Robert L. Taylor, George L. McNutt-Schildkret Hungarian orchestra, Cleveland Ladies orchestra, etc.

HOLDREGE—The funeral of Earl Vandyke Emple, who died near this city Saturday, was held at the Methodist Episcopal church in this city yesterday afternoon. The deceased was a son of the late Carlton Emple of Kearney, and was living with his mother, now Mrs. T. E. Smith, at the time of his death.

CAMBRIDGE—The chautauqua which has been in progress here since last Saturday is a success in every way and large crowds present at all the programs and many are enjoying camping in the park. Father J. M. Cleary, the Catholic divine, lectured here yesterday. The program closes next Sunday, which promises to be the banner day of the chautauqua.

YORK—Fire destroyed a one-story building, corner Eleventh street and Division avenue, Wednesday afternoon. The building was occupied by Peter Hessiar as a pantorium. Fire caught in a gasoline storage tank containing about twenty gallons of gasoline. Everything in the building was burned including a new cleaning machine. This is the second time he has burned out since the first of the year.

BEATRICE—F. C. Crocker of Filley, president of the State Swine Breeder's association, arrived home yesterday from Omaha, where he was present at the beginning of an experiment with hog cholera serum upon a drove of thirty hogs. Mr. Crocker states that hog breeders and government veterinarians are confident of the success of the experiment, and they base their conclusion upon the fact that other experiments have been successful.

FONTANELLE—Mrs. Anna McDermid, wife of a prominent physician at Fontanelle, was found dead in bed Monday morning by members of the family when they went to her room. Deceased had been in poor health for a few months previous from heart trouble, but was not considered seriously ill. She spent Sunday afternoon out driving and seemed in good spirits. She was the mother of Dr. Pierle McDermid of that place and was widely known.

NEBRASKA CITY—H. A. Aldrige, who is charged with forcing Constable Dughman at the point of a gun to give up some property on which he levied, is having his preliminary hearing this week. The attorneys are putting in several days arguing the matter and have asked for a few days more to prepare a statement of the law and facts for the court. Aldrige was captured after a three-month's chase. His father, who is a farmer in Lohan county, is furnishing the money for the defense.

FIRST ROUND IN CLUB MATCH

Championship Series at Happy Hollow Club Under Way.

The first round for championship second and third flights of the golf tournament now on at Happy Hollow club have been played off and the second round will be done by August 8.

The F. O. Hamilton prize, the conditions of which are eighteen holes, handicap medal play, one club, four to qualify, will be played for next Saturday, August 6.

The first round results in the club championships tourney were as follows:

Championship, First Round—
W. E. Shafer beat Thomas Austin, 2-1.
A. G. Ellick beat W. J. Creedon, 6-5.
A. A. McClure beat Crosby Wyman, 2 up.
D. Sibbernsen beat A. W. Clark, 6-5.
James Austin beat George Ross, 1 up.
E. T. Manning beat J. R. Webster, 4-3.
E. E. Kimberly beat W. Buchanan, 3-2.
Guy Liggett beat E. A. Nordstrom, 2-4.

Second Flight, First round—
R. Sturdevant beat N. E. Leary, 1 up, 19 holes.
E. A. Finley beat J. G. Welch, 3-1.
W. E. Shepard beat E. N. Robertson, 2-1.
W. E. Rhodes beat A. G. Creigh, 5-4.
S. H. Ross beat J. T. Bartlett, 5-4.
Joseph Polcar beat A. E. Frederick, 6-5.
E. W. West beat M. W. Graham, 3-1.
C. Sibbernsen beat R. L. Montgomery, 3-2.

Third Flight, First Round—
Hal Buckingham beat R. M. Tanner, 2-1.
F. Ellick beat M. G. Hayward (default).
W. C. Sears beat C. H. Wright (default)
Arch Murtagh beat J. W. West, 1 up in 23 holes.
W. C. Lyle beat C. E. Niswonger, 2 up
J. W. Longven beat C. H. Marley (default).
F. H. Brown beat E. A. Benson, 5-4.

RESULTS IN THREE-I LEAGUE

Springfield, Rock Island, Peoria and Waterloo Win.

BLOOMINGTON, Ill., Aug. 4.—Nunamaker's wild throw threw the game away in the tenth. Score:

		R.	H.	E.
Bloomington	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 0	2	9	2
Springfield	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 4	6	9	1

Batteries: Humes and Nunamaker; Daly, Willis, Schroeder and Hartley.

DAVENPORT, Ia., Aug. 4.—Rock Island won by timely batting. Score:

		R.	H.	E.
Davenport	0 0 0 0 3 0 0 0 0	3	9	0
Rock Island	0 0 2 0 3 0 0 0 0	5	13	1

Batteries: Smith, Nelson and Walsh; Cavel, Counchman and O'Leary.

PEORIA, Ill., Aug. 4.—Peoria hit Reynolds hard and won easily. Score:

		R.	H.	E.
Peoria	1 0 0 5 0 1 0 0 *	7	13	3
Danville	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 3 0	3	5	0

Batteries: Cook and Asmussen; Reynolds and Wolfe.

WATERLOO, Ia., Aug. 4.—Patton held Dubuque to one hit until the eighth. Score:

		R.	H.	E.
Waterloo	1 0 1 1 0 0 0 0 *	3	6	2
Dubuque	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0	1	3	0

Batteries: Patton and Harrington; Ferris and Baucher.

MOVEMENTS OF OCEAN STEAMSHIPS.

Port.	Arrived.	Sailed.
HAMBURG	Pennsylvania	
LIVERPOOL	Campania	
LIVERPOOL	Montcalm	
SOUTHAMPTON		G. Washington
SOUTHAMPTON		Majestic
BOULOGNE		Graf Waldersee
LIVERPOOL	Zealand	
ANTWERP		Lake Michigan
NEW YORK		Teutonic
SAN FRANCISCO		Wilhelmina

CRIPPEN'S LAWYER AT WORK

Solicitor Newton Makes First Move in Preparing Defense.

CONFESSION RUMORS ARE DENIED

Officers at London and Quebec Say Reports Are Without Foundation—Wardresses and Officers Sail.

LONDON, Aug. 4.—Solicitor Newton, who has been retained to defend Dr. Crippen, made his first move today when he filed a formal application asking the authorities to permit an independent physician to examine the bits of human flesh found in the Crippen cellar.

It is understood Newton will contend that they cannot be identified as having belonged to the body of Belle Elmore.

Scotland Yard is kept busy denying all sorts of rumors concerning Crippen and Miss Leneve, the most recent describing an alleged confession by the doctor, emanating from Quebec. Superintendent Froest treated the report lightly, intimating that Inspector Dew would not be likely to give out information in Quebec, which he had not first cabled to headquarters here.

Officers Go for Prisoners.

The superintendent pointed out also that had Crippen confessed it would have been necessary to send Sergeant Mitchell to Quebec with depositions taken in London in order to gain the extradition of the prisoners.

Sergeant Mitchell accompanied by two wardresses, who will take charge of Miss Leneve, sailed this morning on the steamer Lake Manitoba for Quebec.

The question whether Crippen and his companion have been married has been revived because of its bearing on the status of the woman as a possible witness against Crippen. It is known that the police, hoping Miss Leneve will make a strong witness for the crown, but if it is proven that she is the wife of the doctor, she may refuse absolutely to take the stand against her husband.

Discussing this feature of the case, Superintendent Froest said an exhaustive official investigation had failed to produce any evidence of such a marriage.

Inspector Dew Disappears.

The Quebec provincial authorities were insistent today that Dr. Crippen had not attempted a confession. They maintained this attitude in the face of persistent rumors that some sort of a statement had been obtained from the prisoner.

This much is known: Inspector Dew and the Canadian detectives have not visited Crippen's cell or had any direct communication with him since yesterday morning. Dew breakfasted early today at his boarding house and disappeared. Whether he left town or not could not be determined, but members of the provincial police expressed the belief that he had sought seclusion in order to avoid the annoyance of being obliged to deny frequently erroneous statements attributed to him.

Crippen has changed much in facial expression since he arrived here Monday. He is not allowed to shave and a four-days growth of beard gives him quite a different look. The jail governor said the precautions against an attempt at self-destruction were so strict that the prisoner would neither be allowed to have a razor nor be trusted in the hands of the jail barber.

JERRY HOWARD CAMPAIGNS

South Omaha Democratic Candidate for Senator Makes Street Address.

"My name is Howard—Jeremiah for long and Jerry for short. I am candidate for state senator and I appeal to your patriotism for support and solicit your vote on my legislative record."

Thus Jeremiah Howard of South Omaha introduced himself to a street audience in front of the Merchants hotel last night as he perched on a box and delivered his particular brand of democratic doctrine.

His denunciation of commercial kings and a plea for civic righteousness seemed to tickle the fancy of an old man in the crowd, but vigorous applauding and sallies aroused the ire of Jerry. "I want your attention, not your cheers," was all the recognition the enthusiast got, and metaphorically brushing the interrupter out of the way he declaimed in favor of no man getting support for political office who was not like Caesar's wife, above suspicion, suggesting thereby, of course, that he was in that class. Not only was he, he said, for the initiative and referendum, but the recall as well, and he advocated the establishment of a compulsory board of arbitration to settle labor disputes.

TODD'S SENTENCE COMMUTED

Word Comes from Washington that Man Convicted of Land Frauds May Have Liberty.

Word was received from Washington by United States District Attornay F. S. Howell yesterday that Ami Todd, one of the men convicted of land frauds in Nebraska, had been granted a commutation of his sentence, to take effect Thursday. Todd is a prisoner in the county jail at Fremont, and is said to be in very precarious health.

Persistent Advertising is the Road to Big Returns.

DEATH RECORD

Louis Trees.

LEAVENWORTH, Kan., Aug. 4.—Louis Trees, grand scribe of the Kansas encampment of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, died here today of apoplexy. He was 60 years old.

A Dangerous Wound

rendered antiseptic by Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the healing wonder for sores, burns, piles, eczema and salt rheum. 25c. For sale by Beaton Drug Co.

If you have anything to sell or trade advertise it in the Bee Want Ad columns and get quick results.

Prima Facie Evidence.

Magistrate—Who is the prisoner?
Policeman—He says he's a foreign nobleman, youpr honor.
Magistrate—Did you search him.
Policeman—Yes, and all I found was a pawn ticket and 3 cents.
Magistrate—Then he evidently told the truth.—Chicago News.

Roosevelt's Race Suicide Ideas Still Remembered

AVONDALE, Pa., Aug. 4.—At Avondale, through which he passed today on the automobile trip which he is making, Colonel Roosevelt spent the happiest moments of the day. The population consists chiefly of children, and they gathered about him in clusters. Little Annie McLaughlin rushed up breathlessly. "My mamma wants you to come right in and see her," she cried. "She has got twelve children."

The distinguished foe to race suicide grasped his hat and hastened to the little house. Mrs. McLaughlin was ready for him and in proof of her assertion she produced seven children of various ages. The other five were not at home, and she begged the colonel's pardon.

As the party had climbed into the automobile a breaker boy came up at full speed. "Stop, stop," he cried breathlessly. "There is a woman down the street who has got eighteen children and she wants to see you." But it was getting late and Colonel Roosevelt had to proceed without seeing her.

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the trouble to you in our examination. If there is no trouble we tell you so.

That is how we hope to build and keep a reputation.

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DUDIE ARCHDALE WINS M. & M.

Nebraska Mare Takes Big End of Rich Stake.

IS FAMOUS CLASSIC EVENT

Archdale Filly Leads Entry in Each Heat and Three to One Odds Before the Race Are Justified.

DETROIT, Mich., Aug. 4.—The Merchants and Manufacturers' $10,000 stake was won easily in straight heats at the fair grounds yesterday by the little black mare, Dudie Archdale, with the veteran Geers in the sulky. The race was too onesided to be to any great degree exciting, and the odds of 3 to 1 on Dudie Archdale over the entire field minimized the interest taken in the betting.

Today's feature was the third $10,000 event that the little black trotter has won in as many weeks, the other two having been in the Furniture Manufacturers' stake at Grand Rapids and the Paper mills $10,000 event at Kalamazoo.

Geers was applauded from the crowded grandstand each time he hobbled out on a crutch to take his sulky, not having recovered entirely from his accident at Grand Rapids. This week's meeting is the second blue ribbon Detroit meeting at which Uncle Geers won both the Merchants and Manufacturers' and the Chamber of Commerce stakes, two of the biggest annual events of the trotting turf.

The 2:20 trot went to Joan after Sable Maid had captured the first heat. Wataga led the first heat to the half mile but then dropped back. Sable Maid won her heat in a close finish, but in the remaining heats the time was faster and Joan had the speed.

May Day took the first heat of the 2:12 pace in 2:05½, in the second heat she led into the stretch but broke badly and fell back to ninth position, Peter Pan winning the heat. May Day won the next two heats from Peter Pan in slower time, the third heat affording one of the most exciting finishes of the afternoon.

Alcyfras and Walter Hal each took a heat in the 2:07 race, which was not finished.

Trotting, 2:20 class, best three in five, purse $1,000:

Joan, br. f., by Directum Spier-Sarah W, by Hal Braden (McDermott)	2	1	1	1
Sable Maid, blk. m., by Ruby-Margaret Mills, by Waltz (Murphy)	1	2	2	2
Robert A, br. g. (Andrews)	9	3	3	7
Billy Patchen, blk. g. (Gray)	3	7	7	5
Castle Dome, b. s. (Chandler)	7	6	6	3
Wataga, b. m. (Rathburn)	8	4	5	4
Butler Brook, rn. g. (Burch and Gaghan)	4	10	8	9
Oakland Flebar, br. s. (Lasalle)	6	8	9	6
Guadnini, blk. m. (Packer)	10	9	10	8
Oriena, br. m. (Shafer)	5	5	4	ds
Audran, br. m. (Burch)				ds

Time: 2:12¼, 2:10¼, 2:11¾, 2:11½.

Trotting, 2:24 class, best three in five, purse $10,000, Merchants' and Manufacturers' stake:

Dudie Archdale, blk. m., by Archdale-Dudie Egmont, by Egmont Chief (Geers)	1	1	1
Arlo Leyburn, br. s. (Rosemire)	2	2	2
Henry H, br. g. (Dean)	4	3	3
Creighton, b. g. (LaSalle)	7	4	4
Myrtle Grannett, br. m. (Andrews)	5	9	5
Captain George, b. c. (Murphy)	8	7	6
Electric Todd, br. s. (Gahagan)	10	6	7
Baron Penn, br. s. (Shuler)	9	8	8
Areo, b. g. (Merrifield)	3	5	ds
Remorseful, blk. g. (McMahon)	6	ds	

Time: 2:09¾, 2:02¾, 2:08¼.

Pacing, 2:12 class, best three in five, purse $1,000:-May Day won, Peter Pan second, German Boy third. Best time: 2:05½.

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