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SATURDAY AND MONDAY RACES.

The races for tomorrow and Monday promise to be the best ever held in South Dakota. There are about fifty horses which have entered and are here. For these races the purses aggregate \$2,200. The railway companies have granted a rate of one and a fifth fare from all stations within 175 miles of Aberdeen, and a large attendance is expected.

The entries for the different races so far made, with the exception of the running races, which will be closed today, are as follows:

Three Minute Trot or Pace—Purse \$300.
Lavaughn, owned by F. Wentworth, Mansfield.
Luverne Girl, C. A. Reynolds, Luverne, Minn.
Blue Range, A. J. Kuhns, Worthing.
Boone Pleasanton, E. Jones, Britton.
LaFrane, F. W. Martin, Ashton.
Monkey Wilkes, I. Washburn, Vermillion.
Flower Grove, E. T. Jenks, Montevideo, Minn.

For 2:15 Trot or Pace—Purse \$300.
Lew Sweigert, owned by Dr. Thomas, Canton.

Ed Gregor, Seth Shantz, Aberdeen.
Eva Sunflower, D. Hull, Edgeley, N. D.

Lola C., K. E. Hilthorn, Castlewood.
I. C. A., B. Nelson, Canby, Minn.
Lady A., Dr. Brooks, Webster.

For 2:16 Trot or Pace—Purse \$300.
Miss Klipping, 2:15 1/4, owned by E. A. Sage, Parker.

LaCrosse, Jr., 2:19 1/4, A. Peak, Woonsocket.
Election Time, 2:16 1/4, M. R. Baskerville, Watertown.

Bovee K., 2:15 1/4, Arnold, Annis and Calett, Estelline.
Roy B., 2:17 1/4, Dr. Evans, Groton.

Fleety, 2:19 1/4, Wm. Hull, Pipestone, Minn.
For 2:40 Trot or Pace—Purse \$300.

Luverne Girl, owned by C. A. Reynolds, Luverne, Minn.
Blue Range, A. J. Kuhns, Worthing.
Boone Pleasanton, E. Jones, Britton.

Marshall Star, A. J. Kile, Minneota, Minn.
LaFrane, F. W. Martin, Ashton.
Lady Almoner, H. Arniss, Estelline.

D. C. M., D. C. McFee, Watertown.
Willard Sherman, Geo. A. Finch, LaMoure.

Trustmore, Mr. Wilson, Granite Falls, Minn.
For 2:30 Trot or Pace—Purse \$300.

Lew Sweigert, owned by Dr. Thomas, Canton.
Buckshot, B. W. Bard, Aberdeen.
Eva Sunflower, D. Hull, Edgeley.

Miss Cad, J. B. Akey, Montevideo, Minn.
Victor, A. Ross, Castlewood.
Alta Loma, Silvernale, Montevideo, Minn.

Roy B., Dr. Evans, Groton.
For Free-for-All-Trot or Pace—Purse \$300.
Miss Klipping, 2:19 1/4, owned by E. A. Sage, Parker.

LaCrosse Jr., 2:19 1/4, A. Peak, Woonsocket.
Election Time, 2:16 1/4, M. R. Baskerville, Watertown.

Charley Fuwel, 2:11 1/4, McCartney and Logan, Mitchell.
Fleety, 2:17 1/4, Wm. Hull, Pipestone, Minn.

Dick Tarpin, 2:13 1/4, E. T. Jenks, Montevideo, Minn.
Bovee K., 2:15 1/4, Arnold, Annis and Calett, Estelline.

In the free-for-all and the 2:16 classes it is claimed there are no less than six horses which are not over two seconds apart in their ability to go, and in the slower classes the animals are so evenly matched for the most part that every event on the program will be very interesting.

The running races will be exciting, as some of the very best runners are already here.

ABERDEEN VS. GROTON.

The second teams of Groton and Aberdeen played a game of ball at the ball park last Wednesday. The local side demonstrated that Groton was not in it from beginning to end. It was a complete walkaway for our boys, and nearly a shut-out for the visitors. The home team has won 75 per cent of the games they have played this season and are now good enough to make it interesting for any nine in their class. Tomorrow they will be styled the "champion ball club." The score was 24 to 1.

Joe Wilson—Good composer. In charge of this paper.

STATE NEWS

Twenty-five hundred range cattle were shipped to Chicago markets from Pierre last Sunday.

Governor Lee on recommendation of the board of pardons, has granted pardons to James Loeb and George W. Dixon.

The board of pardons has recommended the pardon for George Dickson, who was sentenced from Codington county for criminal assault.

Horse buyers paid the farmers in the vicinity of Gettysburg the sum of \$2,575 for horses to be shipped east. The prices ranged from \$50 to \$100.

Forch Bros., west of Oncoma, have recently lost many fine cattle by a disease which has made its appearance upon the range about the middle of every August for the last four years.

Arrangements are nearly completed for the erection of an opera house at Waconda. It is to be built of brick at a cost not less than \$4,000. A large amount of that sum has already been raised.

About 500 cattle are held for ransom on the reservation. The Indians claim that ranchers have been continually running their cattle on the reservation contrary to law and now hold them for \$1 per head.

Last Saturday Miss Edith Whealen of Lead poured kerosene oil on a fire and the can of oil exploded, covering her with burning oil. Before the fire could be put out, her body was terribly burned. She died at the Homestead hospital.

Last Tuesday Deputy United States Marshal Belding brought to Deadwood a full blooded Sioux Indian, named Clayton High Wolf, who is alleged to have killed his father-in-law. He was bound over to the United States grand jury. The evidence is said to be strong against him.

All the Catholic priests in the state east of the Missouri river, about fifty in number, are to go into annual retreat at Benedictine Sisters school at Pierre. In the past these retreats have been at St. Paul, for the reason that the Catholics owned no building in the state large enough to accommodate all of them.

The 18-year-old son of Jacob Weidner, living four miles northeast of Fairfax, was bitten on the calf of the leg by a rattlesnake last Tuesday. A man who was passing in a wagon saw him and got out, killed the snake and told the boy to run home. The boy did so, but it was five or six hours before his parents could get a doctor. The boy is in a bad condition and will likely die.

The secretary of state is sending out for publication the two amendments to the constitution which will be submitted to the people at the coming election. The two amendments to be voted on are the repeal of the dispensary amendment, which was adopted two years ago, and resubmitted by the last republican legislature because it did not want to enact a law to enforce its provision. The other is an amendment which gives greater latitude in making loans of the permanent school funds, than was given in the constitution when it was adopted.

The regular annual outing of the South Dakota Press Association opened at Ortonville last Friday, August 10th and was as enjoyable as any of the meetings which have been held for a long time. The people of Ortonville did everything possible to show their good will. Manager George Kahler of the Columbian Hotel, which was the headquarters, treated his guests royally and in addition to furnishing excellent entertainment, gave a steamboat excursion on the lake to Foster to the party on Saturday. The Italian orchestra of Cafarelli & Son, well known to most Aberdeen people, furnished music for a dancing party given at the hotel on Saturday evening. Nothing can excel the melody of the sweet harp music furnished by this orchestra and their entertainment was a very pleasant adjunct of the outing.

The business meeting was held on Friday evening and the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, J. F. Halladay, of Iroquois; First Vice President, C. W. Ainsworth, of Plankinton; Second Vice President, Frank J. Tracy, of Ipswich; Secretary, Glenn Farley, of Madison; Treasurer, C. C. Fletcher, of Aberdeen; Messrs. Chas. R. Bruce of Elk Point, C. A. Blake of Huron, L. C. Taylor of Alexandria, N. C. Nash of Canton and L. J. Bates of Lake Preston were named as members of the executive committee.

The list of delegates to the National Editorial Association to be held next year at Buffalo is as follows: Fred Atherton, of Waubay; P. D. Munger, of Bryant; L. C. Taylor, of Alexandria; L. J. Bates, of Lake Preston; C. W. Ainsworth, of Plankinton; Chas. R. Bruce, of Elk Point and N. C. Nash of Canton.

The alternates selected are H. C. Wentzy, of Pukwana; Mark D. Scott, of Sioux Falls; F. B. Patterson, of Gettysburg; F. J. Tracy, of Ipswich; A. E. Raynes, of Ansover; H. L. Brass, of Mitchell and C. C. Fletcher, of Aberdeen.

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MAJOR BONESTEEL'S STEAL.

The people of Bonesteel, are feeling highly elated over the fame achieved in the Philippines by Major Charles H. Bonesteel, a nephew of H. E. Bonesteel of that place, after whom the town was named. The story of the capture is an interesting one. Major Bonesteel, who is still comparatively young, though already a man of proven grit and resources, had discovered that Gen. Pio del Pilar would be at San Pedro Macati on Thursday night. Major Bonesteel sallied forth to find him with a few native police and a detachment of his own regiment. The rebel general was driven to seek hiding in a house. It was surrounded by Major Bonesteel and his men. After a brief resistance, Pio del Pilar was a prisoner in the hands of the Americans. Major Bonesteel brought Pilar to Manila, where his identity was settled beyond dispute.

A DAKOTA INVENTOR.
Joseph A. Stransky, an enterprising young hardware merchant of Pukwana, has been notified by the patent department at Washington of the issuance of a patent to him on his new variety of smokeless powder.

The powder is of the smokeless variety, has double the penetration of the Dupont powder with half the recoil, and it is claimed that it can be manufactured at ten cents per pound. The powder has been tested in every way by experts, and all declare that Stransky's claims are amply substantiated. Already he has been offered \$40,000 by a responsible concern for the patent, but he has no intention of disposing of it at present.

NEARLY FULL GROWN.
Clark county claims to have as a resident the largest man in the state in the person of a stockman named Hobbit, who lives twenty-seven miles north of Iroquois, and weighs a little over 500 pounds. He has been gaining in weight quite rapidly during the past few years and has reached a point where locomotion, except upon a very limited scale, is next to an impossibility. He can only get in and out of a buggy by the use of a platform that he had built expressly for the purpose. He is Iroquois heavy weight.

Literary Notes.
When things are "the best" they become "the best selling." Abraham Hare, a leading druggist of Belleville, O., writes: "Electric Bitters are the best selling bitters I know why? Most diseases begin in disorders of stomach, liver, kidneys, bowels, blood and nerves. Electric Bitters tone up the stomach, regulates liver, kidneys and bowels, purifies the blood, strengthens the nerves, hence cures multitudes of maladies. It builds up the entire system. Puts new life and vigor into any weak, sickly, run-down man or woman. Price 50 cents. Sold at Bennett's Drug Store.

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NEWS CONDENSATIONS.

Thursday, Aug. 9.

The Peruvian cabinet has tendered its resignation.

The population of Providence, R. I., according to the recent census, is 175,537; in 1890 the population was 132,146.

The postoffice department has ordered rural free delivery service established at Delavan, Minn., and Tomah, Wis.

The shafthouse of the Parrott mine at Butte, Mont., was destroyed by fire, entailing a loss of \$100,000, upon which there is about \$30,000 insurance.

William J. Bryan will receive notification of his nomination for president by the United States Monetary league at Topeka on Aug. 23, the day of the People's party notification exercises.

Among those who sailed on the steamer Deutschland for Hamburg Wednesday were Charlemagne Tower, United States ambassador to St. Petersburg, and John Wanamaker of Philadelphia.

Friday, Aug. 10.

Dvejada Pasha, the former grand vizier of Turkey, is dead.

The condition of the cotton crop is 76, as compared with 75.8 on July 1.

Charles Clark Bowen, a prominent and wealthy citizen of Detroit, is dead, aged 65 years.

Many horses were killed by the heat in Chicago Wednesday. Officers of the Humane society estimated the prostrations at 1,000.

A stranger, thought to be Frank Ronick from Virginia, jumped from the statehouse dome at Columbus, O., and was killed.

W. J. Bryan has promised Norman E. Mack of Buffalo that he will visit the state of New York and make several speeches before the close of the campaign.

Eugene V. Debs and Job Harriman, the Social Democratic party's candidates for president and vice president, have sent their letters of acceptance to William Fuischer of Springfield, Mass., national secretary of the party.

Saturday, Aug. 11.

A case of yellow fever has been discovered in New York.

Fire at Crivitz, Wis., caused a loss of \$150,000. One hundred people are homeless.

Messrs. Bryan and Stevenson have issued an address urging the formation of Democratic clubs.

The Manitoba and Lake Superior Railway company has been incorporated at Duluth, to operate not only a railway to Winnipeg, but a line of steamers on the Great Lakes.

The funeral of King Humbert occurred at Rome Thursday. Thousands of troops and civil officials followed the remains to the Pantheon and the streets were lined with mourning people.

Senator Mantle, chairman of the Silver Republican committee of Montana, has written a letter formally renouncing his allegiance to that party and going back to the Republican party.

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A Woman's Ailment.

Headache may be called a woman's ailment. Some men suffer from it. But almost all women endure its pain with each recurring month. This fact points at once to the intimate relation between the health of the delicate womanly organs and the general health of the whole body. Every woman ought to know and understand that the standard of general physical health cannot be higher than the standard of the local health of the womanly organs. When there is irregularity, inflammation, ulceration, a debilitating drain or female weakness, the entire nervous system has to share in the suffering resulting from the local derangements.



Sick Twenty Years.

"I have been sick for twenty years," writes Mrs. Sarah J. Burney, of Crescent City, Putnam Co., Fla., "and have been in bed almost five years, and now I am able to work all day. I have taken eight bottles of 'Favorite Prescription' and four of 'Golden Medical Discovery' and one vial of 'Pellets.' I praise your medicine to all. I had the headache medicine to all. My throat is well and cough gone, and all my old troubles are better. I tried many other kinds of medicine and four doctors."

Could Get no Help.

"I was taken sick two years ago and tried almost every thing but could get no help," writes Mrs. T. C. Blashfield, of Brimfield, Hampden Co., Mass. "Your 'Favorite Prescription' did me a great deal of good. I was suffering with falling of the womb and could scarcely walk, now I am so much better of that that I can walk quite a distance. It was your medicine that helped me. You have my best wishes."

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