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ENTRIES ASSURE GOOD AFTERNOON OF SPORT.

In Motorcycle and Horse Racing at Fair Grounds on July 5th.

The Connecticut Amusement Association are busily engaged in completing arrangements for the Combination Motorcycle and Horse races on July 5th at the Norwich Fair Grounds, with a programme guaranteed to surpass all previous ones.

The afternoon's program will be started about 1:45 with two motorcycle races, after which will be two heats of each of the trotting races, and the running races. The three remaining motorcycle events and final heats of the horse races will finish the programme.

The trotting races will be mile heats, the best three in five, and the running race half-mile heats, best three in five. There are still two days before the entries close, but at the present time there are five assured entries in the 2:20 class, and three in the 2:30 class. Only two horses have thus far entered in the running race, but several others have announced their intentions and as is generally the case in horse racing, wish to wait until the last minute before handing in their entries. One party from Preston City and two from North Stonington have promised to enter their runners, so the Association is assured of having at least five starters in this event.

There is a possibility that the 2:30 class will be changed to a 2:24, with a purse of $300. This will be done only in event of the 2:30 class not filling. The Association, however does not think this will be necessary, as they feel certain that several more entries will be received before Thursday noon, when the entries close. However, they wish to be on the safe side, and have been promised an entry providing the class is changed to a 2:24, from E. E. Mathewson, of Danbury, and Fred Niles of Holyoke, and W. R. Shelly of Holyoke. J. J. Swain of Meriden who has two horses entered in the 2:30 would also start in the 2:24. It is also hoped that Joseph Bedard of this city who has entered his horse in the 2:30 class, would also start in this class. In event of the change being made, announcement will be made on Friday.

The motorcycle races will be the best and most exciting that have ever been held there. Mr. Pendleton said Tuesday that with the list of entries that he already has, even though no more are sent in, will furnish excitment enough to satisfy the most critical spectators. With "Wild Bill" Burdick, H. H. Baliwin, Farmer Lathrum, Walter Chappell, Mike Costello (better known here as William Prescott) Freddy Nixon, Sydney A. Brown, and either Teddy Carroll or Donald A. Pope, the best aggregation of riders have been brought together that have ever raced in New England. There is also a possibility of securing the riders who came on from Providence on Decoration day, J. C. Garand, E. Petrillo of Pittston, Pa., Earl Gove and F. Duckworth of Brockton, Mass. The riders have until Friday to send in their names, and there is no doubt but what several of them will see fit to enter here. The prizes offered by the Connecticut Amusement Association are very liberal, and in fact, are larger than any ever offered for a similar race meet in New England.

Tubbs full Military band will furnish music for the afternoon, giving a concert in front of the Wauregan House on Monday afternoon at 1:15 p. m., prior to going to the races. The timers, judges, and starters have been nearly all chosen, and will be announced at an early date. Taking it all in all, the Connecticut Amusement Association assure the lovers of motorcycle and horse racing the best afternoon's entertainment they have ever witnessed in New London County.

No Time For Trifles.

At any rate, Europe does not appear to be paying much attention to Mr. Beveridge and his upright personal pronoun.—Chicago News.

No Stick In Them.

As we understand it, the ex-secretary of state's official letters, like official beverages, must have no stick in them.—Detroit Free Press.

More Difficult To Cross.

The waters of the Hellespont have become much more difficult to cross since the days when Leander swam it.—Washington Star.

No doubt you are talked about as much as you talk about others.

GIANTS AND BRAVES SPLIT EVEN

New Yorkers Get Four Out of Six From Boston Champs—Rudolph Weakened in Ninth and Lobert Drove in Winning Run for First Game—Second Game a Shutout Victory for Boston.

New York, June 29.—New York made it four out of six from the champion Bostons by dividing a double header here today. New York won the first game 3 to 2 and Boston got an even break when Hughes shut out the Giants in the second game by a score of 2 to 0. New York won the first game when Rudolph weakened in the closing inning after holding New York to three hits for seven innings. He was found for six in the eighth and ninth. A single by Lobert, a pinch hitter, drove in the winning run in the ninth.

Captain Evers returned to second base for Boston in the second game, it being his first appearance in a National league game since he broke a bone in his left ankle last April. Although moving around with difficulty, he played his usual star game at second and drove out a home run, double and single. His home run came with Hughes on base and resulted in Boston's victory. Evers was served with a warrant sworn out by a spectator at yesterday's game who alleges he was insulted by the Boston captain.

Score:

Boston (N)	ab	h	po	a	e	New York (N)	ab	h	po	a	e
Evers,2b	5	2	3	2	0	Snodgrass,cf	4	0	0	0	0
Gilbert,rf	4	2	5	1	0	Burns,lf	4	0	1	0	0
Connolly,lf	3	0	2	0	0	Doyle,2b	2	0	4	3	0
Smith,3b	4	1	0	2	0	Fletcher,ss	3	0	2	2	0
Schmidt,1b	3	2	7	2	0	Roberts'n,rf	3	0	3	0	0
Moran,cf	3	0	2	0	0	Merkle,1b	3	2	12	1	0
Marnie'ss	4	1	1	2	0	Grant,3b	3	0	0	4	1
Whaling,c	4	0	7	0	0	Meyers,c	3	1	5	1	0
Hughes,p	3	1	0	2	0	Ferritt,p	2	1	0	2	0
						xLobert	1	0	0	0	0
Totale	33	10	27	11	0	Totals	29	5	27	13	1

(x) One out when wining run scored.
(xx) Batted for Stroud in 8th.
(x) Batted for Schauer in 9th.

Score by innings:

Boston	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2—2
New York	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	3—3

Two base hits, Merkle, Schmidt, Fitzpatrick. Earned runs, Boston 2, New York 3.

Boston (N)	ab	h	po	a	e	New York (N)	ab	h	po	a	e
Fitzp'k,2b	4	1	2	4	0	Snodgrass,cf	4	1	2	0	0
Gilbert,rf	4	0	2	1	1	Burns,lf	4	1	2	0	1
Connolly,lf	4	0	0	0	0	Doyle,2b	4	1	1	3	0
Smith,3b	4	1	0	4	1	Fletcher,ss	4	0	2	3	0
Schmidt,1b	3	1	16	0	0	Roberts'n,rf	4	1	1	0	0
Magee,cf	4	1	1	0	0	Merkle,1b	4	2	8	0	0
Marnie'e,ss	3	1	1	6	0	Grant,3b	4	1	3	0	0
Gowdy,c	3	1	3	0	0	xxMurray	1	1	0	0	0
Rudolph,p	3	0	0	2	0	Stroud,p	2	0	0	2	0
						Schauer,p	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	32	6	25	13	2	xLobert	1	1	0	0	0
						Totals	34	9	27	8	1

(x) Batted for Ferritt in 9th.

Score by innings:

Boston	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2—2
New York	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—0

Two base hits, Evers, Gilbert. Home run, Evers. Earner runs, Boston 2.

COURTNEY'S SKULL FRACTURED

Thrown Against Side of Car When Train Stopped at Highland With Jolt.

Ithaca, N. Y., June 29.—Charles E. Courtney, veteran coach of the Cornell crews is suffering from a fracture of the skull. This announcement was made tonight by the attending physician of the coach, who was removed to a hospital here shortly after his arrival from Poughkeepsie this morning. His condition while not alarming may be described as serious.

Coach Courtney sustained his injury on the train on which the Cornell crew was going to Poughkeepsie on June 13. The train stopped at Highland with a jolt and Courtney was thrown heavily against the side of the car. It was said on several occasions at Poughkeepsie that the coach bled from the nose and ears but he refused to consult a physician, fearing that he would be ordered to a hospital and could not coach his crews in the most important period of their training.

REFUSED TO STAND CUT IN SALARY.

Titus and George Released by Kansas City Association Club.

Kansas City, June 29.—John Titus, an outfielder and "Lefty" George, a pitcher, who were released by the local American Association club at St. Paul, Sunday, arrived here today and announced that they had been released because they had refused to stand a cut in salary.

Both players said they have iron clad contracts with the club and that the management of the club had no right to release them. President Chivington of the American Association said this afternoon, he believed the Kansas City club had offered them salaries commensurate with the services they were delivering. Until he learned that about the principals of their contracts, he declined to talk about their legality.

NICKALLS LAUDED AS GREAT COACH.

Carried Ellis to Victory Over Crimson Eight.

In writing of the Yale-Harvard university race at New London, it is still difficult to adjust the mind to contemplation of a Crimson rout so utterly disastrous when every canon of judgment and every lesson which years of experience in observing university eights have taught, inclined to the conviction that this annual struggle between the Crimson and the Blue crews would be desperately close, says Fair Play in the New York Evening Sun. The fact of Yale's beautiful form—her perfect smoothness, her mechanical rhythm, her irresistible power—stands out clearly, however. If the tholepin rig is conducive to such splendid harmony and drive—and to gainsay this at this time would be a ridiculous essay in aquatic logic—then let us cast our swivel locks into the deep waters and take our rowing on a new basis. The best things in the world, or many of the best things, have resulted from a merging of ideas, from taking the good wherever it appears, and applying it without reservation. Yale presented on the Thames a medley of English and American principles worked into a smooth and harmonious whole. Her shell, American built, contained the English tholepins, but embodied the American scheme of seats over the keel, while the stroke which the men rowed was a modification of the English theory as we understand it. The results were superb. Yale rowed a long stroke with a fine body swing, a vicious anchoring of the blade, a hrad, powerful pull to the outrigger, and then a gradual easing, with however, a venomous little kick at the end which sent the puddles banking up ahead and brought the blades out clean as a dog's tooth. Thereby the shell was made to move with the unhesitating glide of a torpedo boat. In all shells driven by oars there is a perceptible catch between strokes, but I never saw such a slight chang as was revealed in the stern of the Ell shell. It would be going too far to say it was non-existent, but you had to watch for it; it didn't appear at a casual glance. Now the crew that can send a shell through the water with a check so impalpable is the crew that is booked to win any race. In the intercollegiate regattas of the past decade at Poughkeepsie and at New London some exceedingly fine eights have rowed, but many of us are of a mind to believe that never a better eight than the 1915 Yale outfit has swung sweeps in that time. Consider the low stroke at which the results were obtained; at no time after the first few minutes of the race did the Ells go above 34, and most of the time they were rowing at 32 and 30, with occasional drops to 28. Yet, withal, they did the first mile in 4.40, the second in 10.05, the third in 15.27, and the fourth in 20.52, which is the record for the upstream course on the Thames. That was good rowing, and the beautiful ease of it all and the concentrated energy were delightful to watch.

What shall be said of Guy Nickalls other than that he is a coach of the rarest ability? Last year he took Yale rowing with a dark record behind it, and in the course of a few weeks lifted it out of the slough and gave the Blue a victory over a vaunted Crimson eight. A mistake, a fortuitous circumstance, said many, rowing authorities included, while the more cautious, yielding Nickalls modified praise, awaited this year's event in order to establish their impressions. They are established now. We know today that Nickalls has the correct ideas, and that he knows how to impart them—which lest is considerably more than half the battle. Had he a crew of exceptional merit, that is to say, a crew who reported for work in the spring, bringing with them a superabundance of ability, we might still be cautious in yielding this imported instructor of rowing the palm which he has earned. But the fact is Nickalls had a boatload of men to whom rowing had to be taught. Morse, the stroke, knew little or nothing about sweep swinging until he came to Yale, and neither did Wiman. Nickalls took them and moulded them to his needs, as he did several other members of the eight, and the result is a distinct triumph for this coach. The great factor in the development of this Yale crew was the faith that every member had in his instructor.

Want Berth in City League.

The Sporting Editor of The Bulletin has received the following communication from the Centrals:

To Mr. Rinella, President of the City League:

As we understand there is a vacancy in the City league, owing to the withdrawal of the Trimmers, we, the Centrals, would like to take their place in the league. Kindly answer this through The Bulletin or call 1217-4.

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GAMES SCHEDULED TODAY.

National League.
Boston at Philadelphia.
New York at Brooklyn.
Chicago at Cincinnati.
Pittsburgh at St. Louis.

American League.
Philadelphia at Boston.
Washington at New York.
St. Louis at Chicago

Federal League.
Pittsburgh at Baltimore.
Chicago at Newark.
Kansas City at Brooklyn.
St. Louis at Buffalo.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

Federal League.
Brooklyn 5, Kansas City 2.
Buffalo 5, St. Louis 4.
Chicago 1, Newark 0.
Pittsburgh 7, Baltimore 1.

New England League.
Worcester 7, Lawrence 2.
Lowell 8, Portland 6.
Manchester 1, Lynn 0.

Colonial League.
Pawtucket 7, Fall River 6. (11 innings.)
Hartford 5, Springfield 6
New Haven 5, Taunton 0.
New Bedford 2, Brockton 0.

International League.
Newark 5, Richmond 4.
Buffalo 5, Rochester 2.
Montreal 3, Toronto 2.
Providence-Jersey City game scheduled for Tuesday postponed to later date.

American Association.
St. Paul 2, Kansas City 6.
No other games scheduled.

National League.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Chicago	34	24	.586
St. Louis	34	26	.567
Philadelphia	31	27	.534
Pittsburgh	30	27	.526
Boston	29	29	.500
New York	29	29	.500
Brooklyn	26	34	.433
Cincinnati	24	31	.436

American League.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Chicago	44	21	.617
Detroit	38	26	.594
Boston	37	28	.569
New York	39	27	.556
Washington	30	28	.517
Cleveland	32	28	.507
St. Louis	32	28	.561
Philadelphia	21	40	.355

Federal League.

	W.	L.	Pct.
St. Louis	37	24	.607
Kansas City	38	27	.585
Chicago	37	29	.561
Pittsburgh	34	28	.548
Newark	32	32	.500
Brooklyn	30	35	.462
Baltimore	24	38	.387
Buffalo	23	43	.348

New York Lost in Tenth.

Boston, June 29.—New York tied the score in the ninth inning today, gained a lead of one run in the tenth, put out two Boston batsmen in the last half of that inning and lost the game, 4 runs to 3. Ruth had not allowed a New York runner beyond second base until the ninth. Boston scored the winning run on Speaker's long hit to center, his fifth hit in as many times at bat.

Five hundred enthusiasts came here from Providence to see "Bill" Donovan day. Governor Beekman and Lieutenant Governor San Souci of Rhode Island and Mayor Gainer of Providence accompanied them.

The score:

New York (A)	ab	h	po	a	e	Boston (A)	ab	h	po	a	e
High,cf	5	2	2	0	0	Hooper,rf	3	0	3	0	0
Peckin'h,ss	5	0	1	3	0	Wagner,2b	4	1	4	4	0
Maisel,2b	4	3	1	1	1	Speaker,cf	5	3	3	0	0
Mullen,1b	4	0	7	2	0	Lewis,lf	3	0	1	0	0
Cree,rf	4	0	1	0	0	Hoblit'L,1b	4	0	12	2	1
Hartzell,lf	3	0	3	0	0	Janvrin,ss	4	2	2	2	0
xxBauman	0	0	0	0	0	Gardner,3b	4	1	0	3	0
xDaley,lf	1	1	0	0	0	Thomas,c	3	1	5	0	0
Boone,3b	5	0	5	4	0	Roth,p	3	0	0	2	0
Nunn'n,c	4	1	7	3	2	xHenriksen	0	0	0	0	0
Caldwell,p	3	1	2	0	1	xxGainer	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	38	8	29	11	4	Totals	34	10	30	16	1

(xx) Batted for Hartzel in 9th.
(xxx) Ran for Bauman in 9th.
(x) Batted for Thomas in 10th.
(xx) Batted for Roth in 10th.

Score by innings:

New York	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	—3
Boston	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	—4

Two base hits, Maisel, Janvrin, High. Sacrifice hits, Wagner, Lewis, Mullen.

Wyckoff and Davis Hard Hit.

Washington, June 29.—Washington batted Wyckoff and Davies hard today, while Boehling was invincible, and the locals shut out the Athletics 8 to 0.

CAPT. JACOMINI and LELAND STANFORD FIRST VARSITY CREW

It was the last game of the series, making it three out of four for Washington. Score:

Philadelphia (A)	ab	h	po	a	e	Washington (A)	ab	h	po	a	e
Murray,rf	4	0	0	0	0	Connolly,rf	4	1	3	0	0
Strunk,cf	4	0	3	2	0	Foster,2b	5	2	1	1	0
Walsh,lf	4	2	1	0	1	Shanks,lf	4	1	4	0	0
Schang,2b	4	0	12	3	0	Milan,cf	5	2	2	0	0
Lajoie,1b	4	2	0	3	0	Gandil,1b	5	1	11	0	0
McInnis,1b	4	2	8	1	0	Neff,3b	3	2	0	4	0
Lapp,c	2	0	0	0	0	Henry,c	4	2	5	1	0
Heffner,c	1	0	0	0	0	McBride,ss	3	2	2	5	0
Wyckoff,p	1	0	0	0	0	Boehling,p	3	1	0	3	0
Davies,p	2	1	1	1	0						
Totals	33	7	27	10	1	Totals	36	15	27	9	0

Score by innings:

Philadelphia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0
Washington	0	1	2	3	0	1	1	0	x		—8

Two base hits, Boehling. Three base hits, Walsh, Shanks, McInnis. Sacrifice hits, Shanks.

Triple Clinched Game for Chicago.

Chicago, June 29.—For the third consecutive time, a triple with men on the bases clinched the game for Chicago today. The locals defeated St. Louis 4 to 2. Fabre made the triple in the fourth inning after Roth and Schalk had waiked.

George Sisler, the University of Michigan recruit, played first base. He fielded well, made one hit and scored a run. Austin argued with Umpire Chill on a strike decision and was ordered out of the game. Score:

St. Louis (A)	ab	h	po	a	e	Chicago (A)	ab	h	po	a	e
Shotten,lf	2	1	1	0	0	Felsch,cf	3	0	0	0	0
Austin,2b	1	0	0	0	0	Weaver,ss	3	1	1	0	1
Walsh,3b	3	0	0	6	0	S.Collins,2b	3	0	3	2	0
Sisler,1b	4	1	8	0	1	Fournier,1b	4	0	7	1	0
Pratt,lf	4	1	3	4	0	J.Collins,rf	4	1	1	0	0
O.Walker,cf	3	1	1	0	0	Roth,lf	2	0	0	0	0
E.Walker,rf	3	1	1	0	0	Schalk,c	2	1	14	2	0
Lavan,ss	3	0	2	3	0	Risberg,ss,3b	3	1	1	0	0
Severeid,c	3	1	2	2	0	Fabre,p	2	1	0	2	0
Hamilton,p	2	0	0	1	0						
xLeary	1	0	0	0	0						
Ferryman,p	0	0	0	0	0						
Totals	28	6	23	18	2	Totals	26	5	27	10	0

(x) Weaver out; hit by batted ball.
(x) Batted for Hamilton in 8th.

Score by innings:

St. Louis	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	6—5
Chicago	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	x	—4

Two base hits, J. Collins, Shotten. Three base hit, Fabre. Sacrifice hits, Fabre, C. Walker, E. Collins.

Becker's Homer the Turning Point.

Philadelphia, June 29.—A home run by Becker with two bases occupied in the fourth inning proved the turning point of today's game with Brooklyn. Philadelphia winning 5 to 4. Dell weakened in the fourth when the home team tied the score, and he was taken out in the fifth, being succeeded by Appleton. The locals won in the seventh on Bancroft's double, Whitted's sacrifice and an out. Score:

Brooklyn (N)	ab	h	po	a	e	Philadelphia (N)	ab	h	po	a	e
Meyer,cf	4	2	2	0	0	Byrne,3b	4	0	1	1	0
O'Mara,ss	3	1	1	5	0	Bancroft,ss	4	1	2	6	1
Daubert,1b	4	1	12	1	0	Whitted,rf	1	1	2	1	0
Wheat,lf	4	0	3	0	0	Cravath,rf	4	1	4	0	0
Cutshaw,2b	4	0	2	5	0	Becker,lf	3	1	2	0	0
Stengel,rf	4	0	1	0	0	Niehoff,2b	3	2	1	4	0
Getz,3b	4	2	0	3	0	Luderus,1b	3	0	12	1	1
Miller,c	2	0	3	0	0	Killifer,c	2	0	8	0	0
Dell,p	2	0	1	0	0	Chalmers,p	3	0	0	5	0
Appleton,p	1	0	0	1	0						
Totals	35	7	24	12	0	Totals	27	6	27	18	2

Score by innings:

Brooklyn	3	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	—4
Philadelphia	0	0	0	4	0	0	1	0	x		—5

Two base hits, Daubert, Niehoff 2, Bancroft. Home run, Becker. Sacrifice hits, O'Mara, Chalmers, Luderus.

Pirates and Cardinals Divide.

St. Louis, June 29.—St. Louis and Pittsburgh divided a double header here today. The first game was lost by the locals, 5 to 8, chiefly through poor work by Dolan in the ninth. At the opening of the inning, St Louis led, 5 to 4., Dolan's miss of Hinchman's fly put the latter on second base. Wagner's hit brought Hinchman in, tying the score. Wagner and Viox also came home and then Johnston scored the final run when Dolan failed to reach Schang's high fly.

Dolan redeemed himself by a spectacular catch in the second game. This contest was won, 6 to 4 by St. Louis' hard and timely hitting. Scores:

Pittsburgh (N)	ab	h	po	a	e	St. Louis (N)	ab	h	po	a	e
Carey,lf	5	2	0	1	0	Butler,ss	3	1	4	1	0
Collins,cf	4	2	2	0	0	Long,rf	2	2	1	1	0
Baird,2b	4	2	3	2	0	Miller,2b	4	0	3	3	1
Hinchm'n,rf	5	1	2	0	0	Wilson,cf	4	1	2	0	0
Wagner,ss	5	2	3	2	1	Dolan,lf	3	1	1	0	1
Viox,3b	2	0	1	4	0	Hratt,1b	4	1	8	1	1
Johnston,1b	4	1	10	0	0	Beck,3b	3	0	1	3	0
Gibson,c	3	1	4	1	0	Snyder,c	3	2	7	2	0
xSchang,c	0	0	2	0	0	Meadows,p	3	0	0	3	0
Harmon,p	3	0	0	3	0						
Cousin'n,p	1	0	0	0	0	Totals	30	8	27	14	3
xxCutello	1	0	0	0	0						
Adams,p	1	0	0	0	0						
Totals	39	12	27	15	1						

(x) Ran for Gibson in 9th.
(xx) Batted for Cousinman in 8th.

Score by innings:

Pittsburgh	1	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	4	—8
St. Louis	0	2	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	6	—5

Two base hit, Wilson. Sacrifice hits, Collins, Meadows, Dolan and Long.

Pittsburgh (N)	ab	h	po	a	e	St. Louis (N)	ab	h	po	a	e
Carey,lf	5	1	0	2	0	Butler,ss	3	1	4	2	0
Collings,cf	3	0	2	1	0	Long,rf	4	1	3	0	0
Baird,2b	4	0	1	0	1	Miller,2b	4	2	1	1	0
Costello,cf	0	0	1	0	0	Wilson,cf	4	2	5	0	0
Hinch'n,rf	4	0	4	0	0	Dolan,lf	3	0	2	0	0
Wagner,ss	4	1	2	1	1	Hratt,1b	4	1	8	0	0
Viox,3b	4	2	2	3	0	Beck,3b	3	1	0	1	0
Johnston,1b	3	1	8	0	1	Gonzales,c	3	1	7	3	0
Gibson,c	2	1	4	2	0	Robinson,p	2	1	0	1	0
Cooper,p	3	1	0	3	0	Grier,p	1	0	0	1	0
xMurphy	1	1	0	0	0						
xxSchang	1	0	0	0	0	Totals	32	11	27	8	2
xGerber	0	0	0	0	0						
Totals	35	8	24	12	3						

(x) Batted for Collins in 8th.
(xx) Batted for Cooper in 9th.
(x) Ran for Gibson in 9th.

Score by innings:

Pittsburgh	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	1	0	4	—4
St. Louis	3	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	x		—6

Two base hits, Long. Three base hits, Miller, Wilson, Carey. Home run, Miller.

RAIN INTERFERED WITH PLAY.

Men's Singles Reached Sixth Round, But Preliminaries in Women's Singles Were Put Through.

Pittsburgh, June 29.—Rain interfered with play in the third day's play of clay court tennis championships this afternoon. The men's singles had reached the sixth round, the last match in the fifth round between F. C. Inman of the West Side club and J. C. Castle of Pittsburgh standing one set for the local player and three games to two in the second set when Referee Julian S. Myrick stopped the play. All the preliminaries in the woman's singles were put through, and twelve matches in the first round as well as the two in the second round.

Eastern players left in the men's singles are R. Norris Williams, George M. Church, M. W. Washburn, N. W. Niles and Dean Mathey. Niles, the Boston player, defeated W. S. McElroy of Pittsburgh, who last week won the Ohio championship at Cleveland. He was eliminated today in the sixth round.

BRIEF STATE NEWS

Southington.—All the stores will close on Wednesday afternoons during July and August as is other years.

Fair Haven.—Capt. Samuel Merwin Smith, who died at the Sailors' Snug Harbor, was buried in Fair Haven cemetery Monday afternoon.

Waterbury.—In all probability the new automobile at the Baldwin street fire house will be put into commission some time this week, as it is ready for service.

Fair Haven.—Rev. Charles Kelly said mass for a congregation of Italians and addressed them in that language in the basement of St. Francis' church Sunday morning.

Branford.—The Sons of St. George decorated the graves of their deceased members in the Stony Creek cemetery yesterday afternoon. C. J. Ople, Jr., conducting the services.

New Haven.—Prof. William Howard Taft of the Yale Law school and his family have left for Pointe-au-Pic, Murray Bay, in the Province of Quebec, Canada, where they will spend the summer vacation.

New Haven.—At yesterday's meeting of the Automobile association Secretary Adams announced that the club was now within 50 of the 1,000 membership mark, and 16 more new members were admitted.

Wethersfield.—Carl Noren, Jr., 25, of Hartford was drowned Sunday night in the Connecticut river off Wethersfield cove when he fell from the rear seat of a motorboat in which he was riding, which was being towed by another motorboat.

New Haven.—The Sons and Daughters of the American Revolution have invited the citizens of New Haven to a religious and patriotic service to be held in the Center church on the morning of July 5th at 9.30 o'clock, to continue three-quarters of an hour.

Rockville.—The Past Noble Grands' association met with the past noble grands of Mayflower Rebekah lodge in Rockville Tuesday afternoon. The association is composed of past noble grands of Rebekah lodges in Manchester, East Hartford and Rockville.

Torrington.—Judge Joel H. Reed of the superior court, Leonard W. Coggswell, court stenographer, and Attorneys B. E. Higgins of Torrington, Frank B. Munn of New Hartford and S. A. Herman of Winsted were guests over Sunday of State Attorney Donald T. Warner at Mt. Riga.

Manchester.—A house party, including Misses Mabel Barrett, Doris Gould, Ethyl Chartier, Agnes Fallow, Australt Lundin, Ruth Ferguson, Alice McEvitt and Mildred Johnson has gone to Coventry lake, where they will occupy the Gould cottage. Mrs. Gould will chaperone the party.

Chester.—The mystery regarding the factory at Chester was solved when a reporter visited the plant near the Chester railroad station and after talking with the officials in charge was taken all over the establishment. The concern is making aniline dyes, or, as they are often known, coal tar dyes.

Ansonia.—State Agent Marks of the Connecticut board of education spent a busy afternoon in this city yesterday hearing applications from school children who desire to work. On account of the schools closing last week, the number of applicants yesterday was the largest the state official has had in a year.

Winsted.—Urias A. Gillette, janitor of the Hurlbut National bank building, has just received a postcard, postmarked New Haven March 16, 1914. The card was addressed to his mother-in-law, Mrs. Nancy P. White, who died March 28, 1914. Where the card repose dfor a year and a quarter nobody seems to know.

Just a Chance.

There's just a chance, of course, that a bombardment of Venice will disclose the whereabouts of the missing British navy.—Washington Post.

An Unusual Accomplishment.

Serbia harvests her crops and then resumes fighting. Few nations succeed in not letting war break up business.—Washington Star.

May See A Great Light.

Mr. Roosevelt has now most unqualifiedly indorsed the German note and Mr. Bryan may in a few days.—Springfield Republican.

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