

5 O'CLOCK SPECIAL. RACING. MR. VERNON

Wins the Clover Stakes Easily at Gravesend To-Day.

GOOD CROWD AT THE RACES. Tulla Blackburn and Warpath Both Are Winners.

GRAVESEND RACE TRACK, May 21.—The largest crowd since the day of the Gravesend race track took to-day, and when the bugle called the horses to the post for the first race the grand stand was well filled and the betting for was so crowded that it was difficult to get around.

The fight between the track owners and pool-rooms was more fierce than ever to-day. The entire race was surrounded by followers, men, and they would not allow any one near the fence, while getting in and out of the grounds with news of any description was out of the question.

All of the schemes that were put in action yesterday were balked to-day.

After the race was run the gates were closed, and every one inside was kept there.

First Race. A handicap sweepstakes, for three-year-olds and upward, one mile.

Starter. White, Jackson, Straight, Place. 1. Vernon, 113. 2. Lumber, 110. 3. Lumber, 110. 4. Lumber, 110. 5. Lumber, 110. 6. Lumber, 110. 7. Lumber, 110. 8. Lumber, 110. 9. Lumber, 110. 10. Lumber, 110.

They were away to a good start, with Charley Post in the lead, followed by St. John, Orange and Tulla Blackburn.

Post held the lead until the last race was reached, where O'Brien sent Tulla Blackburn up and down the track, and he won by a neck.

Second Race. A sweepstakes for maiden three-year-olds; one mile.

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Warpath went to the front and was never troubled thereafter, winning by two lengths from Argon, who was whipped to near the delirium by a length for the place.

Third Race. The Clover Stakes, for fillies two years old; one mile.

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Laurel Water jumped away in front and headed a big race, but was overtaken by Tulla Blackburn, who won by a neck.

Fourth Race. Parkway Handicap for three-year-olds and upward; five furlongs.

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Racing at Louisville. (SPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD.) Louisville, Ky., May 21.—The races here to-day resulted as follows:

First Race—One mile.—Redwin won with Marie second and Consigne third. Time 1:50.

Second Race—One mile and seventy yards.—Falconet won, with Reiter second and Wheeler third. Time 1:55.

Racing at Chicago. CHICAGO, May 21.—The races here today were as follows:

First Race—Five-eighths of a mile.—Will Wind won, with Little Billy second and Richell third. Time 1:11.

CITY NEWS TERSELY TOLD.

To-Day's Record of Minor Happenings About Town.

Chronicles Briefly Drawn from Note-Book and Docket.

Held for Jersey Justice. Emil Harold, who was arrested last night at the Kingston House, 63 East Broadway, at the request of the Jersey City police, was this morning at the Tombs held for registration.

Assistant Supt. of Public Schools. Those who attended the Free Lectures last Winter, instituted through THE EVENING WORLD, will be glad to learn that Dr. Henry Lewis, who was in charge of the lectures, has been appointed chief of the Board of Education for Assistant Superintendent of the Public Schools.

They Saw the Elephant. George Lee and Charles Goodman, who were arrested last night at the falling of an optimum lot at a First street, were discharged by Essex Market Court this morning, as it was not shown that they "bit the pipe." They said they were strangers and were out seeing the elephant.

Reprieved the District-Attorney. Stephen Roper, charged with using the mails for fraudulent purposes, was discharged by Judge Benedict in the United States Circuit Court in a morning for lack of sufficient evidence, and the United States District-Attorney was reprieved for his negligence.

Took Away Town's License. Mayor Grant today revoked the license of Arthur J. Town, who keeps an intelligence office at 301 West Thirty-sixth street, because Town was found to have been connected with a man who Mayor's Marshal Reginald says swindled many poor applicants for work.

Plundered His Friend. Carl F. Lutz, a recently arrived immigrant, was held for trial to-day in the Tombs Court on the charge of stealing \$50 worth of jewelry from Charles Schwab, with whom he lodged at 475 Bleecker street.

Arrested for a Jersey City Burglary. Charles Schultz, known as a professional thief, was arrested this morning in a Bowery lodging-house and locked up in the Tombs Court to await registration papers from Jersey City, where he is wanted for robbing Building Inspector O'Neill's house in Jersey City.

Will Not Build the Record House. Aqueduct Commissioner Scott said to-day that Corporation Counsel Clark's opinion that the Commission has no authority to expend money for building a record house will give the Commission, which will return its report on the creation of the house.

Tried to Ebbot the Foreman. Michael Cosgrove was held in Harlem Court this morning, charged with having attempted to shoot John Murphy, former New York State Senator, and a woman named Corra, who was his wife, at the residence of Michael Cosgrove, thought Murphy had him discharged.

May Prove a Woman-Murderer by a Woman. Coroner Schulze was summoned to-day to take the autopsy statement of Mrs. Dolan, the wife of a woman named Corra, who was shot and killed by Michael Cosgrove, thought Murphy had him discharged.

Rapid Transit Problem Considered. Frank J. Sprague, of this city, read a paper entitled "Considerations Which Should Govern the Selection of a Rapid Transit System" at the meeting of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers to-day.

Beattie Still Reducing His Forces. One hundred men have been discharged from the force of the Street Cleaning Department since May 1, and to-day it was announced that twenty-five more men will be discharged so that the total force will be reduced to 1,000 men.

No Ticket, No Clothes. Maurice Moriarty was held at the Tombs this morning for breaking the window of Geo. Wah's laundry at 73 Baxter street last night, because the Chinaman wouldn't give him clothes without a ticket.

Run Down by a Baker's Wagon. Joseph Cohen, eighteen years old, of 145 Spring street, was run over and severely injured in Wheeler street, near Hudson, by a horse and driver's wagon driven by Joseph Lenzel, of 303 Fifth avenue, this morning.

Death of A. Oakley Hall's Daughter. Mrs. William B. Crosby, who died yesterday at her home in Summit, N. J., was the daughter of ex-Mayor A. Oakley Hall, who will be buried Saturday morning from the Central Presbyterian Church of Summit.

THE NEW MASONIC HOME. A Great Corner-Stone Day at Utica, Despite a Light Rain.

UTICA, May 21.—The corner-stone of the new Masonic Home and Hospital was laid at 1 o'clock to-day, with appropriate ceremonies. The parade was the largest ever seen in this city, fully 8,000 Masons of all degrees being in line.

There were thirty bands. The decorations on public and private buildings about the city were the most elaborate ever seen in Utica.

On account of a light rain, only the Trustees of the Home drove out to the site to accompany the actual laying of the stone, the ceremonies being held in the Opera-House.

Grand Master Vrooman presided and Past Grand Master Frank R. Lawrence, of New York, was the orator.

This evening Chas. M. Depey will deliver an address.

CHOLERA NEAR DANVILLE, ILL. A Wealthy Farmer Sick and Quarantined at His House.

CHICAGO, May 21.—A special from Danville says John Schreier is sick with cholera and quarantined at his residence. He is a wealthy farmer living near Danville.

BLAINE'S SWOLLEN FEET. At the Daimroch home in West Seventieth street, to-day, it was stated that swollen feet prevented the return of Secretary Blaine to Washington except the gout swelling of his feet, which would not permit him to wear his shoes.

TRYING A WOMAN FOR MURDER

Jury Completed and Evidence Began Against Paolina Robertello.

Story of the Crime for Which Her Life Is Put in Peril.

When the Court of Oyer and Terminer opened this morning, only one juror remained to be secured for the trial of the pretty little Italian girl, Paolina Robertello, for the slaying of her fatigued lover, Nicolo Piro, March 3, last.

Out of the extra panel of 800 talemans drawn yesterday three more jurors were found, satisfactory to both Lawyer B. A. Blake & Sullivan, Paolina's counsel, and Assistant District-Attorney Bertus S. Weeks, making the jury so far completed as follows:

ABRAHAM LEIPZIG, foreman, 476 Broome street. WALTER M. TATISSO, 51 Chambers street. JAMES FINNAN, 303 East Sixty-ninth street. STANLEY M. DEWEY, 329 West Twenty-third street.

WILLIAM F. MINARD, 271 West Eighty-seventh street. SIDNEY V. VEIL, 622 Broadway. LOUIS LYONS, 191 Lexington avenue. NICHOLAS J. GERCHWINDA, 1369 Third avenue. GEORGE E. HENKERT, 221 East One Hundred and Sixteenth street.

CHARLES MAYNOR, 101 West Forty-seventh street. JAMES McLENNAN, 201 West Thirty-fourth street.

Paolina was to-day neatly attired in black, as usual, and appeared to have recovered entirely from her nervousness of yesterday. Her mother was not in court.

The crime that led to her trial is that she shot and killed Piro on the morning of March 3, in front of 73 Spring street. Her story is a pitiful one, to the effect that Piro had taken advantage of her, but had promised to marry her.

He set the date for their wedding, and at the same time gave her a pistol, telling her: "I do not keep my promise, shoot me with this."

The girl took the weapon. Shortly afterwards she learned, March 1, the date set for their wedding, that he intended to sail for Italy.

When he lay in wait for him all night before his lodging, but he did not appear until morning, she then appeared to his honor, but he laughed at her.

Craved by the thought that she was about to become a mother and driven to desperation by her lover's duplicity, she pulled the pistol he had given her and shot him through the heart. She then fled to her mother's house, where she hid for several days.

Five years ago a young woman died at her home in the city, and the coroner's jury returned a verdict of natural death. The woman's name was Paolina Robertello.

When, about a year ago, several bodies of Paolina Robertello were found in the city, she was arrested and charged with the murder of her lover, Nicolo Piro.

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DEAD AT MME. SCHROEDER'S

Coroner Called to Investigate the Strange Death of Annie Fleischler.

Autopsy Ordered for To-Morrow Morning—Mme. Schroeder Still Behind Bars.

Dr. Mines, of Forty-fifth street and Lexington avenue, reported to Coroner Schulze this afternoon that a young woman had died at 313 East Fifty-sixth street, the home of Mme. Schroeder, who is now under arrest, charged with performing a criminal operation on Mame Schuler.

Dr. Mines was of the opinion that the girl had died from peritonitis, but he said he did not attend the case, and declined to give a death certificate.

Coroner Schulze and Deputy Coroner Weston proceeded at once to the house and began an investigation.

It was learned that the dead girl was named Annie Fleischler, a domestic, twenty-two years old, who came to this country three and a half years ago from Germany. She had been employed in the family of a Mr. Meisenheimer, at 313 East Fifty-sixth street.

She came to the home of Madame Schroeder May 3 very ill, she gave birth to a boy May 12, which was taken away two or three days later, but by whom no one in the house seemed to know.

From superficial examination, it appeared that the girl had died from peritonitis, consequent on childbirth. Coroner Schulze, however, will make an autopsy to-morrow morning at the morgue, to which place the girl's body was removed.

A pretty girl of twenty is now in the New York Hospital suffering from the effects of a criminal operation alleged to have been performed by Mme. Schroeder.

The girl is named Raymond, she is said to be the daughter of a Louisville (Ky.) merchant and ran away from home a year ago last March to become an actress.

She came to the city and rented a room on Avenue C, at the house of 116 East Twenty-third street, where she was frequently visited by an alleged actor going by the name of John Wallace Jackson.

Mame Schroeder, employed in a sixth avenue dry-goods store, was arrested recently on the charge of robbing a man named Jackson, who she claimed to be her husband.

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WALL ST. STOCK REPORTS.

General Decline To-Day, Based on Weak Buying in London.

Three Millions in Gold Engaged for Saturday's Shipments.

Further Declines in the Late Afternoon's Trading—The Quotations.

Stocks opened strong on the weekly statement of the Bank of England, which showed an increase in bullion of a little over one million pounds sterling.

The bull, however, were not a little disappointed over the fact that London displayed a general increase in the holdings of American securities. The absence of demand from that quarter was severely felt, and it was not long before local traders began to lighten their loads.

The result was a general decline in prices, equal to a 1 1/2 per cent. with Louisville, St. Paul, Union Pacific, Burlington and Missouri Pacific in the lead.

It being the heaviest stock in the early trading, having advanced from 31 1/2 to 32 1/2, the amount contracted with the Penn. Anthracite Fuel Company for about \$2,000,000 per annum, it has just entered into an agreement with the latter to buy for the next year.

The stock market generally receded to 2 1/2, in spite of the fact that the general list of discounts in London are again weaker, being down to 4 1/2 per cent. The depression, exchange rates being at a low level, is a result of the current for a several weeks.

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THAT NEW BOY AROUND THE CORNER.

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Phil Dwyer Goes Another Point in His Queer War.

But What Does He Gain?

Wyndham Walden Becomes a Terror to Gravesend Trainers.

President Philip J. Dwyer, of the Brooklyn Jockey Club, yesterday ordered the Western Union Telegraph Company to remove its wires from the race track. This incident the private wire of the Association, over which information was telegraphed to out-of-town pool-rooms and for which privilege the club claims paid the Association \$1,000. The wires which went over the wire, however, found its way back to New York in a minute and a half. This was the reason why Mr. Dwyer cut off the wire.

The action of President Dwyer has left him worse off in his fight with the pool-rooms than ever before. As soon as the Western Union Telegraph Company removed its wires from the race track, it severed an outlet nearly just outside the grounds.

The hotel has a large glass cupola, and from this lofty perch complete descriptions of the races can be given from flag to finish. Betting was furnished by messengers. The change has vastly benefited the pool-rooms. Mr. Dwyer is supposed to have received several thousand dollars out of pocket besides.

Whether or not the pool-rooms are conducting business legally the writer cannot say. If they are, well and good. If not, then it is the duty of the municipal authorities to prove this fact and close them up. In any event the action of the jockey club is a very bold one, and one which is not to be lightly regarded.

There is a case of dog and dog. The racing associations are violating the law and so are the jockey clubs. It is a case of dog and dog, and even now there is a bill pending to repeal the law on these grounds.

In view of these facts, it is somewhat strange that the racing associations will permit the jockey clubs to continue to operate as they do. They have valuable properties, the worth of which will be reduced to a measly amount by the repeal of the law. The pool-rooms have nothing to lose.

The colt Leighton, which fell and broke his shoulder in the Maturity Handicap on Tuesday, was not quartered in the pool-rooms. The colt was in the hands of the jockey club, and the colt was in the hands of the jockey club, and the colt was in the hands of the jockey club.

A rumor went about the track yesterday that the great colt Tourmaline, for whom Foxhall