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A Sketch of the King of Coney Island.

John Y. McKane proposes to make voters of many of his subjects this year.

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## EXTRA. 2 O'CLOCK.

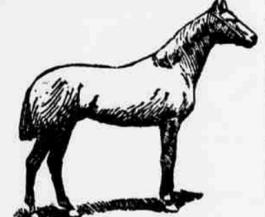
### NOW THE BIG RACE.

Rooters Praying that Rain May Not Spoil the Suburban.

Sheepshead Escaped a Shower and at Noon the Track Was Dry.

Major Domo Reported This Morning to Be a Little Bit Off.

(SPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD.)  
**SHEEPSHEAD RACE TRACK, June 18.**—The prospects are that the great Suburban Handicap will be run over a fast and dry track. At this writing (11 o'clock) the track is absolutely dry, and it will take at least three hours of steady rain to make it very heavy. The weather is unfavorable, of course, and the clouds look as if they might at any time dissolve into water and deluge the course.

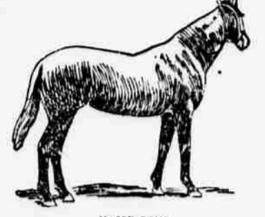


**FERRARA.**  
 No rain fell here during the morning, and strange to say the heavy showers which passed over the Morris Park track yesterday did not visit the Sheepshead Bay course. Supt. Frank Clark is jubilant over the state of the track.  
 "Just look at it," he said, as he took up a handful of the dry loam and let it sift through his fingers. It fell as soft and flaky as snow. "If the weather only holds as it is now," he continued, "you will see one of the greatest races ever run in this or any other country."  
 Then he looked dubiously at the rain-laden clouds, and added dubiously: "There is a chance that no rain will fall before the big race. All the rooters that I know of are invoking every charm they can think of to prevent a downpour."



**HACELAND.**  
 The most important piece of news at the track this morning is that Major Domo is a little off. He felt well up to yesterday when he suddenly refused his food. This morning when his trainer set out the Major's breakfast, the game thoroughbred declined to eat. The followers of his stable, however, believe that he will win.  
 Messrs. Loochatchee, His Highness, Montana, Haceland and the other candidates are all at the track, and so far as can be learned they are in the pink of condition.

**MOST OF THE STARTERS GIVEN A PREPARATORY SPIN.**  
 Haceland, Montana, and in fact most of the starters were out this morning for an exercise. None of them did more than to trot a quarter in about 25 seconds.



**MAJOR DOMO.**  
 This year's Suburban, providing, of course, that the track holds good, will be one of the greatest races ever seen in this country. The oldest turfman does not remember when such a grand lot of thoroughbreds ever came together before. With unusual care, and at least half a dozen swears feel confident that their respective entries will win.  
 Inquiry among the trainers and horsemen at the track shows that Montana is a red-hot favorite. They saw him gallop a mile and a half in 2:37 on Thursday, and pull up fast and strong.  
 In answer to their arguments it may be said that Longstreet's private trials were better than those of any other horse in the Brooklyn Handicap, yet he finished a bad last.

**CAN'T SEE ANYTHING BUT MONTANA.**  
 Nevertheless, trainers and track people refuse to believe that there is any other horse in it but the Italy colt, and they will plunk down their dollars with full confidence in him.

## ROUNDING UP.

**Cleveland Leaders Confer and Declare They Are Sure to Win.**

**The Ex-President Will Be Nominated on the First Ballot, Says Whitney.**

**Rumors of Attempts to Combine the Opposition on a Western Candidate.**

**Congressmen in Which Gray and Pattison's Names Will Be Presented by Their States.**

**Confidence Professed by the Tammany Managers that Senator Hill Will Be Successful.**

**Preliminary Skirmishing Going On in the Hotel Corridors and the State Delegations.**

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)  
**CHICAGO, June 18.**—A conference of Cleveland delegates from all parts of the country was held last night in the rooms of ex-Secretary Whitney at the Richfield. The conference began at 9 o'clock and lasted until early this morning. At its conclusion Mr. Whitney announced with emphasis: "Mr. Cleveland will be nominated on the first ballot."  
 The gathering was by long odds the most important one that has been held since the political boss began to centre in Chicago. It was called for the purpose of looking over the entire Cleveland line of battle and of detecting any weak points if they existed. It was like the consultation of generals on the eve of a battle, with the plans of attack and defense laid out before them, and with every feature of the impending conflict open to comment.  
 Foremost among the conferees were ex-Secretaries Whitney and Dickinson. They had arrived late in the afternoon on the private car of Mr. Whitney, accompanied by Francis Lynde Stetson, the law partner of Mr. Cleveland, and by William F. Harrity and James Smith, the respective political leaders of Pennsylvania and New Jersey.  
 Word was passed among the Cleveland leaders to assemble at the Richfield, and as a result the parlors were taxed to their utmost at 9 o'clock. Every man who came represented a section of the country from which Cleveland strength is to be drawn, and each man was a leader of "National prominence." Gov. Russell, of Massachusetts, was there, and Adlai E. Stevenson, ex-Assistant Postmaster-General under Cleveland, and the probable temporary Chairman of the Convention, Mayor Winston, of Minneapolis, and Patrick Moran, one of the Minnesota leaders, represented that State.  
 The Southern States were well represented, conspicuous among the Southern men being Stowe Smith, of Atlanta, Ga.  
 Messrs. B. B. Smalley, of Vermont; E. M. Shepard, of Brooklyn; Norris, of Indianapolis, and Judge D. Cady Herrick were also present.  
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 "Certainly it is, but we have no figures for publication as yet. In a word, however, they show that there will be only one ballot, and that will nominate Cleveland." Mr. Whitney, in an interview, said: "I have been in two big fights, the Tilden campaign of 1876 and the Cleveland campaign of 1888. But in each of these it was a question of a majority, and in that respect it differed from this. With regard to Cleveland, now, there is no question of his majority. It is simply a matter of the two-thirds."

**ON THE SKIRMISH LINES.**

(SPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD.)  
**CHICAGO, June 18.**—The principal centre of interest this morning is the Palmer House, where the Democratic National Committee holds forth, where twenty-seven State delegations have their headquarters and where the new and gorgeously decorated Cleveland club-boom has just been opened. It is evident that the Cleveland sympathizers are in the majority here, for their deplorable shouters draw out the cheers even of the Botes crowd, which up to this morning have had full swing. There is a great crowd in the rounds listening to the excited debates going on between St. Louis partisans, cheers breaking out first from one and then from another of struggling groups that have collected in the main corridor. Others are discussing the situation seriously, while scores of newspaper correspondents mingle with the throng.  
 Upstairs, on the parlor floor, the entrances

## THE MAN OF LIGHTNING CHANCES--OUR OWN CHAUNCEY



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of the National Committee rooms are blacked with representatives from the various delegations, while at the headquarters of a score or more States preparations are going on for the reception of delegates and their friends expected to arrive to-day and to-morrow.  
 Chairman Brice is kept on the jump receiving visitors and attending to the preliminary work of the Convention. It is rumored that he is working for the defeat of Cleveland's hopes, and Tammany delegates are conspicuous among his callers.  
 There are now some fifty or more Tammany braves at the Auditorium, where the headquarters of the "regulars" from New York were opened last night upon the arrival of the New York City delegates. Besides the "Big Four," who have been in possession of the ground since Thursday, are Gen. Dan Sickles, ex-Congressman Bob Roosevelt, Col. Fellows, Emigration Commissioner E. S. Ridgway, James S. Coleman, senator Eugene Ives, District-Attorney Nicol, Commissioner Thomas F. Gilroy and other well-known New Yorkers. The aggregation attracts the curiosity of Chicago people and they have turned out in force to watch the movements of the braves.  
 The corridors of the Auditorium are so crowded that it is difficult to get about. The Hill shouters are on hand in force.  
**Odds Offered Against Hill.**  
 They get more sympathy here than they do at the Palmer House, and offers of bets that Cleveland will not get the nomination were flying around recklessly last night. A solitary Cleveland man, with a pocket full of money, offered \$5,000, or part of it, at odds of 2 to 1 that Gov. Hill would not be nominated, but found no takers. To-day little betting is heard, but the shouting for him redoubled in vigor and his followers seem to have increased in numbers.  
 At the headquarters of the Anti-Snappers, at the Grand Pacific, things are progressing more quietly, although there is no lack of enthusiasm for the ex-President. Lots of work is being done in the upper rooms, where ex-Secretary Fairchild and Col. Tracey are superintending the labors of the literary bureau.  
 It is also quiet at the Grand Great Northern, where the Buffalo-Cleveland men have taken up their headquarters. When they want any information they go over to the Grand Pacific and mingle with their brethren there.  
 All the hotels are placarded to-day with portraits of Hill, which have been sent out from the Tammany headquarters. Secretary De Forest brought 5,000 of these lithographs from New York, and proposes to fill the entire town with them.  
 The managers of the Botes and Gray booms have also been active in this direction, and the portraits of these two venerable men adorn many public places. No Cleveland lithographs have as yet made their appearance, except in the headquarters at the Palmer House.  
**Cleveland Conceded a Majority.**  
 Except at the Hill headquarters, popular gossip about the heads-to-day all points to Cleveland as the coming man. Chicago and the West naturally favor Cleveland. The Hill managers concede that Cleveland has at least 405 votes among the delegates, while his friends put his strength above 500, not counting the Illinois, Indiana and Iowa delegates. Today both Illinois and Indiana are claimed for Cleveland, although the latter State is regarded as very uncertain.  
 At the headquarters in the Grand Pacific it is confidently predicted that nothing can prevent Cleveland's nomination on the first ballot—this, too, without the aid of a vote from his own State. The position taken by the Cleveland managers is almost identical with that of the Harrison people at Minneapolis. The Southern States were well represented, conspicuous among the Southern men being Stowe Smith, of Atlanta, Ga.  
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and the first visitations will be made this evening.  
**Humored Combine of Antis.**  
 All sorts of rumors are being about of combinations between the New York delegates and delegates from the Southern and Western silver States hostile to Cleveland, with a view to a compromise on Flower or some Western candidate; this is emphatically denied, however, by every New York "regular" who has been questioned on the subject.  
 There is no doubt that the Convention will recognize the regular delegation from New York, and it is said now that there will be no struggle by the Anti-Snappers to assert their right to seats in the convention, so confident are they that Cleveland will have the best of the fight in any event. This is to be done in the interest of harmony and peace, each one of them scale absolutely in favor of Cleveland.  
 In the opinion of many conservative Democrats outside of New York the opposition to Mr. Cleveland is weaker than most people suspect, because it is not concentrated upon any one man. Outside of Hill, it is scattered among half a dozen favorite sons, each one of whom would prefer to see Cleveland get the nomination than any of his other competitors.  
 As for the Hill boom, they see nothing in it, and declare that he was out of the race weeks ago. The action of the New York delegation is regarded as a cold bluff, and it is predicted that it will do nothing, even though its only purpose is to prevent the nomination of Cleveland.  
 Many Western delegates ridicule the position taken by the Tammanyites, and say no one will be fooled by the claims they make for Hill. They say that they know Tammany men, and are prepared for any sort of a bluff game from the quarter.  
 There have been no later developments in the minor booms, except that of Gray, of Indiana, whose friends have been reinforced by a number of Indianapolis shouters. They have great difficulty in holding their own at the Palmer House, between the Cleveland and Botes booms of the quarter.  
**Among the Dark Horses.**  
 The German boom has not yet materialized, although the Senator is in town. He is still to be ranked among the dark horses, together with Pattison, Flower, Carlisle, Morrison and the rest of the remote possibilities.  
 Several of the large business blocks on Wabash avenue and State street are decorated with flags and bunting, and more will follow their example to-day. It looks, however, as if Chicago were not going to put heretofore to much expense or trouble in the way of bunting, except so far as the hotels and the wigwag are concerned. Work upon the latter is progressing rapidly and the frame roof is nearly completed. It will be ready by Monday morning at the very latest.  
 The roof will be covered with tar and gravel, no canvas to be used. The central space will be supported by six immense posts, capable of withstanding a greater weight than that of the gravel roof.  
 Among the Cleveland men prominent among the crowds at the Grand Pacific this morning were ex-Secretary W. C. Whitney and Don Dickinson, of Michigan; ex-Mayor Grace, E. E. Anderson, Edward B. Whitney, R. B. Woodward, of New York, who were reinforced by the advance guards of the two New York Cleveland organizations, the Buffalo Cleveland Democratic club and the Tilden club, of Jamestown.



No. 3.—As crowned heads received him.

**VOORHEES WILL NOMINATE JOV. GRAY.**  
 (BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)  
**CHICAGO, June 18.**—Senator Voorhees, of Indiana, has declared that he shall present in the convention the name of Gov. Isaac P. Gray, of Indiana, for nomination at the head of the ticket. The Indiana delegation, he said, will vote solidly for Gray on the first ballot.  
 The Senator is confident that Gov. Gray can carry his own State, and that, not being identified with either faction in New York, he would receive the united support of all Democrats in New York, and would, besides, be extremely acceptable to the party in the West and South.

**CALIFORNIA SURE FOR GROVER.**  
 (BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)  
**CHICAGO, June 18.**—Delegate-at-Large John Bryson, sr., of California, says the delegation from his State is solid for Cleveland, but should his nomination prove impracticable it is a question how the delegates would vote. Grover, he said, has a strong following among Western delegates.

**KANSAS DEMOCRATS WILL FUSE.**  
 (BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)  
**KANSAS CITY, June 18.**—Interviews with prominent Democrats at various points in the State show that the Alliance ticket put in the field at Wichita Thursday generally meets with their favor, and will likely receive their support on election day. It is believed the Democrats at their coming convention will endorse the Alliance ticket.

**TO OFFSET THE BLOODY-SHIRT CRY.**  
 (BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)  
**CHICAGO, June 18.**—The prospect of the proclamation of martial law in Wyoming has started talk that the platform of the National Democratic Convention will contain a plank in reference thereto which will serve as an offset to Republican declarations regarding



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alleged outrages on colored people in the Southern States. It is claimed that approval of the action of the War Department in Wyoming was one of the causes of Secretary Fish's resignation. It is known that he was not in accord with other members of the Administration in this matter.  
**Again the Death Rumor Fails to Kill Emin Pasha.**  
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