ROBBER AWHEEL HELD UP BIG AUTO

Poked Pistol in New Yorker's Face, Made Him and Guests Hand Over Valuables and Then Disabled Machine.

THEN HE MOUNTED MOTOR CYCLE AND SPED AWAY.

Victim with His Wife and Women Guests Was on Way to Delaware Water Gap and Lost $1,000.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 4.—A lone highwayman on a motor cycle held up the big touring car of A. C. Hall, of New York, on the old York road, last night, compelled Mr. Hall and Mrs. Hall and their guests, Mrs. Arthur L. Jackson and Mrs. Thomas C. Walton, to hand over all of their valuables and money, and then escaped after so hopelessly crippling the automobile that any pursuit of him was impossible.

Mr. Hall and his party were absolutely helpless, as the highwayman had a huge revolver, with which he rounded up his victims, and a way of swinging it around that indicated not only a willingness but an eagerness to use it.

Held Up at Crossroads.

Mr. Hall, his wife and guests left Atlantic City yesterday afternoon and came here, meaning to go on to the Delaware Water Gap. On reaching Willow Grove the party took supper at the Casino and loitered about until nearly 9 o'clock listening to the music. Then they started away for the Gap by the way of Doylestown and Easton.

For five miles everything went well and the trip was without incident until the top of a heavy grade was reached. There is a cross road here and Mr. Hall, who was going very slowly at this time, was suddenly brought up short by the sharp tooting of an auto horn near by.

Thinking another machine was approaching Mr. Hall veered off to the right side of the road and almost ran down a man who was standing by the side of a road with his motor cycle, the light of which he had extinguished.

As Mr. Hall pulled up, the man with the motor cycle suddenly walked up to the big red car and in a peremptory tone said:

"Get out of that machine and hurry up about it. Quick, now, and don't ask any questions."

Pulled Big Pistol.

"What do you mean?" demanded Mr. Hall, who was very angry.

"You heard me talk," said the man, pulling out a big pistol, "and you want to obey." With that the man shoved the pistol so close to Mr. Hall's nose that it almost touched him. Mr. Hall jumped out of the machine in a hurry and then helped the ladies out.

"Now, what are you going to do?" he demanded.

"Everything you've got is all I want," said the highwayman. "Money first, please."

Mr. Hall had no choice but to hand over his money. The women also handed over theirs. What jewelry they had was taken from them and then the highwayman invited the women to get back in the machine, which they did.

"Now," he said to Mr. Hall, "empty those gasoline tanks and let the air out of the tires. You might disconnect the batteries too, while you're at it."

Had to Disable Auto.

There was no use trying to get around the order, for the thief evidently knew all the mechanism of the machine. Mr. Hall obeyed, and then got in the machine himself. With a loud laugh the thief got on his motor cycle and sped away. In all he got $1,000 in money and jewelry.

It was almost midnight when the thief left and the party was absolutely stranded on a lonely highway. With all their gasoline gone there was no way of patching up the machine so it could be operated, so they left it in the road and footed it two miles to a toll gate, where they roused the keeper, got a horse and carriage and were driven to Doylestown, from where they came back to Philadelphia.

The police have been notified and a search is being made for the highwayman. There is little chance of getting him, however, Mr. Hall says he doubts if he would know him if he saw him, for the man kept his face partially covered all the time and it was too dark to distinctly make out his features.

MRS. DANA A WIFE WHEN DANA WED HER, SHE SAYS

Bank Clerk's Lawyer Says That Is Why His Client Sought to Have Marriage Annulled—Doesn't Believe the Young Man Shot Himself.

The true story of young Samuel L. Dana's infatuation for Mrs. Beatrice Dignan, which led to his marriage and subsequent separation from her, was revealed by the young man's lawyer, William Cummings, to-day. The story told by Mr. Cummings is the story that Dana told him when he first came to his office and directed him to begin proceedings for the annulment of his marriage to Mrs. Dignan on the ground that the woman already had a husband living when she married him at Rahway, N. J., on April 20 last:

"Dana comes of a very good family, is well educated and a very attractive young man. He always dressed well and might easily have been taken for a man of wealth. Unfortunately, he was disposed to create this impression and that is what led to the interest which Mrs. Dignan took in him.

"The two met socially and Dana soon became infatuated with the woman. He and others have told me that they regarded her as the most beautiful woman they had ever seen. Mrs. Dignan thought Dana was wealthy and Dana let her think so. It was a great mistake, but he did it, and when Mrs. Dignan consented to marry him she believed him to be a rare catch.

Chided Her for Conduct.

"It didn't take long after the wedding for a worldly-wise woman like Mrs. Dignan to discover the error she had made. It had a chilling effect on her love and Dana felt her conduct keenly. She went back to the Martha Washington Hotel, where she continued as Mrs. Dignan, and Dana often saw her there.

"After a while she began to be out when he called, and in many ways she showed that she had no desire to see him. Dana stood it patiently until he discovered that she was going around with other men. Then he made an appointment to meet her and talk over their affairs. She met him and he chided her about her conduct. She admitted being out with other men and said she meant to go out as often as she liked.

"Dana got angry and forbade her to do any such thing. Then the woman lost her temper and told Dana that he had no right to any authority over her movements, as she had a husband when he married her and that he was not legally married to her at all.

"This revelation was a great shock to Dana and he immediately came to me about having his marriage annulled. He is a very honorable young man and he refused to occupy such a false position any longer. He realized that he had made a great mistake and he took the only steps possible under the circumstances to remedy the error. I began the action on Long Island in order to get it through quicker and to avoid publicity as far as possible.

"As to the shooting of the boy, I know nothing about that at all; but I am not one of those who believe that he shot himself. When he came to me about his case he showed no excitement, but was calm and collected. His demeanor was not that of a man who contemplated suicide. I cannot understand, either, why, if he meant to kill himself he should take such elaborate steps to have his marriage to Mrs. Dignan set aside.

"The police investigation of the case, I think, has been most slipshod. The woman in the case has been allowed to get away and the pistol with which the shooting was done has not been found. I cannot believe in view of all I know that Dana shot himself."

BANK CLERK'S BRIDE LED GAY LIFE IN THE WEST.

(Special to The Evening World.)

SEATTLE, Aug. 4.—Mrs. Beatrice Dignan-Dana, the young woman who married Samuel L. Dana, the young bank clerk, who was mysteriously shot in Central Park, New York, on Friday last, was formerly Miss Beatrice Womach, of this city. She married Charles Dignan, son of James Dignan, proprietor of the Queen City Laundry, here five years ago, led him a merry dance for three years and then eloped with a railroad man. Later she sued Dignan for a divorce and secured it by default.

Two weeks ago she was in this city, a guest at the Washington hotel. She renewed some of her old acquaintances then and her apartment at the hotel was the scene of some very gay dinners and wine parties.

Beatrice Womach seven or eight years ago was the centre of the gay life of this city. She was a daughter of a woman known along the coast as "Babe" Woamch to some and as "Mother" Woods to others. The girl was by far the prettiest and most vivacious creature in the town and she had scores of admirers all the time.

She Was Restaurant Cashier.

When she first came here with her mother it was said that the pair came from Alaska. The girl was put to work at once as cashier of the Merchants' Restaurant, and her pretty face attracted men by the score to the establishment.

She led a gay life from the first and seemed to have unlimited funds at her disposal. Despite her humble station in life she was one of the best-dressed women in the city, and she spent money like water. Before she had been here a year she had figured in a score of escapades and had by her flirtations caused no end of heartburns in previously happy families. She was a girl of ungovernable temper and would work herself into a perfect fury when thwarted. More than one male friend of hers has piqued her to his everlasting regret.

Charles Dignan, who married the girl finally, has remained absolutely silent about her since she eloped with another man, and will not even discuss her now that she has become the central figure in another scandalous escapade, but his father was not so reticent. He said to-day:

Fascinated Many Men.

"It was while this girl was working in the Merchants' Restaurant that my son met her. He became enamored at once, and although fully cognizant of the girl's reputation, he seemed unable to resist her. In this he was like many other men in the city. The girl seemed able to work her fascination at will, and once a man became a slave to her he never seemed able to release himself. The girl worked much unhappiness here.

"Somehow the girl got the notion that I was a very much richer man than I was, and as money was her first thought she determined to marry my son. I pointed out to him the reputation of the girl and the notoriety of her mother, but he would not listen to me.

"They finally left town one night and were married. They came back the next day and almost broke my heart by breaking the news to me. I had to make the best of it, however, and took the girl into my place as cashier.

Son Had Dog's Life, He Says.

"I thought it was just possible I could make her settle down and behave herself. It was absolutely useless, however. Her marriage made no difference in her conduct at all. Men thronged my place to see her, and she welcomed them as heartily as she ever had before she was married.

"For three years she led my boy a dog's life, yet he never was able to fight off the spell she had cast over him. She took his every penny and all that she could get from others and spent it on jewelry and fine clothing. Then one fine morning two years ago she was missing.

"Three months later we learned that she had eloped with a prominent railroad man. She went East, I think to New York, and there she obtained a divorce from my son. I advised him not to fight it, and he didn't. She got the divorce by default, and I felt we were rid of her cheaply enough.

Says Woman Threatened Him.

"Beatrice has been in Seattle three times since she eloped from here, but we have seen nothing of her. Each time she came back she told people that she was going to make it hot for me and my son, although why she would want to do that I do not know. We have suffered nothing but injury from her, and my son has treated her with the greatest generosity.

"It was about two weeks ago that she was last here. She came from New York and was accompanied by some elderly man. Who he was I do not know. She wore magnificent clothing and strutted around town as proud as a peacock. At the hotel her fine suppers and midnight entertainments became the talk of the place. She left here after a few days and we have not seen or heard of her since until this shooting case in New York came to light."

OUTLAW SON OF WEALTHY WOMAN

Mrs. Harriet Schack Identifies Mount Vernon "Tracy" as Boy She Adopted and Spent Money on Trying to Reform.

COULD HAVE HAD FORTUNE, BUT NOW SHE CUTS HIM OFF

Saved Him from Long Term for Hold-Up and Got Him Out of Trenton Jail—Wilkeson His Name.

(Special to The Evening World.)

BUFFALO, N. Y., Aug. 4.—The outlaw who shot Detective Reilly at Mount Vernon, it is said here, is without doubt Harry Schack, who at one time lived at No. 248 Elk street, Buffalo, or Henry Wilkeson, as he is also known. Mrs. Harriet Schack, a woman of wealth who adopted the bandit when a mere lad, and Police Inspector M. J. Donovan to-day positively identified the prisoner now languishing in the White Plains jail.

The man's identity was made known through a picture sent to Mrs. Schack. She declared without hesitation it was that of her adopted son, and Chief Donovan, who lived next door to the Schacks for several years, recognized the picture the moment he saw it.

"The Mount Vernon prisoner is my adopted son," said Mrs. Schack to an Evening World reporter. "I adopted him when he was a boy in Titusville, Pa., in 1873, when his parents died. My family was wealthy, and they turned against me for adopting Harry. I married a rich oilman, Harry Shack. The adopted boy was christened Harry Schack at Limestone Hill, N. Y. I spent several thousand dollars educating him, but he was wayward from the beginning. I could do nothing with him.

"When my parents died I was left a fortune which I still have. My husband left me thousands. Harry could have all if he were only honest and upright. I told him so. I spent a small fortune getting him out of jail twice. When he was arrested in Trenton for shooting a man I sent him hundreds to free himself.

"Now I disown him. I told him once if he got in trouble again he could never again use the good name of Schack. His father's name was Henry Wilkeson, and that name he must take.

"I will cut him off in my will with twenty-five cents, which I can do under the laws of Pennsylvania. If I could save him from the gallows I would not do it. He has ruined my name and life with his waywardness.

"Let justice take its course. I never want to hear from him again."

In 1884, when Schack was seventeen years old, he at noon committed one of the most daring highway robberies in the history of Buffalo.

With a companion he stopped a carriage on Richmond avenue, poked a revolver in the driver's face and held him while his companion robbed the man and the occupants of the vehicle.

A policeman came along when the robbery was being committed, and Schack jumped into a rig and drove off. The policeman leaped into a fire chief's wagon and chased Schack for several blocks.

When cornered in a yard Schack blazed away at the policeman with the revolver he had, but the weapon was only loaded with blank cartridges and he was arrested. Through the influence of his mother and her wealth the charge was reduced and Schack went to the penitentiary for three years.

On his release Mrs. Schack sent him to a college in Pennsylvania, but he ran away and the next she heard of him he had shot a man in Trenton, N. J.

MOUNT VERNON, N. Y., Aug. 4.—Detective Michael Reilly, who was shot on July 24 by the desperado, who is now in the County Jail at White Plains, says that the man is undoubtedly Henry Wilkinson, and that he has been identified by the Commander of the Brooklyn Navy Yard.

Wilkinson, the detective says, enlisted in the Marine Corps at the Navy Yard in Brooklyn in April last and deserted on July 16.

WOW! IT'S HOT IN LONDON TOWN

Metropolis Is Steaming and Sweltering with Thermometer 145 in the Sun, and Yankee Ice-Cream Soda Is Only Relief

LONDON, Aug. 4.—The intense heat of yesterday has not abated and London is to-day sweltering and stewing in the most oppressive weather that has visited it in many years. Some of the thermometers registered as high as 145 degrees in the sun. The official gauge shows 95 in the shade.

When London gets hot there is no mistaking it. Foul odors generated by the heat arise from the street, and living in town is by no means pleasant. Thousands and hundreds of thousands have made a rush to the seashore, and the exodus has left great gaps in the streams of humanity in London's most thickly patronized streets.

The American soda fountains are reaping a harvest. There are few natives asking to-day, "How do you stand that awful heat in New York during the summer?" Indeed, New York is seldom like this even in humid August.

UNCONSCIOUS FROM GAS.

A man calling himself Robert Klein was found unconscious in his room in the boarding-house at No. 121 West Fifteenth street to-day. The gas was turned on and Klein was lying on the bed with a string of prayer beads wrapped around his right hand and a crucifix on his breast.

He left several letters written in French, which the police could not decipher. An ambulance surgeon from St. Vincent's Hospital treated him at the house and said he would recover. Nothing is known of Klein at the house. He hired a room there a few days ago.

EVENING WORLD RACE CHART

FOURTH DAY AT SARATOGA.

The Evening World's charts are indexed from first race at Aqueduct.

577 FIRST RACE—$700 added; handicap; for three-year-olds; six furlongs. Start good. Won driving. Time—1.13. Winner, ch. c., by Meddler—Melba. Owner—E. B. Thomas.

Index.	Horses.	Jockeys.	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	⅞	Fin.	Open.	Clos.	Pl.	Sh.
575[3]	Stalwart	Redfern	116	4	4[1]	4½	3[1]	3[5]	1½	2	11-5	9-10	2-5
559	Dick Bernard	J. Martin	106	1	1½	1[1]	1[1]	2½	2[3]½	6	6	2	1
—	Scarfell	Wonderly	107	6	2[2]	2[1]	2½	1½	3[1]	4	6	3	6-5
466	Witchcraft	Travers	100	6	3	3½	5[1]	5[1]	4½	6	7	4	6-5
466	Major Pelham	Helgerson	110	5	5[1]	5½	4[1]	4½½	5[2]	3	4	7-5	7-10
550	Juvenal Maxim	J. Jones	92	3	6	6[2]	6	6	6[1]	15	8	3	3-5
559	Boz Wood	H. Callahan	100	7	7	7	7	7	7	30	60	20	8

Scratched—Lady Amelia, Leonidas, Minecola and Missing Link. Stalwart closed very strong. Dick Bernard hung on well. Scarfell had plenty of speed for five furlongs.

578 SECOND RACE—$600 added; steeplechase; for maiden four-year-olds and up; short course. Start good. Won easily. Time—4.14. Winner, ch. g., by Hermencia—Quicksmarch. Owner—H. E. O'Neil.

Index.	Horses.	Jockeys.	Wt.	St.	¼	1	1½	1¾	Fin.	Open.	Clos.	Pl.	Sh.
542[2]	Trek	Dayton	138	6	3[2]	1½	2[2]	1½	1[7]	5	5	2	6-5
487	*Sea Gull	Helder	146	1	1[1]	2[1]	1[2]	2[4]	2[2]	12	15	6	3
—	Dromedary	Veitch	146	4	5	4	3	3	3	6	6	3½	7-5
537	Numeral	Kelly	149	2	2[2]	3[2]	3[2]	Fell		7	7	2½	8-5
542	Libretto	Bernhardt	153	3	4[1]	Fell				20	15	6	3
524	Davlesford	H. C. Wilson	153	3	Fell					10	8	3	2
536[3]	Woden	Holman	146	2	Fell					8-5	11-5	1	1-2

*Formerly Terrible Terry. Trek held t he others safe all the way.

579 THIRD RACE—$600 added; selling; for two-year-olds; five and a half furlongs. Start poor. Won easily. Time—1.08 2-5. Winner, b. f., by Sir Modred—Pas Seul. Owner—William Easton.

Index.	Horses.	Jockeys.	Wt.	St.	¼	⅜	½	⅝	Fin.	Open.	Clos.	Pl.	Sh.
400[3]	Danseuse	O'Neill	107	3	1[1]	1[2]½	1[4]	1[2]	1[2]	6	6	2	6-5
510	Rubric	Lee	105	5	6	6[2]	4½	4[3]	2[1]	7	10	4	5-2
491	Golden Sunrise	H. Cochran	110	1	4[1]	4[1]	2[3]	2[2]	3½	7-2	12-5	1	3-5
—	Uncle Charley	W. Fisher	106	7	7	5	6	6	4[1]	40	40	15	7
568	Ewaskill	H. Phillips	107	2	3[1]	3[2]	5[1]	C½	5[1]	10	12	5	8
171	Sufferance	Redfern	107	9	8	8	8	8	6[2]	10	15	6	3
491	Red Reynard	Cormack	110	6	5[1]	5[3]	7	7	7½	8	15	6	3
—	Onward	Fuller	107	10	9	9	9	9	8[3]	15	40	12	7
—	Iceland	Crogan	110	8	2[3]	2[2]	3[1]	5	9[2]	60	100	30	20
—	Alwin	Robbins	110	11	10	10	10	10	10	20	50	20	12
464	Ike S.	J. Martin	110	12	11	11	11	11	11	8	8	3	2
538[3]	Brush Up	Travers	108	4	Fell					2	11-5	4-5	1-2

Scratches—Glenecho, Indian Star, Grand Champion. Danseuse beat the gate and benefited by a bad mixup just after the start. She held the field safe all the way. Iceland showed a flash of speed. Sufferance b adly interfered with.

580 FOURTH RACE—The Alabama; for three-year-old fillies; value $5,000; one mile and an eighth. Start good. Won easily. Time—1.53 3-5. Winner, ch. f., by Octagon—Bella Donna. Owner, N. Benning ton.

Index.	Horses.	Jockeys.	Wt.	St.	½	¾	¼	1	Fin.	Open.	Clos.	Pl.	Sh.
428[2]	Beldame	O'Neill	124	1	1[2]	1[1]	1[1]	1[1]	1[4]	1-10	1-20	—	—
568	Dimple	Redfern	116	2	2½	2[2]	2[2]	2[2]	2[4]	6	12	9-20	—
526	Ishiana	Sperling	116	3	3	3	3	3	3	30	50	9-5	—

Scratches—Bridlepath and Audience. Only a breeze for Beldame.

581 FIFTH RACE—$600 added; for maiden two-year-olds; five and a half furlongs. Start poor. Won easily. Time—1.07. Winner, b. f., by Clifford—Whiplash. Owner—J. Sanford.

Index.	Horses.	Jockeys.	Wt.	St.	¼	⅜	½	⅝	Fin.	Open.	Clos.	Pl.	Sh.
—	Burnthill	Odom	110	5	2[2]	2[2]	2[1]	2[1]	1[2]	2	10	4	2
565[3]	Broadcloth	Burke	112	1	1[1]	4[1]	3[1]	3[1]	2[4]	7	6	2	6-5
567	Sinister	Redfern	112	6	7	6	6	5½	3[3]	6	6	2	1
576	Salvage	O'Neill	112	4	1	1½	1[1]	1[1]	4[1]	5-2	16-5	7-5	4-5
563[3]	Zesla	Lyne	109	8	8	7	5[1]	4[2]	5[2]	6	4	8-5	1
—	Oliver Cromwell	Robbins	112	11	9	9	9	9	6[3]	80	100	40	25
150	Bank	J. Martin	112	2	3[2]	3½	4½	6[1]	7[2]	15	20	8	4
540	Cedarstrome	Travers	112	7	6[1]	6[1]	7	7	8	50	150	50	25
567[3]	Skylight	H. Phillips	112	3	5½	5½	8	8	9	6	7	5-2	7-5
567	Huckleberry	McDonald	112	9	10	10	10	10	10	25	60	20	12
—	Zany	Helgerson	115	12	12	12	11	11	11	8	10	4	5-2
503	Nellie Russell	H. Cochran	109	10	11	11	12	12	12	15	30	10	6
—	Alma	Cormack	109	13	13	13	13	13	13	30	100	30	15
61	Bill Cosier	Bender	112	14	14	14	14	14	14	100	500	200	100
—	Sheen	McCafferty	109		Fell					20	100	40	20

Scratches—Bulwark and High Life. Overweight—Burnthill, 1. Salvage had a world of speed, but stopped badly when caught. Burnthill was only breezing at the end after being hard ridden to get up. Sinister closed strong.

582 SIXTH RACE—$700 added; handicap for three-year-olds and upward; one mile. Start poor. Won pulling up. Time—1.40. Winner, ch. f., by Clifford—Ballyroe. Owner, J. Sanford.

Index.	Horses.	Jockeys.	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	1	Fin.	Open.	Clos.	Pl.	Sh.
—	Molly Brant	Lyne	100	1	2[1]	2[2]	1[3]	1½	1[2]	8-5	8-5	2-5	—
(520)	Reliable	Redfern	124	2	1½	1½	2[2]	2[3]	2[3]	4-5	3-2	2-5	—
477	Dalesman	J. Martin	114	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	13-5	4-2	—

Scratches—St. Valentine, Sir Lynwood. Molly Brant only galloping at the end. Reliable had no excuse.

U. S. CAN'T STOP GRAND REPUBLIC

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from the boilers so that a thorough and complete inspection could be made of them, the crew absolutely refused. They were then evidently acting under orders from the company and on advice of counsel. Steam was kept on and we could not proceed with the work. We have as yet been unable to inspect or test the boilers, as the company has persistently declined to lay up the vessel. The company claims that having undergone one inspection and received a certificate for the year 1904, it is not again required to submit to a second inspection. In that the company is wrong. The law gives us every right to demand that repeated inspections be made, but we seemingly cannot enforce that right by compelling a vessel to tie up, as in the present case. The law seems to be lacking in that respect."

"That's just it," said Secretary Metcalf. "Without the law authorizing such action we cannot prevent the sailing of the Grand Republic, although she is alleged to be insufficiently equipped."

TRUCE REACHED IN GRAND REPUBLIC CASE.

A compromise was reached between the owners of the steamboat Grand Republic and the Government officials in charge of the inspection of steamboats this afternoon. Senator Reynolds, for the Dreamland corporation, agreed to surrender the certificate of inspecton delivered to the boat last spring and will allow a new and complete inspection, probably to-night, when the boilers will be looked after.

In consideration of this the Government officers on board the boat were withdrawn and the boat will be permitted to run without interference to-day.

This line of action was agreed upon at a conference held in the office of the United States District-Attorney and attended by Senator Reynolds, Capt. Beebe, commander of the Dreamland fleet; Assistant United States District-Attorneys Arthur M. King and Henry A. Wise, Solicitor Hamilton, of the office of the Collector of the Port, and Supervising Inspector Rodie.

Senator Reynolds said that he had no objection to a reinspection, but that he did not believe it was right to take the boat out of commission for a couple of days to allow the inspectors to work on her. Finally he was told that a force of inspectors would be sent to the boat sufficiently large to complete the inspection in one night, and he said he was ready at any time. He also consented to the reduction of the carrying capacity of the boat to 2,000.

THE BIG BOATS CREW ON STRIKE.

The entire crew of the Grand Republic walked off the boat at the foot of West One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street just before the lines were cast off for the first trip to-day.

The move had been anticipated, and another crew was waiting on the dock. The new crew was shipped as soon as the others were clear of the boat, and the Grand Republic proceeded on her way to Dreamland pier with a small crowd on board.

Capt. Pease, the old commander of the Grand Republic and fleet captain of the Knickerbocker Steamboat Company, who is under indictment in connection with the Slocum disaster, was aboard the boat and apparently in charge. He directed the shipping of the new crew. None of the men had ever been on the Grand Republic bfore and there was no time for a fire drill before the boat started out.

The revolt of the crew was caused indirectly by the inspection of the Grand Republic made last Monday by Supervising Inspector Rodie and two of his men. They discovered that Mate Nick Anderson had no certificate entitling him to act as mate on a steamboat, although he had held that position in this harbor for years.

The managers of the boat discharged the mate, according to members of the crew, and hired a new mate, who has a license to work on a ferryboat but not on an excursion steamer The old mate was popular, and Capt. Carmen was informed that the men had concluded to leave the boat rather than work under another man.

While Capt. Carmen was having his troubles with the crew the leisurely Government machinery downtown was started in the direction of placing a libel on the Grand Republic because she has been operated between Manhattan and the Dreamland pier at Coney Island against the orders of the Supervising Inspector.

HOW THE OWNERS MAY BE PUNISHED.

The procedure is for the United States District-Attorney to file information setting forth the grounds of grievance in the clerk's office of the United States District Court. If it is shown to the court that the owners of the boat have violated the statutes regulating the inspection and control of steam vessels a process will be issued to the United States Marshal, who will formally libel the boat.

"I do not think it will be necessary to seize the boat," said Mr. King to an Evening World reporter. "The owners can give bond to the amount of the claim, which in this case would be the amount of the probable fine. The court will decide whether the $500 fine for each violation applies to each day the boat is operated under the inspector's protest, or to each trip."

"Is it not possible," Mr. King was asked, "that the Department of Commerce and Labor will order the boat tied up?"

"I know of no law that will permit such action," he replied.

HARNESS RACING AT EMPIRE TRACK

Good Trotting and Pacing Seen at Last of New York Driving Club's Regular Matinees at the Yonkers Course.

(Special to The Evening World.)

EMPIRE CITY TRACK, YONKERS, N. Y., Aug. 4.—The last of the regular matinee races of the New York Driving Club before the Grand Circuit meet was held this afternoon. Great interest attached to the events because of the standing of the pacers and trotters in the contest for the cup for the greatest number of points scored in the season. Thomas B. Leahy's black mare Princess Pique and Arthur Lape's bay gelding Wilton Boy are tied for the President's Cup for trotters with twenty points apiece.

Free Advice leads the list of pacers, with Lady Direct second, a point behind, with a total of nineteen.

Summaries:

Class I, for Pacers—Final Heat—Won by M. Bruckheimer's Baron Said, G. W. Grote's Dyreen second. Time—2.24.

Class K, for Trotters—Final Heat—Won by W. M. Jermyn's Boralmus's Brother, John F. Cockerill's Gracie second, I. A. Hopper's Too Soon third. Time—2.23 3-4.

Class D, for Trotters—Final Heat and Race—Won by T. B. Leahy's Princess Pique; C. C. Lloyd's Malsouhr second. Time—2.15.

Class E, Pacing to beat 2.16 3-4—King Tom, driven by C. Hackett. Time—2.15 3-4.

The second and final heat of Class H was won by W. J. Clark's Elderim, with M. Loughman's Jeanette second, and M. Bruckheimer's Bowrene third. Time—2.15 3-4.

The second and final heat of Class G for pacers was won by C. Hackett's Helen H., W. W. Cochrane's Bessie Thompson was second. Time—2.17.

EXCURSIONISTS SAW BOY DROWN

Five Hundred Passengers Hurried from Train to Help Edlow Copman, Who Was Stuck in Coney Island Creek Mud.

Edlow Copman, fourteen years old, of No. 7 West First street, Coney Island, while crabbing with two boy companions this afternoon was drowned in Coney Island Creek.

The three youths were in a small flat-bottomed boat and the Copman boy was skylarking with his friends when he fell into the water. He went down head foremost and stuck in the mud. The two boys who were with him tried to pull him out, but the boat slid away and they were unable to get near him.

While the boy was still struggling to extricate himself from the mud a Coney Island express train crossed the bridge, and the motorman, seeing the peril of the boy, stopped the train. Nearly five hundred passengers scrambled out, and a rope was soon put about the boy's feet, and he was dragged out. He had been in the water nearly twenty minutes, however, and all efforts to resuscitate him failed.

SARATOGA ENTRIES.

(Special to The Evening World.)

RACE TRACK, SARATOGA, N. Y., Aug. 4.—The entries for to-morrow's races are as follows:

First Race—For mares of all ages, handicap; six furlongs.

529 Shrine 112 — 453[3] Chrystilis 93
474[3] Missing Link 95 — — Ocean Tide 115
(386) Armenia 114 — 511 Ascension 117
559 Letola 100 — 569 Adriutha 100
— Letavania 100 — (501) Lady Amelia 100
575 Flying Ship 118 — 501 Divination 102

Second Race—Two-year-olds; five and one-half furlongs.

— Derry 114 — 567 Allumeur 104
561[3] Augur 119 — 488[2] Azile 110
565[3] Jack Lory 110 — 419 Bulwark 101
185 Waterside 117 — — Mistress 107
445[3] Dandelion 110 — — St. Bellare 119
561 Trapper 110

Third Race—For three-year-olds; selling.

323 Green Crest 98 — 514 Wizard 103
497 Stone Arabia 110 — 537[2] Brooklynite 96
568 Montebank 101 — (438) Gilsten 96
564 Prince Salm Salm 97 — 568[3] Requitor 103
(514) Salt 111 — (531) Monster 100
— The Globe 96 — 458 St. Breeze 110
568[3] Champlain 101 — (560) Ascetic 93
492 Go Between 95 — 539 Belle of Bellemeade 93
537 Gold Dome 105 — — Judge 110

Fourth Race—For all ages; handicap; mile and a sixteenth, on turf.

562 Grand Opera 126 — 562 Claude 120
558 Lady Potentate 110 — — Outcome 112
575[3] Stalwart 114 — 457 New York 104
537 Gold Dome 105 — 564 Prince Ching 104
541 Hindred 97 — 533 Theliusketeer 107
(564) Sale 112 — 564 Prince Salm Salm 98

Fifth Race—For three-year-olds and up; mile and three-sixteenths.

470 Flara 102 — 492 Go Between 95
— Hymettus 104 — — College Maiden
564 Prince Salm Salm 95 — (566) Ascetic 91
— 568[3] Allan 101
564 Easy Street 111 — 545[2] Keynote 103
568 Montebank 96 — 522 Dauphin 98
523 Mr Shep 104 — 572 Palm Reader 109
565 Mackey Dwyer 106 — 537 Conkling 98
— 558 Lady Potentate 101
568[3] Champlain 98

Sixth Race—For maiden fillies and geldings two years old; selling; five and one-half furlongs.

530 Gold Fleur 110 — 515 Halmira 110
— Bedouin 110 — 561 Sparkling 110
563 Cotillion 110 — 528 Rosemary Kane 110
525[2] Sportsman 110
400 Dixfarina 110 — 553 Dance Music 110
553 Delusion 110 — — Smiling Alice 110
278 Suffice 110 — 553[3] Gotowin 110
565[3] Mirthless 105 — 554 High Life 110
534 Calmness 110 — — Nolanska 110
Steele Lassie 108

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GIANTS LOSE FIRST GAME TO COLTS

It Was a Pitchers' Battle Between Wiemer and McGinnity and Hits Were Few and Well Scattered.

(Special to The Evening World.)

POLO GROUNDS, Aug. 4.—The Giants lost the first game of the double-header with the Chicagos to-day by one run. They had a chance to win in the ninth, but got only one man across the plate.

GIANTS.

	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Bresnahan, cf.	0	1	2	1	0
Browne, rf.	0	1	1	0	0
Dunn, 3b.	1	1	2	1	0
McGann, 1b.	0	0	13	0	0
Mertes, lf.	0	0	2	0	0
Dahlen, ss.	1	2	1	5	1
Gilbert, 2b.	0	0	4	3	0
Warner, c.	0	0	2	0	0
McGinnity, p.	0	2	0	6	1
Totals	2	7	27	16	2

CHICAGO.

	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Slagle, lf.	1	1	2	0	0
Casey, 3b.	0	1	2	2	0
Chance, 1b.	1	0	10	1	0
McCarthy, cf.	1	1	2	1	1
Kling, c.	0	1	1	2	0
Evers, 2b.	0	1	5	4	1
Tinker, ss.	0	1	2	2	0
Barry, rf.	0	0	3	1	0
Wiemer, p.	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	3	6	27	15	2

SCORE BY INNINGS.

Chicago	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0—3
Giants	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0—2

First Base on Balls—Off McGinnity, 2; off Wiemer, 5. Struck Out—By McGinnity, 2. Three-Base Hit—Tinker. Two-Base Hit—Casey. Stolen Bases—Slagle, Dahlen. Sacrifice Hit—Casey. Double Plays—Gilbert and Dunn; McCarthy and Evers. Passed Ball—Kling. Umpires—Emslie and O'Day. Time of first game—One hour and forty minutes. Attendance—13,600.

Tremendous Clearing Sale of Used UPRIGHT AND SQUARE PIANOS

We beat the record for sales in July and intend to make August the banner month. In addition to the fine array of uprights, Steinway, Sohmer, Kranich & Bach, Waters, Steck, Chickering, Hazelton