UP TO DATE

SPORTING NEWS AND COMMENT

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R. Edgren's COLUMN

RAY EWRY, the N. Y. A. C.'s great jumper, double winner in the Olympic games at Athens, is a wonderful athlete. On Saturday afternoon Ewry cleared 11 feet 6 inches in the standing broad jump at the games held in American League Park, establishing a new world's record. Ewry made himself a champion by hard work and clear grit. When he was a youngster out in Indiana he suffered from an illness that absolutely crippled him. The doctors said that he would never recover. But he made up his mind to cure himself. He began work in a small gymnasium. Daily he struggled into an athletic suit and went through a routine course of exercises that he laid out for himself. First he made a mark on the floor and tried to jump. His legs were partly paralyzed, and for a long time he could not even spring enough to lift both feet from the floor at the same time. He told me once that at this time he often became so discouraged that he would sit down and cry. But he stuck to it. At last he did manage to jump a little, just enough to shift forward about a foot. He worked and worked. And gradually he trained new life into the helpless nerves, gained more and more strength and became as strong as he had been before his illness. But he didn't stop there. In two years' time he broke the world's record in the standing broad jump. He took the standing high jump records too. Still he trained scientifically. He travelled to the championship meets and increased his heights and distances year after year. He has been jumping for many years now. When he broke the record again yesterday Jim Sullivan said to him, jokingly: "Well, Ray, isn't it about time for you to stop and give some other fellow a chance?"

"Not for about twelve years yet," replied Ewry. "I guess I can hold out that long."

If there were more athletes like Ewry it would be a great thing for America.

SO Battling Nelson and Joe Gans are to fight out there in Goldfield, Nev., for a purse of $30,000 and to a finish. It reminds one of old times. It is better than most of the old time prospects. Why, Jim Corbett and Bob Fitzsimmons, fighting in the same State for the heavyweight championship of the world (and they put up one of the greatest and most dramatic battles ever seen in the ring) only got $15,000 for their efforts.

The law under which finish fights can be held in Nevada was passed especially for the purpose of allowing the Corbett-Fitzsimmons fight. It is still in force. Nevada is a free State. Her people are free. They enjoy their freedom and refuse to be shackled by every narrow-minded "reformer," who is discontented unless all the world is like himself. There are no Anthony Comstocks in Nevada, to see lewdness and filth in every beautiful curve of a symmetrical human form, and Nevadans have no prurient minded prejudice against seeing well trained men, their shapely bodies stripped to the buff, competing in manly strife in the roped arena. Nevadans are a primitive people, perhaps. They live out of doors instead of in warrens like the rabbit-like population of the Eastern cities. They have the wide plains and the high mountains around them instead of walls and towers of brick and concrete. They see the clear sky every day, undefiled with smoke and fog. And they like to see men meeting men, with a fair field and no favor, even when the meeting is in the prize ring.

THE contest between Nelson and Gans will be one of the greatest lightweight battles ever seen in a ring. Both of these men have claims on the lightweight title. Both have fighting traits that make them unique among the thousands of youngsters who are struggling toward the top of the lightweight class. Both outclass all other "near-champions."

BATTLING Nelson, the "Durable Dane," has earned a reputation for unlimited courage and endurance. He is not clever. He wins his fights by endlessly boring in, taking whatever punishment he must, but never stopping for an instant until his opponent, worn out, finally drops for the count that ends the battle. He has a wonderful amount of endurance. That was his naturally, and he has never decreased it by dissipating like some other successful fighting men. Moreover, Nelson is popular because he is always honest in his ring encounters. He never fakes. He always goes in to win, and to win fairly.

Gans says he is honest, too, now. For years Gans worked under the direction of a notorious "arranger" of fights, who "pulled off" fake after fake with the black man's help. Gans worked under orders. He says that hereafter he will fight on his own account, and will win as long as he is able to win. In that case Gans will be a dangerous claimant for Nelson's light-weight title. He is the most clever and scientific of all boxers. He has a long reach, broad shoulders, a lanky sort of a build that gives him height, speed and hitting power with the smallest possible waste in weight. With the fighting build of a middle-weight Gans can fight easily as a welter, and by training down can make the light-weight limit without destroying his chances in a hard encounter.

As for myself, I'd rather see this coming finish fight between the Dane and the dusky Baltimorean than a battle between giant Jim Jeffries and the biggest and strongest man that could be found in the two hemispheres.

GIANTS AND CUBS HOLD CENTRE OF BASEBALL STAGE.

EVENING WORLD'S RACING CHART

Aug. 6. First Day at Saratoga. Track Fast.

700 FIRST RACE—$600 added; selling; three-year-olds and up; six furlongs. Start good. Won driving. Time—1.13 2-5. Winner, ch. f., by Watercress—Arnette. Owner—N. Bennington.

Index	Starters	Wts	St	¼	½	⅝	Fin	Jockeys	Open	High	Clos	Pl	Sh
580	Edna Jackson	104	1	1½	1¾	1²	1¹	J. Hennessy	4	7	6	5-2	7-5
—	Rusk	105	9	2⁵	2⁵½	2⁵	2⁵	Romanelli	10	10	6	3-2	6-5
—	Husted	100	4	4⁶	3⁴	3⁴	3½	Garner	12	20	15	6	3
355	Tracous	105	3	6½	6²	4⁵	4¹	Sewell	20	50	40	15	7
570	Lord of the Forest	99	6	9	9	9	5⁵	Miller	7	12	12	4	2
(233)	Fustian	100	11	10	10	7	6²	Freisheim	15	20	20	8	5
(670)	Robin Hood	110	2	3¹	5¹	8	8¹	Radtke	4	3	18-5	8-5	1
—	Bellgreen	110	5	3½	3½	5½	9	Crimmins	50	100	100	40	20
502	Belle Strome	103	7	8	8	7	9	Koerner	20	25	20	8	4
—	Money Mus	105	8	7	7	9	10	Kent	15	30	30	10	6
151	Bettie E	93	10	11	11	11	11	Alexander	20	50	50	15	8
570	Calabash	108	12	12	12	12	12	Fino	40	50	50	20	10
416	Woodsman	100	16	15	13	13	13	Rowan	50	200	200	60	40
—	Progress	91	15	14	14	14	14	Schefield	100	200	200	80	40
(650)	Woodsaw	103	14	15	15	15	15	Horner	3	7-2	3	6-5	7-10
321	Jocund	108	13	18	18	16	16	L. Williams	12	20	20	8	4
—	Graceful	103	17	17	17	17	17	Diggins	40	100	100	20	12
—	Angleta	103	18	16	16	18	18	Schade	50	100	100	30	12

701 SECOND RACE—The Saratoga Steeplechase, four-year-olds and up; About two miles. Start good. Won easily. Time—1.19. Winner, b. c., by Sayville—Harpist. Owner—G. Pfizer.

Index	Starters	Wts	St	¼	½	1	1½	Fin	Jockeys	Open	High	Clos	Pl	Sh
590	Herculoid	145	1	4½	1¹	1¹	1¹	1¹	Finnegan	7	8	5	2	6-5
(512)	Gold Fleur	142	2	3²	3½	2½	2²	Veitch	8	20	15	6	3	
(638)	Kassil	142	11	11	7½	3³	3½	Terry	5	6	5	2	1	
—	Sir Grandpa	157	4	11⁶	8⁸	8¹⁰	4¹⁰	J. Smith	4	6	5	2	1	
363	Alfar	137	3	1⁵	4½	5⁴	5¹	Dupee	15	40	40	12	6	
—	Pall Mall	150	8	6⁷	5⁶	6⁷	6¹⁰	Owens	8	10	8	3	8-5	
523	Colgate	157	9	12	7½	7¹	7²	F. Helder	7	15	12	5	5-2	
612	Halveen	142	7	1⁵	6⁶	6½	8¹⁰	J. Kelly	15	40	40	12	6	
(650)	Hylas	155	10	9¹	9¹⁰	9¹⁰	9¹⁰	Ray	13-5	3	13-5	1	1-2	
675	Thistledale	148	5	5½	10⁶	11	10¹⁰	Hupple	10	15	15	6	3	
374	Maximilian	148	12	8¹	11	11	11	Mr. Clarke	30	50	50	15	6	
345	Desert Chief	157	6	Fell				J. O'Brien	6	15	12	5	5-2	

702 THIRD RACE—The Flash; for two-year-olds; value, $6,000; five and one-half furlongs. Start good. Won driving. Time—1.06 3-5. Winner, b. c., by Commando—Cinderella. Owner—J. R. Keene.

Index	Starters	Wts	St	¼	½	¾	1	Fin	Jockeys	Open	High	Clos	Pl	Sh
658	Peter Pan	123	2	1⁵	1⁵½	1⁵	1⁵	1⁵	Radtke	2	5-2	2	1	1-2
640	Electioneer	117	3	6½	6¹	7	2²	L. Williams	5	6	4	8-5	4-5	
631	Arcite	117	6	4½	4½	6½	3³	Troxler	10	15	10	4	2	
—	Binonde	114	9	7	5¹	4¹	4⁵	Austin	15	20	10	4	2	
658	Rosemount	117	1	2⁶	2⁶	5⁶	5⁶	J. Jones	4	5	5	2	1	
620	Alebelle	117	5	5¹	5½	5⁶	6¹	Miller	4	6	6	2	1	
620	Marsden	117	8	8	8⁸	8	7¹	Lyne	10	15	10	4	2	
680	Golf Ball	117	7	3⁵	3½	2⁵	8	Sewell	10	12	10	4	2	
—	Flint Hill	117	9	9⁶	9⁶	9¹	9¹	Knapp	10	15	15	6	3	
—	Hickory	117	10	10	10	10	10	Hildebrand	30	50	40	15	7	

703 FOURTH RACE—The Saratoga Handicap; for three-year-olds and up; value $10,000; one mile and a quarter. Start good; won easily. Time—2.04 2-5. Winner, ch. c., by Hamburg—Pansy. Owner—P. P. Hitchcock.

Index	Starters	Wts	St	¼	½	¾	1	Fin	Jockeys	Open	High	Clos	Pl	Sh
(683)	Dandelion	113	1	2³	3¹	2½	1½	Sewell	2	13-5	13-5	1	2-5	
—	Tangle	97	5	4¹	4¹	4	2²	Miller	2	13-5	13-5	1	2-5	
595	Gallavant	99	4	1⁵	1⁵	3¹	3¹	Koerner	15	15	10	4	2	
(667)	Red Leaf	99	8	6⁷	6⁷	6⁶	4⁶	Hildebrand	25	50	40	15	7	
617	The Picket	118	7	8	8	5	5⁵	Radtke	5	6	5	2	1	
377	Wes	95	6	5½	5⁶	8⁶	6¹	Garner	4	6	5	8-5	7-10	
—	Ravena	92	2	2⁶	2½	1¹	7¹	Tadlock	15	40	30	10	3	
646	Bedouin	102	3	7½	7¹	7½	8	Shaw	2	5-2	2	4-5	2-5	

704 FIFTH RACE—$600 added, selling; three-year-olds; one mile. Start good. Won ridden out. Time—1.39 2-5. Winner, br. h., by Charade—Zingood. Owner—J. A. Drake.

Index	Starters	Wts	St	¼	½	¾	Fin	Jockeys	Open	High	Clos	Pl	Sh
—	Runnels	99	2	1¹	1¹	1½	1¹	Garner	4-5	8-5	7-5	3-5	1-4
604	Lancastrian	101	4	7½	7¹	6¹	2⁵	Hennessy	8	15	6	3	1
680	Sir Russell	86	5	4½	4½	2¹	3⁶	Alex	10	10	10	3	7-5
(676)	Woolwich	101	3	3⁶	3¹	5⁶	4⁶	J. Hennessy	4	5	4	7-5	7-10
—	Sir Ralph	106	1	6½	6¹	3¹	5⁶	Hildebrand	7	10	10	3	2
—	Water Pansy	101	8	9	9	8	6½	Schade	100	200	200	60	20
—	Locket	101	7	2⁶	2⁶	4⁶	7½	Kent	20	30	30	12	6
872	Auclassin	113	11	8	8½	7⁶	8	Perrine	10	20	20	8	4
—	Mendon	103	10	10	10	9	9	C. Miller	100	100	100	40	20
(386)	Yorkshire Lad	106	6	5⁵	5⁵	6	10	Koerner	3	10	8	3	7-5
674	Banner	91	9				Fell	Miller	8	10	7	5-2	1

705 SIXTH RACE—$600 added, maiden two-year-olds; five and one-half furlongs. Start good. Won driving. Time—1.08. Winner, ch. f., by Kilmarnock—Kildree. Owner—H. P. Whitney.

Index	Starters	Wts	St	¼	½	¾	Fin	Jockeys	Open	High	Clos	Pl	Sh
420	Killiecrankie	109	1	1½	1½	1½	1½	Koerner	2	4	16-5	1	1-2
465	Algonquarien	112	7	6	8⁸	6	2⁵	Garner	15	30	30	10	6
667	Waterbury	112	2	2½	2⁵	2½	3½	Shaw	3	4	14-5	6-5	3-5
653	Vanquish	109	6	4½	4⁵	3¹	4½	Hildebrand	15	20	20	8	3
640	Smiling Tom	112	8	8	6¹	5⁵	5¹⁰	J. Jones	3	5	5	2	1
—	Rockstone	112	11	9¹	10	9⁶	6⁶	L. Williams	3	4	3	1	1-2
—	Overlooked	112	4	7	7	7	7⁶	L. Smith	30	100	100	30	20
584	Ironton	112	3	5½	3⁶	4¹	8¹	Sewell	20	50	50	20	10
692	Plausible	109	10	5½	5⁶	8	9⁶	Sandy	20	30	30	10	6
554	Big Bag	112	14	14	14	10	10	J. Martin	20	50	40	15	7
—	Candiness	112	11	11	11	11	11	Miller	8	10	7	5-2	7-5
—	Dempsion	109	13	13	13	12	12	Bryant	100	100	100	40	20
—	Mark Gumberts	112	5	9	10	13	13	W. Clark	30	100	100	40	20
—	Aquatint	112	12	12	12	14	14	Olandi	15	25	25	10	5

PULLIAM BUYS PHILLIE STOCK

Harry Pulliam, President of the National League, is bound to become an out and out magnate. It was learned to-day that he has purchased Larry Herrmann's stock in the Philadelphia National League Club. Last week it was said that Pulliam intended buying the Boston Club. This deal evidently fell through.

LATONIA RACES.

LATONIA, Aug. 6.—The races here to-day resulted as follows:

FIRST RACE—Seven furlongs.—Babe B. (39 to 1 and 8 to 1) 1, Orline (3 to 1 for place) 2, Inspector Girl 3. Time—1.28 3-5.

SECOND RACE—Five and one-half furlongs.—Two Bells (20 to 1 and 8 to 1) 1, Princess Marie (6 to 5 for place) 2, Orlandwick 3. Time, 1.09 1-5.

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs.—Meadow Breeze is to 6 and 1 to 2) 1, Wee Lass (3 to 5 for place) 2, White Plume 3. Time—1.13 2-5.

FOURTH RACE—Club-House Course—Class Leader (3 to 1 and even) 1, Delaman (1 to 2 for place) 2, Billy Wake 3. Time—1.29 2-5.

HARVARD OARSMEN IN SHELL ABROAD

Crew Only Paddled, but Appearance Attracted Great Attention.

BOURNE END, England, Aug. 6.—The Harvard oarsmen, who are to row Cambridge on the Thames Sept. 8, were afloat this evening.

Although the men only paddled, their form attracted great interest.

SARATOGA ENTRIES.

SARATOGA, N. Y., Aug. 6.—The entries for to-morrow's races are as follows:

FIRST RACE—Two-year-olds; five and one-half furlongs.

(637)	Nigger Mike	110
—	Sir William Johnson	105
649	Capt. Emerich	110
—	Killaloe	107
—	St. Say	114
693	Penarris	107
479	Malacca	105
597	Grand Vedette	102
653	San Enrique	105
236	Fustiade	105

SECOND RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; selling; one mile.

102	Royal Window	107
665	Nigger Mike	98
662	Society Bud	94
624	Lady Ellison	97
661	Garsman	107
676	Yadis	106
594	Edith James	95
472	Samuel H. Harris	106
—	Court Martial	92
430	Neptune	105

THIRD RACE—For maiden filly two-year-olds; five and one-half furlongs.

309	Marinoa	107
406	Daisy Frost	107
—	Necklace	107
—	Regner Maid	107
629	Sea Salt	107
409	Clara Huron	107
—	Lena Scott	107
104	Windfall	107
554	Jezebel	107
—	Ludia	107
—	Pins and Needles	107
618	Puritan Girl	107

FOURTH RACE—The Mohawk; selling; three-year-olds; one and one-sixth miles.

670	Disobedient	98
448	Yeoman	98
673	McKittredge	103

FIFTH RACE—For three-year-olds and up; handicap; one mile.

581	Dolly Spanker	111
—	California King	107
—	Tomgorder	107
445	Ostrich	112
—	Princess Orna	105
551	Ethnple	105
535	Gallavant	124
604	Lancastrian	126
—	Sir Ralph	111
657	Rubric	109
—	Funiculaire	112
655	Inquisitor	109
—	Souflere	120
548	Old Faithful	108
660	Ben Hodder	109
634	New Amsterdam	114
—	Braden	108
356	Dissolve	108

SIXTH RACE—For maidens three years old and upwards; six furlongs.

—	Little Doc	112
460	Lord Hale	112
—	Blaise	110
472	Lakeland	110
672	King Henry	112
548	Sweet Life	110
—	Atoka	110
—	Orphan Pet	112
—	Diamond Chain	112
573	Lochmoss	115
673	Fanatics	115
—	As Dawn	112
—	Sea Run	110
634	Grand Ballerina	115
634	Firstrand	110
673	Trepine	110
—	Adieu	110
618	Parodale	115

B. B. C. EMPLOYEES' OUTING.

This will be a busy week for employees of the Brunswick-Balke-Collender Company, who are to hard training for the big athletic events to be held at Duer's Pavilion, Whitestone, L. I., Saturday. There will be baseball games, tugs of war, foot races, prize bowling and other contests. The steamer will leave the pier at foot of East Thirty-first street, East River, at 9 A. M.

STAR MEN ILL, BUT BROOKLYNS DEFEAT REDS

THE SCORE BY INNINGS.

Cincinnati	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Brooklyn	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2

Brooklyn.	Cincinnati.
Maloney, cf.	Huggins, 2b.
Casey, 3b.	Kelly, lf.
Alperman, 2b.	Jude, rf.
McCarthy, lf.	Schiel, 1b.
Lewis, ss.	Delehanty, 3b.
Hummel, 1b.	Smoot, cf.
Ritter, rf.	Corcoran, ss.
Bergen, c.	Livingston, c.
Scanlon, p.	Weimer, p.

Umpire—Mr. Carpenter.

(Special to The Evening World.)

WASHINGTON PARK, BROOKLYN, Aug. 6.—The Brooklyns and Cincinnati Reds came together again this afternoon. It was a trifle hot for baseball, but the players indulged in the liveliest kind of practice before the bell rang.

Hanlon selected his star twirler Weimer, the ex-Chicago southpaw, to shoot his collection of fast benders at the trolley-nodgers, and Donovan put Scanlon in the box.

Jordan and Lumley, the two best players on the Brooklyn team, were unable to play to-day, the former being laid up with a bad leg and Lumley with tonsilitis. Ritter went to right and Hummel played first.

First Inning.

Huggins drew a pass. Kelly flied to Ritter. Huggins was forced at second by Jude's liner to Scanlon and Jude was doubled up. NO RUNS.

Maloney retired on his bounder to Schiel. Casey strolled, but was caught napping by Weimer, Schiel and Corcoran. Delehanty got Alperman's foul fly. NO RUNS.

Second Inning.

Schiel singled. Delehanty sacrificed. Hummel disposed of Smoot. Schiel moving to third. Corcoran flied to Hummel. NO RUNS.

McCarthy out, Weimer to Schiel. Lewis singled and reached third on Hummel's single. Jude fumbled and Hummel sprinted to second. Ritter sent the ball to the fence in right for three bases, scoring Lewis and Hummel. Bergen's bunt fly was caught by Weimer. Ritter was caught trying to score on Corcoran's throw to Livingston. TWO RUNS.

Third Inning.

Livingston out, Lewis to Hummel. Weimer struck out. Huggins strolled. Kelley flied to Alperman. NO RUNS.

Scanlon flied to Jude. Maloney struck out. Casey walked. Alperman sent a slow bounder to Huggins. NO RUNS.

Fourth Inning.

Jude sent the ball to the fence, but in trying to reach third was caught on a throw from Ritter to Lewis to Casey. Schiel flew to Ritter. Delehanty struck out. NO RUNS.

McCarthy singled. Lewis out on strikes. Hummel hit to Weimer, forcing McCarthy at second. Weimer got Ritter's hot bounder. NO RUNS.

Fifth Inning.

Smoot pushed a grounder to Aperman and went out. Corcoran was taken care of by Lewis and Hummel. Livingston went out at first. NO RUNS.

Bergen out at first. Scanlon walked. Maloney singled, and on Corcoran's wild throw got to second and Scanlon reached third. Casey hit to Huggins and Scanlon was caught at the plate. Alperman fanned. NO RUNS.

Sixth Inning.

Weimer singled. Huggin fled to McCarthy. Kelley flied to Maloney. Judge struck out. NO RUNS.

McCarthy was dead-headed. Lewis flied out to Corcoran and a wild pitch sent him to second. Hummel fanned. Livingston got Ritter's foul-fly. NO RUNS.

Seventh Inning.

Schiel sent a fly to McCarthy. Delehanty out. Lewis to Hummel. Smoot walked. Corcoran fouled out to Hummel. NO RUNS.

Bergen flew to Kelley. Scanlon struck out. Maloney out to Schiel. NO RUNS.

Eighth Inning.

Livingston struck out. Weimer got first on Lewis's bad throw. Huggins hit to Alperman, who touched out Weimer on his way to second. Kelley's hit to Casey forced Huggins at second. NO RUNS.

Casey struck out. Alperman singled. McCarthy flied out to Corcoran. Lewis went out to Weimer. NO RUNS.

Ninth Inning.

Jude fanned. Schiel singled. Delehanty fouled to Bergen. Smot fanned. NO RUNS.

Baseball, Polo Grounds To-Day, 4 P. M. Giants, Champions, vs. Chicago. Adm. 50c.*

TIME ALLOWANCE BEATS THE METEOR

Emperor William's Boat Finishes First in Regatta at Cowes.

COWES, Isle of Wight, Aug. 6.—The Cowes Regatta opened to-day under the most brilliant auspices with, as usual, a programme of races under the burgee of the Royal London Yacht Club. The roads were crowded with yachts of various rigs, and with stately warships guarding the Kings of England and Spain, who, with their consorts, watched the races from their respective royal yachts.

The weather was bright, but the wind was very light. The chief event of the day was a handicap race for schooners exceeding 100 tons over a forty-eight-mile course, in which Emperor William's Meteor, Claud T. Cayley's Adela, Herr Guillaume's Clara, Viscount Iveagh's Cetonia and other big yachts started.

Another race was for seventy-nine-footers, the starters being George W. Watjen's American built yawl Navahoe, Myles B. Kennedy's cutter White Heather, Sir James Pender's cutter Kariad and R. W. N. Young's cutter Nyria.

The Meteor crossed the finish line first at 4.40 P. M., but as she had to allow the Clara 33 min., 36 sec., the latter, crossing at 5.07 P. M., won.

In the race for seventy-nine footers the White Heather crossed the finish line first, but lost the race to Nyria, having allowed her 3 minutes 55 seconds. The Nyria won by 55 seconds.

Kariad came in third and Navahoe fourth.

SKI JUMPERS IN MATCH CONTEST

Capt. Carl Howelsen, the world's champion ski jumper, has arrived in Chicago to compete against Hjalmar Anderson, a Chicago Norwegian, who challenged the champion. The contest will be held at the Chutes park in a few days over a slide built for the express purpose.

Howelsen was formerly an officer in the Swedish royal army, and while there took up the sport. He soon became a crack, and won the world's championship at Christiania in February, 1903. This contest was held before the king, and the championship performance is known as the Holmenkol run.

RESULTS OF SUNDAY GAMES.

At New Brunswick—Avonia A. C., 5; New Brunswick, 4.

At Yonkers—Amsterdam, 8; Yonkers, 1.

At Saratoga Park—Howardso, 1; Monarchs, 0.

At Port Chester—Mauler, 6; Port Chester, 3.

At Red Hook—Chandlers, 4; Brooklyn F. C., 0.

At Hoboken—Hoboken, 6; Manhattan, 1.

At Orange Valley Oval—Orange Valley, 6, Star A. C., 3.

At Ridgewood—Ridgewood, 6; Cuban Stars, 6.

MILLER HAS A CLOSE CALL AT SARATOGA

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year-old lead nearly all the way, while Electioneer, off none too well, closed a lot of ground.

Before the greatest crowd that ever assembled on the Saratoga race course the annual season at the beautiful resort opened this afternoon under ideal conditions. The weather was hot but perfect, a fresh breeze from the mountains putting life in the air.

The tide of travel toward the race course set in at noon. Broadway was jammed with the characteristic Saratoga public hacks, and each of them was loaded to the capacity of the motive power without any trouble on the part of the drivers. The beautiful road leading to the race course had been sprinkled and the shaded roadways from the main gate to the grand stand and club-house entrances were in perfect condition.

When the bugle sounded the call to the post in the first race the grand stand was jammed with the best dressed and best financially equipped race track audience the world can produce. Out in the sun on the lawn hundreds paraded up and down unable to get any further than the grand stand steps. The club-house was crowded to the point of discomfort and as for the betting ring, words fail right here.

Everybody wanted to bet and commodious as the ring is it could not accommodate half who rushed for it at the conclusion of each race. Before the betting was an hour old the ring was wilted.

Telegraphic service from the track could not be secured. The Western Union, the only line with track connections, announced that its wires between Saratoga and New York were out of business. There were reports at the track that a gang of wire-tappers had planned a big coup in the New York pool-rooms.

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BATTING ORDER.

St. Louis.	New York.
Niles, 3b.	Keeler, rf.
Jones, 1b.	Elberfeld, ss.
Stone, lf.	Chase, 1b.
Hemphill, rf.	Conroy, cf.
Wallace, ss.	La Porte, 3b.
O'Brien, 2b.	Yeager, 2b.
Koehler, cf.	Delehanty, lf.
Rickey, c.	Kleinow, c.
Howell, p.	Chesbro, p.

Umpire—O'Loughlin.

(Special to The Evening World.)

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 6.—The Highlanders and Browns played the second game of the series here to-day.

When Umpire O'Loughlin called play it was very dark and threatening. The heavy rain of the morning left the field in a soggy condition. When Keeler stepped to the plate it was raining slightly.

First Inning.

Keeler dropped a pretty safe bunt in front of the plate. Howell threw wide trying to catch Bill asleep, and he trotted untouched to station two. Elberfeld fell an easy mark for Howell's "spitters." Wallace ran into left and caught Chase's easy pop. O'Brien's nice stop over second stopped Conroy at first. NO RUNS.

Niles hit the first ball Chesbro pitched to centre for one count. Jones sacrificed. Chesbro to Chase. Stone's hard smash was too much for La Porte. Hemphill bunted but Chesbro got him at first. Wallace smashed a safety through La Porte, scoring Niles and Stone. Chesbro threw into centre field, trying to catch Wallace off second, allowing Bob to cross the register. O'Brien fanned. THREE RUNS.

Second Inning.

O'Brien got Laporte's slow one and sanded it over to Jones. Yeager hit cleanly to left, but was doubled up when Delehanty hit to Wallace, Bob, O'Brien and Jones participating. NO RUNS.

Kohler drew a pass and reached third on Chesbro's wild throw to Chase. Rickey hit one of Chesbro's slows over the right field fence for a home run. Manager Griffith interfered here and ordered Chesbro to the bench. He trotted Kid Clarkson out in company with Thomas to do the heavy work. Howell grounded out, Elberfeld to Chase. Clarkson could not find the plate while Niles was up. Clarkson cleverly knocked down Jones's hard rap and fielded him out at first. Stone scratched a single between third and short. He promptly stole second. Hemphill flied out to Delehanty. TWO RUNS.

Third Inning.

Thomas lined to deep left. Stone mitting the leather after a long sprint. Howell made his rival, Clarkson, bite at three out-shoots. Keeler was easy, Wallace to Jones. NO RUNS.

Wallace shot a terrific bounder at Chase, which Hal knocked down and Bobfielded to Clarkson just ahead of Bob. Delehanty got an easy chance off O'Brien's high one. Yeager's pass to Chase stopped Koehler at first. NO RUNS.

FORT ERIE RESULTS.

FORT ERIE, Aug. 6.—The races here to-day resulted as follows:

FIRST RACE—Redwood II., 113 (Pendergast), 3 to 1, 1, Pentagon, 104 (Mountain), 2 to 1 for place, 2, Gauze, 112 (Lain), 2 to 1 for place, 3. Time—1.38 (Wishard). 2 to 1 to show, 3. Time—1.38. Henry Waring, Wickford, Penta, Miss Hayley, Marimbo also ran.

SECOND RACE—Salmilla, 105 (Hogg), 5 to 2, 1, Lady Demon, 100 (Kunz), 4 to 1 place, 2, Miss Cesarion, 110 (Mountain), 1 to 2 show) 3. Time—0.55 2-5. Hattie Dodson, Cross Cat, Lady Bateman, Imposition, Alanie and Beatrice H. also ran.

THIRD RACE—Gold Enamel, 105 (Mountain), 7 to 2 won; Scotch Plume 107 (Fisher), 6 to 5 place, second; Peter Paul, 95 (Schaller), 2 to 1 show, third. Time—1.46. John Carroll, Greenfield and Benvollo also ran.

FOURTH RACE—Rain Dance, 105 (Dealy), 8 to 5, 1; Petit Duc, 106 (H. Jackson), 4 to 1 place, 2; Nervator, 106 (Sullo), 4 to 1, 3. Time—1.14 1-5. Bessie Willis, Cantrome, Knickerbocker, Butinski, Andria and Souprep also ran.

FIFTH RACE—Charlie Gilbert, 117 (Foley), 1 to 2, won; Edward Wilder, 107 (Helgerson), even for place, second; Minor, 102 (King), 3 to 1 slow, three. Time—1.01 2-5. Timonth, Wen, Eminola, Mary Custis and Voling also ran.