BROADWAY ENJOYS COMEDY FIRE IN MARLBOROUGH

All Sorts of Things Except Heavy Financial Loss Occur in Fifteen Minutes.

There was a lively, though not disastrous, fire in the Hotel Marlborough, Broadway and Thirty-sixth street, this afternoon that furnished the Rialto with fifteen minutes of excitement and amusement.

A guest on the third floor left the gas burning in his room and the window open. He had been gone only a few minutes when the lace curtains caught fire.

The blaze was seen from the street, whereupon several excited passersby rushed into the lobby yelling fire. A nervous guest took up the cry and rushed upstairs to find his wife. Another guest set off the hotel fire-alarm bell.

Before Policeman Monahan could get to the hotel from his crossing the corridors were filled with feminine screams and fluttering kimonos. Every window facing on Broadway screened a pale countenance, and all the press agents on the block crowded to the scene and yelled commands and suggestions to the imperilled damsels.

Meanwhile the burning lace curtains had blown out the window and fallen to an awning on the first floor. This caught fire and was burning merrily when Monahan dashed into the room and tore it loose. It fell upon Mr. Harry Harris, who was passing, and set fire to him.

He rushed into the bar and was put out with siphons of soda.

Thus all the conflagration had ceased, and when the members of Engine Company No. 26 arrived on a still alarm there was nothing to do but offer sympathy to the hysterical.

POLICEMAN HURT; ASSAILANT'S JAW BROKEN IN FIGHT

Murtaghe, of Adams Street Station, and His Foe Both in Brooklyn Hospital.

Policeman T. Louis Murtaghe, of the Adams street station, Broklyn, is in the Brooklyn Hospital to-day suffering from internal injuries as the result of a fight he had last night with William Dehan, of No. 577 Warren street. Dehan is also in the same hospital with a broken jaw and other injuries. Both men are in a serious condition.

They met last night at Garfield place and Fourth avenue. Dehan had a grudge against Murtaghe because of the recent arrest of a friend. The policeman was off duty and clad in plain clothes. He was accompanied by a friend, "Tom" Curley, of No. 40 Ashland place, Brooklyn.

Dehan was on the corner with several friends. Stepping up to Murtaghe, he said: "I can lick any cop on the force, whether he's in uniform or not." With that he brought his fist crashing down on Murtaghe's cheek, cutting a deep gash and bringing the policeman to his knees.

Before Murtaghe could recover himself Dehan kicked him in the stomach. Then he ran. But Murtaghe managed to scramble to his feet and pursue Dehan to a nearby saloon. Both men fell at the door of the saloon, and in the scuffle Dehan's jaw was broken. They were both taken to the hospital in the same ambulance.

Murtaghe has a reputation in the precinct of the Adams street station of being too free with his club. A week ago he was reprimanded in the Adams Street Court for the condition of a prisoner he arraigned. The prisoner was John Costello, of No. 142 Forty-eighth street. His face was terribly lacerated and he showed the effects of a ruthless beating. Notwithstanding the man's appearance, Murtaghe charged him with assault, whereupon he was scored by the Magistrate. He had not a mark on him to substantiate the assault charge.

OLD GUEST FOUND DEAD IN MURRAY HILL HOTEL ROOM

Mystery About Demise of Mr. Von Vechten, Small Trader in Stock Market.

Clarence Hans Von Vechten, for twelve years a resident guest of the Murray Hill Hotel, Fortieth street and Park avenue, was found dead this afternoon in his room. Although it seemed conclusive that death had resulted from natural causes, Coroner Harbarger sent the body to an undertaker in the neighborhood for an autopsy.

Mr. Von Vechten was last seen alive at 8 o'clock last night, when he went to his apartment on the fifth floor. The chambermaid could get no answer to her repeated knocking on his door today and notified a clerk. A porter forced an entrance.

The body was lying, fully dressed, upon the face on the floor. The man had evidently been dead for many hours. The hotel people think he dropped with a fatal stroke of heart failure or apoplexy, probably the latter, just as he entered the room last night.

Mr. Von Vechten was large and stout and fond of eating good things. Although he was a jovial man, he never talked much of his private life, and not a great deal was known about him at the Murray Hill. He was without family, came originally from Massachusetts and followed the business of dealing in stocks in a moderate way.

Letters scattered about the room showed that he had lately been buying rather extensively in stable securities. One of the letters was from his maiden sister, Miss Elizabeth Von Vechten, of Great Barrington, Mass., asking him to invest $50 for her in a certain stock. This sister, so far as is known, was his only living relative. She came to see him at intervals.

There were two bank books, showing that he had balances of about $6,500 on deposit in two concerns. He was fifty years old.

BENNETT LOSES CHAMPIONSHIP TO FRANK GREER

Vespers Take First Place in Four-Oared Race at Springfield National Regatta.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Aug. 15.—Just before the races to-day in the national regatta began it was announced that John O'Neill, of the St. Mary's A. A., Halifax, N. S., winner of yesterday's association singles, would compete in the championship this afternoon. Under the rules O'Neill's victory yesterday gave him this privilege.

Early in the afternoon the wind hauled into the north and slackened to two or three miles an hour, so that the conditions just before the start of the first race were almost as good as those which prevailed yesterday. Summaries:

Senior Four Oared Shells—Won by Vesper B. C., of Philadelphia; Minnesota B. C., of St. Paul, second; St. Mary's A. A., of Halifax, N. S., third; Ravenswood B. C., of Long Island City, N. Y., fourth. Time, 8m. 58⅕s.

Intermediate Centipede Straightaway—Won by Metropolitan R. C., of New York City; Union B. C., of New York City, second; Harlem R. C., of New York, third. Time, 9m. 13 3-5s.

Intermediate Single Sculls—Won by Carey Faulkner, Riverside B. C., Cambridge, Mass.; S. E. Gordon, West Philadelphia B. C., second; Carl Higgins, Bradford B. C., Cambridge, third; Joseph Ryan, Riverside B. C., Cambridge, fourth; Herman Von Barthold, Metropolitan R. C., New York, fifth; M. F. O'Hara, St. Alphonsus Club, Boston, sixth; Gordon Faircliff, Bradford B. C., Cambridge, seventh; Rudolph Vrtacek, First Bohemian B. C., New York, did not finish. Time—10.17.

Championship Single Sculls—Won by Frank Greer, East Boston A. A.; John O'Neill, St. Mary's A. A., Halifax, N. S., second; Harry S. Bennett, Springfield B. C., third; Lucido Mills, New York A. C., fourth; Fred Shepherd, Scowanhaka B. C., Brooklyn, N. Y., fifth. Time, 9.53, 10.08 3-5.

Senior Pair-Oared Shells—Won by Vesper B. C., Philadelphia; Nonpareil B. C., New York, second. Time, 10.

War Canoe Race—Won by Dedham B. C., Dedham, Mass.; Crescent Canoe Club, Walpole, Mass., second; Springfield Canoe Club, third. Time, 7.38.

Philadelphia Cricketers Win.

LONDON, Aug. 15.—The Philadelphia cricket team to-day won its match with the Marylebone eleven by 25 runs.

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MOB OF 10,000 FOUGHT SOLDIERS UNTIL NEGRO WAS HANGED IN STREET

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main off the streets after nightfall. Sheriff Werner has been informed that a movement is on foot to raise an army of white men to-night, invade the negro quarter and either drive all the negroes out of Springfield or kill those who attempt to remain. There have been race disturbances in Springfield of recent years, but nothing serious. Last night's lynching was the first in the history of the city. It was the outgrowth of a long series of crimes committed by negroes in this section and the steady influx of negro immigration from the toughest districts of Kentucky, Tennessee and Missouri to southern and central Illinois.

The scene of the race riot is within half a mile of the old homestead of Abraham Lincoln, the only residence ever owned by the martyred President. The house now is the property of the State. A monument here marks the grave of the emancipator. A statue of him stands in the Capitol.

Lynched In Early Day.

The lynching of the negro, Charles Hunter, occurred early this morning when the torch had been applied to the homes of thirty-five negro families in the "Bad Lands" of the city. He was caught shooting a revolver into a crowd of rioters, cornered in a hallway, shot all to pieces and then hanged to a tree. The white men were shot in general rioting.

Loper's restaurant, the largest in the city, and two blocks from the City Hall, was set on fire by the white mob and destroyed because the proprietor, earlier in the evening, had lent his automobile to the removal of the two negro prisoners, whom the mob desired to lynch, from the city. White men from the mining towns around Springfield are pouring into the city and negroes are getting away by all sorts of conveyances.

The dead in the riots are: Hunter, Charles (colored), lynched; Johnson, Lewis (white) seventeen years old, and Scott, James (white), seventy years old.

There are many homeless persons in the city to-day owing to the burning of dwellings by the mobs, and Gov. Deneen has ordered that these be cared for at Camp Lincoln, where the militiamen who have been called on duty will camp.

The Governor declares that all citizens will be treated alike, meaning that the negroes, of whom most of the homeless is composed, will be given full protection and aid.

The rioting was precipitated by an assault committed early yesterday morning by a negro upon Mrs. Mabel Hallam, wife of a street railway conductor. While the woman slept alone in her home on a populous residence street awaiting the return of her husband the man broke into the house, dragged her into the rear yard and assaulted her.

Before noon George Richardson, a young negro, was arrested by the sheriff's force charged with the crime. The victim partially identified the prisoner. Crowds quickly gathered about the jail, but Sheriff Werner's force and the police were able to preserve order until nightfall without difficulty.

Rushed Negroes Out of Town.

Shortly after 5 o'clock a successful ruse was worked by the authorities and Richardson was spirited away to safety. With the assembled crowds held at bay by the officers, a false run by the Fire Department temporarily drew the attention of the crowd, during which time the prisoner was hurried down an adjoining alley and at the first corner was pushed into an automobile owned by Mayor Harry T. Loper, a restaurant keeper and member of the National Guard, who had been sworn in as a deputy sheriff.

Before the crowd realized what had happened Richardson was being rushed to a point north of the city, where a Chicago and Alton train was stopped, and he was put aboard with a heavy guard and conveyed to Bloomington and later was taken to Peoria.

Along with Richardson was taken Joe James, another negro prisoner in the county jail, who is accused of killing Clergy Ballard, a State mine inspector, after attempting an assault upon Ballard's daughter. Ballard went to his daughter's rescue and was stabbed to death.

Immediately after dark thousands assembled in the vicinity of the county jail. The mood of the masses was ugly and appeals by Sheriff Werner were without effect. The Sheriff offered to let a committee from the crowd search the jail, assuring them that both negroes were gone.

"We will all go through," shouted some one in the crowd, and the cry was taken up by hundreds.

Stormed Loper's Place.

Then some one in the crowd mentioned that Harry Loper, the restaurant man, had furnished the automobile in which the escape of the prisoners had been effected.

"On to Loper's!" he shouted, and by this time the maddened mob, which now numbered 10,000, was ready for anything.

A rush was made upon Loper's restaurant, the largest place of its kind in the city, five blocks away. The proprietor was warned, but, failing to appreciate the seriousness of the situation, did not attempt to escape until the mob was upon the place. He was pushed by employees of the place, together with his wife, into a basement room in temporary safety.

Short work was made of the restaurant. The automobile in which the rescue had been effected had been left in front of the place. It was quickly turned upside down and fire was set to the machine.

While the machine blazed frenzied hundreds poured into the cafe, tore fixtures and decorations from their places and piled them upon the blaze. Even the sideboards and kitchen were stripped and all the table ware and dishes piled upon the blaze.

The fire department, which had been called out a half dozen times in efforts to disperse the crowds, again made a run to the restaurant, but was powerless. Every line of hose that was stretched was cut before a stream of water could be forced into it. The restaurant was stripped clean by the mob, which worked without hindrance until its work was nearly completed.

Local Troops Helpless.

The local companies of militia, consisting of a company of infantry and a troop of cavalry and a Gatling gun section, which had been ordered out by Gov. Dineen, who had been notified of the impending trouble, was busy with the situation in the vicinity of the jail, and the local authorities had no men to spare for the riot at the Loper place. Finally in a desperate effort to restore order the cavalry troop was despatched to the restaurant.

Then the rioting broke loose in serious form. Shots were fired and the air was filled with missiles. Many fell in the melee, and it was here that Louis Johnson met his death, he being shot through the stomach and left to die in a heap of wreckage. After the mob had moved to other scenes Johnson's body was picked up in the rear of Loper's place.

After nothing of the restaurant remained for the infuriated crowd a rush was made for the levee, which is usually populated with negroes. But most of them had disappeared.

Attacks were made upon several store buildings in which it was believed negroes had been secreted. Entrance was forced to these places and stocks of merchandise turned topsy turvey in the search for refugees.

Shortly before midnight the mob broke into Fishman's pawnshop and secured a quantity of rifles, shotguns, revolvers and ammunition. With these they armed themselves and started to march the streets, in absolute control of the situation.

Chafin Saved Negro's Life.

"Stand back, gentlemen, or I'll shoot every one of you who touches this man," were the words of Eugene W. Chafin, Prohibition candidate for President, who faced a mob that had attacked a negro while Mr. Chafin was delivering a public address on the east side of the square last night.

For his act Chafin was struck on the left side of the face with a brickbat hurled by a member of the mob.

Chafin was well along in his speech when a negro pursued by a mob came toward the speaker's stand from Fifth and Washington streets, where he had been pulled from a street car. The crowd closed in on the negro and had him on the ground, beating him with their fists and clubs. The negro finally got away and jumped on the platform.

It was at this point that Mr. Chafin stepped to the front of the man, put his hand to his hip pocket and threatened to shoot any one who touched the negro. Mr. Chafin's threat had the desired effect, although he had no weapon.

During the fight the negro pulled a knife from his pocket and slashed several white men. Mr. Chafin was not seriously injured. James Scott was struck by a stray bullet and almost instantly killed.

After burning many houses in the negro quarter the mob, which became more desperate as the night passed, finally gratified its thirst for blood this morning at 3 o'clock, when an unknown negro was lynched at the corner of Twelfth and Madison streets, right in the heart of the so-called "Bad Lands."

Troops arrived at the scene too late to prevent the lynching. Some of the members of the mob declared that the negro lynched had shot two white men. They said that in a fight with the whites the negro was forced into a corner at the saloon and grocery, on the corner of Twelfth and Madison. When retreat was cut off the negro is said to have opened fire, wounding two.

Then came the cry, "Get the rope!"

All the members of the mob eagerly took up the cry. The negro was caught and dragged to the street. Here he was beaten and shot five times, and then a rope was swung around his neck and the other end of the rope thrown over the limb of a tree in front of the store. With a cry of satisfaction, the negro was swung high off the ground. He was dead in a few moments.

Danced Around Dead Man.

After riddling the body with bullets the mob commenced to dance around the tree. At this point a company of troops from Decatur arrived and commenced firing, causing the rioters to disperse in a hurry. By daylight the streets had practically been cleared and the troops were in control of the situation.

Gov. Deneen was at his office all night personally directing the militia.

Harry T. Loper, owner of the restaurant destroyed, said:

"I have been through one riot in Cincinnati in '83, one of the worst in this country, when 100 men were killed. It was to avoid loss of life that I took those prisoners out of town. I did not favor the men; I have no interest in them whatever, and would go just as far to punish them as anybody, but after going through the Cincinnati riot and knowing this Sheriff as I do I knew he would be killed before he would let the jail be taken. I thought I would save lives by removing the colored men.

"I would not shoot a single man to protect my place, and I only shot into the crowd when in personal danger myself. I would not kill a single man to save my place."

WOMAN LED RIOT MOB IN ATTACK.

CHICAGO, Aug. 15.—"It was not a question of one mob but of many mobs, apparently without organized leadership, but acting in such instinctive unison that the police and firemen were absolutely driven before them," said Henry N. Hansen, general secretary of the Y. M. C. A., at Springfield, who arrived in Chicago from Springfield today.

"I was downtown when the rioting began," said Mr. Hansen. "There had been muttering all the evening, and when at 8 o'clock the mob learned that the accused negroes had been taken from the jail in Harry T. Loper's automobile they searched his restaurant two blocks from the City Hall. I stood across the street and saw the wild rush for the front of the building. Loper stood there with a rifle in his hands, but he did not fire, and when bricks began to crash through the plate glass window he ran to the basement. A perfect hail of bricks and stones demolished the windows. I noticed that women were taking an active part in stoning the place."

"The first person to enter the restaurant after the windows were broken was a woman who seemed to be directing the work of destruction. Furniture, tables, chairs and crockery were smashed and the fragments hurled into the street. Then followed the smashing of Loper's automobile.

"Mayor Reese tried to disperse the mob, but they would not listen to him and a brick struck him on the head. He was saved from further injury by friends who formed a guard about him and fought their way into a nearby cigar store. Meanwhile firemen who were trying to extinguish the blazing motor car were hindered by the mob, and hose the firemen were trying to use was repeatedly cut until the fire fighters were compelled to abandon the fight."

NEGROES LOCKED IN ON PASSING TRAINS.

BLOOMINGTON, Ill., Aug. 15.—Troop E, Illinois National Guard Cavalry, was summoned this morning by the tolling of the fire bell and has been sent to Springfield at the request of Capt. Deneen. Up to noon not a refugee had reached Bloomington from the Springfield colored district, although many whites are coming in.

The Chicago and Alton officials have ordered all conductors to lock their colored trainmen in a car when entering Springfield and to keep them under cover while passing in and out of the city where the trouble is brewing.

It is thought here that the negro prisoners smuggled out of Springfield are in the Bloomington jail, although the Sheriff declares they were sent to Peoria last night. They were not removed from this city this morning, as all trains have been carefully watched.

There is little feeling in Bloomington and the strife will probably not reach this far.

2,500 SOLDIERS TO GUARD SPRINGFIELD

CHICAGO, Aug. 15.—Major-General E. C. Young, who is in command of the Illinois National Guard, received a message from Gov. Deneen at 9 o'clock and afterward talked with him over the long distance telephone.

"The Governor told me that the situation at Springfield to-day was well in hand, but in order to guard against any further riotous demonstrations he thought it well to make an imposing display of military force," said Gen. Young. "The First Illinois will take a special train in time to arrive at Springfield this evening. We are proceeding on the theory that 'an ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure.' With the arrival of the First Illinois there will be at Springfield three regiments of National Guardsmen, numbering about 2,500 men and officers."

HIDE NEGROES IN BLOOMINGTON JAIL.

BLOOMINGTON, Ill., Aug. 15.—Richardson and James, the colored men brought from Springfield last night to escape lynching, are still in jail here, occupying separate cells and nobody has been allowed to see them. To avoid the possibility of pursuit from Springfield, it was announced last night that the men had been transferred to Peoria and the officials here still persist in the story. There has been no excitement here.

NEGRO LEADER OFF TO SPRINGFIELD.

PEORIA, Ill., Aug. 15.—"It is a deplorable affair," said the Rev. Henry W. Jameson, pastor of the African Methodist Episcopal Church, to-day, discussing last night's riot. He left at noon for Springfield. Mr. Jameson is one of the most influential colored men in Illinois, and all morning was mixing with his race in Peoria calming them and telling them all that he would do his best to settle the trouble when he reached Springfield. Mr. Jameson said:

"It is another blot on the good name of our fair State. It emphasizes the fact that the undesirable citizens, both white and black, ought not to be permitted to amalgamate. It is usually the undesirable of both classes, mixing freely with each other, both North and South, that causes so much trouble.

"As undesirable as mob law and lynchings are, theev are the swiftest agents of revenge.

"If the thinking white men and the intelligent colored men would unite along the lines of civic righteousness the classes referred to would be either incarcerated in the penitentiary and workhouse or driven out of society, either of which would be more healthful than the present state of affairs."

Mr. Jameson was the leader of the colored troops which rushed up San Juan Hill to the rescue of Roosevelt's Rough Riders in the war with Spain, and many of his old command, who are now in Peoria, wanted to go to Springfield with him, but he refused them, advising all that it was better to remain in Peoria and all keep quiet. He will probably remain in Springfield until the trouble is settled.

CHAFIN, NOT HURT, QUITS SPRINGFIELD

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Aug. 15.—Eugene W. Chafin, Presidential nominee of the Prohibition party, who was struck by a piece of brick when he attempted to shield a negro from the mob last night, left here to-day. Mr. Chafin's injury was only slight.

UNEMPLOYED'S UNION SQUARE RALLY A FROST

Large Proportion of the 100 in the Audience Were Plain Clothes Men.

The attempt of the Industrial Workers' Association to hold a big mass meeting of unemployed in Union Square this afternoon was a failure. At no time did more than 100 persons gather about the band stand at the north end of the square, and from thirty to thirty-five of these were plain clothes men.

Inspector Walsh was on hand with fifty uniformed men. Since the spring bomb throwing in Union Square the police are taking no chances of allowing Anarchists to perform.

D. F. Breen, secretary of the Industrial Workers' Association propaganda, unfurled a banner on the platform at 2 o'clock and called the meeting to order. The audience at that time was composed exclusively of policemen. Accompanying Breen were Ben H. Williams and Samuel H. Stodel, who were down for speeches.

Breen explained the small attendance by saying that the Association had been unable to get out handbills in the centres of the unemployed because of lack of time. He declared that the meeting was a rebuke to the prosperity shouters, who are enjoying themselves at Manhattan Beach to-day.

CRUISER STRIKES ON REEF AND IS FAST AGROUND

Colorado Reported From the North Pacific Coast in Dangerous Plight.

PORT TOWNSEND, Wash., Aug. 15.—It is reported that the cruiser Colorado is ashore on Double Bluff, in the Straits of Juan de Fuca.

NEW WEST SIDE A. C. HOLDS MEETING

The New West Side A. C. will hold its monthly games, which were postponed last Sunday morning, to-morrow on the club grounds, West Fifty-fourth street.

There are thirty A. A. U. novices entered in the 70-yard sprint and eighteen in the shot put, for which John Daly is favorite. Alf Ing, the former West Side A. C. crack; J. Barrett and P. J. McDonald, of "fifty-six" fame, will officiate.

The teams of the Kilkenny and Tipperary Gaelic football combinations are on edge for their big game, which will decide the championship at Ulmer Park to-morrow. Richard Butler has been re-elected captain of the "Tipps," and their old followers believe in Butler's luck.

The Cork and Monaghan teams will meet in the Judge Breen competition, and the Limerick and Kilkenny hurlers are billed for a star act.

FORT ERIE RESULTS.

(Special to The Evening World.)

FORT ERIE, Ont., Aug. 15.—To-day's races resulted as follows:

FIRST RACE—Two-year-olds; five and one-half furlongs—J. H. Reed, 98 (Kennedy), 9 to 10 and out, won. Serenade, 106 (Powers), 4 to 1, 3 to 2 and 1 to 2, second. Guy Fisher, 103 (Troxler), 30 to 1, 6 to 1 and 5 to 2, third. Time—1.00 4-5. Floral, Impasse, Adlia, Ben Howe, Sir Cannon, Gloriole, Mrs. Marion Moore also ran.

SECOND RACE—Three-year-olds; six furlongs.—Bonebrake, 100 (Glasner), 7 to 1, 2 to 1 and even, first; Little Osage, 104 (Rice), 7 to 2 and even and 1 to 2, second; Firebrand, 105 (Leibert), 10 to 1, 6 to 1 and 2 to 1, third. Time—1.16 1-5. Shirley R., Perry McAdow, Camille M., Miss Cesarion, Cyclops, Gaylord and Stoner Hill also ran.

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs; three-year-olds; selling.—Lady Carol, 103 (Ross), 6 to 1, 5 to 2, even, won; Alencon, 105 (Powers), 4 to 1, 2 to 1, even, second; Edgely, 107 (Troxler), 6 to 1, 2 to 1, even, third. Time, 1.15. Gracchus, Greendale, Royal Onyx, Honest Al Muller also ran.

FOURTH RACE—Five and one-half furlongs.—Irrigator, 102 (Ross), 1 to 2, out, won; Stromeland, 100 (Kennedy), 7 to 1, 9 to 5, out, second; Marse Abe, 126 (Powers), coupled Irrigator, third. Time—1.08 4-5. Leonard, Michael Angelo, Olsi Keta also ran.

FIFTH RACE—Three-year-olds; one mile.—Pinkola, 104 (Pickens), 8 to 5, 4 to 5 and out, won; Terah, 102 (Kennedy), 8 to 1, 5 to 2 and 7 to 10, second. Minnie Adams, 108 (Troxler), 13 to 5, 7 to 5 and 2 to 5, third. Time—1.43. John Carroll also ran.

Sixth Race—Three-year-olds; mile and a furlong.—Reidmoore, 105 (Powers), 11 to 5; 4 to 5 and out, first; The Minks, 111 (Pickens), 7 to 1, 2 to 1 and even, second; Minot, 95 (Kennedy), 17 to 10, 11 to 20 and out, third. Time—1.56 4-5. Polly Prim Conville also ran.

SEVENTH RACE—Three-year-olds; mile and seventyyards.—Belmere, 108 (Powers), 9 to 10, 11 to 20, out, won; Serville, 93 (Kennedy), 3 to 1, 4 to 5 and 1 to 3, second; Gambrinus, 100 (Ott), 9 to 1, 11 to 5 and 4 to 5, third. Time, 1.48 1-5. Ithalatan, Bitter Hand, Tivolini, Tagane, Lexington Lady, Dexon also ran.

NEW TURKISH MINISTER TO UNITED STATES NAMED.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 15.—The Turkish Government has informed the State Department that Hussien Kiazim Bey, who now represents Turkey at Bucharest, Roumania, has been appointed Turkish Minister to the United States in place of Mehmed Ali Bey.

RUNAWAY GIRLS CAUGHT BY TWO SOCIETY AGENTS

Young and Pretty, They Came Here From Philadelphia Seeking Stage Engagements.

Two pretty stage struck little girls from Philadelphia were witnesses in the Children's Court to-day against Harry T. Bradley, a travelling salesman from Atlanta, Ga., who has been living at the St. Denis Hotel.

Bradley was charged with seeking to impair the morals of the girls, who are Helen Gibbs, fifteen years old, daughter of Dr. Charles Gibbs, of No. 1531 Montgomery avenue, Philadelphia, and Ethel Conly, fifteen years old, daughter of John Conly, of No. 1616 Columbia avenue, in the same city.

The case against Bradley was dismissed. The little fugitives were apprehended at midnight in Riverside Park in Bradley's company after the Children's Society men had trailed them for hours.

Had Stage Ambition.

The girls ran away from home last Monday. They had made individual hits in a cantata given by their church last Christmas and felt sure they were born to blossom behind the footlights. Upon their arrival in the city they took a room at No. 219 East Twentieth street and started out to visit the booking offices in search of an engagement.

They found the supply greater than the demand and took to haunting halls and theatres where rehearsals were being held, in the hope of attracting the attention of some manager. The busy theatrical people paid no attention to the two little Philadelphia girls and they grew quite lonesome. They did not know that their parents had had a general alarm sent out from Philadelphia for them.

Agents Cook and Shea, leaving the Children's Society rooms on a tour of duty last night, encountered the runaways at Twenty-third street and Fourth avenue. It was plain to their experienced eyes that the girls were strangers and in peril. From their demeanor the agents inferred that they had an engagement to meet some one.

Followed by Sleuths.

The girls walked to Madison Square and sat for a time near the fountain. Then they strolled over to the Flatiron Building where they were approached by a dapper middle-aged man who lifted his hat and spoke with easy assurance. After a short conversation the man and the two girls boarded a southbound Broadway car, and transferring at Eighth street, rode over to the Cafe Boulevard. At the restaurant the man bought three table d'hote dinners.

At 10 o'clock the stranger and the two girls left the restaurant and walked to Third avenue, where they took a surface car uptown. They rode all the way to One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, the Children's Society sleuths always within reach.

Then he took them west on a trolley car and climbed the hill to Grant's Tomb. The trio soon disappeared in the dark shadows of Riverside Park, with the Children's Society agents right behind.

Within a short time Cook and Shea arrested Bradley and held the girls as witnesses. The Conly child tried to get away, but was caught by Policeman Metz. Upon statements, reluctantly forced from the girls, Bradley was locked up in the West One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street station, and the runaways were held as witnesses.

After Bradley was discharged by the Court the girls were sent back to the Children's Society, to be held until their parents arrive.

HIGHLANDERS SIGN THREE NEW PLAYERS.

BINGHAMTON, N. Y., Aug. 15.—Ivor Wagner and Roy Parkins, pitchers, with Arthur Marcau, shortstop of the Binghamton State League team, have been sold to the New York Americans for $3,000. They will join the New York team at the end of the State League season.

LYDIA E. PINKHAM'S VEGETABLE COMPOUND.

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CHARGE OF THEFT STARTS A RIOT

Crowd in Harlem Resort Take Sides When Girl and Man She Accuses Fight.

A small sized riot started in the West End Casino, No. 363 West One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, early this morning when Charlotte Dale, of No. 109 West Sixty-fourth street, accused James L. Girard of robbing her. The girl declared the robbery had taken place several weeks ago. Girard indignantly denied the charge.

Words led to blows, and several other people in the place joined in, and Patrolman Fitzmorris stopped the trouble by arresting the two principals. Girard, who said he lived at No. 125 St. Nicholas avenue, was held on the girl's charge of robbery, and she on his charge of felonious assault.

WALTER TRAVIS TO PLAY IN OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP.

Walter J. Travis, former international golf champion, has entered for the national open championship to be held at the Myopia links, Boston, Aug. 28-29. He has played in the event several times and once came dangerously near landing the title.

TWO KILLED BY CAVE-IN· THREE OTHERS INJURED.

BOUND BROOK, N. J., Aug. 15.—Two men were killed and three others severely injured in a cave-in at the Trap Rock Crushed Stone Company on the Watchung Mountain to-day. The dead men are Paul Charles, twenty-two years of age, of Bound Brook, engineer at the plant, and John Gastra, twenty-five years of age, of Bound Brook, one of the workmen.

HIGHLANDERS

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and took second as Falkenberg got Conroy's sacrifice and touched him out on the line. Bradley neatly threw out McIlveen as Chesbro took third. Chase flied out to J. Clarke. NO RUNS.

Sixth Inning.

Hemphill made a great catch of Lajoie's long drive to centre. Chesbro threw out Stovall. N. Clarke singled to left. Altizer popped out to Conroy. NO RUNS.

Hemphill flied to Altizer. Delehanty walked and took second as Hinchman threw out Ball. O'Rourke fouled out to Bradley. NO RUNS.

Seventh Inning.

Hinchman flied to Hemphill. Falkenberg flied to Conroy. J. Clarke singled to left and stole second and went to third on Blair's bad throw. Bradley walked. Turner flied to McIlveen. NO RUNS.

Blair doubled to centre. Chesbro singled to left, scoring Blair, and Chesbro went to second on J. Clarke's bad throw to the plate. Chesbro went to third on a passed ball. Falkenberg was taken out of the box and Rhodes was put in his place. Conroy walked. McIlveen hit into a double play, Lajoie to Hinchman to Stovall, Chesbro scoring. Chase flied to J. Clarke. TWO RUNS.

Eighth Inning.

Ball made a brilliant play in throwing out Lajoie. Stovall beat out a slow one to O'Rourke, and N. Clarke singled to right. Altizer forced out Clarke, Ball to O'Rourke, Stovall taking third. Ball threw out Hinchman. NO RUNS.

Bradley threw out Hemphill and Delehanty was out, Hinchman to Stoval, Rhoades tossed out Ball. NO RUNS.

Ninth Inning.

Rhodes struck out. J. Clarke flied to Delehanty. Bradley was thrown out by Ball. NO RUNS.

By a brilliant stop Lajoie threw out O'Rourke. Blair smashed a two-bagger into deep left. Chesbro flied to Turner. Conroy walked, but was forced out by McIlveen, Hinchman to Lajoie. NO RUNS.

Tenth Inning.

Ball threw out Turner, and Lajoie was out the same way. Stovall struck out. NO RUNS.

Chase popped out to Rhodes. Hemphill flied out to Altizer. Delehanty struck out. NO RUNS.

Eleventh Inning.

N. Clarke beat out a bunt, his fourth hit of the game. Altizer sacrificed, Chase to O'Rourke, and N. Clarke took second. Conroy got Hinchman's grounder and touched out N. Clarke on the line. Rhodes smashed a long three bagger over McIlveen's head, scoring Hinchman. O'Rourke threw out J. Clarke. ONE RUN.

Ball led off with a two-bagger to left. O'Rourke popped out to N. Clarke. Niles batted for Blair and struck out. Moriarity batted for Chesbro, and Hinchman threw him out. NO RUNS.

BOSTON--PITSB'G

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Bowerman singled to left field. Ritchey forced Bowerman. Abby, unassisted. Hannifin out, Maddox to Storke. NO RUNS.

Wilson was easy. Ritchey to Bowerman. Gibson singled past short. Maddox was out. Ritchey to Bowerman, but Gibson went to second base. Thomas was safe at first on Hannifin's wild throw. Leach flied out to Browne, who caught the ball lying flat on the ground when he had fallen in reaching for the fly. NO RUNS.

Seventh Inning.

Leach and Storke were death to Sweeney. Maddox threw out Graham at first base. Lindaman was easy, Wagner to Storke. NO RUNS.

Clarke out, Ritchey to Bowerman. Wagner singled to centre field. Wagner stole second base. Storke flied to Ritchey. Abby flied to Bates. NO RUNS.

Eighth Inning.

Browne out, Leach to Storke. Bates singled to left field. Beaumont out, Storke unassisted, Bates taking second base. Bowerman flied out to Wagner. NO RUNS.

Wilson fanned. Gibson also fanned. Maddox tripled over Bates's head. Thomas fanned. NO RUNS.

Ninth Inning.

Ritchey foul flied to Gibson. Hannifin out, Wagner to Storke. Sweeney flied out to Abby. NO RUNS.

JAPAN ANSWERS PROTEST MADE BY THE CHINESE.

TOKIO, Aug. 15.—The reply of the Japanese Government to the protest of China against the arrest and killing of Capt. Kawakita, a Japanese officer, suspected of being a spy by Japanese soldiers attached to the legation in Peking, has been wired to the Chinese capital. It says that the authority of the Japanese to perform police duty in Peking is not defined in the treaty between the two nations.

Capt. Kawakita, the reply declares, was arrested by Japanese gendarmes whom he resisted with a sword and was shot by them in self-defense.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

At Boston.

Detroit	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	0—3
Boston	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	1—4

Batteries—Mullen and Schmidt; Young and Criger. Umpire—Evans.

At Philadelphia.

St. Louis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—0
Philadelphia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	—1

Batteries—Powell and Smith; Bender and Schreck. Umpires—Sheridan and Egan.

EASTERN LEAGUE.

At Jersey City.

Montreal	1	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0—4
Jersey City	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	—1

Batteries—Jones and Ball; Manser and Woods. Umpire—Murray.

At Baltimore.

Buffalo	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	—1
Baltimore	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	—2

Batteries—Mulligan and Archer; Adkins and Robinson. Umpires—Stafford and Taft.

At Newark.

Toronto	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	—6
Newark	0	3	0	0	0	0	2	1		—7

Batteries—McGinley and Vandergrift, Brackett and Stanage. Umpire—Black.

At Providence.

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