SPORTS AND SPORTSMEN

MILLER AND WALLER WIN.

WALTHOUR CAPTURES THE INDIVIDUAL PRIZE—MAYA AND M'EACHREN ARE TO HAVE THE SECOND TEAM PRIZE, AND GIMM AND PIERCE THE THIRD.

The six day bicycle race ended at Madison Square Garden soon after 10 o'clock last night, the men finishing in the same relative positions that they had occupied most of the week. There was a semblance of sprinting at the finish, but there was no change in positions. Walthour did excellent work and captured the individual prize. Incidents of the race were a man falling out of one of the boxes, nearly breaking his neck; the arrest of a supposed murderer, and an attempted murder in one of the boxes at the Garden last night.

In the last ten minutes there was lively sprinting. Beginning the last lap Pierce, who had been trailing the bunch, suddenly shot to the front, and he crossed the finish line three lengths before Babcock. McEachren finished third and Miller fourth.

After the race the seventeen prize winners were paraded about the track. Walthour, the individual prize winner, also paraded, and to him the spectators gave the heartiest welcome.

Several of the riders and trainers expressed dissatisfaction with the scores, especially the individual scores of the riders. It is said that some of the men rode more than the twelve hours a day that is permitted by law.

The best record for 142 hours made by one rider was made by Miller in 1898, when in a six day race he rode 2,120 miles and 660 yards. The combined mileage of Miller and Waller for 142 hours, therefore, beats Miller's record by 543 miles and 44 yards.

The order at the finish and the mileage of the competing teams was as follows:

	Miles.	Laps.
Miller and Waller	2,733	4
Maya and McEachren	2,733	2
Gimm and Pierce	2,733	1
Fisher and Chevallier	2,732	9
Stevens and Turville	2,732	7
Babcock and Stinson	2,732	2
Schineer and Forster	2,465	5

The individual scores are said to be as follows:

	Miles.	Laps.		Miles.	Laps.
Walthour	1,402	8	Chevalier	1,359	2
Turville	1,397	9	Gimm	1,353	8
Waller	1,385	2	Babcock	1,352	4
Stinson	1,379	8	Miller	1,348	2
Pierce	1,379	3	Stevens	1,334	8
Fisher	1,373	7	Forster	1,233	5
McEachren	1,369	5	Schineer	1,231	9
Maya	1,363	7	Aronson	1,095	8

For their week of nerve straining riding Miller and Waller, exclusive of individual prizes, will receive $1,000. Maya and McEachren will get $700; Gimm and Pierce, $400; Fisher and Chevallier, $300; Stevens and Turville, $200; Babcock and Stinson, $100, and Schineer and Forster, $100. Walthour will receive $500. The money will be paid to the prize winners on Monday morning.

BILLIARDS.

THE QUALIFYING PRELIMINARY GAMES IN THE CLASS B TOURNAMENT FINISHED.

The last two games in the qualifying preliminary rounds of the Class B amateur championship billiard tournament were played yesterday at the Knickerbocker Athletic Club theatre and the selection of the men for the final series next week was completed. Threshie beat Tobias in the afternoon, and Hendrick beat Miller in the evening. As both Miller and Tobias had each lost two games before, these defeats put them out of the competition, and the finals will begin on Monday with the two Boston experts, Threshie and Cutler; Smith, of St. Louis; Kellogg, of Chicago; Hendrick, of New-Haven, and Hevner, of Philadelphia. All four of the New-York players have been dropped out.

In the afternoon game yesterday Charles Threshie, of the Boston A. A., met Florian Tobias, of the Knickerbocker A. C., and beat him with the greatest of ease. The New-Yorker was never in the hunt from the start, and Threshie piled up the points so fast that it soon became only a question of how many innings it would take the Bostonian to win. He finally ran out the game in his fifty-third inning, winning by 300 to 140. His average was 5 35-53 and his best runs 29, 26, 24, 18 and 17. Tobias made an average of 2 34-53 and his best runs were 13, 11, 10 and 10.

In the evening game John A. Hendrick, of New-Haven, beat Dr. A. B. Miller, of the Knickerbocker Athletic Club, after the most exciting game of the tournament. The players alternated in the lead all through, the score being exactly even at 291, but the New-Haven man finally pulled out ahead in his eighty-sixth inning, when he ran out the game with the score at 300 to 292. Hendrick's average was 3 43-86 and his highest runs 21, 19, 19, 19, and 18. Miller made runs of 31, 27, 20, 17 and 14 and his average was 3 37-85.

MULDAUER BEATS ARNOLD AT DALY'S.

There was only one game yesterday in the Slosson-Daly amateur handicap billiard tournament at Daly's Academy, Thirty-first-st. and Broadway. In this Muldauer and Arnold, the two weakest players of the tournament, came together at the same handicap, 220. The former finally won by 220 to 192, adding a tenth successive defeat for Arnold since this tournament began. Muldauer's average was 1 66-67 and his best runs 32, 17 and 11, while Arnold made runs of 17, 13 and 12, averaging 2 40-76.

The tournament will be continued next week.

CHESS.

PRESIDENT LOUBET PROMISES PRIZES FOR THE INTERNATIONAL MASTERS' TOURNAMENT.

News reached this city yesterday that M. Achille Fanien, a member of the French House of Deputies, a wine merchant by trade and a Socialist, has got the promise from President Loubet to give some valuable prizes from the State factories, probably Sèvres, as prizes for the international masters' tournament to begin in Paris on May 15. The committee also announces that it has 15,000 francs in hand for additional prizes.

The annual intercollegiate chess tournament has been scheduled to be played at Columbia Grammar School, No. 34 East Fifty-first-st., in this city, during Christmas week. The teams will in all probability be composed as follows: Columbia—K. G. Falk and F. H. Sewall or R. C. T. Schroeder. Harvard—E. R. Perry and W. W. Catchings. Yale—L. A. Cook and J. M. Morgan. Princeton—J. C. Henley and J. B. Hunt.

The match arranged between the champions of the Brooklyn and Chicago Chess clubs, Marshall and Johnston, will shortly be played in Chicago. The contest is one of seven games up for $100 a side.

MURPHY TO TRAIN YALE.

RESIGNS FROM PENNSYLVANIA TO RETURN TO HIS OLD CHARGE.

Philadelphia, Dec. 9 (Special).—The dissensions in the training department of the University of Pennsylvania culminated to-day, when "Mike" Murphy finally announced his intention of resigning his place on June 1 and going to Yale. John C. Bell and Frank Ellis visited Murphy at his house on Friday evening and talked to him for hours, trying to pursuade him to stay with Pennsylvania. Murphy was obdurate, and said he had made up his mind to go back to Yale.

"Mike" left the city to-day for New-York, where it is presumed he met Frank Butterworth and signed a contract to go to New-Haven next fall. Every one at Pennsylvania is sorry to see Murphy leave, and regrets the circumstance which led up to his resignation.

Since Murphy came to Pennsylvania, in 1896, he has won many friends, and is looked upon as the best trainer in the country. Murphy would like to have stayed, and said as much, but things have not been pleasant for him, especially during the last football season, which was not a glorious success. Murphy liked the salary here, and the climate agrees with him better than at New-Haven. The students openly expressed their appreciation of Murphy's services and their preference for him over Woodruff. It was a clash between these two men that caused unpleasantness and induced Murphy to leave for his old charge, Yale.

INTERSCHOLASTIC NOTES.

Arrangements are under way for dual contests between the New-York and the Long Island Interscholastic Athletic associations.

Yesterday morning the Cutler School Cross Country team held its second run this season. The distance was three miles, and there was a large number of candidates out for the run. These contests are primarily for the purpose of selecting the team that will take part in the dual meet with Trinity. In the fast pack yesterday Bangs came out first, and among the slower men Beadleson secured a similar place.

Manager Phillips of the St. Nicholas Skating Rink said yesterday that the interscholastic hockey schedule could not be arranged until the intercollegiate schedule is definitely decided upon.

FOOTBALL.

CHICAGO WINS THE WESTERN CHAMPIONSHIP BY DEFEATING WISCONSIN AT MADISON.

Madison, Wis., Dec. 9.—Before at least twelve thousand persons the University of Chicago to-day defeated the University of Wisconsin by a score of 17 to 0 in a football game which for desperate, clean, scientific playing has probably never been equalled on a Western gridiron. No flukes marred the victory of the sturdy Chicago players, and to-night, for the first time in years, the Maroon can lay claim to an undisputed title to the championship.

Chicago's mass plays were irresistible, and tnough the Badgers fought until they could fight no more, twice in the first half and once in the second half the Maroon backs plunged through Wisconsin's line until the ball was carried over the goal line. Only once did Wisconsin have even a chance to score, and that one chance they were unable to avail themselves of, as with the ball on their own fifteen yard line, the Chicago forwards braced effectively and held like a stone wall.

During the whole game the Badgers were on the defensive, most of the time with the ball well into their territory. Chicago quickly located the weak spots in the Badgers' defence. They were mostly on the left side of the line, and in the first half Slaker, Fell, Hamill and Henry, behind interference that was apparently unbreakable, tore through the tackle and guard positions for gains that almost invariably netted the distance.

When the referee's whistle was blown for the end of the game, nearly a thousand cheering rooters broke out on the gridiron, hoisted the tired but happy champions to their shoulders, and, headed by a band, marched out of the grounds and far up the street before they allowed their burdens to climb down into the waiting carriages. The teams lined up as follows:

Wisconsin (0).	Positions.	Chicago (17).
Cochems	Left end	Sheldon
Blair	Left tackle	Fell
Comstock	Left guard	Ahlswede
L. Chamberlain	Centre	Speed
Rogers	Right guard	Flannigan
Curtiss	Right tackle	Webb
Hymen	Right end	Cassels
Tratt	Quarterback	Kennedy
Peele	Left halfback	Henry
Larson	Right halfback	Hamill
O'Dea	Fullback	Slaker

Touchdowns—Slaker, 2; Fell, 1. Goals kicked—Henry, 2. Substitutes for Wisconsin—Lerum, Wilmarth. Referee—Evarts Wrenn, Harvard. Umpire—"Bob" Wrenn, Harvard.

DIBBLEE DEPARTS FROM CAMBRIDGE.

Cambridge, Mass., Dec. 9 (Special).—"Ben" Dibblee, head coach of last season's Harvard team, last night departed to his California home, where he intends taking up the profession of a mining engineer. Dibblee strongly favors not giving up Pennsylvania, saying that there was no reason why the Crimson should turn down the Red and Blue for the sake of taking on the Orange and Black, especially as the present arrangement was perfectly satisfactory.

CORNELL'S FOOTBALL CAPTAIN.

Ithaca, Dec. 9.—Raymond D. Starbuck was re-elected to-day captain of the Cornell football team. Captain Starbuck will graduate next year from the college of civil engineering, and will then have played on Cornell's 'varsity team for four years. His regular position has been at fullback.

CAPTAIN OF HOBART'S TEAM.

Norman O. Hutton has been elected to lead the football team of Hobart College during the season of 1900. He is well qualified physically and mentally to act as captain. Hutton is twenty-three years old, weighs 160 pounds, and is 5 feet 8 inches tall. For four years Hutton was a conspicuous figure in interscholastic athletics on Long Island. He was one of the halfbacks on the crack football team of St. Paul's School, and was a member of the track team, his specialty being the one mile run. His record for the mile is 4:41. Hutton is a member of the sopohomore class.

GOLF.

PLAYING AT LAKEWOOD.

Lakewood, N. J., Dec. 9 (Special).—Sixteen entered and fourteen completed cards in the Saturday open fixture of the Golf Club of Lakewood, to-day. The weather has been beautiful, and the Country Club of Lakewood has a good number out in informal play. At the Golf Club the best gross and first and second handicap prizes were won in the order named by Craig M. Hamilton, of Baltusrol; Robert Phifer, of Lenox, and Harry Suydam, of Larchmont. The scores:

Name.	Club.	Gross.	Handicap.	Net.
C. M. Hamilton	Baltusrol	89	—	89
Robert Phifer	Lenox	90	8	82
Harry Suydam	Larchmont	96	10	86
S. H. Ferris	Lakewood	102	15	87
Dr. Brathwayte	Lakewood	107	20	87
J. W. Merrill	Essex County	104	14	90
R. W. Houghton	Milwaukee	104	14	90
A. F. Southerland	Essex County	101	10	91
H. Waters	Marine and Field	108	16	92
R. S. Minot	Essex County	114	18	96
B. Kent	Lakewood	113	15	98
C. A. Allen	Lakewood	115	14	101
F. M. Scott	Lakewood	115	14	101
N. E. Stout	Lakewood	117	14	103

GLEN RIDGE WOMAN'S CUP.

Bloomfield, N. J., Dec. 9 (Special).—On the Glen Ridge golf links this afternoon there was a contest for the women's cup. The qualifying rounds resulted as follows:

	Gross.	Handicap.	Net.
Mrs. E. S. Mapes	117	4	113
Miss Torrey	124	0	124
Mrs. Van Ness	125	0	125
Mrs. C. S. Sherman	144	12	132
Mrs. B. R. Jacobs	132	0	132

Miss Torrey beat Mrs. Mapes by 3 up and 2 to play. Mrs. Van Ness beat Mrs. Sherman by 5 up and 4 to play. Finals—Mrs. Van Ness beat Miss Torrey by 3 up and 1 to play.

TELEGRAPHIC SHOOTING MATCH.

GILBERT, OF LOUISVILLE, WINS FROM OLNEY, OF BROOKLYN, BY FORTY-EIGHT POINTS.

A large number of spectators gathered at the range of the Brooklyn Revolver Club, in Wallabout Market, Brooklyn, on Friday night to witness the telegraphic revolver shooting match between H. M. Olney, of the Brooklyn Revolver Club, and H. S. Gilbert, of the Louisville Revolver Club, of Louisville, Ky. The conditions were thirty shots a man, service revolvers and ammunition; ten shots at ten yards' distance on the Columbia target, highest possible score 200 points; ten shots at fifteen yards' distance, rapid fire system, on a four-inch bull's-eye, with rings one inch apart, highest possible count 100 points, and ten shots twenty yards' range on Columbia target, highest possible score 200 points.

The Brooklyn expert shot on his home range. Dr. Sayre attending to the score as the representative of the Louisville club, and Mr. Gilbert shot his end of the match in the club's range at Louisville, Ky. The scores were exchanged shot for shot by wire. Mr. Gilbert shot in excellent form, while Mr. Olney was far from being at his best. The Kentuckian won at a late hour yesterday morning by 48 points. The scores:

H. S. Gilbert—Ten yards, 188; fifteen yards, 99; twenty yards, 167. Total, 454 points.

H. M. Olney—Ten yards, 168; fifteen yards, 92; twenty yards, 146. Total, 406.

HOCKEY.

GAME AT THE ST. NICHOLAS RINK.

The St. Nicholas Skating Club's second hockey team defeated a seven representing the New-York University by a score of 19 to 0 last evening at the St. Nicholas Rink.

REIFF BROTHERS HOME AGAIN.

THE JOCKEYS THINK ENGLISHMEN FAIRER THAN AMERICANS IN TREATMENT OF RIDERS.

The Reiff brothers, the two American jockeys, returned to this country yesterday on the steamship St. Louis. They have come on a visit to their homes at Findlay, Ohio. They expect to do no riding here and will return to England.

The Reiff brothers sailed for England in June. Lester, the elder boy, has ridden in 184 races and won 55. John, the younger of the brothers, weighs only sixty-six pounds and is fourteen years old. He has ridden in 145 races and won 27.

Lester Reiff spoke of his success in a modest way. He said that the turf is conducted in England with a more sportsmanlike spirit than in this country. He added:

The horses are better and the Englishmen are fairer to the jockeys than the Americans. Here they will set you down at any time, but in England they use more consideration, and they are compelled to have the best of proof before they can take a rider off. There is less "fixing" in England than one can read about here, but racing is more expensive there. They have the same trouble in England as they have in America over the start, and next year the two-year-olds are to be started with machinery. They are going to try a new starting machine.

MEADOW BROOK HUNT.

Hempstead, Long Island, Dec. 9 (Special).—A large number of members of the Meadow Brook Club started from the club this afternoon on a wild fox hunt, and, with about thirty dogs, galloped off in the direction of Mineola. After crossing the Hempstead Plains a fox was started in the ditches of old Camp Black. After striking the scent the dogs started off in the direction of Roslyn across fields and through orchards and finally ran into the woods on the Peters farm. The fox, after running for about an hour, ran back toward Roslyn and was finally killed near the Bull Head Hotel. Mrs. Kernochan, as usual, was first in at the finish and was presented with the brush. A number of the members, thinking that the weather would not permit of a run, rode to the club on ponies, and, not having time to send for their hunters, followed the hounds on the ponies. They could be seen at different stages of the run removing the high rails so as to allow the ponies to walk to the road, but after a few experiences of this kind they decided to follow around the road with the carriages.

BOWLING.

THE TEAM RECORD OF THE WHOLESALE DRUG TRADE ASSOCIATION BROKEN.

The best team score ever rolled in the Wholesale Drug Trade Association's tournaments during the six seasons of its existence was that of Colgate & Co.'s team yesterday afternoon in the fourth game of the series at Reid's alleys, No. 200 Church-st. The total was 915, and S. B. Colgate's individual score of 228 in that game is the best for this season.

Colgate & Co. and R. W. Robinson & Son won two games each in yesterday's series, while Parke, Davis & Co. and the General Chemical Company each won and lost a game.

The scores were as follows:

FIRST GAME.

R. W. Robinson & Son—Kimball, 176; W. R. Robinson, 126; Littell, 138; Hopper, 136; Smith, 122; total, 608.

National Lead Company—Kemble, 115; Saunders, 161; C. E. Meek, 109; Sedford, 130; R. P. Meek, 149; total, 662.

SECOND GAME.

Parke, Davis & Co.—Blake, 145; Doran, 150; Carragan, 154; Brunn, 152; Carr, 162; total, 753.

National Lead Company—Kemble, 147; Saunders, 110; C. E. Meek, 129; Sedford, 161; R. P. Meek, 182; total, 729.

THIRD GAME.

R. W. Robinson & Son—Kimball, 132; W. R. Robinson, 134; Littell, 173; Hopper, 143; Smith, 160; total, 742.

Parke, Davis & Co.—Blake, 160; Doran, 166; Carragan, 126; Brunn, 149; Carr, 124; total, 725.

FOURTH GAME.

Colgate & Co.—Barnes, 178; Chrystal, 177; Ranson, 175; Faulkner, 157; Colgate, 228; total, 915.

General Chemical Company—Joerger, 145; Ackerson, 149; Gore, 137; Norman, 157; Storm, 157; total, 745.

FIFTH GAME.

General Chemical Company—Joerger, 110; Ackerson, 170; Gore, 136; Norman, 134; Storm, 175; total, 725.

Roessler & Hasslacher Chemical Company—Bode, 112; Hore, 120; Klahre, 149; Furgang, 143; Maisch, 146; total, 670.

SIXTH GAME.

Colgate & Co.—Barnes, 155; Chrystal, 140; Kennedy, 129; Faulkner, 184; Colgate, 136; total, 744.

Roessler & Hasslacher Chemical Company—Maisch, 115; Bode, 75; Hore, 113; Klahre, 105; Furgang, 125; total, 533.

THE WHEELMEN BOWLERS.

The Greater New-York Wheelmen won two games in the Associated Cycling Clubs of Long Island tournament at the Elephant Club, Brooklyn. The scores:

FIRST GAME.

Pierce Wheelmen—Mullins, 105; Sack, 118; Leamy, 126; Stacom, 122; Wilkinson, 191; total, 662.

Greater New-York Wheelmen—House, 158; Smith, 163; Heuer, 112; Schneider, 136; Grane, 124; total, 693.

SECOND GAME.

Defender Wheelmen—Werner, 159; Huels, 119; Weigner, 116; Schlesman, 140; Stager, 145; total, 679.

Pierce Wheelmen—Mullins, 110; Sack, 109; Leamy, 125; Stacom, 145; Wilkinson, 143; total, 632.

THIRD GAME.

Defender Wheelmen—Werner, 120; Huels, 119; Weigner, 109; Schlesman, 165; Stager, 168; total, 681.

Greater New-York Wheelmen—House, 129; Smith, 173; Heuer, 106; Schneider, 158; Grane, 169; total, 732.

THE FIRE INSURANCE LEAGUE GAMES.

Three games were rolled last night in the Fire Insurance League tournament at Reid's alleys, No. 200 Church-st., the Palatine team being double winners and the Atlantic Mutual five pulling out the last game of the evening by just nine pins from the Germania team. The night's scores follow:

FIRST GAME.

Palatine—Emerson, 144; Hassall, 157; Burgess, 141; Rodgers, 159; Meagher, 169; total, 750.

Atlantic Mutual—Montgomery, 123; Beck, 130; Floyd-Jones, 121; Cobert, 127; Ferdon, 128; total, 629.

SECOND GAME.

Palatine—Emerson, 161; Hassall, 142; Burgess, 148; Rodgers, 125; Meagher, 155; total, 721.

Germania—Palmedo, 140; Michael, 121; Schmidt, 140; Huethwohl, 168; Barber, 139; total, 708.

THIRD GAME.

Atlantic Mutual—Montgomery, 112; Beck, 128; Floyd-Jones, 116; Cobert, 139; Ferdon, 189; total, 689.

Germania—Palmedo, 161; Michael, 141; Schmidt, 129; Huethwohl, 121; Barber, 128; total, 680.

ATHLETICS.

EXCELLENT SPORT AT THE SEVENTY-FIRST REGIMENT GAMES.

There was a large attendance at the annual winter athletic games of the 71st Regiment at the armory, in Thirty-fourth-st., last night. The sport was excellent. Protests were numerous. King, who rode like a professional, captured both bicycle races, but he rode under protest. He had a liberal handicap in each race. In the mile race he fell, yet remounted and won. He had 190 yards in the three mile race, and won by probably half a mile.

The handicapping in the athletic contests was ludicrous. J. Gaffney had 120 yards in the one mile run and 140 yards in the half mile run.

F. J. McCahill caused some excitement at the end of the one mile bicycle race by assaulting one of the members of the regiment in the centre of the floor in full view of the two thousand spectators. The man assaulted had refused to allow McCahill to ride his wheel after McCahill had had a fall and broken his own machine.

SUMMARIES.

Four-hundred-and-forty-yard run (championship of regiment)—Won by G. Fitzgerald, Company I; C. Beatus, Company I, second; W. J. Dwane, Company I, third. Time—1:01⅘.

Sixty-five-yard run (handicap)—Won by C. Beatus, Company I (6 feet); W. J. Dwane, Company I (scratch), second; C. W. Boynton, Company K (5 feet), third. Time 0:07⅘. Won by a foot; same distance between second and third.

Two-hundred-and-twenty-yard hurdle race (handicap)—Won by W. J. Stone, Company J (4 yards); W. L. Dwane, Company I (6 yards), second; J. H. Redfern, Company E (4 yards), third. Time—0:26⅘. Won by five yards; four yards between second and third. Track record—0:34.

Half mile run (handicap)—Won by T. J. Gallagher, Company K (150 yards); C. Beatus, Company I (105 yards), second; H. T. Davidson, Company G (125 yards), third. Time—1:57⅘. Won by ten yards; four yards between second and third.

Running high jump (handicap)—Won by J. G. Pohalski, Company K (5 inches), with an actual jump of 4 ft. 11 in.; C. H. Briner, Company K (4 inches), 4 ft. 10 in., second; A. C. Taylor, Company K (4 inches), 4 ft. 9 in., third.

One mile bicycle race (handicap)—Won by G. H. King, Company D (40 yards); J. S. Hillen, Company C (60 yards), second; P. B. McCahill, Company I (20 yards), third. Time—2:44. The winner was protested. Won by three lengths; half a length between second and third. was protested.

Two hundred and twenty yard run (handicap)—Won by A. C. Taylor, Company K (12 yards); C. W. Boynton, Company K (5 yards), second; W. Van Nostrand, Company B (9 yards), third. Time—0:26⅘. Won by a yard; half a yard between second and third.

One mile run (handicap)—Won by H. Robing, Company D (175 yards); A. M. Weller, Company B (130 yards), second; L. Kneissl, Company C (125 yards), third. Time—4:57⅘. Won easily.

Putting sixteen-pound shot (handicap)—Won by Percy Moore, Company C (5 feet), 30 feet; J. N. Disbrow, Company G (5 feet), 29 ft. 3 in., second; P. Hatton, Company B (2 feet), 31 ft. 8 in. Hatton broke the armory record.

Three legged race (scratch)—Won by O. J. Ott and W. P. Hubschmitt, Company I; W. N. Sherer and W. J. Scott, Company B, second; R. J. Baumann and C. H. Briner, Company K, third. Time—0:09⅘.

Fifty yard sack race (handicap)—Won by O. J. Ott, Company I (scratch); Percy Moore, Company C (5 feet). Time—0:08⅘.

Three mile bicycle race (handicap)—Won by G. H. King, Company D (190 yards); A. Smith, Company C (120 yards), second; J. S. Hellen, Company C (170 yards), third. Time—8:42⅘. Won by half a mile. King was protested.

SHOOTING.

MATCH AT MATAWAN.

Matawan, N. J., Dec. 9 (Special).—There was splendid sport at the grounds of the Midway Shooting Association here to-day. The main event was a match for a purse of $200 between William Perrine, of Keansburg, and J. H. Brouse, of Perth Amboy. The conditions of the match were that each man was to shoot at thirty-five birds, thirty yards rise, under the rules of the American Shooting Association. Brouse won by one bird, after an exciting contest, gathering twenty-eight birds out of his thirty-five shots, while Perrine killed twenty-seven. The men were on an even footing when the last round was called. Perrine hit his bird hard, but it fell out of bounds, while Brouse killed. After the match two sweepstakes were shot off.

THOROUGHBREDS SENT OUT OF KENTUCKY

Lexington, Ky., Dec. 9 (Special).—O. H. Chenault, secretary and treasurer of the American Breeders' Association, to-day shipped to Ferguson & Walker, Atlanta, Ga., forty-five head of thoroughbred broodmares, which are to be disposed of in the Southern markets, shorn of pedigrees. These are the last of the lot of seventy-one head bought here at the recent sales. One carload was sold to Sells Brothers' circus, one carload of fillies was sold to Dr. R. W. Bragg, of Hot Springs, Ark., and six head, to be sent to England for hunters, were sold to Harry Croker, of Crawfordsville, Ind.

W. O. Scully, now training for Gideon & Daly, has shipped to New-York several carloads of thoroughbreds this week. One car came from Gallatin, Tenn. Scully bought of Milton Young the twelve-year-old brood mare Fairy Queen, by Sensation, dam imported Ocean Queen, by imported Prince Charley. Colonel Young has also sold to Eastern parties the ten-year-old broodmare Invermay, by imported Mortimer, dam Invermore, dam of Thistle, Ganloy and Inverwick, by Lexington. The Klepper, owned by W. T. Coulter, died at La Belle Farm last week. The Klepper and his trainer, Kelly, were ruled off last spring and have been here since.

Lady Agnes, W. C. Whitney's $10,000 mare, has slipped twins at La Belle Farm, by imported Pirate of Penzance.

HARNESS RACING.

THE BOARD OF REVIEW SUSPENDS THE LOUISVILLE ASSOCIATION—NEW-YORK SESSIONS ENDED.

The Board of Review of the National Trotting Association ended its labors yesterday afternoon at the Murray Hill Hotel and adjourned to meet again in Chicago next spring. One of the last acts of the turf tribunal was to elect a new member of the Board from California. The man chosen was J. F. Fitzpatrick, a well known horseman of the sunny slope.

As on all but one of the previous days of the meeting the members of the Board spent most of their time yesterday considering unimportant cases. One of their decisions, however, is likely to create a big stir in the trotting horse world, as it concerns the officials of one of the leading driving clubs in the Great Western Circuit. In 1898, the judges of the Louisville meeting fined three well known drivers for laying up heats in the race for the $5,000 Douglas Purse. W. W. Foote, the driver of the sensational young trotter John Nolan (2:08), was fined $500; George W. Saunders, the driver of Mattie Patterson, (2:09½), was fined $100, and Fred Keyes, the driver of Cavacalla (2:10), was fined $50. A few days afterward the Louisville officials decided to remit all these penalties, and they were not collected.

This action was in direct violation of the National Trotting Association code, which provides that the judges of a race have no power to remit or modify fines once imposed. When the record books and accounts of the Louisville association came to Hartford after the meeting Secretary Gocher brought to the attention of the Board of Review the fact that the Kentucky organization was in default. The Board accordingly ordered that President J. J. Douglas and Secretary Frank Kenney report the fines against Foote, Saunders and Keyes and remit the amount of the same to the treasurer of the National Trotting Association. This order was ignored by the Louisville officials, who went on and held their meeting in 1899 without reporting or collecting the fines. When the case came up for review yesterday the Board imposed a fine of $650 against President Douglas, Secretary Kenney and all the other officers of the Louisville association. Then, to make the decision more binding, they suspended the association and all its officers until the fine shall be paid and until the fines against Foote, Saunders and Keyes shall be reported and paid. This action will put the Louisville association out of business unless the ruling of the Board is complied with.

Another fine of $100 was levied against the Louisville association yesterday for violating Section 4 of Rule 51, which provides that no person under suspension shall be permitted to drive on a National track. It appears that the noted reinsman, Andy McDowell, who drove Alix to her champion record of 2:03¾, was suspended for unpaid entrance fees at the New-York Grand Circuit meeting last September. Secretary Kenney of the Louisville association was informed of the penalty imposed against McDowell, yet the reinsman was permitted to drive in a race at Louisville a few weeks afterward. The Board charged up $50 more against McDowell for his part in the affair.

The man who drove Alix, Azote, Directly and other star trotters and pacers is in hot water in the horse world at present. At the meeting of the Board of Appeals of the American Trotting Association in Chicago this week, McDowell was fined $250 for driving while under suspension, and was further held for the return of $800 unlawfully won by the trotting mare Fanny Putnam while in his stable. As there is a reciprocal arrangement between the National Trotting Association and the American Trotting Association, whereby each association recognizes and collects fines imposed by the other, McDowell will have to settle with the Western turf tribunal before he can drive again on any of the prominent tracks. The facts of the Fanny Putnam case show a hard state of affairs for McDowell.

The mare was sent to him by her owner in California to train and campaign on shares last year. She was represented to be without a public record, and McDowell accordingly entered her extensively in races for 3:00 trotters. He started her at Denver, Dubuque, Independence and other Western meetings in 1898, winning $800. After the season was over some one discovered that Fanny Putnam had gained a record of 2:29 in a race at Victoria, B. C., before she was sent to McDowell to campaign. Her trainer made the common mistake of entering her everywhere in his own name, and failing to state that she belonged to another horseman. If he had stated her owner's name in entering her the owner alone would have had to answer for starting her out of her class, and McDowell would have come off without fine or suspension or the necessity of returning the unlawful winnings. But, having entered her in his own name, the Board could do nothing less than hold him for the money she had won.

THE RACETRACK.

New-Orleans, Dec. 9.—The Palmetto Handicap at a mile and a sixteenth, valued at $1,000, was the event of to-day's card. Duke of Middleburg was the favorite in the betting, and in two or three strides more would have won the prize. As it was he faltered, and Eva Rice, who had made most of the running, lasted just long enough to beat him out by a short neck. Lady Callahan, who was figured to have a chance, was left at the post, and Benneville, another likely candidate, was anchored. J. Lucille and Colonel Cluke were the only winning favorites. Mizpah, the winner of the Inaugural Handicap, broke down at exercise this morning and will be retired for the winter. Weather cloudy; track heavy. Summaries:

First race (six furlongs)—J. Lucille, 99 (Boland), 7 to 10 and out, won; Havelock, 113 (McCann), 7 to 2 and even, second; Swamp Angel, 109 (Michaels), 10 to 1, third. Time—1:20¾.

Second race (selling; five and a half furlongs)—Maple Maree, 103 (Mitchell), 5 to 1 and 2 to 1, won driving by a length; Belle of Orleans, 105 (Boland), 7 to 5 and 3 to 5, second; Water Bottle, 100 (Moody), 12 to 1, third. Time—1:12½.

Third race (selling; mile and a half)—Our Nellie, 94 (Slack), 3 to 1 and even, won easily; Jackanapes, 102 (Boland), 4 to 1 and 7 to 5, second; George Lee, 109 (Shepard), 6 to 5, third. Time—2:45.

Fourth race (Palmetto Handicap; mile and a sixteenth)—Eva Rice, 95 (Wedderstrand), 12 to 1 and 4 to 1, won by a neck; Duke of Middleburg, 7 to 5 and 3 to 5, second; Laureate, 102 (Dupee), 5 to 1, third. Time—1:53½.

Fifth race (selling; one mile)—Colonel Cluke, 101 (Harshberger), 2 to 1 and 4 to 5, won easily by a length and a half; Acushla, 102 (Boland), 5 to 2 and even, second; Frank McConnell, 101 (L. Thompson), 6 to 1 and 2 to 1, third. Time—1:46¼.

A LARGE IMPORTATION.

The steamer Friesland, which reached port last week, brought 2,225 cases of G. H. Mumm & Co's Extra Dry, thereby bringing the total import of this brand since January 1 up to 100,000 cases, the largest importation ever reached by any brand.

A CHANGE AT KOSTER & BIAL'S.

Changes in the management of Koster & Bial's Music Hall are so frequent that the actors scarcely know to whom to look for their pay. They have always got their pay from somebody, however, thus far. Another change was announced last night. William A. Brady said that he was about to retire from the management of the house. He has been manager for only a few weeks, but within that time the ownership of the lease has practically changed hands. The lease is now owned by the Robert Biel Syndicate, which originally consisted criefly of Robert Biel. The other day Mr. Biel sold out his interest and started for Alaska, where it is said that he owns even more notable gold mines than Koster & Bial's. The chief owner now is Simon Dessau, and he will probably keep the management of the house for the present chiefly in his own hands.

MAY BE TIEUP ON D., L. AND W.

MEETING OF THE TRAINMEN TO BE HELD TO-DAY—CHIEF ARTHUR SAID TO HAVE BEEN SUMMONED.

Scranton, Penn., Dec. 9 (Special).—A tieup of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad system from New-York to Buffalo is imminent, and the question of strike or no strike will be settled at a meeting to be held in this city to-morrow. Two weeks ago the Grievance Committee of the engineers met here and formulated their grievances, which were presented to General Superintendent Russell at the office last Tuesday. As soon as the engineers had finished the firemen called on Mr. Russell, and they were quickly followed by the trainmen.

None of the various committeemen would say whether they were satisfied with the result of the conferences or not, but from their looks it was argued that matters were not all right. This has been proved, for a general meeting of the three lodges has been called for to-morrow, when the members of the committees will make their reports and decisive action will be taken.

Officials of the road have quietly dropped into town the last few days, and have conferred among themselves over the existing state of affairs, and it looks as if all concerned in the management of the system were considerably worried. It is said that the engineers have summoned Chief Arthur, with a view to having his counsel on the matter in hand.

EMPLOYMENT AGENTS ARRESTED.

FOUR MEN CHARGED WITH OBTAINING MONEY UNDER FALSE PRETENCES.

Two men, one more than seventy years old and the other twenty-six years old, were arraigned in the Jefferson Market Police Court yesterday and held in $1,000 bail each on a charge of obtaining money under false pretences. The old man was known to the police as J. King Potter and J. M. Johnson and the young man as Edward Farrell. They refused to tell where they lived. They were arrested in a hotel in this city on Friday night through the efforts of the Central Detective Bureau, which arranged for a meeting between the men and a man employed by a cereal company, who, it was hoped, would secure evidence against them.

The men met as was agreed, but the police, although they succeeded in arresting Potter and Farrell, were unable to catch them with marked bills in their possession owing to precipitate action on the part of the employe of the cereal company.

The employe was to give to Potter and Farrell the marked bills, but as the marked money did not change hands, they were held yesterday on the complaint of Andrew S. Coriell, a grocer of Bound Brook, N. J. According to Coriell, his son, Andrew S. Coriell, jr., met Potter in this city in answer to an advertisement. Potter had previously agreed to employ Mr. Coriell, jr., if he received $25. The complainant alleged that Potter received the money, but failed to keep his promise. Coriell, sr., identified both prisoners. He averred that the advertisement which he answered said that the advertiser was in the employ of a man in charge of the agents of the Cereal Company and that the agents were required to deposit a certain sum of money, as money for their expenses was advanced to them.

In one case a person from whom a reply was received was asked, the police say, to forward the necessary deposit, as he had been appointed an agent of the company. Instead of sending the money the person called the attention of the police to the matter, and the arrest of the men followed.

Thomas S. Patterson, said to be the manager of the Mutual Employment Agency, at No. 693 Sixth-ave, and George Schaeffer, of the New-York Employment Agency, at No. 626 Sixth-ave., were arraigned before Magistrate Mayo, in Jefferson Market Police Court, yesterday, charged with receiving money on the pretence that they had places for those paying the money. They were both paroled to appear for examination on the charge to-morrow.

A NEWARK SCHOOL PRINCIPAL STRICKEN.

George O. F. Taylor, principal of the Central-ave. public school, was seized with an attack of apoplexy just before school closed Friday. The attending physicians yesterday announced that Mr. Taylor's illness was fatal. Mr. Taylor is one of the oldest educators in this city. He has been in charge of the Central-ave. school more than a quarter of a century.

HOLLAND SOCIETY ENTERTAINMENT.

The thirty-sixth annual entertainment and ball of the Holland Society was held last evening at Mannerchor Hall, No. 203 East Fifty-