ALONG THE JERSEY COAST.

THE MONMOUTH COUNTY HORSE SHOW—MILITARY TOURNAMENT AT LONG BRANCH.

Long Branch, N. J., July 27 (Special).—The eighth annual exhibition of the Monmouth County Horse Show ended to-night in a blaze of glory. Four hundred entries and the largest attendance in the history of the exhibition is the record. Horse shows by electric light are not an innovation at Hollywood. They have been in vogue for several years, and so popular have they become that it would be next to an impossibility to have a successful exhibition without this feature.

There was not a hitch in the show from start to finish, the fifty-three classes being judged within the time limit, to the satisfaction of all.

There was a good representation from all the resorts along the North Jersey coast. Summer visitors were present from the picturesque Highlands on the north to Point Pleasant on the south. Then, too, New-York and Philadelphia contributed their quota, friends of the exhibitors from both cities being present in large numbers.

The prize money was well distributed. Since the death of Mr. Bates, who generally got most of the blue ribbons, the cottagers have taken greater interest in the show. Not that they disliked Mr. Bates and his entries—for no winner got more applause than he—but mainly because there has since been a better distribution, which has created more interest among the cottagers.

To-morrow will be a great day at Long Branch. The horse will still be king, the blue ribbon winners, of course, having the right of way. There will be room, too, for those who took minor prizes as well, for after the judges rendered their decision those who lost submitted to the will of the majority and applauded the blue ribbon winners. No one is disappointed in the result of the eighth annual horse show, except, perhaps, the overanxious exhibitor who thought that he ought to have won several prizes which some one else captured, and the fair maiden who would like to see an exhibition every day for the remainder of the season.

After the horse show there is generally a lull, but those who guide affairs in Long Branch do not intend to rest this season. With several good meets in sight at Elkwood Park, under the management of the Gentlemen's Driving and Field Club, together with the military tournament at Hollywood in about three weeks, there will be something to attract visitors each week until the season ends.

There is a disposition on the part of the managers of the military tournament—who, by the way, are none other than the same ones who are successfully manipulating the horse show and Elkwood Park—to make the first tournament of the century a greater success than any before. To do this means the hardest kind of work, but when P. J. Casey, W. E. Hildreth, Colonel Thomas J. O'Donohue and a few others are working together great things are generally accomplished.

The tournament, like the horse show, has come to stay, and the public can rest assured that when the programme is completed this year it will include the best that can be procured in that particular line.

Aside from the horse show, there has been but little in a social way at Long Branch. Last night a horse show fête was given at the Hollywood Hotel. R. Graham Woodward had charge.

At the Scarboro Hotel the women of the Helping Hand Society gave a bazaar on Thursday night. A number of the summer cottagers were patronesses, and a neat sum was realized.

The concerts at the West End Hotel continue to attract. This is one of the best seasons in the history of the hotel, as many as eight hundred guests being registered this week.

Norwood Park has been a trifle slow this week. Aside from the weekly dance at the Casino to-night, there has been nothing in a social way.

Elberon, too, has been quiet. The sale of the H. Victor Newcomb property, in Ocean-ave., to A. G. Bloomingdale, of New-York, was reported early in the week.

All of the hotels held their usual Saturday night "hops" this evening. The dance for little folks was held between 8 and 9 o'clock, after which the older folks held sway.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Edwards will start next week for a trip to Duluth, Wis. They will be absent a couple of weeks.

The Rev. Thomas S. Hammond, pastor of the Asbury Methodist Episcopal Church, North Long Branch, will fill his pulpit to-morrow, after an absence of six weeks in Europe. Mr. Hammond spent most of his time abroad visiting his parents, at Staffordshire, England.

The Rev. J. F. Shaw and Christian Brehm, of Long Branch, accompanied by Loren Holdridge, of Trenton, will leave next week for a European trip.

Mr. and Mrs. G. De Witt Seymour are on a two weeks' trip to the Thousand Islands.

Mrs. William D. Harper, of Norwood Park, is spending the week in New-Hampshire.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson A. Flock, of New-York, are guests of Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Booth at their Ocean-ave. cottage.

Among the late hotel arrivals are:

Elberon Hotel—J. T. A. Clark, George H. Cornish, A. Morgan Olcott, Albert Gould Jennings, E. W. White and James A. Farley, of New-York.

Scarboro Hotel—Miss Kahn, Mr. and Mrs. H. Kaim, Master Kaim, W. J. Hirschfeld and Albert M. Oberfelder, of New-York, and A. W. Patterson and Herman M. Bauer, of Elizabeth.

Brighton Hotel—Otto H. Dodge, J. H. Callahan, J. J. Harold and P. J. O'Donohue, of New-York; Harvey S. Smith, of Utica, N. Y.; L. J. Karroll, of Syracuse; J. J. M. Donnell, of Buffalo, and G. P. Hanrahan, of New-York.

Hollywood Hotel—Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Watchsmith, of Chicago; Edward Long, of Wilkesbarre, Penn.; A. Frankenthal, E. Galentine and Miss Amelia L. Brunhill, of New-York.

THE WEEK AT SEABRIGHT.

Seabright, N. J., July 27 (Special).—There was much gayety at Seabright and Monmouth Beach this week, despite the great attraction at Hollywood—the horse show. Both resorts contributed their quota toward making the Hollywood exhibition a success. The coach Reliance, which has been running between Seabright and Deal since July 1, begun making daily trips on Thursday to the horse show at Hollywood. The coach was kept on the go night and day, and even at that it was too small to accommodate all who wanted to go.

Normandie is having a most successful season. General Earle's resort has a number of crack bowlers, who spend a portion of each day knocking down tenpins. Bathing, too, is a feature at Normandie.

At Monmouth Beach tennis is being revived, although golf is just as popular as ever. The new clubhouse, which was opened on July 1, will be the scene of an elaborate dinner within the next two weeks. Already definite plans looking toward the affair, which will be styled a "housewarming," are well under way.

The song recital at the home of Mrs. William Nelson Cromwell, at Low Moor, on Thursday, and the concert at the Country Club at Monmouth Beach, on Wednesday, attracted many cottagers at Monmouth and Seabright. They were the only two social affairs of the week, aside from the dances held to-night. The Country Club management has arranged to have an orchestra of thirty-five pieces present on the fifth concert of the series, which will be held on Thursday, August 8.

A luncheon was given on Wednesday by Mrs. T. Pearsall Field at her home, on the Rumson Bluff. The luncheon was given in honor of Miss Waldo, of New-York. The guests present were Mrs. Chappell, Mrs. Henry W. Payne, Mrs. Wilbur Bloodgood, Mrs. Crompton, Mrs. De Grove, Mrs. Seamans and Miss Waldo.

AT THE HOTEL NORMANDIE-BY-THE-SEA.

For the last week festivities and various amusements have claimed the attention of the many guests at Hotel Normandie-by-the-Sea, and an air of unusual gayety has been everywhere apparent. Sailing and launch parties, euchres, dances, straw rides, entertainments and outdoor sports have been the order of the day. A new fad of bathing by moonlight has become all the rage here, and the scene presented each night is extremely picturesque. Former Senator David B. Hill will again be down at The Barracks during the latter part of the week as the guest of General and Mrs. Ferdinand P. Earle.

Among the guests during the last week have been Count and Countess Philip Reutersward, Colonel William C. Church, of "The Army and Navy Journal," and Mrs. Church, Captain and Mrs. George W. Burr, Baron Fredricks, Miss Edith Thain, Dr. Henrietta C. Keatinge, Captain E. Snyder, Dr. Charles W. Allen, H. O. Bates and son, Willis Brown, F. A. Crandall, Mr. and Mrs. Wallerstein, R. E. Wespal, W. A. Gallen Kemp and E. S. Parlew.

ON THE BEACH AT LONG BRANCH.

Long Branch, N. J., July 27 (Special).—The last week has been one of the busiest and most active in the annals of the West End Hotel. The differing events brought out the most representative elements of the Long Branch summer community, and the verandas were crowded with pleasure seekers.

The climax of the week's round of gayety was, of course, the horse show. It was the most elaborate and successful affair ever held at Long Branch, and nothing ever surpassed it.

Now that these excitements are over, new ones are coming. The interest which is manifested in the annual fête, "Bal Champêtre" of the West End Hotel, which will take place on August 8 on the lawn of the hotel, is very great. New features will be added to the entertainment, one of which will be an orchestra of fifty members of the Metropolitan Opera House. A large platform will be built for dancing purposes, and a large amount of money has been expended for decorations and other features of the show.

Another event eliciting much interest is the military tournament, which this year promises new and attractive features, and, according to the promoters of the entertainment, will be brought out on a larger scale than ever before.

Bathing is still in vogue. The bath is usually taken in the morning, after breakfast, and fills the entire forenoon. There are always large numbers of onlookers watching the agile bathers and admiring the handsome bathing costumes.

The sacred concerts given on Sunday evenings by Nahan Franko's orchestra have listeners by thousands. They come from all along the Jersey coast for this occasion, and fill every nook and corner of the spacious verandas.

Among the recent arrivals are J. H. Stark, Edward Davis, Mrs. A. E. Woolf, Joseph Turner, Walter Untermeyer, Alfred C. Marks, W. H. Nordlinger, Louis Simon, Mrs. M. Baumgarten, P. H. Stern, A. Graves, Samuel Brill, Mr. and Mrs. L. Prince, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Maxwell, Samuel Kreiser, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Proctor, G. H. Sherman, R. B. Comstock, H. Hartsell, C. L. Scott, Mr. and Mrs. H. Thompson, T. B. Barry, Benjamin Harsley, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hochster, of New-York, and Henry Cogswall, of Brooklyn.

ON ASBURY PARK'S BEACH.

DEMAND FOR BATHING FACILITIES CAN SCARCELY BE MET—HOTELS CROWDED.

Asbury Park, July 27 (Special).—With the exception of Thursday, when the northeast wind caused the thermometers to fall thirty degrees, and guests had to don heavy wraps when on the beach, the weather for the last week has been all that could be desired for an enjoyable outing at the seashore. The sea bathing was never better and the bathing establishments have been taxed to provide accommodations for all who desired to take a dip. Fishing, too, has improved of late, so there has been no end of enjoyment for the cottagers and hotel guests.

The arrivals this week broke all former July records. From Monday morning until late this evening there has been a steady tide of travel, and consequently there are few vacant rooms at the big hotels on the shore front. This means that the popular resorts will be crowded to the limit from now until September, a satisfactory condition of affairs for the hotel men who, earlier this month, were discouraged over the poor prospects then prevailing for a successful summer.

THE BABY PARADE.

The committee having in charge the baby parade, which is scheduled for the afternoon of Wednesday, August 21, decided this week to divide the prizes into ten classes. Thirty-five prizes, each valued at not less than $25, have thus far been offered for the best decorated coaches, go-carts, express wagons, doll coaches, pony turnouts, floats, novelties, etc. Prizes will also be given for the best representation of child life and costume in any foreign country, for babies under two years of age from the greatest distance and for twins, triplets and quadruplets making the best appearance.

The annual boat carnival on Wesley Lake will be held on the evening of American Day—Thursday, August 15. The boat boys are at work designing decorations for their craft, for prizes will be offered to the owners of the best decorated boats.

The meetings in the beach Auditorium to-morrow will be conducted by the Salvation Army. General Booth-Tucker, together with his staff and headquarters brass band, will attend the three services.

The encampment of the New-Jersey National Guard at Sea Girt and the horse show at Hollywood have attracted the cottagers and hotel guests from this vicinity this week and helped vary the monotony of seashore life.

Register Isaac Fromme and Thomas F. Smith, Croker's secretary, together with other lesser lights of Tammany, are making the Coleman House their headquarters this summer, and every Saturday evening the braves get together and make plans for the coming Mayoralty fight in the metropolis.

The good roads in and about Asbury Park have induced hundreds of owners of automobiles to come here. Every afternoon the boulevard between here and Long Branch is alive with the horseless vehicles and sprints are of frequent occurrence.

TEMPERANCE ADVOCATES AT OCEAN GROVE

Cold water advocates from New-Jersey and New-York have been in charge of most of the meetings held this week in Ocean Grove, and the reformers will also have charge of the services to-morrow. Yesterday the National Temperance Society opened fire on King Alcohol, and the battle will be kept up until to-morrow evening, when Major-General Joseph Wheeler, of Alabama, will deliver an address in the Auditorium. His theme will be "The American Soldier and His Needs." General Wheeler has never visited Ocean Grove before, and the association officials are preparing to give him a hearty reception. The anniversary sermon of the National Temperance Society will be preached to-morrow morning by the Rev. Dr. James B. Dunn, of New-York City, the general secretary of the organization.

Memorial services in honor of the residents and friends of Ocean Grove who have died in the last year will be held on Monday afternoon in the Tabernacle. Bishop FitzGerald will preside, and brief eulogies will be made by the officials of the Camp Meeting Association and visiting ministers. At dusk on the same day the anniversary of Ocean Grove will be observed. President FitzGerald and his colleagues of the association will gather around the memorial vase in Thompson Park, which marks the spot where the first religious service was held in 1869, and hold a prayer meeting in commemoration of the event.

The Summer School of Theology will open next Tuesday for a ten days' session. The school this year will be in charge of Bishop FitzGerald. Lectures will be delivered morning and afternoon by well known ministers, and there will be a popular entertainment every evening while the school is in session, concluding with the children's musical festival on the evening of Thursday, August 8.

THOSE AT THE HOTELS.

The arrivals at the prominent hotels from New-York City and its vicinity include:

Hotel Brunswick—W. H. Furman, Miss Furman, L. N. Carter, H. I. Shedden, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Butler, Mr. and Mrs. E. Morris, W. W. Johnson, Charles Myers, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Cohen, Joseph Jones, George L. Abry, W. L. Walker, Miss Rebecca Spaulding, S. S. Spaulding, A. B. Hardy, Theodore E. Fitzgerald, T. Pendor, jr., M. J. Kelly, Mr. and Mrs. James E. Saunders, Mrs. L. B. Pritchard, Louis D. Bedford, Elmo L. Gridley, J. M. Keen, H. C. Pearson, Vail Cliff, Chester Bellows, Miss J. F. Foley, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Rolls, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Sniffin, George J. Carlyle, William I. Innis, Gustave Strassburger, Mr. and Mrs. Peter A. Sharpless, Walter Sharpless, Mr. and Mrs. John E. Dager, Miss Laura Deemer, Mrs. H. S. Spearman, Mr. and Mrs. K. V. Ivison, Miss Viti Ivison, Miss Grace Thompson, David J. Burris, W. J. Dean, Miss L. E. Burt, H. B. Stanford, Dr. A. M. Spalding, Mr. and Mrs. John Weber, C. G. Darby, John A. Adams, O. A. Dennis, Charles Keary, Miss Keary, H. W. Cook, E. A. White, Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Printz, Thomas B. Lukens, George Lukens, W. S. Russell, E. S. Green, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Williams, F. B. Gorsuch, K. V. Thayer and Miss Sara Anderson.

Coleman House—Miss Carruth, G. Nagasaki, J. S. McDonald, Mrs. McDonald, Henry W. Grady, jr., Mr. and Mrs. William Jackson, Dr. Edward H. Moses, Miss Adele Ritchie, Mrs. A. Martines, Mrs. H. M. Smith, Miss Mutter, Miss De Camp, Miss Lawrence Merrill, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Osterhoudt, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Osterhoudt, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Soop, Miss Hazel Osterhoudt, James J. Child, Dudley Child, Mrs. James Child, Miss Grace A. Child, Miss Mildred Child, William S. Reed, Edgar D. Pitskie, F. Rodgers Forman, Raymond F. Wade, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Kendall, George W. Allen, A. L. Webster, Floyd Vail, R. J. Seabury, Miss Bennett, Charles Biggs, Mrs. Biggs, J. E. Mitchell, Edward Eppel, John Balken, R. S. Woodward, sr., D. S. Hudson, H. G. Cooper, Mrs. Cooper, Miss Lillian L. Cooper, H. M. Runyon, D. Turner Day, A. Y. Whitman, Carlos Fontes, Y. Sterling, Mrs. C. Fontes, Charles A. Pratt, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hayes, Mrs. Judith Whittier, Henry Bell, Miss Adelaide Edgecomb, R. J. Kilbourne, S. B. Illingworth, Mrs. Margaret Brown, Miss Christine Brown, W. H. Preston, Mrs. H. Andrews, P. F. Corowoister, D. Edward Close, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Keep, Mr. and Mrs. George Reuter, jr., Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Reuter, Joseph M. Biggert, G. F. Taller, J. W. Colman, Miss G. G. Rovillia, Miss Theodore Wilbous, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Chace, Spencer Goble, Miss V. Steinberger, Mr. and Mrs. Willis B. Troy, Creswell McLaughlin, A. H. Gallagher, Thomas F. Smith, Miss Mary J. Smith, Miss Claire Smith, Miss S. J. Devonshire, C. N. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Barker, George W. J. Helick, Miss L. F. Clarkson, Mr. and Mrs. John Tully, M. O'Brien, Mrs. M. E. Tucker, Miss Kirby, Miss Hatch, Mrs. M. Leroy, Mrs. Nicholas J. Cosgrove, T. J. Barrett, Miss Wilson, A. A. Brennan, Miss G. Hammond, W. J. Stearns, W. E. McCord, Dr. Aspinwall Judd, Mr. and Mrs. T. Vinton Murphy, Stephen Pierson, Miss Laura H. Pierson, Miss Browne, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Wenig.

Hotel Columbia—P. C. Murray, T. H. Rowe, William S. Bredin, Arthur Woodman, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas, Miss A. M. Thomas, Mrs. F. Pells, C. H. Leubbers, C. L. Alger, Mrs. A. S. Evans, Mrs. H. L. Kirby, Mrs. E. Mulsey, H. E. Thompson, John Fagan, John Wicks, L. Behr, S. H. Campbell, Miss Walls, Mr. and Mrs. F. K. Gulack, G. Schumacher, Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Van Barr, E. C. Greason, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Weigel, Miss Mildred Weigel, Miss Katharine D. Weigel, Mrs. Alma M. Frost, M. Solomon, Cora Manberne, Mrs. L. V. Gebhard, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Hammond, C. A. Addern, W. J. Evans, George W. Munroe, Dr. George A. McLaughlin, Miss Louise Deshler, Robert E. Ross, Mr. and Mrs. Lawwood, jr., Theodore Seymour, S. Sparks, Miss Sparks, Mrs. S. Sparks, Horace Seer, jr., Louis H. Wilson, John L. Weeks, S. H. Campbell, Miss Walls, S. H. Rowe, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Valentine, R. J. Walker, G. Schumacher, J. F. Riley, Mrs. Alford Collins, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lelong, P. J. Horron, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Schermorr and J. F. McNamara.

Berwin—Frank Woods, A. J. Oliver, J. W. Morrison, jr., H. C. Graves, Edward W. George, Mrs. Walter Butler, Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Clayton, C. B. Poor, Miss Poor, Mrs. Morris Ketcham, Miss Louise Ketcham and Miss M. Brokaw.

Madison—Miss Cecelia Gallagher, Miss Adelaide Vance, C. F. Tucker, M. Tully, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Walee, William E. Walee, F. N. Hedden, J. D. Abby, W. S. Douglass, Arthur Brooks, Eugene E. Crane, R. P. M. Eagles, J. A. Boyle, C. E. Frank, Catherine Snyder, Louise Snyder, Katherina Snyder, Mrs. F. C. Lumins, Mrs. Eugene E. Crane, Mrs. A. M. Fleming, Miss Edyth M. Fleming, Miss Gertrude Blake, Miss Jennie J. Cunningham, Miss Katherine Cummingham, Mrs. C. M. Bowman, Miss Gertrude Bowman, Wilbur Bowman, Miss Mildred Bowman.

Surf House—C. V. Mayers, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Culver, Mrs. Mary Hayes, Miss S. Hayes, John Reid, H. W. Hopper, J. B. Robinson, Mrs. J. N. Joralemon, F. B. Porter, Miss J. Porter, Miss M. Porter, Benjamin Cochran, Edward Tindell, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Pickford, William S. Meeker, Irene R. Meeker, Mr. and Mrs. George Rittinger, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis F. Dugan, Miss C. De Blanc, Miss L. De Blanc, William S. Sieger and Mr. and Mrs. William A. Dunnam.

Sunset Hall—Mrs. R. Leopold, Juliet Leopold, Harry P. Belsinger, Mrs. J. J. McCormick, Miss A. McCormick, Vincent McCormick, Herman A. Heydt, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hamberger, J. W. Megibben, W. L. Fairchild, Miss Leopold, James H. Wyncopp, C. A. O'Malley, G. H. Tice, Herbert Wolff, Samuel Katy, N. Wolff, H. M. Leslie, M. T. Holste, P. F. Nash, H. P. Thurston, Edgar Archer, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mullenbach, P. H. Kearney, J. P. Noonan, T. W. Douglass, Eugene J. O'Keefe, James H. White, A. G. Batchelder, Mrs. Fannie L. Butler, Edward V. McGoldrick, Mrs. T. G. O'Keefe, Thomas A. O'Keefe, Angela O'Keefe, Eleanor O'Keefe, James F. Moore, John N. Moore, Harry N. Moore, E. P. Dunn, Edward Maher, Owen McCabe, H. L. Hawkins, J. W. Kelly, G. L. McCabe, Clarence S. Jackson, Miss S. Konert, Miss R. Fisher, Miss Theresa Barton, P. H. Sheridan, Miss Sheridan, John C. Whitmore, John P. Wall, W. F. Ware, Joseph E. Bryce, Mrs. S. Ford, Mrs. Leo Shenfield, Miss Talley, Miss Irene Talley, Mrs. Frederick Jones Lowrey, Miss Lowrey, Miss Gwendoline Lowrey, Mrs. H. Kelly, Miss Lydia Kelly, Miss Geraldine Kelly, Miss Anna Kelly, Susan V. Dolan, Mrs. E. F. Williams, F. D. W. Searing, John Walsh, Mrs. L. Underhill, Walter W. Wilsey, Joseph R. Donahue, P. Nash, J. J. Cunningham, George Kenny, Mrs. H. Sandeberg, Millard F. Jackson, jr., Miss Mary Dwyer, Mrs. T. H. Kennaly, Miss Nellie Brown, Miss Dolan, Mrs. Philip Dolan, P. J. Dolan, Mrs. A. Randegger, Miss Lilly Randegger, John Noonan, Mrs. J. Noonan, Miss Josephine J. Noonan, Miss Agnes K. Noonan, Mrs. T. Noonan, Miss Mamie O'Brien, William J. Noonan, Mrs. K. Mullenback, F. V. Connor, William A. Koch and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Walsh.

Hotel Monmouth—Francis Huelle, S. A. Cohn, Maud Manuel, W. Powers, R. C. Thayer, F. M. Wheeler, C. G. Thompson, W. F. Bryon, Mrs. C. G. Thompson, Mrs. Lithier, the Misses Lithier, Mrs. P. A. Luttgen, Miss Madeline Luttgen, W. Frank Luttgen, G. J. Wolffe, Peter Schenck, Carl J. Metzler, E. J. Carter, L. Lithal, G. S. Thomson, Mr. and Mrs. B. N. Cole, Charles T. Braham, H. W. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Bergen, Mrs. Frederick C. Stockard, Miss Loden, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Wyckoff and Frank P. Evans.

Ocean Hotel—John F. Bowman, Calvin G. Lampe, Burke E. Guilden, J. P. Crouthers, G. A. Pritchard, William R. Rogers, Mrs. George W. Roderick, the Rev. J. C. Chapman, Mrs. Gratz C. Myers, Mr. and Mrs. F. Verholff, Mr. and Mrs. John P. Merchant, William P. Gibson, Mr. and Mrs. B. Konijn, Miss Bertha Konijn, Mrs. Caldwell, L. J. Haines, Louis L. Calvert, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Compton, Miss Vivian Compton, William Carpenter, Miss L. M. Woodruff, Charles Stokes Wayne, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh H. Janeway, J. P. Wood, T. H. Grossmith, William I. Tooley, T. J. Tracey, Jessie Koelheffer, G. N. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Norman, Charles O. Vickers, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Long, C. A. Marshall, Mrs. Anna Conklin, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Conklin, Irving Conklin, John W. Conklin, G. B. Anderson, Mrs. P. H. Sullivan, Miss A. Sullivan, Mrs. M. Durvan, Miss M. Durvan, E. H. Sullivan, W. H. Sullivan, Samuel S. Dayton, S. S. Woody, Miss S. C. Green, Miss Roderick, George S. Taylor, P. B. Haines and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Suter, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Childs, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Cook and Colonel George L. Appleton.

Yorkshire—Miss B. Kelm, Miss Nellie Kelm, Miss J. Rosenthall, Ernest H. Gerlach, Miss Rose M. Baker, Miss Mary V. Henry and Daniel Stewart.

Albion—Charles Doty, B. W. Wolf, jr., John Hess, Miss Vernie M. Elwood, B. B. Riley, M. J. Halpen, George F. Potter, W. Bachellor, Mrs. F. Bently, Charles R. Chute, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Blackledge, Miss Edith E. M. Elmer and John W. Farrier.

CAPE MAY HAS MANY VISITORS.

Cape May, N. J., July 27 (Special).—The height of the summer season at this resort will be reached in another week, and all previous records will be broken. More people have been here than ever before in July, and with the coming of the crowds comes the life of a cosmopolitan summer resort. On every hand there are amusements which the visitors can enjoy because of their diversity. This old resort has long been known for its exclusiveness, and therefore the visitors who come have been of the representative families of the larger cities. This year there has not been much change in the class of visitors, although there have been a few more excursions, but the conservative element seems to have branched out on a new idea and the young people are once more coming to the town. The New-York element has been largely increased over what it has been in former years, and it is active in the social events which take place.

In the early part of the week the bathers were somewhat frightened because of the prevalence of jellyfish in the breakers. This condition, however, has been passed, and the bathing is now as popular as it was before. Never before in the recollection of visitors here has the presence of jellyfish been known, and it is probable that it will be a long time before they bother the bathers again.

On the golf links there has been a continuous round of life all the week.

Henry Austin Adams, formerly rector of the Protestant Episcopal Church of the Redeemer, in Eighty-ninth-st., New-York, and who some years ago became a Roman Catholic, is resting at Cape May, and will deliver a lecture in the Iron Pier Opera House to-morrow for the benefit of St. Mary's Roman Catholic Church.

Lieutenant O. C. McCarteney, U. S. N., and family are spending the remainder of the summer at Cape May.

Commander J. P. S. Lawrence, U. S. N., and bride are spending their honeymoon at the Stockton.

Captain Smedley Darlington Butler, U. S. A., is enjoying a vacation here.

The Right Rev. Courtlandt Whitehead, Bishop of Pittsburg, who has been a guest here for several days, will officiate in St. John's Church to-morrow.

Charles L. Tutt, who owns one of the largest mine properties in Colorado, and who is an excellent wing shot, is occupying a cottage at Cape May for the summer.

Judge Henry Bond, of the Missouri Court of Appeals, and his daughter, Miss Irene, are spending their vacation here.

Judge David T. Marvil, of the Delaware Supreme Court, is a prominent guest.

Judge Henry M. Foote, of the Court of Claims, of Washington, is a late arrival, accompanied by his family.

Senator Joseph C. S. Blackburn, of Kentucky, arrived on Tuesday, accompanied by E. W. Harden.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Cleary, whose home is in East Orange, are guests at a leading hotel.

Senator and Mrs. Charles A. Reed, of Plainfield, N. J., are late arrivals.

State Controller William S. Hancock, of New-Jersey, is here enjoying a short sojourn.

Senator Charles A. Francis, of Monmouth County, N. J., is here for a brief vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Duchemin are spending a short time with cottage friends.

Prominent arrivals from New-York are Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Chandler, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Raynor, Charles H. Garrett, Joseph Doyle, Mrs. William Holmes, jr., Miss Janet Holmes, Miss Grace Quigg Holmes, Mrs. C. F. Phillips, Thomas Hoge, Edward R. Bühler, Mrs. M. Edgar Roberts, Malcolm Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Noye, Mrs. F. L. Clarke, V. C. Cramer, John W. Hallahan, Mr. and Mrs. Edward McMichan, Miss Rosalie McMichan, F. W. Lehr, Miss E. Carruthe, Charles Phillips, Lily Allen, Aurel Batonyi, C. O. Mack, Michael Valenty, E. C. Scott, S. Zorn, Harry Trappart, H. J. Boyden, A. H. Moffatt, F. Reinan, Mr. and Mrs. S. Hall, J. Harry Haslett, S. H. Miller, Mrs. J. Richmond, C. J. Darey.

GOLF AND POLO AT BERNARDSVILLE.

Bernardsville, N. J., July 27 (Special).—Golf and polo furnished ample amusement for the summer colony at Bernardsville in the last week. In the golf tournament about thirty players were in the qualifying rounds. Six now remain to complete the finals, which will be played next week, the finish being deferred because some of the players were obliged to leave here on business trips for a few days. The semi-finals were played on Wednesday, and resulted in Ollive beating Rees, Wilson beating Lockwood and Marzano beating Pratt.

The polo tournament began on Wednesday. The accident to Russell Grace in the first day's play had a somewhat depressing effect on the spirits of the spectators for a time, but the game became unusually exciting, and this soon wore off.

Mr. and Mrs. George Osgood Andrews and family, who have been here several weeks, have gone to Portsmouh, Vt., and will return to Bernardsville late in August.

Among the guests who arrived at the Inn this week are Mr. and Mrs. George Strong, Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Vail, Mrs. Gibbs, Miss Gibbs, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Williams, Dr. C. M. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Black, Mr. and Mrs. Schuyler Skaats Wheeler, Miss Louisa Lee, Miss Ethel Clyde, L. S. Kellogg, R. T. Pierce, Dr. Abbott E. Kittredge, of New-York; Mr. and Mrs. E. Martin Phillippi, Mr. and Mrs. Boylan, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Gleason, of Newark; Miss Milne, of Philadelphia; the Misses Reynolds, George Clockwood, Ernest Gulick and A. J. Nutting, of Brooklyn, and Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Lawrence, of Summit.

NO DUTY PAID ON THIS KITTEN.

There is a Chinese kitten on the tenth floor of the Public Stores, which, although imported, has never paid duty. Some Chinese matting from the steamer Pocasset was being stowed away yesterday for future examination when the kitten tumbled out. There was no old cat in the matting and the workmen marvelled at the kitten's vitality, for its eyes were not yet open.

The visitor was introduced to Minnie, the chief of the tenth floor mousers, and promptly adopted by her. Minnie had already a family of six some days older than the newcomer.

WARNINGS FOR LANDLORDS.

Large bundles of circulars inclosed in envelopes were delivered to each police captain in the various precincts of the city yesterday. These circulars contained the recently enacted tenement house law. The captains were ordered by Commissioner Murphy to see that one circular was placed in the hands of the owner, lessee or agent of each tenement house in his precinct. The policemen who deliver the circulars are ordered to obtain the names and addresses of those to whom the circulars are given, and the situation of the tenement house. This information will be filed by the Po-

ATLANTIC CITY THRONGS.

NO FALLING OFF APPARENT BY REASON OF PAN-AMERICAN EXPOSITION—MINISTER WU IN SURF.

Atlantic City, N. J., July 27 (Special).—The summer rush of vacation visitors continues to increase the floating population of this resort at an astonishing rate. Thousands of newcomers are poured into the place every week, and the throng which gathers on the boardwalk every evening is remarkable in its proportions. The army of amusement seekers who crowd the piers and other popular resorts relieves the strain on the capacity of the great promenade to a slight degree; but even with all these thousands disposed of for an hour or two the walk is nightly crowded with a host of promenaders, who make progress difficult and at times almost impossible.

Not less than twenty thousand additional visitors were brought here by the two railroad companies last Saturday, and the invading army has been increased in a proportionate degree every day. Saturday and Sunday, of course, are the biggest days of the week, and the time has again come when late comers on Saturday are frequently unable to obtain quarters at their favorite hotels. Last Saturday night the limit at a number of the more popular houses was reached, and a large number of would-be guests had to be turned away to seek accommodations elsewhere.

There have been a few persons who insisted upon asserting that the Pan-American Exposition is keeping thousands of visitors away from the shore, but if this is so there must be thousands of others coming to take their places. Proprietor Charles Evans of the Seaside House said this week that in his opinion the present season will be the greatest and most prosperous Atlantic City has ever seen, and "Governor" Evans is one of the best informed men in the city on such subjects. If there is a little less pressure at some of the hotels this year than there was last summer, it is only because the erection of new hostleries and the enlargement of some of the old ones has provided accommodations for many thousands of additional visitors.

VISIT OF MINISTER WU.

Wu-Ting-fang, the Chinese Minister, who came to Atlantic City last Saturday for the purpose of adddessing the Jewish Chautauqua at the Steel Pier on Sunday, and then seized the opportunity to enjoy a few days of coolness and comfort at the shore, was the central figure of interest here this week. This was not Mr. Wu's first visit, he having spent nearly the entire summer here three years ago; but he crowded more into his few days' sojourn this year than in the whole summer of his previous visit.

He enjoyed a democratic ocean bath on Monday, hiring an ordinary bathing suit at one of the numerous bathhouses along the boardwalk, and entering the water like any every day citizen, accompanied only by a few friends. He was soon recognized, however, and held an impromptu reception in the surf. The experience delighted him, until a huge breaker came unexpectedly rolling in, turned him nearly upside down and sent him, with scores of others, tumbling toward the beach. Even this experience was looked upon with complacency, and the next day the representative of the Flowery Kingdom was ready to try the "loop the loop," which is by far the most hair raising and exciting sport among all the amusements provided for visitors. It is said that Mr. Wu upon leaving the car simply remarked: "The more I see of the American people the more I am impressed with their greatness."

But Mr. Wu's address to the Jewish Chautauquans, in which he displayed the same general knowledge of the Jewish religion which he possesses of every subject on which he attempts to speak, was his most important achievement while here. He took occasion, for the first time, to reply to the Philadelphia clergyman who recently had the temerity to question his sincerity and friendship for Americans.

THE JEWISH CHAUTAUQUA.

The Jewish Chautauqua will close its summer assembly to-morrow, after three weeks of daily sessions, which have all been interesting. This year's assembly has been pronounced the most successful in the history of the organization. The attendance has been very large, and the papers and addresses have been of a high order of merit.

Bathing is becoming more popular as the summer advances and the temperature of the water rises, and all the bathhouses are crowded at the noon hour, notwithstanding that the capacity of many of the establishments, like that of the hotels, has been largely increased in the last year or two. A difference is noticed in the bathing suits this year, dark colors being almost universal, and more bathing costumes are evidently made for actual use in the water than for posing on the strand.

The hopes entertained a few months ago that the long delayed paving of Atlantic-ave., the principal business thoroughfare of the resort, would soon be accomplished by an agreement between the city and the trolley company have about fallen to the ground.

The Sunday amusement question is still unsettled. Mayor Stoy this week caused the arrest of several amusement men who persisted in keeping their places open last Sunday in defiance of the orders of the police, but all that could be done was to fine them $1 and costs under an antiquated State law. A city ordinance regulating the matter is needed, and the Mayor has requested the Council to pass a measure of this kind, but nothing has yet been done.

The police authorities are somewhat indignant over reports which have been circulated to the effect that the resort is overrun with pickpockets, thieves and other undesirable personages. As a matter of fact, the city has been singularly clear of professional crooks this year, the petty thievery that has been committed being principally the work of servants and other amateurs. The local police department has the assistance of several of the best detectives from New-York, Philadelphia and other cities, and as soon as a professional crook is spotted, he or she is promptly shipped out of town, under penalty of spending a month or two in the county jail. By this means the complaints of theft are reduced to a minimum.

COCOANUTS COME ASHORE.

Visitors were interested some days ago in thousands of cocoanuts and other tropical dainties which were washed ashore in the lower section of the city. The nuts came from the steamship Ranald, which foundered off this city a few weeks ago, and which is now thought to be breaking up. The wreck is a dangerous obstruction to coastwise navigation, lying directly in the path of the hundreds of coasting steamers and schooners which pass this way, and efforts are being made to have the government blow the vessel up.

The next large organization to assemble here will be the Knights of Columbus, who will come to the shore next Saturday, August 3, for the purpose of celebrating Embarkation Day, the anniversary of the day on which Columbus sailed on his voyage of discovery. Solemn high mass will be celebrated at St. Nicholas's Church in the morning, after which the visiting knights and their friends will be shown about the city by the local members of the order. The evening will be devoted to a reception and dance in the immense ballroom on the Steel Pier.

The interesting discovery was made this