# F. H. BENEDICT'S BODY HERE

## LAPROBE THOUGHT TO HAVE HELD HIM IN AUTOMOBILE AS IT OVERTURNED.

The body of Frederick H. Benedict, who was killed near Central Valley, N. Y., on Saturday afternoon by the overturning of his automobile, was brought from Tuxedo yesterday to his home, No. 6 West Fifty-second-st. It was escorted from Tuxedo to this city by Major J. B. Bellinger, whose wife is a sister of Mr. Benedict. It reached the house about 11 o'clock. When a Tribune reporter called there yesterday afternoon a servant said that E. C. Benedict, the father of the dead man, had been at the house early in the day and had gone to his home, at Greenwich, Conn., saying that he would not return until the day set for the funeral, which will be private. It was also learned that Frederic R. Coudert, father of Mrs. F. H. Benedict, had been at the house earlier in the day and had gone to Oyster Bay.

Mrs. F. H. Benedict was prostrated with grief. She was a guest of Major and Mrs. Bellinger at West Point on Saturday afternoon, and with a number of friends saw the Harvard-West Point football game. She and some of her friends left Tuxedo on Saturday, bound for West Point, in a tally-ho. Two hours later her husband started in his automobile from Tuxedo to the place where the football game was to be played. In his machine, as reported on Sunday, was, besides himself and Grenville Kane, a chauffeur.

Few details of the accident could be learned in this city yesterday. The dispatches from the scene of the accident were somewhat conflicting. One was to the effect that Mr. Benedict operated the machine, and another that the vehicle was guided by the chauffeur. Most of the reports said that Mr. Benedict had charge of the automobile at the time of the accident.

He reached Central Valley about noon, where he had luncheon. A fierce thunderstorm swept over the village about this time, and the roads were wet and slippery when the trip to West Point was resumed. It is said that the automobile was being driven at a fair rate of speed when East Mountain, a short distance north of Central Valley, was reached. While going down the mountain the vehicle struck some rocks near a stone breakwater and turned over in a trice. Mr. Kane was flung headlong clear of the automobile. He was injured in striking the ground. The chauffeur was also shot into the air, and fell out of harm's way. Mr. Benedict had a heavy laprobe wrapped around his knees. It is thought that this robe kept him pinned in the vehicle, and as the machine turned over he was crushed to death.

Several men on horseback reached the scene of the accident a few moments after it occurred. One hastened to Central Valley to call a physician and the other stayed to help get the body of Mr. Benedict from under the wrecked machine. A number of Italian laborers were working near by, and they readily assisted in the efforts to lift the machine so that the body could be dragged out. Though suffering much pain, Mr. Kane directed the task. The physician called from Central Valley pronounced Mr. Benedict dead and had Mr. Kane removed to a cottage, where his wounds were dressed.

None of Mr. Kane's relatives could be found in this city yesterday.

## MAN AND WOMAN THROWN.

### THE FORMER RECEIVES A FRACTURE OF THE ARM, BUT THE LATTER IS UNHURT.

An expensively dressed man of middle age, who, it is said, is a doctor, and a young woman, while racing an automobile on the Boston Post Road in front of the home of C. Oliver Iselin, at New-Rochelle, barely escaped death in an accident yesterday afternoon.

The coach was marked A. G. C., and they were racing another pair in a machine bearing the initials A. B. P. Both machines were running from Larchmont toward New-Rochelle at a furious rate, when they encountered a trolley car in front of the Iselin property. The pair in the automobile were in the middle of the track, and in attempting to turn out lost control of the vehicle, which shot toward the sidewalk, barely grazing an iron trolley pole, and then struck a stone wall with a terrific crash.

Both occupants were thrown out. The young woman turned a complete somersault and landed in a field on the other side of the wall. Her companion fell beneath the wrecked machine and his arm was fractured. The car men and the occupants of the other vehicle ran to the assistance of the injured. They found that the young woman had escaped with only a few bruises, and was entirely conscious. As quickly as possible the owner of the machine had it towed to a farmhouse, and with his companions got into the other machine and set out for Manhattan.

The people declined to give their names and addresses to the railroad inspector or any of the onlookers.

# W. BOURKE COCKRAN FOR SHEPARD

## HE ACCEPTS HIM, WHILE DENOUNCING THE MACHINE WHICH NAMED HIM.

The following letter was sent last night by W. Bourke Cockran to Edward M. Shepard, Democratic candidate for Mayor. The letter was handed to Mr. Shepard when he stepped from the train on his return from Lake George. The text of the letter was given out by Robert J. Fox, Mr. Cockran's law partner:

New-York, October 18, 1901.

Dear Mr. Shepard: Your speech last night deserves to rank among the most courageous, forceful and eloquent utterances ever made by a candidate for municipal office in the history of this city.

Notwithstanding your pre-eminent fitness for the mayoralty, many citizens, like myself, who believe that an effective opposition is absolutely essential to the existence of representative government, and who feel that the first step toward the resuscitation of the Democratic party is to emancipate it from the autocratic control, amounting to personal ownership, which has made it oppressive in this city and odious everywhere, have hesitated to support you, because they feared your election might be construed as a popular indorsement of the machine which consented to your nomination. All these doubts and hesitations have been dissolved and dissipated by your courage in daring to reassert in the very presence of the local boss and of his followers all that you have ever said in condemnation of his system, and from the platform of his own hall to criticise those features of the city administration which have been generally attributed to his influence.

The political history of this country shows that no boss can be dislodged by reverses at the polls, no matter how frequently they may occur. Of this Thomas C. Platt's career is a conspicuous and conclusive proof. There is but one way by which bossism can be effectually uprooted, and that is by creating conditions incompatible with its existence. In such an administrative atmosphere as your speech foreshadows no boss could survive for a month. I cannot help feeling, then, that your election will result, not in the substitution of one boss for another, but in expelling bossism root and branch from our political system forever.

Your adversary, who pretends to fear that if elected you will prove subservient to the influences which you have denounced, and which every freeman must abhor, should emulate your example before he undertakes to question your motives or your resolution.

When Mr. Low faces Mr. Platt in the presence of his followers to the number of many thousands, and there reaffirms all that he has heretofore said in denunciation of the Republican organization and its boss, then, and not till then, his candidacy deserves to be weighed in the balance with yours.

As the record now stands your courageous candor shows that in nominating you the Democratic machine has accepted the leadership of an independent statesmen and risen to it from its former grovellings, while Mr. Low's silence on subjects concerning which he was wont to be so vehement shows that the Republican machine has not changed, but that he has abased himself to become its instrument.

I cannot understand how any Democrat who examines these obvious features of the political situation can hesitate to support you, unless indeed he be seeking an excuse to injure, perhaps irreparably, the Democratic party by depriving it of this golden opportunity to expel from its leadership the authors of its disasters, and to restore within its organizations the authority of its virtues, its courage and its intellect.

## "HERALD" AND "WORLD" POLLS.

"The Herald" yesterday published a vote of 20,000 workers in mercantile and manufacturing establishments, by which the election of Mr. Low was indicated. "The World" has made a general poll and predicts the election of Shepard by about 17,000.

## HORNBLOWER TO PRESIDE.

There will be a big mass meeting to-night at Cooper Union, at which Seth Low, Justice Jerome, Edward M. Grout, Charles V. Fornes and Jacob A. Cantor will make addresses. William B. Hornblower will preside, and Frank Sullivan will have charge of the outdoor meeting.

# BANNER DISPLEASES CROKER

## POLICE CAPTAIN TRIES TO HAVE A GREATER NEW-YORK DEMOCRACY SIGN TAKEN DOWN.

The police of the XXIXth Assembly District last Saturday night made an attempt to remove or cause the removal of an anti-Tammany banner at the club rooms of the Greater New-York Democracy of that district. The club rooms are in a building at Seventy-eighth-st. and Lexington-ave., leased from Mrs. M. A. Gerard by the organization. The banner, or rather sign, covers most of the front of the building, and is inscribed not only with the names of the fusion candidates but with the assertion that all who vote the ticket of the Greater New-York Democracy, the fusion ticket, will stamp their condemnation of Tammany methods, and, what is more to the point, will vote "to relegate Croker to the rear and be seated in the Moat House, Wantage, Berks, England, and devote his kingly existence in the throne of his dog kennels."

This sentiment was particularly displeasing to the Tammany boss, coming, as it did, from his own district, the Greater New-York Democracy men say. According to Mrs. Gerard, Captain Brown, of the East Sixty-seventh-st. station, with a number of policemen, went to the clubhouse on Saturday afternoon with the intention of having the banner taken down, on the ground that it was within one hundred feet of a polling place, in violation of the election law, there being a polling place in the same building. Not finding any there, he went to Mrs. Gerard, who lives next door to the clubhouse. According to Mrs. Gerard he made his presence known by kicking and pounding on the door, though the bell was in plain sight. Mrs. Gerard being away, one of her sons was ordered by Captain Brown, who was in citizen's clothes, to "get that banner down!"

The boy said his mother was absent and he could not do anything. Captain Brown departed, leaving two policemen on guard, to await Mrs. Gerard's return. When she arrived she told the sentinels that she did not propose to interfere with the doings of her tenants.

Myer J. Stein, anti-Tammany leader in the district, hearing of the proceedings, with Isaac Gutenstein, Gustav Gross and William Hepburn Russell, went down to see Captain Brown. The captain declared that the banner must come down. Finding that there were no charges against them or their organization, Stein and his companions declared that they would appear in the Yorkville police court at 2 p. m. to-day, when the case would be decided.

# JEROME WORKS ON SUNDAY.

## TOO GOOD A CAUSE AND TOO MUCH TO DO FOR EVEN ONE DAY'S REST, HE SAYS.

Justice Jerome did not arrive at his downtown headquarters, at Canal and Baxter sts., until nearly 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon. As he sat back in his chair he said:

"There is too much to do in this campaign to stop work on Sunday, when the cause is as meritorious as the one we are fighting for. Although I did not get down here until late, I have not been idle."

When he was asked what he thought of the registration figures, he said that the outlook for a fusion victory was very bright. Nevertheless, he added, overconfidence had lost many a battle, and the anti-Tammany forces should not rest until they had cast every available vote for Low.

"I was much impressed," he said, "with the kind of people I met in The Bronx. The XXXVth Assembly District, in which they live, has become almost six times as large as some of the downtown districts, and, accordingly, the vote of these people will have great weight in the coming election. In speaking to them at Zeiner's Hall last week, I found that they did not show the nervousness which characterizes some of the downtown inhabitants. They are more like country people, and like to listen to good argument."

When the judge was asked if he had received any protest because of his liberal Sunday law views, he said:

"Only one man has written me protesting against keeping saloons open on Sunday. I think the people are with me on that score. The saloonkeeper's business should not be looked upon as lower than any other business. As soon as you look upon men as of a lower class, it impairs their self-respect. 'Tom' Foley said to me one day:

" 'Judge, I am ashamed of it, but I went into the liquor business because I thought I could earn a living that way better than any other.'

" 'That's all right, Tom,' said I. 'Your business is as good as mine, and you ought not to be ashamed of it. There have got to be saloons, and there have got to be men to run them.' "

The judge is making a whirlwind campaign. He averages seven or eight meetings a night. Here is a good illustration of what the judge can do when he once gets on the move. Last Thursday he left Liberty Hall, in East Houston-st., at 7:50 p. m. He reached Golden Rule Hall, at No. 125 Rivington-st., ten minutes later, delivered an address there, then jumped into a carriage, and took the elevated uptown. At No. 170 East Eightieth-st., the assembly rooms of the Greater New-York Democracy, he made another speech. He then jumped into an automobile and dashed north to the Harlem Casino. This he reached at 9:40, only five minutes behind his schedule. The Casino was at One-hundred-and-twenty-fourth-st. and Seventh-ave. After a speech there he hurried one block north, to Camp Seth Low, where he made his last address. The judge said on leaving the platform that he felt like making ten more speeches.

This is the judge's calendar for to-day:

11 a. m.—Woman's Municipal League, United Charities Building.
8 p. m.—German-American meeting, Odd Fellows' Hall, No. 106 Forsyth-st.
8:30 p. m.—Citizens Union meeting, Progress Assembly Room, No. 28 Avenue A.
9 p. m.—Greater New-York Democracy, Cooper Union.
10 p. m.—City Vigilance League, Calvary Church, One-hundred-and-twenty-ninth-st. and Seventh-ave.

The judge will open a branch headquarters to-day at No. 91 Delancey-st., which will be used for the distribution of campaign literature.

# POPULOUS RAG SHOP NEAR NAGLE.

## THE "RESIDENTS" CRAWL THROUGH A CELLAR WINDOW AND SLEEP ON RAGS.

Percival E. Nagle, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, lives in the Seventeenth Election District of the XXXIVth Assembly District. In this district, at No. 1,905 Park-ave., there is a one story rag shop, owned by a man named Connors, who is said to be a Tammany office holder. Saturday evening seven men went to the registration booth together, all declaring that they lived in this rag shop. They were challenged by one of McCullagh's deputies who had previously examined the place. The owner admitted that a padlock was put on the front door each night after 6 o'clock, and that no one except himself or his agent was allowed to enter or leave the place in the night.

"Where do these men sleep?" asked the deputy. Connors said, "I'll show you," and led the deputy around to the rear of the house. A cellar window opens on the back yard. Connors opened the window and said: "They go in there and sleep in the cellar. Those rags are used by the 'residents' of the place for bedding." The owner admits that there is no bed in the place.

It had been rumored that about twenty would be registered from the rag shop, but evidently the visit of McCullagh's deputy frightened the others off. Those who have registered will be looked after.

## FUSION MEETINGS THIS WEEK.

October 21, Cooper Union—Greater New-York Democracy. Seth Low.
October 22, St. Nicholas Rink—Citizens Union. Seth Low.
October 23—Cooper Union—Republican. General Henry L. Burnett to preside. Speakers: Edward M. Grout, William Travers Jerome and John S. Wise. (Seth Low at Yale College.)
October 24, 8p. m., Bohemian National Hall, No. 321 East Seventy-third-st.—Seth Low.
October 24, 9 p. m., Beethoven Hall, East Fifth-st.—Seth Low.
October 24, 9:45 p. m., Cooper Union—German. Seth Low.
October 24, Apollo Hall, No. 128 Clinton-st.—Speakers: Edward M. Grout, William Travers Jerome.
October 25, Brooklyn—Seth Low.
October 26, Grand Central Palace—Republican. Speakers: William Travers Jerome, Jacob A. Cantor and others.
October 26—Seth Low will speak at three meetings on lower East Side.

## IT WORRIED THE WIGWAM MEN.

The publication yesterday of the statement sent out by persons connected with the Republican County Committee showing the immense increase in the Tammany salary lists, and the creation of hundreds of new places, worried the Wigwam men yesterday. This feeling was not assuaged by Controller Coler's statement, published in The Tribune, that the figures were correct. Mr. Croker did not wish to discuss it. The Controller issued another statement saying that the figures "are in the main taken from some I was preparing for the campaign. The real fact is that the increase . . . is due largely to mandatory legislation." He added that he would answer the statement in his speech at the Clermont Avenue Rink to-night.

# TAMMANY MEN EAT BEEFSTEAK.

## P. H. KERWIN WINS THE PRIZE BY CONSUMING SEVEN POUNDS AND TEN OUNCES OF MEAT.

The Wawbeek Democratic Club held a beefsteak party last night in the Wawbeek Assembly Rooms, No. 147 East Fifty-third-st. Maurice Holahan, president of the Board of Public Improvements, was one of the guests of honor.

P. H. Kerwin received the prize for consuming the most steak. He ate seven pounds and ten ounces. Joseph Doelger made the next best record, consuming seven pounds.

## TO CONSIDER MAYOR'S ACTION.

### A MEETING OF MERCHANTS' ASSOCIATION DIRECTORS CALLED FOR TO-DAY.

A meeting of the board of directors of the Merchants' Association will be held to-day to consider what should be done regarding the action of Mayor Van Wyck in dismissing the charges brought against Police Commissioner Murphy. The charges were made against the Commissioner because he refused to move against Deputy Commissioner Devery. The Mayor sent a letter to the Merchants' Association on Saturday, saying that he had dismissed the charges.

## ELECT THE ALDERMEN, TOO.

Concerning the importance of the Board of Aldermen in the scheme of government provided in the amended charter, John Jeroloman, former president of the board under Mayor Strong, said yesterday:

"It is absolutely essential in the cause of decent, honest government in the city of New-York that we elect a majority of the Board of Aldermen. I do not believe that as the situation stands to-day there can be much doubt as to the election of Mr. Low, Mr. Grout and Mr. Fornes. On the part of the fusion forces what a confession of weakness it would be if on election night it were found that Mr. Fornes had been elected president of a Tammany-Willoughby Street Board of Aldermen!

"Don't let us forget that the most important men in Tammany Hall after the district leaders are the Aldermen; that these are the men who come closest in touch with the people, over whom they exert a great influence. This reason alone should be incentive enough to strive for the election of only the best men for members of the board."

# ALIX, ONCE QUEEN, PUT TO DEATH.

## THE FAMOUS TROTTING CHAMPION, SUFFERING FROM PARALYSIS, IS CHLOROFORMED.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE TRIBUNE.]

Providence, R. I., Oct. 20.—The famous trotting mare Alix, once queen of the turf, was chloroformed to death at the Mariposa stock farm yesterday. About a month ago she suffered a stroke of paralysis. Two weeks later her condition became so serious that she was placed in a sling, and yesterday it became apparent that her death was only a matter of a short time, and her owner, L. C. Sayles, determined to end her sufferings.

For six years, or since her purchase by ex-Mayor Sayles, Alix had not appeared on the racetrack. She had borne two colts in the last two years. Alix lowered the trotting record of Nancy Hanks, 2:04, at Galesburg, Ill., on September 19, 1894. She went the mile in 2:03¾, and this record stood until The Abbot lowered it, just a year ago, to 2:03¼. In 1893, at the World's Fair, in Chicago, Alix won probably the greatest race ever trotted in America. Four heats were trotted on September 14, four more on September 15 and the ninth heat was won by the great mare on September 16. Alix was by Patronage—Atlanta, by Attorney, and was foaled in 1888 and bred by Daniel Hayes, of Muscatine, Iowa.

# CELEBRATING TRAFALGAR.

## MAYOR BOWKER AND SONS OF ST. GEORGE AT A SERVICE AT CHURCH OF HEAVENLY REST.

A service under the auspices of the Order of the Sons of St. George in commemoration of the battle of Trafalgar was held last night in the Church of the Heavenly Rest, in Fifth-ave. The Rev. Dr. Reginald Heber Starr, who lately resigned from the Southern University, where he was for many years dean of divinity, preached the sermon. Dr. Starr welcomed the members of the order, and eulogized Lord Nelson. He said the admiral had charged by the battle of the Nile and the victory of Copenhagen the whole history and politics of the Anglo-Saxon people. The work begun by Nelson and completed by Wellington at the battle of Waterloo had checked and defeated that great French host which if permitted to reach its goal would have changed entirely the history of Europe.

There were about two hundred members of the order present. Alfred Bowker, the Mayor of Winchester, was also present. At a meeting of the Sons of St. George in the basement of the church just before the regular service Mayor Bowker said that at the celebration held at Winchester last month many Americans were present. He had been instructed to attend any special services of the order while in this country. The tie which bound the two branches of the order of the Sons of St. George, English and American, he said, was a close one.

To-day is the ninety-fifth anniversary of the battle of Trafalgar, and the day will be fittingly celebrated by the various lodges of the Sons of St. George, the members of which are of English birth or parentage.

## A DINNER TO-NIGHT.

The ninety-sixth anniversary of the victory of Lord Nelson at Trafalgar will be celebrated by a dinner at the Teutonia Assembly Rooms to-night. The affair is under the auspices of Nelson Lodge No. 64, Order Sons of St. George, of this city. The day will be celebrated by the various lodges bearing Nelson's name, of which there are fourteen in different parts of the country.

At the dinner the Rev. Walter E. Bentley will respond to the toast, "The British-American," and "The President" will be responded to by the Rev. Arthur H. Judge; "The King," by the Rev. D. Parker Morgan; "The Day We Celebrate," by Senator Benjamin Martin Wilcox, of Auburn; "Fraternity," by Dr. Isaac N. Love; "The Army," by H. T. Thorpe, of the R. M. S. Majestic, and "King Alfred," by the Rev. Francis J. Clay Moran. Arthur A. Michell will be the toastmaster.

The Mayor of Winchester, England, Alfred Bowker, will be the guest of the evening.

# CARNEGIE COMMITTEE ORGANIZES.

## IT DETERMINES ITS PLANS FOR THE LOCATION OF THE LIBRARIES IN BROOKLYN.

The committee named by Andrew Carnegie to act for him in the location and building of the Carnegie libraries in Brooklyn has met and organized. It is composed of ex-Mayor David A. Boody and Messrs. McWilliams, Devoy and Appleton, directors of the Brooklyn Public Library.

It has been definitely decided that Brooklyn is to have twenty of the libraries. They are to be distributed on the Assembly district basis, which will leave one district unprovided for. This will be remedied, however, by the seventeen or eighteen branches of the Brooklyn Public Library. The committee is anxious to place the libraries so that every part of the borough may be benefited.

# DEATH OF THE REV. CHAS. S. HAGEMAN.

The Rev. Charles Stegman Hageman died yesterday afternoon at Christ Church Rectory, Riverdale-on-the-Hudson. Mr. Hageman was eighty-five years old. The funeral will be held on next Wednesday at the Reformed Church, Nyack.

# TRENTON LAMP COMPANY ASSIGNS.

Trenton, Oct. 20.—The Trenton Lamp Company made an assignment yesterday to Hugh H. Hamill, of the Trenton Trust and Safe Deposit Company. The assets are estimated at $137,000 and the liabilities at $247,059. The estate of Samuel K. Wilson is the principal creditor, having claims aggregating $247,059. It is probable that a reorganization of the company will be effected and the business continued.

# A. NOEL BLAKEMAN, CHIEF OF STAFF.

Minneapolis, Minn., Oct. 20.—Commander-in-Chief Eli Torrance, of the Grand Army of the Republic, to-day announced the appointment of General Henry M. Duffield, of Detroit, to be judge advocate general, and Major A. Noel Blakeman, of Mount Vernon, N. Y., to be chief of staff.

# SPORTS AND SPORTSMEN.

## GOLF.

### EAST JERSEY LEAGUE CHAMPIONSHIP TO START TO-MORROW—DOINGS AT LOCAL LINKS.

To complete the round of local championships which have proved such a popular feature of this season's golf, the East Jersey Golf League will hold its annual contest at the links of the Montclair Golf Club on Tuesday and Wednesday of this week. Howard Giffin, of the East Orange Golf Club, who won the championship last year at Baltusrol, will defend his title, but P. C. Pulver, the runner up, will not be eligible, as the Newark Athletic Club, to which he belongs, has withdrawn from the league, leaving as its present members the Morristown Field Club, the East Orange Golf Club, the Glen Ridge Golf Club, the Forest Hill Field Club and the Elizabeth Town and Country Club.

Unlike most of the sectional championships this season, there will be no qualifying round, the executive committee having decided to follow the English practice of drawing the competitors at match play without the formality of a preliminary score. For this reason each club will be limited to three representatives. The president of the league, B. R. Jacobs, has offered a silver cup to the winner, and there will also be prizes for the players taking second and third places.

As this will be the first championship test of the Montclair course since the full circuit of eighteen holes was opened, the tournament has aroused considerable interest among players at large, and some curiosity is felt as to whether the present record of 84, made by Paul Wilcox, the club's president, will be allowed to stand. The new circuit measures 6,056 yards, and bogie is figured at 83. As showing the kind of golf it requires, it may be added that Allan Kennaday, the New-Jersey State champion, has done no better than 86, while "Tom" Anderson, the club's professional, is credited with the same figures. For those who will follow the present championship Mr. Wilcox's record card should be noted. It reads:

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| Out | 5 | 5 | 4 | 5 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 5 | —40 |
| In | 4 | 4 | 5 | 7 | 5 | 3 | 7 | 4 | 5 | —44—84 |

Following are the detailed measurements of the course with the bogie score for each hole:

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Holes | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | |
| Yards | 357 | 380 | 360 | 353 | 236 | 255 | 380 | 185 | 340 | |
| Bogie | 5 | 5 | 5 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 5 | 3 | 5 | |
| Holes | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | |
| Yards | 290 | 253 | 513 | 400 | 315 | 234 | 500 | 310 | 395 | |
| Bogie | 4 | 4 | 6 | 6 | 4 | 4 | 6 | 4 | 5 | |

The East Jersey league is entirely distinct from the New-Jersey State League, whose championship was decided last summer at the Englewood Golf Club.

Other interesting fixtures for the week include an eighteen hole handicap at the Colonia Country Club on Wednesday for the Cruikshank Cup, a women's foursome and golf ball sweepstakes on Thursday at the Apawamis Golf Club, a team match between the Innis Arden and Hillandale clubs at Sound Beach on Saturday, and a monthly handicap at Van Cortlandt for Classes A, B and C the same day. One of the most interesting of the end of the week tournaments will be the annual championship of the three Staten Island clubs—Richmond County, Fox Hills and Harbor Hill—which takes place at Fox Hills on Saturday. It will be at eighteen holes, medal play, and entries must be made to R. T. P. Fiske, No. 122 Front-st., this city, on or before October 24. A fee of $1 must accompany each entry. This will in all probability be the last of the series of big tournaments on local links until the annual Thanksgiving week contest at Lakewood; a tournament, by the way, that has come to be regarded as the curtain raiser of Lakewood's social season. "Willie" Norton, who has been at Deal for the last few months, will resume his duties as professional at the Golf Club of Lakewood, while a new professional will be seen at the Country Club—"Jack" Ventres, who has been the clubmaker at Shinnecock Hills for the last two years. He is already at work on the greens, and there is a rumor that the club is planning a renewal of its former open tournaments.

## THE INTERCITY GOLF MATCH.

Arden M. Robbins, of St. Andrews, and Samuel Y. Heebney, of Philadelphia, who were chosen to select the date and place of the intercity team match between the New-York and Philadelphia golfers have announced that the meeting will be held at the links of the Nassau Country Club on November 2. It will be the fourth contest between the golfers of the two cities, and as the other three have all been won by the New-Yorkers the present one is regarded more as a friendly visit than as a test of comparative skill at golf. The two teams will consist of twelve men each. The Philadelphians will be chosen from the following: W. M. McCawley, Rodman E. Griscom and Walter Thayer, Merion Cricket Club; H. L. Gaw, Philadelphia Country Club; C. P. Lineaweaver, Fergus M. Mackie and H. W. Perrin, Philadelphia Cricket Club; C. S. Starr, Huntingdon Valley Country Club; A. J. P. Gallagher, George A. Cramp and E. A. Darby, St. David's Golf Club; C. S. Farnum, Merion, and C. G. Dixon, jr., Huntingdon.

The New-York team will be chosen probably from W. J. Travis, F. S. Douglas, C. H. Seeley, Louis Livingston, jr., A. De Witt Cochrane, A. M. Robbins, Devereaux Emmet, Maturin Ballou, F. W. Menzies, John Reid, jr., C. M. Hamilton, Archibald Graham, R. C. Watson, jr., Jasper Lynch and L. P. Bayard, jr.

## NOTES OF THE LINKS.

Princeton is following her customary practice this fall of trying out her new men in matches with outside teams. On Wednesday a meeting has been arranged with the Lawrenceville School golfers, and on Saturday the team will visit the Morris County Golf Club for a match with the strong Morris County team. The Princeton players who have been showing up well in recent matches are H. Conklin, F. O. Reinhart, H. Wilson, Abram Pool, G. H. Garretson, H. McGalpin, F. C. Curtis, G. H. Jenkins, Isaac Hillyard and H. P. Oliphant.

Douglas's record for the Tuxedo links, made at last month's open tournament, has just been lowered a stroke by John Brett, the Tuxedo professional, who covered the course last week in company with Price Collier in 74. His card reads:

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Out | 3 | 4 | 2 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 3 | 6 | 4 | —34 |
| In | 4 | 4 | 6 | 4 | 6 | 6 | 2 | 4 | 4 | —40—74 |

In the women's championship tournament of the Hillandale Golf Club, of Stamford, Miss Louise Herrick won first place in the qualifying round, while the others who have been declared eligible for the match play are Mrs. James A. Jenkins, Miss Bonnie Leavitt, Miss Gertrude Leavitt, Miss Ursula Leavitt, Miss Viola Sowers, Miss Eva Hoyt and Miss Lillian Holbrook.

# THE RACETRACK.

## MORRIS PARK ENTRIES FOR TO-DAY.

FIRST RACE—Steeplechase. About two and one-half miles.

| Name. | Wt. | Name. | Wt. |
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| Baby Bill | 160 | Owalssa | 138 |
| Boisterous | 152 | Eophone | 132 |
| Jessie S. | 147 | Clasher | 132 |
| Walter Cleary | 147 | Curfew Bell | 130 |
| Sifter | 140 | Lightning | 130 |
| Miss Mitchell | 140 | | |

SECOND RACE—Seven and one-half furlongs.

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| Chuctanunda | 124 | Peninsula | 100 |
| Smoke | 115 | Glenwater | 98 |
| Red Path | 113 | Himself | 90 |
| Chilton | 110 | Andy Williams | 90 |
| Caughnawaga | 103 | | |

THIRD RACE—THE GOLDSMITH. Eclipse Course.

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| Femesole | 113 | Sister Juliet | 103 |
| Namtor | 110 | Grand Opera | 102 |
| Lady Sterling | 107 | Rightaway | 96 |
| Flora Pomona | 107 | O'Hagen | 96 |
| City Bank | 106 | Andy Williams | 96 |
| Cryptogram | 106 | Lady Godiva | 93 |
| Anak | 106 | Rose of May | 93 |
| Blanket | 106 | Blanche Herman | 93 |
| Man o' War | 104 | Bijou | 93 |
| April Shower | 104 | Carroll D. | 91 |

FOURTH RACE—Six and one-half furlongs.

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| Tribes Hill | 112 | Keynote | 109 |
| Namtor | 112 | Brunswick | 109 |
| Rightaway | 112 | Bessie McCarthy | 109 |
| Peninsula | 112 | Lux Casta | 109 |
| Calgary | 112 | Josepha | 109 |
| City Bank | 112 | Lady Sterling | 109 |
| Northern Star | 112 | Longlove | 102 |

FIFTH RACE—Withers Mile.

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| Heatsville | 110 | Plumed Knight | 107 |
| Rivenoak | 107 | Miss Almy | 107 |
| Hardshell | 107 | Anna Darling | 107 |
| Philma Paxton | 107 | Elegy | 107 |

SIXTH RACE—THE WATERCOLOR. Two miles.

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| Carbuncle | 123 | William H. | 87 |
| The Rhymer | 111 | | |

## BOTHNER MEETS MCCORMICK.

George Bothner, the lightweight wrestler, will meet "Jack" McCormack, of Philadelphia, to-night in a match for $500 at the New-York Turn Hall, Lexington-ave. and Eighty-fifth-st. The style will be catch-as-catch-can. McCormack, who is a heavyweight, agrees to throw Bothner twice in an hour or lose the stake. The principal match of the evening will be called at 10 o'clock. Ernst Roeber will act as referee.

# NEW RECORDS FOR NELSON.

## THE LITTLE CHAP SETS WORLD'S FIGURES FOR SEVERAL MILES—FAST TIME BY MOTORS.

Little "Joe" Nelson, a brother of "Johnny" Nelson, recently killed at Madison Square Garden, who is still in his teens and is not much bigger than a Kansas grasshopper, seems likely to become as noted a record breaker as his unfortunate brother. The little fellow was the hero of the bicycle meet at the Vailsburg track yesterday, not only defeating his opponent easily in a fifteen-mile motor paced race, but creating new world's amateur records for every one of the miles, excepting the first, fourth and fifth.

George Leander made the one, four and five mile records at Indianapolis on September 28 of last year. The other record holders who are forced to take a back seat are H. Edwards, J. Lake, Ray Duer and E. Ryan. Fulton, Nelson's opponent, took the lead at the start, but Nelson quickly overhauled him and led at the end of the first mile by fully three lengths. At five miles Nelson lapped Fulton, and he repeated this in the fifth, ninth and thirteenth miles, eventually winning by three and a half laps, or within a furlong of a mile.

About four thousand spectators witnessed the sport, and, while the wind was keen, the management is determined to hold meets until the snow flies fast enough to stop racing. A motor handicap was a novelty. Albert Champion, although on a single motor bicycle, was placed on scratch, which showed that the handicapper knew his business. Champion won easily, making world's motor records for nearly every mile, and doing the five miles in 6:25.

SUMMARIES.

Quarter-mile (novice)—Won by W. Cullen, Newark; Theodore Gavin, Newark, second; J. Woods, New-York, third. Time, 0:35⅘.

Half-mile, amateur (open)—Won by Charles Schlee, Newark; Teddy Billington, Vailsburg, second; M. T. Dove, New-York, third. Time, 1:22⅘.

Five mile, amateur (handicap)—Won by Henry Chappey, Little Falls (200 yards); George Wiley, Little Falls (200 yards), second; J. E. Achorn, New-York (150 yards), third; Teddy Billington, Vailsburg (scratch), fourth. Time, 11:21. Winner of most lap prizes, George Wiley, Little Falls.

Five-mile motorcycle (handicap)—Won by Albert Champion, single (scratch); R. G. Bennett and W. C. Dobbins, tandem (400 yards), second; Jed Newkirk and J. W. White, tandem (200 yards), third. Time, 6:25. World's record, Champion intermediate times, two miles, 2:32; three miles, 3:50; fourth mile, 5:07, all world's records.

Fifteen-mile amateur motor paced race ("Joe" Nelson, Chicago, against "Joe" Fulton, Brooklyn)—Won by Nelson by seven-eighths mile. Time by miles:

| Miles. | Time. | Miles. | Time. |
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| 1 | 1:35⅜ | 9 | *14:46⅘ |
| 2 | *3:12⅘ | 10 | *16:32⅘ |
| 3 | *4:50 | 11 | *18:14 |
| 4 | 6:28⅘ | 12 | *19:55 |
| 5 | 8:07 | 13 | *21:26 |
| 6 | *9:47⅘ | 14 | *23:18⅘ |
| 7 | *11:29⅘ | 15 | *24:55⅘ |
| 8 | *13:11 | | |

*New records, amateur paced competition.

# THE SPEEDWAY.

## COBWEBS, 2:12, DEFEATS QUEEN WILKES IN TWO OF THE BEST BRUSHES OF THE DAY—A. E. THOMPSON'S NARROW ESCAPE.

Cobwebs, 2:12, came out of retirement yesterday long enough to demonstrate that he is still to be reckoned with in locating the "king of the Speedway." Nathan Straus announced last spring, when the famous trotter was thirteen years old, that he would no longer attempt to defend the title he won when the Speedway was opened, and would start in no more brushes. But the perfect weather which led nearly ten thousand persons to visit the Speedway yesterday made Cobwebs and his owner long for a brush with the fast ones that dotted the road, and Mr. Straus broke his resolution by starting his horse against E. E. Smathers's bay mare Queen Wilkes, the fastest trotter in sight. Twice they went over the long stretch of smooth ground, and at each test of speed the gallant old chestnut horse led the way by just about the length of his neck. Both horses were all out, and the contests were among the best of the season. Queen Wilkes had the advantage of a professional driver, George Spear, who is recognized as one of the best reinsmen in the country, and Spear thought so well of the mare that before starting out he announced his intention of sweeping the Speedway.

Queen Wilkes won a brilliant victory before she met Cobwebs. Starting against the two Grand Circuit winners, Ida Highwood, 2:13¼, and Equity, 2:12¼, she outfooted them both in a stirring brush for the lead. A. E. Perren, who drove Equity, said his horse had not started with the mares, but Mr. Ferren was certainly trying hard to beat them as they passed the half-mile post, half a length apart, under full sail. Queen Wilkes has no public record, but she has trotted very fast in private, and was counted on to win the $10,000 race at Detroit until she went wrong last spring. She was raised at Racine, Wis., by the late J. I. Case, and was by Lexington Wilkes from a daughter of Phallas, 2:13¾. Charles Weiland brought her out on the Speedway and sold her for a long price to Mr. Smathers.

Equity met everything that came along yesterday, and lost and won a lot of brushes. His best victory was won from Dr. David Randell's roan pacer Moth Miller, 2:07, the black trotter winning squarely from an even start. Moth Miller reversed the verdict, however, in another trial. The horses made several other attempts to brush, but one or the other broke at the start and was pulled up. After driving Equity Mr. Perren took the reins over Nathan Straus's high going bay trotter Freddy, 2:16¾, and tried to show the way to John F. Cockerill's good horse Swift, 2:16¼. The latter proved to be clearly too fast for Freddy, and twice outfooted him without coming to a drive.

Mr. Cockerill, like Mr. Perren, made unwise use of his fast trotter by sending him against pacers as well as trotters, and he suffered some unnecessary defeats. Moth Miller was among the sidewheelers that Swift essayed to beat. With a disadvantage of nearly ten seconds in the records, the trotter was further handicapped by losing a shoe right at the start. Nevertheless he finished within an open length of the slippery roan pacer.

There were four crack pacers on the Speedway that might have furnished some splendid brushes if they had got together. Their drivers seemed to be content to let one another alone, however, and to look for smaller game. Moth Miller and J. L. Dodge's bay mare, Redinda, 2:07¼, were the only ones of the free-for-all class that met. The bay mare broke soon after getting off, and Moth Miller easily won the brush. Fred S. Wedgewood, 2:08½, driven by Fred Gerken, went fast alone, but was not seen in any of the brushes. Planet, 2:04¾, a fine looking little bay stallion, now owned by E. J. Schroeder,