LUNA PARK OPENED

CONEY ISLAND AWAKE.

Jolly Crowd Entertained as Guests of Frederic Thompson.

Coney Island's season of merriment was formally opened yesterday at 5 o'clock, when A. L. Erlanger, of Klaw & Erlanger, unlocked the gates of Luna Park and led a procession of theatrical managers and newspaper men into the famous "Court of Luna." Half an hour later Frederic Thompson threw open the gates to the public, and before midnight fully forty thousand persons had taken a first view of the numerous novelties and renewed friendship with the score or more features that have made Luna Park the "nation's playhouse."

Mr. Thompson has provided for public amusement this summer several novelties, but the most perfect of all disclosed yesterday was a representation of the fight between the Merrimac and the Monitor.

Men older and more experienced in the show business than "Fred" Thompson marvelled at the success of illusion reached in this novelty. A curtain went up, at the command of a lecturer, and disclosed a view of Hampton Roads. Then followed a representation of the historic struggle.

The opening of Luna Park was the occasion of much rejoicing along Broadway, and many well known theatrical men accepted Mr. Thompson's invitation to see the sights with him. Twenty automobiles took to the island a party of managers and newspaper men. At Surf avenue they were greeted by a company of soldiers and the troupes of Mexican riders, etc., that appear in the various spectacles.

FREDERIC THOMPSON.

The Luna Park Band headed the procession, which proceeded over Coney's principal thoroughfare and was cheered by thousands of men, women and children lined on each side of the avenue. When the gates of Luna were reached the party left the automobiles and formed in marching order.

Frederic Thompson delivered the key of Luna to Mr. Erlanger, and he at once unlocked the gates and led the merry gathering inside. Here two huge elephants were waiting for their burdens. A. L. Erlanger and Frederic Thompson mounted the first and led the visitors through the park.

Mabel Taliaferro, wife of Mr. Thompson, who has just closed a successful season in "Polly of the Circus," was enthusiastically cheered by the visitors. After seeing the various novelties the party was conducted to Luna Park's restaurant, where Mr. Thompson had a dinner prepared. There were several informal speeches. "Witching Waves," Jewel's Manikins, Jolly Follies, the Man Hunt and the Virginia Reel are among the novelties in Luna this season.

OPENING AT BELLE TERRE COLONY.

The Belle Terre Club colony at Port Jefferson, Long Island, will be formally opened on Memorial Day. There will be a series of motor boat races and aquatic sports and a dinner in the clubhouse. Edward S. Comstock, the manager of the club, will provide motor cars at the railroad station for the guests. The clubhouse is now open for inspection, and rooms may be booked for the season.

The membership of the club includes many of New York's best known men, among others Colonel John Jacob Astor, O. H. P. Belmont, Howard Gould, S. Osgood Pell, William K. Vanderbilt, jr., W. Seward Webb, David Banks, sr., and J. G. Oxnard.

MUNSEY PAPER IN PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, May 16.—Frank A. Munsey announced to-day that he has leased the building in Chestnut street, near 6th street, long occupied by "The Evening Bulletin," which has moved to new quarters, and says that in a few weeks he will establish a new evening newspaper, to be independent in politics, in keeping with the policy of the other Munsey newspapers, "The Boston Journal," "The Baltimore News" and "The Washington Times." Mr. Munsey says he will carry forward his policy, already announced, of purchasing and establishing daily papers, to be operated under a common management.

CENTRAL PARK MAY DAY.

Fifteen Thousand Children Romp and Roll on the Greens.

Nearly every large reach of green in Central Park was covered with frisking children of all nationalities yesterday. Boys and girls were clad in their best. It was a joy day for them. They rolled and romped up and down the slopes of Mount Morris green, East green, Peter Hill, Cherry Hill, over the smooth stretches of the ball grounds, Peacock Lawn and the North Meadows. On the latter were one thousand youngsters, the guests of Charles McMurray, of No. 668 Avenue A, who had followed a brass band from their East Side homes. The sheer abandon of the fifteen thousand or more children was a source of pleasure to every grown-up who had a chance to look on.

Each nationality had its king and queen, distinguishable by their gaudier or more attractive apparel. These potentates are chosen long before the first real May Day. They do not abdicate after the first day, as does the tradional "Queen of the May. They hold on to their regal "job" for the warm part of the year, and if any one of them is particularly gracious and diplomatic, the reign may extend for more than a season.

The "Keep off the grass" signs were not the monitors yesterday they will be. It was liberty day for Manhattan's juvenile population.

MAY DAY IN CENTRAL PARK.

MAY PARTY IN CENTRAL PARK.

SECOND CHILDREN'S DAY.

San Francisco's Reception to Fleet Virtually Ended.

San Francisco, May 16.—This was the second children's day since the arrival here of the Atlantic fleet, and virtually finished San Francisco's reception to the fleet, which will sail for Puget Sound Monday.

Thousands of children, including the inmates of all the orphanages in this city and vicinity, went to Golden Gate Park early to-day. There they witnessed drills by detachments of sailors and marines and indulged in various sports during the afternoon. Tugs of war and basketball games between teams from the army and navy were features of the programme. During the day two hundred officers were taken on an excursion to the top of Mount Tamalpais and the Muir Redwoods, where luncheon was served. A number of officers and men went to Santa Rosa, where the annual rose carnival is in progress.

This evening there was a theatre party for four thousand sailors, who were the guests of the various places of amusement in this city. A dinner for graduates of the Naval Academy at the St. Francis Hotel, the illumination of the city and fleet and music in the public squares concluded the day's entertainment.

There were seven boxing bouts between men of the navy and men of the army at the Auditorium last night and the sailors won them all.

Sacramento was lavishly decorated to-day in honor of the torpedo flotilla. Sailors on liberty spent the morning riding free on street and interurban trolleys. The theatres have thrown open their doors to the uniform. The Sutter Club gave a dinner to the officers this evening, followed by a theatre party. The enlisted men were guests at a ball given by the local militia.

THREE PRECOCIOUS PRISONERS.

Inspector McCafferty said yesterday that Albert McMurray, although only fourteen years old, was a clever forger. The boy is accused of forging a check for $50 16 on the Phœnix National Bank. Henry Pierson, thirteen years old, is charged with passing the check.

Later young McMurray, it is charged, forged another check and sent John Veronese, twelve years old, to the Phœnix Bank to cash it. Veronese was caught by the detectives and held as a witness.

All three boys live in Brooklyn. They did not seem at all impressed by the charge when arraigned before Justice McKeon, in the Children's Court, answering all the questions smilingly. They were paroled in the custody of the children's society until July 3.

HANNA DROPS SUIT AGAINST MORSE.

Judge Lacombe, in the United States Circuit Court, signed an order yesterday for the discontinuance of the suit brought by Receiver Hanna of the National Bank of North America against Charles W. Morse for $405,676 62 and interest on notes of his friends, which he had the bank discount when he was its president. It was charged that the notes were really for his own benefit and that he received the money on them.

The discontinuance was the result of the settlement made recently by Morse when he turned over $65,000 in cash and first class securities to Receiver Hanna, making a total payment of $250,000.

INVITED TO SHOOT AT VIENNA.

Albany, May 16.—In an order issued to-day Adjutant General Nelson H. Henry transmits to national guard organizations in this state an invitation from the Austrian Ambassador, Baron von Hengelmüller, requesting militia organizations of this country to take part in the international shooting match at Vienna from June 28 to July 7. General Henry requests all organizations desiring to accept the invitation to inform him as early as possible, with the names of their representatives.

ART SALE TO CONTINUE TO-MORROW.

The third day's sale of the Carroll and Graef collections of household furniture and art objects at the Fifth Avenue Art Galleries yesterday brought $4,967 for the day, and raised the total to $13,321 50. The top prices were $400, paid for an enamelled and marble Empire breakfast room suit, consisting of buffet, table, eight chairs and two side tables, and $410 paid for a mahogany and bronze mounted Louis XVI library table. The sale will continue to-morrow and every day thereafter until everything is sold.

ARMY AND NAVY NEWS

Battleship To Be Built at Brooklyn Navy Yard.

[From The Tribune Bureau.]

Washington, May 16.

WILL EMPLOY MANY MEN—The decision to build one of the two battleships authorized in the latest naval appropriation act at the Brooklyn navy yard, which was announced by Acting Secretary Newberry to-day, will mean the employment of something like one thousand additional workmen at that plant. It is not known at the Navy Department when there will be occasion to take on this additional force, but probably not much within six months. The first step will be the invitation of bids for the material, and this will take three or four months. It will then be necessary to await the completion of the plans for the ship which, while it is to be in general characteristics a duplicate of the Delaware, will involve some changes to incorporate certain improvements. One of the causes of delay in the plans will be the determination of the question whether the ship will be equipped with the Parsons or the Curtis type of turbine. In the former case the plans of the Delaware will have to be changed so as to provide a ship seven feet longer. The work will be done under the general direction of Naval Constructor W. J. Baxter, but a junior officer will have immediate charge. This may be Naval Constructor William B. Ferguson, who is in charge of the construction of the collier Vestal, which will be finished by the time there is need of the supervision of the new battleship. There are other naval constructors who are available for this duty. Modern vessels of the navy built at Brooklyn are the original Maine, the Cincinnati, the Connecticut, and now the Vestal.

ORDERS ISSUED.—The following orders have been issued:

ARMY.

Captain HAROLD HAMMOND, paymaster, from Washington, July 5, to the Philippines.
Captain FREDERICK E. JOHNSTON, paymaster, from the Philippines, to San Francisco.

NAVY.

Lieutenant F. T. EVANS, to the Louisiana.
Lieutenant J. K. TAUSSIG, to navy yard, Norfolk.
Ensign R. E. INGERSOLL, from naval medical hospital, Washington, to the Connecticut, June 26.
Passed Assistant Surgeon P. E. M'DONNOLD, to the Connecticut.

MOVEMENTS OF WARSHIPS.—The following movements of vessels have been reported to the Navy Department:

ARRIVED

May 15.—The Idaho, at League Island; the Porter, the Tingey, the Blakely, the De Long and the Thornton, at Savannah; the Sioux, at Bradford; the Preble, the Perry, the Farragut, the Fox and the Davis, at Sacramento.
May 16.—The Dale, at Cavite; the Galveston, at Hong Kong; the Uncas, at Santiago.

SAILED.

May 15.—The Buffalo, from Panama for San Francisco; the Birmingham, from navy yard, New York, for Hampton Roads; the Porter, the Tingey, the Blakely, the De Long and the Thornton, from Brunswick for Savannah; the Sioux, from Bradford for Boston; the Preble, the Perry, the Farragut, the Fox and the Davis, from San Francisco for Sacramento; the Navajo, from Mare Island for Bremerton.
May 16.—The Chattanooga, from Cavite for Hong Kong; the Des Moines, from Guantanamo for Colon; the Uncas, from Guantanamo for Santiago.

SHOOTING TEAMS CHOSEN IN CUBA.

Havana, May 16.—Rifle and pistol competitions have been going on at Camaguey for some time to select representatives of the Cuban Army of Pacification for the national competitions to be held in the United States the coming summer. Teams have been selected as follows:

Rifle team—Captain Alexander J. MacNab, 27th Infantry; Captain A. W. Bjornstad and Captain Thomas A. Pearce, 28th Infantry; Lieutenant Allan Rutherford, 5th Infantry; Lieutenant G. T. Bowman, 15th Cavalry; Sergeants Patch, Kuntke, Frankowaick and Socket, 15th Cavalry; Sergeant Carlson, 11th Cavalry; Sergeants Mueller, Sturgell and Kjenk, 17th Infantry; Sergeant Johnson, 28th Infantry; Corporal Burroughs, Engineers; Corporal Bradley, 17th Infantry, and Privates Barbour, 11th Cavalry, and Landram 17th Infantry.

The following also will go as distinguished marksmen:

Captain J. R. Lindsey, 15th Cavalry; Lieutenant G. C. Shaw, 27th Infantry, and Sergeants Grandy and Anderson, 28th Infantry.

Pistol team—Lieutenant Isaac S. Martin, 15th Cavalry; Lieutenant J. D. Burnett, 17th Infantry; Lieutenant George Steunenberg, 28th Infantry; Lieutenant R. G. Alexander, Engineers; Sergeants Aumus and Grandy, 28th Infantry; Sutherland, 2d Artillery; Klem, 15th Cavalry; Corporal Panneck, 15th Cavalry; Private Carden, 15th Cavalry; also distinguished pistol shots, Captain MacNab, 27th Infantry, and Privates Cokernest and Falk, Cavalry.

NAMES TAUSSIG FOR REAR ADMIRAL.

Washington, May 16.—The President to-day sent to the Senate the following nominations:

Captain to be rear admiral, Edward Taussig.

Brigadier general to be major general, George F. Elliott.

To be Solicitor of Internal Revenue, Fletcher Maddox, of Montana.

To be Collector of Customs, Robert S. Burlingame, district of Newport, R. I.

SON OF EVANS ORDERED TO DUTY.

Washington, May 16.—Lieutenant F. T. Evans, son of Rear Admiral Evans, was to-day ordered to duty aboard the battleship Louisiana. He will go West in about two weeks.

CRUISER EXCEEDS CONTRACT SPEED.

Washington, May 16.—The armored cruiser South Dakota made a speed of 22.36 knots on her four hours' full power final acceptance trial off Santa Barbara, according to a dispatch received at the Navy Department to-day. This is .36 knots in excess of the contract requirements.

TEN CARS FINISH PATERSON RUN.

Only Two Fail to Cover 100-Mile Course in Endurance Test Within Time Limit.

[By Telegraph to The Tribune.]

Paterson, N. J., May 16.—Ten of the twelve cars that started in the first 100-mile non-stop sealed bonnet contest of the North Jersey Automobile Club finished the full course within the specified required time of 5 hours and 15 minutes to-day. The two cars that fell by the wayside were S. Merideth's Corbin and R. W. Bates's Conover. The latter lost 1 hour and 20 minutes in fixing punctures, and, as this time will be allowed, he was not disqualified. The Corbin car broke its chain after completing the first twenty-five miles and dropped out.

Those who successfully went over the route were as follows: R. Beattle, Buick; J. Gallick, Overland; H. B. Haines, Knox; J. Hengeveld, Stevens-Duryea; G. A. Post, Winton; G. Vanderclock, Ford; G. Dewitt Brown, Maxwell; J. Schofield, Corbin; Walter Hudson, Overland. The contest was started at 10 o'clock in the morning, there being three minutes headway between the cars, and was witnessed by a large crowd which gathered about the starting point whenever the cars were scheduled to pass there. The route led through Haledon, Pompton, Mountain View, Singac and Little Falls, and included some stiff hills.

SWARTHMORE WINS AT LACROSSE.

Swarthmore defeated Stevens at lacrosse yesterday in a well played game at Swarthmore. The score was 8—3, Stevens making all its goals in the second half.

ON THE GOLF LINKS

EAST JERSEY TOURNEY.

The Canoe Brook Country Club Wins the Team Competition.

Match and medal play varied an attractive programme for East Jersey Golf League members in their one day tournament on the links of the Canoe Brook Country Club yesterday. Team honors were won by the home quartet with a thirty-six-hole total of 766, which easily led the Forest Hill Field Club.

According to the conditions the two lowest in the morning qualified to meet at match play for a prize in the afternoon. They were F. W. Baldwin and H. D. Smith, both representatives of the Glen Ridge Golf Club. Smith had 83 and Baldwin 87.

In the afternoon match Baldwin, besides playing good golf, had all the luck, and won by 5 up and 3 to play. The pair finished out so as to have their scores count in the afternoon handicap, and Baldwin won that event as well, with 82—7—75.

E. E. Allsopp, of Forest Hill, was second in the handicap with 79 net, while J. J. Radel, George Allsopp and Smith tied for third prize, and on the toss Smith won. The latter, with Baldwin for a partner, also won the four-ball competition in the morning, with 38—41—79.

Tom Chisholm, the professional, had the course in excellent condition, though it was a trifle soggy from the recent rains. The scores follow:

HANDICAP.

	Gross.	Handicap.	Net.
F. W. Baldwin, Glen Ridge	82	7	75
E. E. Allsopp, Forest Hill	92	13	79
H. D. Smith, Glen Ridge	89	8	81
J. J. Radel, Forest Hill	94	13	81
George Allsopp, Forest Hill	101	20	81
E. L. Downs, Canoe Brook	100	16	84
W. H. Burnett, Forest Hill	96	12	84
Robert Kuebler, Forest Hill	101	16	85
Herman Egner, Forest Hill	95	9	86
W. Pell, Canoe Brook	94	8	86
C. T. Letson, New Brunswick	96	10	86
R. Ogden, Canoe Brook	93	7	86
C. A. Seeley, Forest Hill	105	18	87
Harry Allsopp, Forest Hill	97	10	87
H. L. Scott, New Brunswick	103	16	87
F. A. Wright, Canoe Brook	96	7	89
W. W. Lyon, Forest Hill	108	17	91
C. A. McCormick, New Brunswick	104	12	92
G. F. Dodd, Canoe Brook	108	13	95
A. V. Taylor, Forest Hill	102	3	99
K. R. Wilson, New Brunswick	107	9	98
Thomas Allsopp, Forest Hill	121	22	99

FOUR BALL COMPETITION.

	Out.	In.	T'l
H. D. Smith and F. W. Baldwin, Glen Ridge	38	41	79
F. R. Hill and R. Ogden, Canoe Brook	44	40	84
W. G. Thomas and K. R. Wilson, New Brunswick	45	43	88
H. Egner and Harry Allsopp, Forest Hill	43	44	87
C. A. McCormick and L. T. Letson, New Brunswick	45	43	88
F. A. Wright and F. W. Pell, Canoe Creek	45	45	90
R. D. Lyon and Lee Gwynne, Canoe Brook	44	46	90
J. T. Lintott and J. J. Radel, Forest Hill	47	46	93
Paul Hiller and A. V. Taylor, Forest Hill	46	49	95
H. L. Scott and H. E. Morris, New Brunswick	46	49	95
C. G. Whitman and W. W. Lyon, Forest Hill	50	47	97

BIG MATCH ON FOX HILLS LINKS.

Home Team Beats Advertisers, with Forty-four Players on a Side.

In a forty-four a side team match at the Fox Hills Golf Club yesterday the home players defeated the Association of Advertising Men by a score of 56 to 27.

The summary follows:

FOX HILLS.		ADVERTISING ASSOC.	
Dr. A. H. Thoms	2	E. J. Ridgway	0
H. V. Carrere	0	Roy V. Sommerville	1
J. M. Fleming	0	Stacy Bender	0
W. E. Holm	3	D. L. Hedges	0
P. W. Pogson	0	William H. Childs	0
Frank Sears	1	Parrish Watson	0
A. H. Pogson	0	A. W. Erickson	3
J. B. Wooten	0	J. C. Platt	1
H. F. Ives	2	F. J. Ross	0
George Adams	0	H. E. Crall	3
J. W. McElenamy	3	F. W. Shibley	0
Charles L. Smith	0	C. A. Speekman	0
William Boyd	3	J. D. Woodward	0
H. B. McClellan	0	E. A. Townley	1
W. J. Henderson	0	J. L. Tedford	1
G. W. Beckel	3	O. H. Blockman	0
J. D. McCollum	0	W. M. Ostrander	0
W. G. Hoople	0	William C. Freeman	0
R. T. Allen	1	L. A. Hamilton	0
H. Cozens Hardy	3	C. A. Porter	0
H. S. Hungerford	0	F. M. Harrison	0
L. H. Graham	3	George H. Perry	0
J. S. Marvin	2	R. R. Mamlok	0
George E. Fawcett	3	R. S. Wood	0
J. M. Ayer	3	E. C. Conlon	0
P. T. Grandin	2	A. Butt	0
F. S. Pusey	3	C. H. Pope	0
C. A. Stover	0	E. C. Johnson	1
T. F. Lee	0	A. S. Bonnerll	3
J. Elmer O'Donohue	0	J. S. Eggers	2
W. P. Haskell	0	A. S. Higgins	0
F. B. Barrett	3	W. J. Ryan	0
B. S. Bottome	1	E. Conklin	0
C. McGhee	0	C. W. Inslee	3
L. Teft	0	Dr. B. L. Dunn	2
J. W. Deans	0	S. C. Love	1
B. A. Bullock	3	John Hadcock	0
Frank P. Riley	1	George L. Wheelock	0
J. R. Beard	0	E. H. Eikel	2
W. S. Kimball	3	L. B. Palmer	0
G. E. Armstrong	1	F. Keating	0
W. J. Fleming	3	George J. Webster	0
Dr. R. M. Davenport	2	O. B. Merrill	0
J. G. Johnson	0	R. C. Wilson	3

BALTUSROL BEATS APAWAMIS.

Wins Sixteen a Side Golf Match by a Score of 28 to 11.

Baltusrol defeated Apawamis yesterday in a big team match played on the Baltusrol links by 28 to 11. The summary follows:

BALTSUROL.		APAWAMIS.	
E. N. Stout	0	H. S. Graves	3
T. T. Reid	0	H. V. Phillips	0
Walter Kobbe	2	T. D. Foot	0
W. L. Daley	4	A. B. Ashforth	0
E. C. Van Vleck	0	W. H. Pool	4
L. R. Bayard, jr.	2	C. H. Seely	0
Howard Giffin	0	E. C. Fuller	1
C. F. Watson	0	F. F. Wheeler	1
S. O. Vander Poel, jr.	2	F. A. Moore	1
S. P. Davidge	0	A. S. Thurston	2
W. E. Marcus	2	H. A. Sherman	0
C. T. Sullivan	4	F. S. Douglas	0
R. W. Candler	4	C. A. Stafford	0
R. G. Colt	2	W. R. Thurston	0
F. R. Upton, jr.	2	J. H. McCurdy	0
T. A. King	4	H. P. Clark	0
Total	28	Total	11

E. L. Luder won the sweepstakes handicap with 94—20—74 and was also the third qualifier for the Taylor cup.

DYKER MEADOW GOLF CLUB.

W. de Forest Johnson won the second monthly handicap played yesterday on the links of the Dyker Meadow Golf Club, near Fort Hamilton, Brooklyn. His net score was 74 from 13 handicap.

Marshall Whitlatch, the club champion, had the best gross score of the day. The scores follow:

	Gross.	Handicap.	Net.
W. De Forest Johnson	87	13	74
E. B. Miller	96	18	76
J. S. Jones	86	7	79
J. E. Butts	105	24	81
H. T. Matthews	89	8	81
F. E. Storm, jr.	92	9	83
Marshall Whitlatch	85	6	83
C. J. Crooball	87	3	84
J. D. Hapgood	93	7	86
W. B. Rhett	88	2	86
C. S. Mallett	102	14	88

ENGLEWOOD GOLF CLUB.

The members of the Englewood Golf Club competed yesterday in an 18-hole bogie competition, which was won by S. W. Miller, 3 down. Cyrus Jackson was second, 4 down. L. W. Ball and T. W. Lamonte finished 5 down, and J. Barber was 7 down.

NORTH JERSEY, 21; YOUNTAKAH, 13.

[By Telegraph to The Tribune.]

Paterson, N. J., May 16.—The first match of the season on the North Jersey Country Club's grounds was played to-day with the Yountakah Club, of Nutney, before a large gallery. Former Governor Griggs was in good form and aided materially in bringing the victory to the local club, which won the match, 21 to 13. The score follows:

NORTH JERSEY		YOUNTAKAH.	
Cunningham	0	Martin	0
Collier	0	Williams	3
Abbott	2	Rall	0
Case	0	Phillips	1
Gedney	0	Geer	1
Gray	2	Giles	0
Baxter	5	Wilkins	0
Griggs	8	Clair	0
Goodbody	0	Luce	2
Mallalieu	4	Stinson	0
Total	21	Total	13

THE ARDSLEY CLUB.

Arthur G. Morris won the eighteen-hole, medal play handicap at the Ardsley Club yesterday by a margin of eight strokes. His card read: 87—17—70. A large field started and twenty-five returned cards. The leading scores follow:

	Gross.	Handicap.	Net.
Arthur G. Morris	87	17	70
George E. Boardman	91	13	78
M. L. Sands	105	27	78
W. W. Taylor	89	7	82
A. G. Barron	90	8	82
L. M. Greer	94	10	84
J. W. Johnson	97	13	84
J. Marks	104	20	84
C. W. Clark	103	18	85
C. L. Dana	100	15	85
D. Rollam	103	27	86
John French	102	14	88

BULLS AND BEARS OUT.

Lindsley Tappin Wins the Stock Exchange Tournament.

Close finishes marked the twelfth annual golf tournament of the New York Stock Exchange at the Knollwood Country Club yesterday. Lindsley Tappin led the way in the eighteen hole medal play handicap with a card of 79—8—71, while H. H. Henry and C. H. Thieriot tied for second place with net scores of 73. Tappin also tied with W. R. Simons for the low gross score, both getting 79. Their cards read as follows:

W. R. Simons—										
Out	6	3	5	6	4	4	3	4	4	—41
In	5	2	3	5	4	4	6	4	5	—38—79
Lindsley Tappin—										
Out	3	5	5	5	5	5	4	4	4	—40
In	5	3	4	6	4	4	6	3	4	—39—79

Daniel Chauncey, president of the United States Golf Association, did the handicapping, to the satisfaction of all. The scores were:

	Gross.	Handicap.	Net.
Lindsley Tappin	79	8	71
H. H. Henry	88	15	73
C. H. Thieriot	97	24	73
A. M. Hess	90	16	74
E. A. McCullough	89	15	74
D. Henry	101	27	74
F. P. Kimball	83	8	75
C. S. Lee	81	6	75
C. A. Libaire	86	11	75
C. J. Turner	91	16	75
C. M. Cohen	93	18	75
J. B. Mabon	91	14	77
H. E. Dewing	92	15	77
L. S. Kerr	81	4	77
C. M. Hall	81	4	77
C. E. Chapman	95	18	77
C. F. Watson, jr.	82	5	77
J. H. McCullough	98	20	78
H. F. Whitney	81	3	78
C. Runyon, jr.	89	10	79
W. R. Simons	79	0	79
E. T. Laidlaw	91	11	80
E. Hellman	96	16	80
G. C. Greenway, jr.	88	8	80
F. F. Carey	92	12	80
D. A. Loring, jr.	89	9	80
H. W. Warner	101	20	81
W. H. Rogers	89	8	81
B. N. Busch	94	12	82
Daniel Bacon	92	9	83
E. H. Jewett	97	14	83
R. Underhill	93	10	83
W. J. Currie	104	20	84
C. M. Washburne	96	12	84
Daniel Chauncey	87	3	84
R. J. Furbeck	94	8	86
Joseph S. Bach	96	10	86
G. C. Miller	106	20	86
W. B. Potts	99	12	87
S. F. Morris, jr.	100	12	88
N. S. Walker, jr.	100	12	88

TRAVERS IN BEST FORM.

Beats Byers and Herreshoff in Huntingdon Valley Tournament.

Philadelphia, May 16.—Playing up to his best form, Jerome D. Travers, of Montclair, won another leg on the Lynnewood Hall cup to-day at the annual golf tournament of the Huntingdon Valley Country Club, at Noble, Penn., by defeating F. Herreshoff, of Garden City, and E. M. Byers, of the Allegheny Country Club. Travers won the tournament in 1906, and Herreshoff carried off the honors last year.

In the semi-final round to-day Travers was forced to the limit by Herreshoff and won by 2 up. In the final round Travers had things easier, defeating Byers 4 up and 3 to play.

In the final of the women's invitation golf tournament on the links of the Philadelphia Cricket Club, Mrs. Vanderbeck, of this city, defeated Miss Ayers, of the Merion Cricket Club, 5 up and 4 to play.

NASSAU COUNTRY CLUB.

In a bogie competition at the Nassau Country Club yesterday the "Colonel" was badly beaten. Several of the contestants finished up, and H. L. Batterman, who had bogie 5 down, won the first prize. The results were:

H. L. Batterman, 5 up; H. F. Whitney, 4 up; W. F. Richards, 4 up; H. W. Maxwell, 3 up; R. B. Honeyman, all square; W. H. Nicholls, 1 down; H. L. Pratt, 1 down; W. J. Evans, 2 down; F. M. Doubleday, 2 down.

ST. ANDREWS GOLF CLUB.

In the semi-annual handicap at the St. Andrews Golf Club yesterday the winner was G. S. Reeves, with 93—18—75. The scores were:

	Gross.	Hicap.	Net.
G. S. Reeves	93	18	75
R. Lamb	96	20	76
G. S. Reeves	93	18	75
T. A. Matthews	92	12	80
W. F. Smith	82	2	80
H. Robinson	89	2	87
George Kingsley	91	12	89

MOLLENHAUER IN FORM.

Wins Harlem Trophy Easily—Hackett and Alexander Triumph.

Playing up to the form which brought him such success last season, Henry J. Mollenhauer, of the Kings County Lawn Tennis Club, won the trophy for singles in the Harlem open meeting yesterday. In every department of his game Mollenhauer was at his best. He took the final in straight sets, and just before entering upon this competition on the courts, at 131st street and Seventh avenue, he had won a hard match in the semi-final round, which had gone the length of twenty-eight games. In this semi-final he scored at 8—6 and 8—6 against Joseph F. Condon, of the Westchester Club, whose showing in this tournament has caused him to be rated as one of the headiest young players seen upon the courts in a long while. Mollenhauer met Paret in the final, defeating him, 9—7, 7—5 and 6—3. The summary follows:

Men's open singles (semi-final round)—Henry J. Mollenhauer, Kings County Lawn Tennis Club, defeated Joseph F. Condon, Westchester, 8—6, 8—6.

Final round—Henr. J. Mollenhauer, Kings County, defeated J. P. Paret, New York, 9—7, 7—5, 6—3.

Men's open doubles (second round)—Joseph F. Condon and G. Smith, Westchester and West Side, defeated S. W. Merrihew and J. C. Groesbeck, Elizabeth Town and Country Club, 8—6, 7—5.

Consolation singles (first round)—H. Bassford defeated R. M. Beckley, 6—4, 7—5; A. Bassford, jr., defeated W. M. Chase, 6—4, 5—7, 7—5; Roy Richey defeated G. Smith, 6—5, 6—3; W. M. Fischer won from A. Gunther by default; E. Leo defeated H. W. Robinson, 6—3, 6—4; R. Barnes defeated E. Leventritt, 4—6, 7—5, 6—3.

Second round—W. M. Fischer defeated E. Leo, 4—6, 10—8, 6—4; R. R. Barnes won from P. J. Phaelen by default.

In a rattling set-to of volleying lawn tennis, the national doubles champions, Frederick B. Alexander and Harold H. Hackett, beat in five straight sets, allowing only ten games, the pair composed of Malcolm D. Whitman and Theodore Roosevelt Pell. The score of the match was 6—2, 6—2, 6—0, 6—2, 6—4, and it marked the formal opening of the courts of the New York Lawn Tennis Club, 123d street and Manhattan avenue. Just before this match the championship pennant of the Metropolitan League, won by the New Yorks last season, was raised. A singles match closed the day, Gustave F. Touchard defeating Robert T. Bryan, 5—7, 6—3, 8—6.

RECTOR EQUALS RECORD.

Virginian Runs 100 Yards in 9 3-5 Seconds Against Strong Wind.

Charlottesville, Va., May 16.—Rector, of the University of Virginia, with a strong south wind against him ran a hundred yards to-day in 9 3-5 seconds, equalling the world's record, held by Dan Kelly, of Oregon. He also ran the 220-yard distance in 21 4-5 seconds, not far behind Wefer's long standing record. The records to-day make his recent performance in the 100-yard dash, when four timers caught him at the tape in 9 2-5 seconds, seem more credible.

Rector made his wonderful times to-day on a soggy track, drenched yesterday, against Johns Hopkins. Virginia won the meet by a score of 75 to 21.

RUTGERS ATHLETES BEAT C. C. N. Y.

New Brunswick, N. J., May 14.—Four Rutgers records were broken at the track meet here this afternoon between the Rutgers and the College of the City of New York teams. Rutgers won the meet by the score of 70 to 34. The records were made by Thompson, who clipped off 13 seconds in the two-mile run; McDonald, who lowered the record in the 440-yard run 1 3-5 seconds; Bascom, who took off three inches in the broad jump, and Geis, who gained one-third of an inch on his pole vault record.

NAVY ATHLETES BEAT SWARTHMORE.

Annapolis, May 16.—The midshipmen closed their field and track season at the academy this afternoon by defeating the team of Swarthmore College. The score was: Navy, 68½ points; Swarthmore, 27½ points.

YALE WINS DUAL MEET

CRIMSON ATHLETES LOSE.

Blue Becomes Owner of Trophy by Victory—Contest a Close One.

Cambridge, Mass., May 16.—Speed and strength in the track events enabled Yale to defeat Harvard in the Stadium in the annual dual games to-day by a score of 60 1-5 to 43 4-5 points. The victory also gave Yale permanent possession of the trophy offered in 1901, the Blue having defeated Harvard since that time on five occasions. Harvard won the first trophy in 1900.

For eleven of the thirteen events to-day the contest between the athletes of the two colleges was a close and interesting one, the two teams being seldom more than a few points apart. Late in the afternoon, however, Yale captured, as was expected, all the points in both the hammer throw and the pole vault, which settled the contest.

No records were broken, although Robbins, of Yale, ran the high hurdles in 15 1-5 seconds, equal to the world's record, but the figures were not allowed by Mr. Sullivan, the referee, as there was a slight wind in the runners' favor. Fast time was also made in the half mile and the mile.

The four thousand spectators who sat in the warm sunshine of the Stadium, however, saw some grand running, with sensational finishes; some excellent leaping, especially in the pole vault, and some splendid examples of endurance. They were especially thrilled by the contest in the mile, the best event of the afternoon.

Spitzer, of Yale, the favorite, went out in the lead at the start, and held it for the first half mile. Then Miller, of Harvard, overhauled him, and at one time drew away nearly twenty yards. On the turn from the backstretch in the last lap Cooney came up strong, and one hundred yards from the finish passed the Harvard man. Miller then sprinted, and just managed to overhaul Cooney ten yards from the tape, when Spitzer, by a spurt, came up very fast, and, rushing by both, won by a short yard. An ordinary blanket would have covered all three.

Unfavorable reports from New Haven as to Stevens's condition were entirely belied by the performances of that runner in the two sprints, both of which he won without effort in fairly good time, the 100-yard dash being made in ten seconds flat. La Montagne, of Yale, was considerably faster than any other of his competitors in the quarter mile, while in the half mile Whitcher, of