

League Baseball Racing Yachting Polo Other Sports

GIANTS BEAT PIRATES MURRAY'S LONG DRIVE PROVES FRUITFUL

Wiltse Also Helps by Pitching a Strong Game Against League Leaders.

The Giants hauled down one black flag yesterday. They saw the Pirate craft from Pittsburgh in the offing, were off in an instant and sprang a surprise on Skipper Clarke and his crew of buccaners by boarding before the enemy was fairly awake. There never was anything to the first game of the great baseball series which began at the Polo Grounds yesterday after the first inning, when the...

Keen Play in Lawn Tennis Doubles Wrenn Brothers Beaten After Being Six Times Within One Point of Winning on Westchester Courts.

Robert D. Wrenn and George L. Wrenn, Jr., engaged Edwin P. Larned and his impromptu partner, Alfred Badley, yesterday, in the feature match of the third day of the doubles for the Westchester Cups on the turf courts of the Country Club of Westchester. While the Wrenn brothers played with that dogged pluck which has always been a source of wonderment to many of their opponents and has turned the tide of defeat many times, they were not successful in holding off the younger Larned and Badley. Six times in the second set the Wrenn brothers were within one point of the match, only to lose at 5-7, 8-6, 6-3.

Mathew and West deep in their court and passing them for the aces with cleverly executed shots. Robert M. Beckley gained his place in the semi-final round of the Bronxville Cup lawn tennis singles yesterday on the courts of the Bronxville Athletic Association. Altogether, Beckley, put up a fine lawn tennis match of fifty-five games in two matches. He met Mortimer S. Well in his first match, and only disposed of that persistent player by the score of 2-6, 6-3, 6-4.

TURF IDOL SHATTERED FITZ HERBERT CROWNED

Hilarious Badly Beaten in Race for Advance Stakes.

S. C. Hildreth's Suburban Handicap winner, Fitz Herbert, gave James R. Keene's Hilarious, such an awful beating in the Advance Stakes at weight for age at Sheepshead Bay yesterday that what promised to be the greatest turf duel in recent years degenerated into a procession. The son of Ethelbert-Morganatic not only shattered a turf idol in Hilarious, but made the Vicer colt look like the cheapest kind of a selling player. It was almost pitiable to see Hilarious, unbeaten in three races this year, struggling along through the stretch some six or eight lengths behind Fitz Herbert, which was hardly more than cantering to win as he pleased.

ROCKAWAY FOUR LOSES. Easily Beaten at Polo by Meadow Brook Second Team.

Cedarhurst, Long Island, July 8.—Overcoming a handicap of nine goals, the Meadow Brook second team defeated the second four of the Rockaway Hunting Club in the semi-final match for the Rockaway Hunting Club polo cups to-day. Rockaway scored only once in the game, and Meadow Brook, though forced to play hard, showed much greater strength throughout. The summary follows:

Table with 2 columns: Meadow Brook 2D, Rockaway 2D. Scores: Meadow Brook 2D, 1-0; Rockaway 2D, 0-1.

CORONA LEADS FLEET FIRST IN AT NEWPORT

The Aurora Beats the Istalena in Long Yacht Race.

Newport, R. I., July 8.—The schooner Corona, owned by Cleveland H. Dodge, familiar to Newport yachtsmen, swept past Brenton's Reef Lightship to-day the winner in her class and the leader of the yachts which participated in the 111 mile run of the New York Yacht Club along the southern New England coast. She passed the lightship at 7:30 a. m. Ten minutes later the 11-foot schooner Aurora, owned by former Commodore Cornelius Vanderbilt, finished, the winner in her class and the leader of the single stickers. The rest of the fleet followed leisurely, so that it was after five o'clock the entire fleet was at anchor in the harbor and the committee had figured out the winners.

BIG PURSE FOR FIGHT Ketchel and Langford to Meet at Ely for Title and \$25,000.

San Francisco, July 8.—Stanley Ketchel and Sam Langford will fight to a finish in Ely, Nev., on Labor Day, September 6, for the middleweight championship of the world and a purse of \$25,000. This was the announcement made late yesterday by Willis Britt, manager of Ketchel. Tex Hall, said to be representing a syndicate of mining men of Nevada, has been in this city for several days attempting to arrange the match, and yesterday Willis Britt agreed to accept his terms. Ketchel will sign the agreement to-night and the articles will then be sent to Boston for Langford's signature.

THE EASTERN LEAGUE. GAMES TO-DAY.

Table listing Eastern League games to-day, including Baltimore at Jersey City, Newark at Providence, etc.

RESULTS OF GAMES YESTERDAY.

Table listing results of Eastern League games from yesterday, including Baltimore at Jersey City, Newark at Providence, etc.

CONNECTICUT LEAGUE RESULTS.

Table listing Connecticut League results, including Holyoke, 10; New Haven, 7; Waterbury, 10; Springfield, 5.

SHEEPSHEAD BAY ENTRIES TO-DAY.

Table listing Sheepshead Bay entries to-day, including First Race, Second Race, etc.

Standings in Baseball Race

Table showing National League and American League standings, including Pittsburgh at New York, Cincinnati at Philadelphia, etc.

BROOKLYN RALLY FAILS PROTEST TO BE FILED.

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TWO GAMES FOR ST. LOUIS.

St. Louis, July 8.—St. Louis won two games from Chicago to-day by scores of 5 to 1 and 11 to 0. The feature of the first contest was the pitching by Scott and Dineen of the second.

CLEVELAND, 3; WASHINGTON, 2.

Cleveland, July 8.—Cleveland defeated Washington to-day by bunting hits in the sixth inning. Bradley double driving in the winning run. Falkenberg pitched good ball after the second inning. Washington had the bases full in the ninth inning, but could not score.

CHICAGO CUBS BEAT PHILLIES.

Philadelphia, July 8.—Chicago easily defeated Philadelphia to-day by a score of 8 to 2, both Molen and Richie being wild and ineffective. The score follows:

BOSTON, 10; ST. LOUIS, 6.

Boston, July 8.—A high wind blew clouds of dust across the field here to-day, making good playing almost impossible, in the game between St. Louis and Boston, which the latter won by a score of 10 to 6. The home team made seventeen hits off two pitchers. White was also hit hard, but was effective with men on bases.

Sporting Goods.

Advertisement for Spalding's Goods, featuring baseball bats, gloves, and other sports equipment. Includes text: 'Spalding's Goods', 'Baseball Bats', 'Gloves', etc.

WHERE TO DINE

Advertisement for various dining establishments including Cafe Boulevard, Gavanagh's, and Hotel Belmont. Includes text: 'Cafe Boulevard', 'Gavanagh's', 'Hotel Belmont'.

"AUTOMOBILE TOURS"

Advertisement for automobile tours and travel services. Includes text: 'Automobile Tours', 'Travelers', 'Hotels'.

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