ONE LITTLE RUN WAS ALL.

THE SENATORS EARNEST ESCAPED TWO COATS OF WHITEWASH.

Brooklyn Pushed Philadelphia Down Again, and Cleveland and Boston Also Came Out On Top—St. Louis Beat Chicago, and Cincinnati Won from Pittsburgh.

If the New Yorks can subdue the unruly Orioles, the prospects are good that Powers's men will be in third place by Saturday night, and so close to the team in second position as to be ready to take advantage of the slightest slip. Brooklyn and Boston play to-day, and one or the other must tumble. If each wins a game and New York captures both from Baltimore, so much the better. Cleveland has no scheduled game to-day and none postponed, so there is a chance for some team to get to the front. The strong fighters are gradually pushing the weaker ones to the rear, and but one Western team ornaments the first division. It is questionable if the Forest City men can hang to the top for any length of time. Yesterday's games resulted as follows:

New York, 5; Washington, 1.
Brooklyn, 5; Philadelphia, 4.
St. Louis, 6; Chicago, 1.
Boston, 6; Baltimore, 4.
Cincinnati, 12; Pittsburgh, 5.
Cleveland, 4; Louisville, 2.

THE SECOND.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Pr. Ct.	Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Pr. Ct.
Cleveland	69	5	.932	Cincinnati	9	8	.500
Brooklyn	62	6	.912	Chicago	7	10	.412
Boston	62	6	.912	Pittsburgh	7	10	.412
New York	10	8	.626	Washington	7	11	.389
Baltimore	9	8	.529	Louisville	6	12	.333
Philadelphia	9	8	.529	St. Louis	4	13	.235

NEW YORK, 5; WASHINGTON, 1.

The Washingtons came very near leaving New York with eighteen ripe goose eggs in their bat bags. For six innings yesterday's game they were baffled in their efforts to coax a man from first to the home plate, but in the seventh they broke the spell, scored a run and departed in happiness. Rusie was a big a stumbling block to the Senators as was Crane, and up to the ninth inning but three little singles had been accumulated by the visiting batsmen. Duffee surprised himself with a double in the ninth, but even that failed to add any to the run column. The New Yorks played with the usual dash and won additional approval. Doyle resumed his proper place behind the bat and played grandly, his quick throws to first being a feature. Burke put up a rattling game at second, and topped off his fine work with a vicious drive in the eighth to right centre for a home run.

Doyle is certainly regaining his batting form. He placed the ball safely each of the four times he went to the bat, and in addition was twice hit in the back of the head with thrown balls. Harry Lyons continues to hit well, and the entire team play spiritedly and successfully.

The Senators got their only run in the Seventh. Berger started off with a base on balls, and went to second, when Denny Lyons fumbled Abbey's ground hit and Berger hit for Burke, and Abbey was forced out at second, but Berger got to third. Duffee hit a hot grounder to Fuller, who was unable to catch Berger at the plate, and as but one man was out, the run was sure to score. Fuller tossed the ball to Burke to catch Abbey at second, but Burke dropped the ball, and all hands were safe. On Robinson's foul fly, caught by Doyle, Richardson took third, and then Duffee stole second. Both were left, as Burke caught Radford's fly.

The New Yorks started off briskly in the first. Burke opened with a clean single to right and stole second, although he appeared to be out. However, Tiernan was declared out in the sixth when he appeared to be safe, and that evened matters. The final result was not affected by the error of Fitzpatrick. He took third on a wild pitch. Then H. Lyons was sent to first, and Doyle's sacrifice grounder enabled Burke to cross the plate and Lyons to reach second. Tiernan's out put H. Lyons on third, and D. Lyons went to first on balls. The latter ran to second and H. Lyons scored on the throw. O'Rourke sent a fly to Duffee.

The New Yorks had men on bases in the second and third, but not till the fifth did they score again. O'Rourke opened with a base on balls, and Doyle followed with a single. Rusie hit to Richardson, who touched second, then retiring Doyle, and then tried to throw to first to complete the double play. Instead of throwing the ball to Milligan, he threw it against Jack Doyle's head with a force that gave that tall young man a headache. O'Rourke scored and Rusie was safe at first. Richardson tried to convince Lynch that Doyle purposely put his head in the way, but the umpire could not see it that way. Doyle saturated his head with ice water, and Richardson ended the inning by double-teaming Rusie and Fuller.

Burke celebrated the seventh inning with a drive to right centre that gave him an easy home run, and in the ninth Doyle made his fourth single, took second on a wild pitch, and scored on H. Lyons's single. There were 1,397 persons in attendance, and they thoroughly enjoyed the good work of the New Yorks. The score:

NEW YORK.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.	WASHINGTON.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Burke, 2d b	1	2	2	2	0	Radford, r.f	0	1	4	0	1
H. Lyons, c.f	1	2	0	0	0	Dowd, 2d b	0	1	1	4	0
Doyle, c	0	0	2	3	0	Miligan, c.f	0	1	0	0	1
Tiernan, r.f	0	0	1	0	0	Belcherly, c.f	0	0	1	0	0
D. Lyons, 3b	0	1	2	2	0	Clements, c	0	1	6	1	1
O'Rourke, l.f	1	0	0	0	0	Abbey, p	0	0	0	1	1
Doyle, 1st b	1	4	9	2	0	Richardson, s.s	0	0	4	7	1
Rusie, p	0	0	0	0	0	Duffee, l.f	1	1	1	0	0
Fuller, s.s	0	1	6	1	1	Robinson, 3b	0	0	0	1	1
Totals	5	9	27	14	3	Totals	1	4	27	14	4

New York	2	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	1	—5
Washington	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	—1

Earned runs—New York, 2. Two-base hit—Duffee. Home run—Burke. Sacrifice hits—Doyle (2), Tiernan, Hoy, Robinson. Stolen bases—Burke, H. Lyons, D. Lyons, Dowd, Duffee. First base on errors—New York, 1; Washington, 2. First base on balls—Off Rusie, 5; off Abbey, 7. Struck out—By Rusie, 1; by Abbey, 2. Left on bases—New York, 8; Washington, 8. Double plays—Fuller and Doyle; Duffee and Dowd; Richardson, Dowd, and Miligan. Wild pitches—Rusie, 1; Abbey, 2. Umpire—Lynch. Time—1:55.

BROOKLYN, 5; PHILADELPHIA, 4.

It was only at the close of the game at Eastern Park yesterday that the Brooklyns pulled themselves together and helped Stein out of a rather bad predicament. At other times Stein had to rely upon himself alone. Knell, Philadelphia's new pitcher, had a hard time of it. He had fair control of the ball, but he had practically no support. When sharp playing would have counted it was backing.

It all began in the second inning, after an inning and a half of comparatively good play. Dan Brouthers hit the ball to left field and reached second base just as the ball came to Allen. That player let it go through his hands, and Dan got to third. Hallman thought to retrieve Allen's error by throwing to Cross, but he was too eager. The ball went past third and Dan got all the way home.

Cross further disconcerted Knell in the third by letting Griffin's bounder get away from him. Mike went to second on a base on balls given to Corcoran, and had nearly stolen third on Clements when Ward hit the ball safely to right field. Griffin rounded third and crossed the plate. Further run getting was here prevented when Hellman pulled down Brouthers's high bounder, threw Ward out at second, and doubled up Brouthers at first.

Errors accounted for the runs which the Brooklyns made in the fourth inning. Burns went to first on four balls, and stole second and third. Cross fumbled Foutz's ground hit and went to second on Connor's error, and Burns trotted home. Dave had no difficulty in stealing third, and he made his run on Johnson's beauty to centre field.

In the seventh the Brooklyns concluded to add to their score, and it is lucky that they did. Griffin hit a corking two-base hit to left field and came home on Corcoran's single beyond short field. After the run had been scored, third Philadelphian completed another double play. Ward hit to Hallman, and after Corcoran had been put out at second Allen caught Ward at first. In the ninth inning Cross hit one of Stein's guessers to left field. The sun was in Foutz's eyes, and he misjudged the ball. The result was that Cross reached third. When Foutz got the ball he sent it over Corcoran's head to Ward, who have thrown it to the plate, only there would was no one there, so Cross scored. Allen struck out, after which Knell got his base on balls and Hamilton singled. Connor delighted the crowd with a two-bagger to left. Knell and Hamilton scored, and it looked like a tie. Hallman, however, fled to Brouthers, and Roger, supposing two were already out, made for third. Brouthers threw the ball to Ward and Roger was out too. The score:

BROOKLYN.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.	PHILADELPHIA.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Griffin, c.f	2	2	1	0	0	Hamilton, l.f	1	2	1	0	0
Corcoran, s.s	0	1	2	0	2	Connor, 1st b	0	1	10	1	1
Ward, 2d b	0	1	3	5	1	Hallman, 2d b	0	1	2	6	1
Brouthers, 1b	1	2	11	1	1	Thompson, r.f	0	1	0	0	0
Burns, r.f	1	0	1	0	0	Delehanty, c.f	0	0	1	0	0
Daly, 3d b	0	1	1	2	0	Clements, c	0	1	6	1	1
Foutz, l.f	1	0	3	0	0	Cross, 3d b	1	2	0	3	2
Kinslow, c	0	2	5	1	1	Allen, s.s	1	1	2	5	1
Stein, p	0	0	0	2	0	Knell, p	1	0	2	1	0
Totals	5	8	27	11	5	Totals	4	9	24	15	6

Brooklyn	0	1	1	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	—5
Philadelphia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	3	—4

Earned runs—Brooklyn, 1. Philadelphia, 2. First base by error—Brooklyn, 2. Philadelphia, 3. Left on bases—Brooklyn, 6. Philadelphia, 8. First base on balls—off Stein, 2; off Knell, 4. Struck out—By Stein, 5; by Knell, 5. Home run—Cross. Three-base hit—Allen. Two-base hits—Connor, Brouthers, Griffin. Sacrifice hits—Daly, Foutz, Stein, Cross, Thompson, Delehanty. Stolen bases—Burns (3), Griffin, Hamilton (2). To assist. Double play—Brouthers and Daly. Wild pitches—Allen and Clements. Umpire—Emslie. Time—1:53. Attendance—3,028.

ST. LOUIS, 6; CHICAGO, 1.

St. Louis, Aug. 4.—The reorganized St. Louis Browns put up a splendid game against Chicago to-day. The score:

ST. LOUIS.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.	CHICAGO.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Gore, c.f	0	0	2	0	0	Ryan, c.f	0	2	0	0	1
Glasscock, s.s	0	0	3	5	0	Parrott, 3d b	0	0	3	6	0
Carroll, l.f	0	1	2	0	0	Dahlen, s.s	0	1	2	4	1
Werrick, 1st b	0	1	11	1	0	Anson, 1st b	0	1	5	0	2
Caruthers, r.f	1	1	0	0	1	Wilmot, l.f	0	0	1	0	1
Crooks, 2d b	0	1	3	4	0	Hanivan, 2d b	0	1	2	3	0
Lake, 3d b	2	0	3	2	0	Decker, r.f	0	1	0	0	0
Breitenstein, p	0	1	1	3	2	Hutchison, p	0	1	0	5	0
Buckley, c	1	3	6	0	0	Schriver, c	0	0	5	2	0
Totals	6	8	27	11	3	Totals	1	6	27	18	4

St. Louis	1	0	0	0	2	1	0	1	1—6
Chicago	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0—1

Earned run—St. Louis. First base on errors—St. Louis, 2; Chicago, 1. Left on bases—St. Louis, 7; Chicago, 6. First base on balls—Off Breitenstein, 3; on Hutchison, 4. Struck out—By Breitenstein, 5; by Hutchison, 1. Home run—Buckley. Two-base hit—Werrick. Sacrifice hits—Gore, Werden, Breitenstein, Hutchison, Ryan. Stolen bases—Carroll, Werden, Hutchison, Hanivan. Double play—Anson (unassisted). Passed balls—Buckley, 2; Schriver, 1. Wild pitch—Hutchison. Time—1:40. Umpire—McQuade.

BOSTON, 6; BALTIMORE, 4.

Boston, Aug. 4.—Boston played a bad fielding game to-day, but the visitors' hits were scattered and up with or less useless until the last two innings, when the game near sinning. Capt. Stricker did not play, as he was suffering while the former was sitting in a chair at the game with a broken jaw, given him by Hulligan last Hallinan. The score:

BOSTON.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.	BALTIMORE.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.
McCarthy, r.f	1	2	2	0	0	Shindle, 2d b	1	0	0	6	0
Duffy, c.f	0	0	1	0	0	V. Haltren, c.f	1	2	3	0	1
Long, s.s	2	2	2	4	2	Sutcliffe, 1b	1	2	13	0	1
Kelly, c	1	2	2	3	0	Stovey, l.f	0	1	0	0	0
Nash, 3d b	1	1	1	0	3	Hanlon, r.f	0	0	2	0	0
Tucker, 1st b	0	0	14	0	0	O'Rourke, s.s	0	3	6	3	0
Stivetts, l.f	0	1	3	0	0	Gunson, 2d b	0	1	0	4	0
Quinn, 2d b	0	0	2	5	1	Robinson, c	1	1	2	3	0
Staley, p	1	2	0	3	0	McMahon, p	0	0	0	2	1
Totals	6	11	27	14	6	Totals	4	11	27	15	3

Boston	0	0	0	2	0	0	4	0	0	—6
Baltimore	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	—4

Earned runs—Boston, 6; Baltimore, 1. First base on errors—Boston, 2; Baltimore, 5. Left on bases—Boston, 9; Baltimore, 8. First base on balls—Off Staley, 2; off McMahon, 3. Struck out—By Staley, 1; by McMahon, 1. Home run—Nash. Two-base hits—Stovey, Staley, Robinson. Sacrifice hits—Staley, McCarthy, Duffy, Shindle, Stovey, Hanlon. Stolen bases—McCarthy, Kelly, Nash. Double plays—Quinn, Long and Tucker; Gunson and Sutcliffe. Wild pitch—McMahon. Umpire—Gaffney. Time—1:55.

CINCINNATI, 12; PITTSBURGH, 5.

Cincinnati, Aug. 4.—The Reds tried Mike Sullivan, their new pitcher, this afternoon, and he proved a terror to the Pittsburghs. The score:

CINCINNATI.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.	PITTSBURGH.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.
McPhee, 2d b	3	1	6	6	0	Miller, c	1	1	7	0	1
Welch, c.f	3	2	0	0	0	Donovan, r.f	2	1	2	1	0
Latham, 3d b	2	3	1	4	1	Smith, l.f	1	1	3	0	0
O'Neill, l.f	1	1	2	0	0	Sugart, s.s	0	0	3	6	2
Holliday, r.f	0	2	2	0	0	Beckley, 1st b	0	2	8	2	0
Comiskey, 1b	0	0	10	0	0	Bierbauer, 2b	0	0	4	3	1
Genins, s.s	1	1	3	0	0	Farrell, 3d b	0	1	0	1	1
Harrington, c	0	1	8	1	0	Kelly, c.f	1	2	0	0	0
Sullivan, p	2	2	0	0	1	Baldwin, p	0	0	0	2	1
Totals	12	15	27	17	2	Totals	5	8	27	15	6

Cincinnati	2	0	0	2	0	3	0	5	0	0	—12
Pittsburgh	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	3	0	0	—5

Earned runs—Cincinnati, 4. First base on errors—Cincinnati, 4. First base on balls—Off Baldwin, 1; off Sullivan, 5. Struck out—By Sullivan, 2; by Baldwin, 3. Home runs—Welch, McPhee. Three-base hits—Welch, Beckley. Two-base hits—Smith, Beckley, O'Neill, Holliday. Sacrifice hits—Comiskey. Stolen bases—Holliday (2), O'Neill. Double plays—Genins, McPhee and Comiskey; Latham and Comiskey. Hit by pitcher—By Baldwin, 1. Wild pitches—Sullivan, 2. Passed balls—Miller (2), Harrington (4). Umpire—Snyder. Time—1:50.

CLEVELAND, 4; LOUISVILLE, 2.

Louisville, Aug. 4.—Young, the grand twirler of the Clevelands, had the Colonels completely at his mercy in to-day's game. The score:

LOUISVILLE.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.	CLEVELAND.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Brown, c.f	0	0	2	0	0	Childs, 2d b	0	0	5	6	0
Taylor, l.f	1	1	4	0	1	Burkett, l.f	3	4	2	0	1
Weaver, c	0	2	3	3	1	Davis, 3d b	1	1	2	4	1
Pfeffer, 2d b	0	0	6	3	0	McKean, s.s	0	2	1	5	1
Bassett, 3d b	0	0	2	2	0	Virtue, 1st b	0	0	16	2	0
Jennings, s.s	0	0	4	5	0	McAleer, c.f	0	0	2	0	0
Whistler, 1st b	0	1	8	1	1	O'Connor, r.f	0	1	1	0	0
Stratton, r.f	0	0	0	0	0	Zimmer, c	0	0	0	1	0
Sanders, p	1	0	1	1	0	Young, p	0	1	0	4	0
Totals	2	4	27	15	3	Totals	4	11	27	20	3

Louisville	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	—2
Cleveland	1	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	—4

Earned runs—Cleveland, 2; Louisville, 1. First base on errors—Louisville, 3. Left on bases—Louisville, 2; Cleveland, 4. First base on balls—Off Young, 1. Struck out—By Sanders, 1. Three-base hit—Burkett. Two-base hits—Weaver, Burkett. Sacrifice hits—Pfeffer (2), McAleer. Bassett, Stratton, Childs, Davis (2), Virtue, Wright. Stolen base—McAleer. Double play—Childs and Davis. Hit by pitcher—Zimmer. Passed balls—Weaver, 1; Zimmer, 1. Umpire—Hurst. Time—Two hours.

Eastern Association.

AT ROCHESTER.

Rochester	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0
Buffalo	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0—3

Base hits—Rochester, 7; Buffalo, 9. Errors—Rochester, 3; Buffalo, 5. Pitchers—Buffum and Fournier.

AT TROY.

Troy	0	0	1	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	—8
Albany	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0

Base hits—Troy, 13; Albany, 8. Errors—Troy, 1; Albany, 5. Pitchers—Welch and Taylor.

AT PROVIDENCE.

Providence	0	1	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	0	—4
Binghamton	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	—3

Base hits—Providence, 11; Binghamton, 6. Errors—Providence, 5; Binghamton, 2. Pitchers—Sullivan and Coughlin.

Baseball Notes.

Buck Ewing has unearthed a new doctor who says he will put the Mohigans arm in good shape in very short order.

The Engleswood Field Club have cancelled the games scheduled with the Oritani Field Club at Hackensack for Labor Day.

Umpire Frank Golden has been engaged for the remainder of the season at the Catholic Protectory grounds, Westchester, N. Y.

Manager Power seems to have poor luck with new players in one respect. Newman is still sick in bed, and word comes that McMahon, the new catcher, is ill, but not seriously.

King has decided to resume his place on the New York team. He did a fine coaching yesterday. Manager Powers will, however, continue to alternate Rusie and Crane in the box.

A game of baseball will be played to-day between the staff of physicians and surgeons at Blackwell's Island and the policemen of the Tenderloin precinct. This game is the result of a rivalry that has existed for several years between the doctors and policemen.

The Lorillard A. C. will tender a benefit to Fitzgerald, the ball player who contracted a fever while playing on the Lebanon (Pa.) team in the South last spring, at Lorillard field on Sunday. The attraction will be two ball games, St. Joseph Lyceum vs. Montgomery B. C. of Jersey City at 1 P. M., and the L. A. C. of Jersey City and the Strong Jerseys at the Ken at 4 P. M.

The Wall Street Club made a "Garrison finish" in a game with the Montague Club at Prospect Park on Wednesday. At the end of the 9th inning the score stood 8 to 2 in favor of the latter. Wayland's three base hit and a wild pitch won the game for the stockbrokers in the ninth inning. The final score was 12 to 11. The catching of Sames and Hutchins was the feature of the game.

The Paterson Baseball Club are anxious to arrange games with all professional and semi-professional clubs. The club have an enclosed grounds 550 by 600 feet, with grand stand accommodation for 2,000 spectators. An electric railway lands passengers at the box office, and as Sunday games are permitted, visiting clubs will not be obliged to play to empty seats. To play at home under the management of ex-Pitcher Jim McCormick of the Chicago Club, and are as follows: Toohey, late of Lebanon, catcher; Murphy, formerly of the New York League club, pitcher; Bowers, 1st b; Smith, s.s.; Kenzie, 2d b; Turner, l.f.; Lever, c.f.; Queeney, r.f. Communications should be addressed to H. D. Ramsey, 123 Market street, Paterson.

Baseball Games To-day.

NATIONAL LEAGUE AND AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

New York vs. Baltimore, at the Polo grounds.
Brooklyn vs. Boston, at Eastern Park.
Philadelphia vs. Washington, at Philadelphia.
St. Louis vs. Chicago, at St. Louis.

LAWLOR COMES TO TIME.

He Will Play the Australian Champion Two Games for $2,000 a Side.

John Lawlor, who was challenged by Jack Jones, the Australian champion, to play a double match for $1,000 a side and afterward a single match, called at THE SUN office last night and stated his willingness to make both matches. "I will accept Jones's den that he and Riordan will play myself and partner, and will also make a match with Jones single-handed. The two contests, however, must be made at the same time and for $1,000 a side each.

"I would prefer to play in the court of the Pastime Athletic Club of St. Louis, acknowledged to be one of the finest courts in the world. If there is any objection to this I will agree to play half of the games of the two matches in San Francisco and Brooklyn. The *San Francisco Call* to be stakeholder in the double match and THE NEW YORK SUN stakeholder in the single match.

"Before anything further is done, however, toward perfecting a match I will exact of Jones that he shall deposit $500 with the *Call* and $500 with THE SUN as an evidence of good faith. If this suits the Australian champion I will be pleased to have him draw up articles and transmit them to me as soon as possible."

"John, come around often. If you are in the neighborhood next Thursday I should be glad to see you. Never mind the matter of to-day; that will occur to Jones of its own. This was the parting remark of Alderman James Dunne to the ex-Irish champion, John Lawlor, as the latter emerged from the Brooklyn Handicap Circuit court yesterday. The ex-Alderman was in a particularly happy frame of mind. He and Prof. Coggins had just fanned Lawlor and a Tralee constituent named Dennis Shea. The latter is only about a fifth-rate player, but he is a very handy man in an emergency. The teams were on a fairly even basis at the start off, but not so much at the finish. The playing of the ex-Alderman and the Professor was of such a character as to make any team despondent. Lawlor and Dunne confined themselves to serving from the ace line principally, besides attending to the service in the entire three games. In the last game, with the score standing 1 to 11 in favor of Dunne and Coggins, Lawlor made one of his old-time efforts to turn the tide of battle by going to the front to serve. At one time it looked as if he was going to be successful, but in an unguarded moment he placed a ball too close to Coggins at the ace line, and the latter, who was watching for such chances, recovered it neatly, and that play settled the game, for the Professor and partner had no trouble in securing the necessary two aces to win the match. The score was:

J. Dunne, Sr., and Prof. Coggins.....11 21 21—53
John Lawlor and D. Shea.....21 17 18—56

Four "Gingaboos," that is, players with a straight and powerful right hand, but a crooked and uncertain left, unexpectedly appeared in a game for blood. The participants were Prof. Coggins and Major John Carmody against Robert Malcolm and Thomas Connor. The latter's all stage in weight and strength was generally thought to be too much for their opponents, but the Limerick and Castlebar pair knew a little too much for them, and when it came to the pinch they were the same out as they did. The scores were:

J. Carmody and Prof. Coggins.....21 21—42
R. Malcolm and T. Connor.....18 11—29

There is still considerable difference of opinion between Bobby Malcolm and Frankie Prendergast. Thus far the latter has rather the advantage, but Malcolm has announced his readiness to make a final test, and it is now left with the Dublin boy to give his concurrence.

It is said that Tom Lynam is ambitious to join the pugilistic ranks. If he makes as much headway in that business as he has at handball, he ought to meet with much success.

News of the Wheelmen.

ASBURY PARK, AUG. 4.—As a forerunner of the great bicycle meet which takes place on Friday and Saturday the Asbury Park wheelmen instituted a lantern bicycle parade for this evening. There were over 100 wheels in line, all decked out with gay ribbons and gorgeously illuminated with many colored lanterns. The effect of wheeling so fast through all the principal streets of the town and along the board walk. Great throngs watched the parade, and many of the hotels and cottages were decorated and lighted with red lights in honor of the cyclists.

Baseball Polo Grounds To-day.

League championship game. Baltimore vs. New York. Game 4 P. M. Admission 50 and 25c.—*Adv.*

Baseball, Eastern Park, 4 P. M. To-day.

Brooklyn vs. Boston. Admission 50c. and 25c. Express trains, 3:15, 3:30. Boston to morrow.—*Adv.*

KEMENY STILL LEADING.

Delmar Beats Hanham—Shotwell, White, and Graves Win.

SKANEATELES, Aug. 4.—The play for the cup is proceeding steadily. The first round was completed this afternoon and the second round will begin this evening. Kemeny has a clean score of four victories; his play has been very fine and has elicited much praise. Hanham's score at present is next to Kemeny's, but he has a very slight lead over Eno and Delmar, who press him closely for second place. Delmar yesterday defeated Eno to-day in a Petroff Defense, thirty-six moves. The position for a fence game was exceedingly close, but the City champion finally won.

The first class of the handicap is interesting. The play in Delmar's entrance gave a display of very exciting. Delmar to the fight, inasmuch as Delmar and Hanham were the possible winners from New York city, and Shipley and Voigt from Philadelphia. This afternoon's play decided the local champions, as Shipley drew with Voigt and has their Hanham easily, scores in the race. Delmar beat Hanham, Shipley takes place this evening, and, barring accidents, will determine the winner. To-day's play resulted as follows:

Sixth Round—Shipley beat Congdon, Young beat Delmar, Burlingame drew with Schieffelin.
Seventh Round—Goold beat Baker, Broughton beat Dixon, Searle beat Farnsworth.
Eighth Round—Delmar beat Hanham, Shipley drew with Voigt, Burlingame drew with Young, and Schieffelin beat Congdon.

In the second class Goold drew with Searle, Walter beat Dixon, Broughton beat Baker. The third-class championship has been decided; the boy phenomenon from Buffalo, F. D. Colson, had a clear lead and a won game, but by an oversight lost, which gave his nearest competitor, Dr. A. N. White of Cazenovia, the championship. The fourth-class winner is Mr. Graves of Syracuse. Mr. Hodges will give a simultaneous exhibition to-night against all comers. Some disappointment has been expressed by the members of the association over the fact that the *Staats Zeitung* Cup was not sent here by the Manhattan Chess Club, as it should have been, inasmuch as their year of controllership had expired. There are many players here who wished to see the trophy.

This evening Delmar draw with Shipley, and if he defeats Schieffelin in the final round will win the handicap. Shotwell of Skaneateles wins the second-class championship by the remarkable score of six and one-half games out of seven played. The handicap proper will be played to-morrow.

Sullivan Will Go to New Orleans on Sept. 1.

CANOE PLACE INN, Aug. 4.—Yesterday was a good test to the endurance of John L. Sullivan. He put in ten hours of almost continuous work, ending with a bath at 9 o'clock at night by moonlight. Then, after the toil of the day, he spent an hour studying the lines of his new play.

James Wakely and Jim Robinson, trainer for the Manhattan A. C., arrived late yesterday afternoon. Wakely told Sullivan that he had chartered a train to take his party to New Orleans. The cars are mainly for the use of the Bryant Athletic Club. A limited number of seats can be secured on application to Wakely at his place, Forty-second street and Sixth avenue. Sullivan will leave New York by the West Shore road on Sept. 1, and will arrive in New Orleans two days afterward. A special sleeping coach and baggage car have been provided for Sullivan and his trainer.

The big fellow will keep up training in the baggage car. He will take a tub full of boiled chicken and several quarts of ten to devour on the road. Sullivan will lodge while in New Orleans close to the pavilion where the fight is to take place. He will not attend any of the fights preceding his own, as he is afraid of the intense heat.

The floor of the ring will be made of sand, packed hard, so that the feet of the fighters will have a springy surface to rest on.

Sullivan is still quite lame.

Corbett Leaves for the Fighting Ground on Sept. 1.

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 4.—Jim Corbett, in a letter to President Noel of the Olympic Club, says that he and his manager, Brady, will leave their training quarters at 8:30 o'clock on the morning of Sept. 1, arriving in New Orleans the evening of Sept. 3, four days before his fight with Sullivan.

English Fighting News.

Peter Jackson is still a big drawing card in the British towns.

Con Riordan wants to fight Jack Slavin again, and Bill Reader has also challenged the latter.

Tony Kane, Peter Maher's backer, was not willing to risk $2,000 on the Irish champion to fight Jem Smith, fearing that he would not train.

Austin Gibbons will have an advantage in height and reach over Stanton Abbott. The latter is only 5 feet 6 inches tall. He is considered a to be first-class fighter.

Sporting men in London are divided on the probable result of the Corbett and Sullivan fight, but McAuliffe is booked for the winner in his battle with Billy Myer, while Dixon's adherents think he will win.

George Street, an American boxer, has been matched to fight Tommy Fuston of Leyton Stone for a purse of $100, of which $25 will go to the loser. The fight will be decided in London, on Aug. 11, at 122 pounds, give or take two pounds.

In a letter received at the *Police Gazette* office yesterday Richard K. Fox says: "The Hall-Pritchard contest is creating great excitement, Pritchard is the favorite, and is being backed heavily. Owing to the offered any purse for the fight yet, but it is expected that the Bolinbroke will, Mitchell and Slavin will second Hall, and probably Jack Baldock and Jack Harper will be behind Pritchard."

Tom Redshaw, the 112-pound ex-amateur champion of England, wants to fight Tom Daly on London before either the Coney Island Athletic Club of the California Athletic Club, offered Redshaw to be at 122 pounds, £25 as expenses, the fight to be at 114 pounds, give or take two pounds, and to take place within three months after the purse is offered.

Clan-na-Gaels in the Field.

The outdoor athletic games of the Clan-na-Gael Association, held yesterday afternoon at Sulzer's Harlem River Park, did not come up to expectations. Good management was lacking, and the contestants were poorly handicapped by the small and inferior track. Only four events were run. The five-mile run was the feature of the day, and it resulted in a close and exciting finish between Nick Cox and Tim Reagan. The following are the results of the events:

Five-mile Run, scratch—Won by Nicholas Cox, Union A. C., of Brooklyn; Tim Reagan, second; Peter Hegeman, third. Time, 25 minutes 30 2-5 seconds.

One-hundred-yard Run, scratch—Won by Michael Cronin; Michael McQuade, second; Daniel Walsh, third. Time, 11 2-5 seconds.

Hop, Step, and Jump—Won by A. Sheridan, with 39 feet 3½ inches; Michael McQuade second, with 35 feet 10 inches.

Boys' Race, Quarter-mile—Won by Michael Henry; H. Conway second.

In a shooting competition for first and second prizes between the various branches of the association the Thomas Davis club won both prizes. The range was 220 yards long. The result of the shooting was:

Thomas Davis Club—Timothy Breslin, 13; George Doyle, Seventy-first Regiment, 14; Frank Stewart, Sixty-ninth Regiment, 13. Total, 40.

Napper Tandy Club—Capt. McCarty, Sixty-ninth Regiment, 11; Capt. James Tracey, Eighth Regiment, 13; T. McGirr, 9. Total, 33.

Owen Roe Club—Dunohoe, 11; W. Durkin, 10; M. P. Grealish, 12. Total, 33.

Sunburst Club—J. D. O'Connell, 11; T. J. Tansey, 4; Joseph P. Ryan, 11. Total, 26.

The results for second prize were: