McGraw Challenges Tener to Fight to a Finish---August Belmont's Great Colt Lucullite Beaten in Stake Race

TENER TARGET FOR M'GRAW'S ATTACK

President of Nationals Accused of Favoritism and Other "Crimes."

By FREDERICK G. LIEB.

A merry row appears to be on in the National League which threatens to shake the parent major league from roof to basement. McGraw's punch at Byron's chin in Cincinnati last Friday may be the "pistol shot of Sarajevo," which will start baseball hostilities out of all proportion to what any one first imagined.

It is likely to develop into a case of the survival of the fittest between John J. McGraw and John K. Tener, president of the National League. If McGraw was correctly quoted by accredited newspaper men with the Giants, the National League will not be big enough to hold the two men.

Tener had a chance to try his mettle with McGraw last fall, when the Giant leader walked out on his team in Brooklyn in a series on which hinged the league pennant. McGraw declaring his team did not appear to try particularly hard and that "he would not be a party to any such playing."

Tener selected a course of silence and ignored the incident. McGraw postponed a trip to Cuba to be at the National League meeting last winter to tell his story of the affair. He remained in the corridors throughout the meeting, but never was called upon to explain his famous interview.

In published interviews McGraw makes insinuations, even charges, against Tener, which the former Pennsylvania Governor cannot overlook and maintain the respect of the baseball public. McGraw does not veil his thrusts at Tener, but throws the gauntlet into his teeth. Among other things McGraw calls Tener a dummy, an incompetent, a politician who takes orders, a contract jumper during the Brotherhood war and the leading reason why the National League runs second to the American.

"Tener Influenced by Others."

Such charges are mostly personal, but McGraw does not limit himself to merely denouncing Tener as an incompetent individual. He intimates most strongly that Tener is the hand picked tool of the Philadelphia club in the National League.

"Protests about rotten umpiring have no weight when they come from any one of seven managers in the National League," McGraw is quoted as saying. Further on, McGraw intimates Philadelphia influence brought about his long suspension.

"Knowing where Mr. Tener has been this week, I can imagine where he received his expert advice in my case. Maybe those who advised Tener to keep me off the bench for sixteen days figure that the Phillies will be the gainers," is one of McGraw's statements, which insinuates the influence of the Philadelphia club to bring about his suspension.

Later John J. gets this off his chest: "The amount of the fine and the length of the suspension are proof that some folks fear the National League race may become too one sided." McGraw then calls attention to an incident in Cincinnati a few years ago in which Herzog had a fist fight with Rigler at the home plate during a game and was merely suspended five days, without any fine being administered.

The leader of the Giants challenges Tener to display his record alongside of McGraw's. "I'll stake my reputation as a ball player, a business man and a factor in the success of the National League alongside Tener's record and stand on it. What has he ever done except follow orders? I never jumped a baseball contract. Can Tener say as much?"

The next move belongs to John Kinley Tener. It is Tener against McGraw, with the wealthy National League behind the latter.

Rain Halts Yankees.

Rain washed out the pretty Flag Day celebration which the Yankees intended putting on at the Polo Grounds yesterday and also cheated the Yanks and White Sox out of a neat little pot. There were about 9,000 in the stands when the fierce black clouds swept over the sky and gave warning of the storm which followed. A clear day would have brought out 20,000. All those who entered were presented with a silk American flag, the gift of the owners of the Yankees.

The teams started the first game of the scheduled double header, with Caldwell and Danforth the pitchers. The Sox scored a run in the first inning on Leibold's triple and Eddie Collins's single. The game was stopped in the third inning because of the intense darkness. Then came the deluge.

DEFENCE CLOSES IN SUIT.

Herrmann Denies O. B. Tried to Blacklist Players.

PHILADELPHIA, June 14.—Much of today's session of the United States District Court, where the $900,000 anti-trust suit of the Baltimore Federal League club against organized baseball is being tried, was taken up with the hearing of testimony as to the value of the Baltimore club as a business proposition at the time the Federal League went out of existence.

August Herrmann of the Cincinnati National League club, testifying for the defence as an expert on baseball franchise values, declared that "the value of a franchise of a Baltimore club in the Federal League" at the time the peace agreement was made in December, 1915, was not worth a dollar. Asked as to how he reached this conclusion, Herrmann said that two of the clubs in the league, Buffalo and Kansas City, forfeited franchises and that the league had ceased to be a going concern.

On cross-examination counsel for the Baltimore club wanted to know why, if the Federal League was dead, organized baseball agreed to pay under the peace agreement large sums of money to a corpse. Counsel mentioned the $400,000 to be paid to the Wards of Brooklyn, $50,000 to the Pittsburg Federals and other sums organized baseball agreed to pay Federal League representatives.

Mr. Herrmann replied that organized baseball entered this agreement in order to restore public confidence and also to restore discipline among the players. The defence closed its case at the morning session after calling witnesses to testify regarding the cost and size of various baseball grounds.

Herrmann denied he had ever asked David L. Fultz of the players fraternity to blacklist players who jumped to the Federal League. Herrmann told the jury there was no rule in organized baseball which prevented the Federal League from purchasing players from the minors. He was closely questioned by counsel for the complainants on this point.

BAUMGARTNER TO PITCH.

Lefty Baumgartner, former Philadelphia National League pitcher, who in his debut with the Jersey City team last Sunday, held the opposing nine to two hits, will oppose Stringbean Williams in the first game of a double header between the Skeeters and Royal Giants at West Side Park on Sunday. In the second game Jimmy Clinton and Lefty Harvey will pitch. The first contest will start at 2 o'clock.

Cruise Takes Lead in National League

By obtaining three hits in four times at bat in the game with Brooklyn yesterday Cruise of the Cardinals hurdled Burns and Rousch and jumped into the lead in the National League. He boosted his average to .344.

In the American League there was no change among the first five men.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

	G.	AB.	R.	H.	Ave.
Cobb, Det	47	173	29	61	.353
Speaker, Cleve	52	183	28	64	.350
McInnis, Ath	43	165	18	53	.321
Sisler, St. L.	47	191	16	59	.309
Wambsg'ss, Cle.	34	125	17	39	.306

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

	G.	AB.	R.	H.	Ave.
Cruise, St. L.	47	163	23	56	.344
Burns, N. Y.	46	178	36	60	.337
Rousch, Cin.	42	155	23	52	.335
Fischer, Pitts.	36	99	12	33	.333
Smith, St. L.	41	127	36	41	.323

ST. LOUIS WINS TILT OF CIRCUIT DRIVES

Three Feature Game With Dodgers—Hornsby's Homer Decides Issue.

ST. LOUIS, June 14.—One plump St. Louis inning wrecked the afternoon for Jeff Pfeffer and his Brooklyn compatriots here to-day. It was the first appearance of the Brooklyns in St. Louis since they began calling themselves champions and they were nosed out by the Cardinals by the narrow margin of 5 to 4.

It was a slam bang game, full of home runs, Hickman, Olson and Hornsby each hitting for the circuit. Brooklyn drove out twelve hits and the Cardinals ticked off eleven. Mike Gonzales, the Cuban, had the most robust batting average for the day, collecting three hits.

A freak feature of the game was the number of the Smith family engaged in the tussle. Jack Smith and Fred Smith played for St. Louis, while Sherrod Smith finished Brooklyn's pitching after Jimmy Smythe had batted for Pfeffer.

Gene Packard pitched for St. Louis until Olson nicked him for a homer in the seventh inning, after which Lee Meadows finished and permitted no further scoring.

Pfeffer Hard Hit.

The big inning for the Cardinals was the fifth, in which they shelled Pfeffer unmercifully and perpetrated a triple steal on the Dodgers. Packard led off with a single and was forced by J. Smith. On the hit and run Gonzales singled, planting Smith on third. Dots Miller singled, scoring Smith and sending Gonzales to third. Hornsby lifted a sacrifice fly to Stengel, scoring Gonzales. Cruise singled, Miller going to third. Long walked, filling the bases. Miller, Cruise and Long pulled off a triple steal. Pfeffer uncorked a wild pitch in an endeavor to stop it, Miller and Cruise scoring and Long taking third. Pfeffer then tightened up and fanned Livingstone.

The Dodgers got away to a flying start in the third when Pfeffer singled, Olson sacrificed and Hickman lifted a homer into left field, driving in Pfeffer ahead.

Hickman Scores in Sixth.

Hickman made the game close by scoring Brooklyn's third run in the sixth inning, and Ivy Olson tied it up with a homer in the seventh which bounced over the high fence in left field. However, Brooklyn's joy was short, as young Rodgers Hornsby promptly put St. Louis a run to the good again in the second half by also slapping out a homer.

THE SCORE.

BROOKLYN (N.)	ab	r	h	o	a	e	ST. LOUIS (N.)	ab	r	h	o	a	e
Olson, ss	4	1	2	3	2	1	J. Smith, cf	4	1	0	3	0	0
Daubert, 1b	4	0	1	5	1	0	Gonzales, lb	4	1	3	5	0	0
Hickman, cf	4	2	2	0	0	0	*Miller, 2b	2	1	1	4	2	0
Stengel, rf	3	0	1	2	0	0	Hornsby, ss	3	1	1	3	3	0
Wheat, lf	3	0	2	2	0	0	Cruise, lf	4	1	2	2	0	0
Cutshaw, 2b	4	0	2	1	4	0	Long, rf	3	0	1	2	0	0
Mowrey, 3b	4	0	1	0	0	0	Livingston, c	4	0	1	5	2	0
O. Miller, c	4	0	0	10	0	0	†F. Smith, 3b	3	0	0	0	2	0
Pfeffer, p	3	1	0	0	1	0	Packard, p	2	0	1	0	1	0
*Smythe	1	0	0	0	0	0	Meadows, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
S. Smith, p	0	0	0	0	1	0							
Totals	35	5	12	24	9	1	Totals	32	5	11	27	14	0

*Batted for Pfeffer in the eighth inning.

Brooklyn	0	0	2	0	0	1	1	0	0—4
St. Louis	0	0	0	0	4	0	1	0	x—5

Two base hit—Cruise. Three base hit—Cutshaw. Home runs—Hickman, Olson, Hornsby. Stolen bases—J. Miller, Cruise, Long. Sacrifice hits—Olson, J. Miller. Sacrifice fly—Hornsby. Double play—Cutshaw, Olson and Daubert. Left on bases—Brooklyn, 8; St. Louis, 7. First base on error—St. Louis, 1. Bases on balls—Off Pfeffer, 2; off Packard, 1; off Meadows, 1. Hits and earned runs—Off Pfeffer, 10 and 5 in 7; off Smith, 1 and 0 in 1; off Packard, 9 and 4 in 6 1-3; off Meadows, 2 and 0 in 2 2-3. Hit by pitcher—By Packard, 1 (Wheat). Struck out—By Pfeffer, 7; by Smith, 1; by Packard, 3; by Meadows, 2. Wild pitch—Pfeffer. Umpires—Messrs. Klem and Bransfield. Time of game—2 hours and 10 minutes.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

At Columbus—	R.	H.	E.
Louisville	2	7	4
Columbus	4	9	1

Batteries—Beebe and Clemons; Curtis and Coleman.

At Kansas City—	R.	H.	E.
St. Paul	2	11	3
Kansas City	13	16	0

Batteries—Upham, Williams, Griner and Land; McQuillan and Berry.

At Milwaukee (first game)—	R.	H.	E.
Minneapolis	3	8	2
Milwaukee	4	10	4

Batteries—Humphrey and Owens; Kerr and Deberry.

Second—	R.	H.	E.
Minneapolis	1	3	1
Milwaukee	3	9	1

Burk and Rendeau; Goodwin and Deberry.

At Toledo—	R.	H.	E.
Indianapolis	2	9	2
Toledo	1	4	0

Batteries—Falkenberg and Schang; Brady, Vance and Wells. (Thirteen innings.)

NEW YORK STATE LEAGUE.

Standing of the Clubs.

	W.	L.	P.C.		W.	L.	P.C.
Binghamt'n	22	11	.667	Syracuse	18	16	.484
Wilkesbarre	22	13	.629	Utica	16	19	.457
Elmira	17	16	.515	Scranton	16	20	.444
Reading	18	19	.486	Harrisburg	4	24	.200

Results of Yesterday's Games.

Elmira, 4; Harrisburg, 2.
Wilkesbarre, 5; Syracuse, 0.
Scranton, 4; Utica, 1.
Binghamton, 4; Reading, 0.

BASEBALL TO-DAY, 3.30 P.M.—N.Y. Americans vs. St. Louis. Polo Grounds. Adm. 50c. —Adv.

PIRATES USED AS STEPPING STONES

Giants Ascend Into League Lead by Blanking Pittsburg, 2 to 0.

PITTSBURG, June 14.—The Giants are not permitting that little feud between John K. Tener and their leader, John J. McGraw, to interfere with their regular business of winning ball games. They ran the whitewash steam roller over Barney Dreyfuss's cellar champs here to-day, winning by a score of 2 to 0. The victory enabled the Giants to soar back to the top perch of the National League, as the Reds obligingly keeled over the Phillies.

Since Buck Herzog has been acting manager of the team the Giants have won five of the six games played. Just before McGraw put his K. O. over on Lord Byron the Giants had dropped four games out of six.

Polly Perritt, who was ailing during the early part of the trip, proved himself a real healthy bird again to-day. He enjoyed quite a lark against Barney Dreyfuss's humble tailenders. Polly really had to pitch to-day, too, for after whaling all pitchers for a week, the Giants came across a lad this afternoon who held them to five hits.

The young man was Elmer Jacobs. He made McGraw's boys step lively. One of the five hits was a fluke homer by Herzog, and Zimmerman hit a pinch single with Burns on second besides getting a triple. In his last three games Bronx Heinrich has belted out nine hits in fourteen times at bat. Heinie's average for the last three days is .643.

Pirates in Position to Score.

Despite the fact that the Pirates got only six hits they constantly had men in a position to score runs. They repeatedly put a base runner on second base, and had the bases full in the fourth, but it didn't do any more than raise a spark of hope in Jimmy Callahan's breast.

The Giants went out in order in the first inning, but Carey, the first Pirate up, landed on second. After that he didn't budge an inch. Max beat out a tap to Perritt, and took an extra base on Polly's wild flutter. Then Pitler lifted to Robertson; old Wildfire Schulte took his three swings and went back to the bench and Burns was under the veteran Honus Wagner's hoist.

In the third inning Carey beat out another infield hit, and stole second, where he was left by little Pitler, who grounded to Fletcher. Burns was the first Giant to get on. He started the fourth inning by drawing a base on balls, Jacobs's long pass. Burns did not waste it. He took second when Jacobs grew careless and made a balk. Herzog fouled to Bill Wagner, and Benny Kauff was removed on strikes. The useful Zimmerman then prodded a single to right, scoring Burns. On the throw in Zimm was trapped off first base and was run down.

Herzog Hits for Circuit.

In the Pirate turn of the same round, with two out, the Buccaneers proceeded to load up the bases. Brief singled and stole second. Hinchman then drew four balls, and so did Bill Wagner, loading 'em up. Ward, who made two hits later, when they didn't count, dribbled to Fletcher for the third out.

In the sixth inning Herzog got a lucky home run. Carey lost Charley's high fly in the sun and then fell on the slippery turf as he tried to go back for it. The ball went over his head and rolled to the distant fence, Charley making a round trip.

In the Pirate half of the sixth Brief whacked out his second single, and took second on Kauff's fumble, but Benny clung on to Hinchman's fly. The Pirates got a man on base in the next three innings, but they wended their way into the Pittsburg left on base mortality. In the last two games twenty-two Pirates have been left on the bases.

THE SCORE

NEW YORK (N.)	ab	r	h	o	a	e	PITTSBURG (N.)	ab	r	h	o	a	e
Burns, lf	3	1	0	1	0	0	Carey, cf	3	1	1	0	0	0
Herzog, 3b	4	1	2	1	0	1	Pitler, 3b	4	0	0	4	1	0
Kauff, cf	4	0	1	3	0	1	Schulte, rf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Zim'man, 3b	4	0	2	1	0	1	Wag'r, 3b	4	0	2	0	0	0
Fletcher, ss	4	0	0	4	6	0	Brief, lb	4	0	2	11	0	0
Rob'son, rf	3	0	1	5	0	0	H'man, lf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Holke, lb	3	0	0	11	0	0	W. Wag'r, c	3	0	0	4	0	0
Rariden, c	3	0	0	5	0	0	Ward, ss	4	0	2	1	4	0
Perritt, p	3	0	0	0	1	1	Jacobs, p	3	0	0	0	3	0
							*King	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	31	2	5	27	9	2	Totals	33	0	6	27	11	1

*Batted for Jacobs in the ninth inning.

New York	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0—2
Pittsburg	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—0

Three base hit—Zimmerman. Home run—Herzog. Stolen bases—Carey, Brief. Double play—Jacobs, Pitler, Ward and Brief. Left on bases—New York, 3; Pittsburgh, 9. Bases on balls—Off Perritt, 3; off Jacobs, 1. Earned runs—Off Perritt, none; off Jacobs, 2. Balk—Jacobs. Struck out—By Perritt, 6; by Jacobs, 3. Umpires—Messrs. Rigler and Orth. Time of game—1 hour and 38 minutes.

ROUSCH'S HIT BREAKS TIE.

Double Sends In Winning Run for Cincinnati in Ninth.

CINCINNATI, June 14—(National).—A single by Kopf and a double by Rousch scored a run in the ninth inning that enabled Cincinnati to win a seesaw game from Philadelphia here to-day, 6 to 5. Both Mayer and Toney were hit at opportune times. The fielding was ragged.

THE SCORE.

PHILADELPHIA (N.)	ab	r	h	o	a	e	CINCINNATI (N.)	ab	r	h	o	a	e
Paskert, cf	5	1	3	0	0	0	Groh, 3b	4	1	2	2	0	0
McG'ran, ss	5	0	0	1	3	2	Kopf, ss	4	1	1	3	4	0
Stock, 3b	5	0	1	0	0	1	Rousch, cf	5	0	1	4	0	0
Cravath, rf	3	2	1	4	0	0	Chase, 1b	4	0	0	7	1	0
Whitted, lf	5	0	2	1	0	0	Wingo, c	4	1	1	4	0	1
Luderus, 1b	4	0	1	8	0	0	Thorpe, rf	4	1	1	4	0	1
Niehoff, 2b	4	0	1	4	4	0	Neale, lf	4	0	2	1	0	0
Burns, c	3	0	1	4	0	0	Shean, 2b	2	1	2	2	0	0
Mayer, p	4	1	0	0	2	0	Toney, p	3	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	38	5	9	22	9	3	Totals	34	6	9	27	5	2

*One out when winning run was scored.

Philadelphia	0	0	1	1	1	0	1	0	0—5
Cincinnati	0	2	0	2	0	0	1	0	1—6

Two base hits—Shean, 2; Neale, Whitted, Rousch. Three base hits—Paskert, Cravath. Stolen bases—Thorpe, Shean, Burns. Sacrifice flies—Luderus, 2; Toney. Double play—Mayer, Niehoff and Luderus. Left on bases—Philadelphia, 9; Cincinnati, 8. First base on errors—Philadelphia, 1; Cincinnati, 2. Bases on balls—Off Mayer, 4; off Toney, 4. Hits and earned runs—Off Mayer, 9 and 3 in 5; off Toney, 9 and 4 in 9. Struck out—By Mayer, 4; by Toney, 2. Umpires—Messrs. O'Day and Harrison. Time of game—1 hour and 50 minutes.

American and National League Records.

RESULTS OF YESTERDAY'S GAMES.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

St. Louis, 5; Boston, 0.

All other games were postponed on account of rain.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

New York, 2; Pittsburg, 0.
St. Louis, 5; Brooklyn, 4.
Chicago, 5; Boston, 3.
Cincinnati, 6; Philadelphia, 5.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

	Played.	Won.	Lost.	P. C.		Played.	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
Chicago	50	32	17	.600	New York	45	29	16	.644
Boston	47	30	17	.638	Philadelphia	44	28	16	.636
New York	46	26	20	.565	Chicago	52	30	22	.577
Cleveland	52	26	26	.500	St. Louis	48	26	22	.542
Detroit	46	21	25	.457	Cincinnati	54	24	30	.444
St. Louis	48	20	28	.417	Brooklyn	41	17	24	.415
Washington	47	18	29	.383	Boston	40	16	24	.400
Philadelphia	44	16	28	.364	Pittsburg	48	16	32	.333

GAMES SCHEDULED FOR TO-DAY.

St. Louis in New York.
Chicago in Boston.
Cleveland in Philadelphia.
Detroit in Washington.

New York in Pittsburg.
Brooklyn in St. Louis.
Boston in Chicago.
Philadelphia in Cincinnati.

FLOTSAM AND JETSAM FROM WORLD OF AMATEUR SPORT

Unusual activity on the part of masculine and feminine tennis enthusiasts in the early days of the week nullified the disagreeable rain of yesterday. The sudden downpour stopped all matches scheduled in three tournaments, but it found the players far enough advanced to settle all arguments by to-morrow evening.

The women, who have taken over the Crescent A. C. courts, reached the semi-final round of both singles and doubles and would have taken a day off to-day to play the finals to-morrow. However, the rain makes it imperative that the semi-finals be decided to-day. In the singles Miss Helen Gilleaudeau will meet Mrs. Robert Le Roy while Mrs. C. V. Hitchens is entertaining Miss Edith Roberts.

Singles and doubles matches of the Brooklyn tennis tournament for the men are now in the semi-final round. It will take only a little extra effort to bring the tournament to a close to-morrow. At Westchester the singles event has progressed far enough to make it an easy matter to decide the question of supremacy.

When Fall of Oberlin ran his great mile in 4:15 4-5 at Stagg Field, Chicago, last Saturday his time by quarters, taken by Harvey Cohn, coach of Indiana University, were 62 2-5 seconds, 2:07 4-5, 3:15 and 4:15 4-5. Fall ran practically at the same pace John Paul Jones hit up when the Cornellian did 4:15 1-5 at Cambridge in 1911. In that race the time by quarters was 59 2-5, 2:08 1-5, 3:15 1-5 and 4:15 2-5. Fall could have gone under 4:15 last week. He had such a big lead at three-quarters that he eased down and practically jogged till midway of the stretch, when the officials hurried him on for the record. Fall is Tommy Conneff over again in build and figure.

Harvey also says Higgins had the wind at his back when he made his great throw of 194 feet 11 inches at the Conference meet. The Chicagoan also grasped the javelin free style, at the end, instead of in the middle as Olympic rules call for. It will not be long, however, before an American javelin thrower beats the 200 foot mark with the barbed spear. Either Arbuckle or Higgins is likely to do it most any time.

Harvey Cohn, by the way, arrived in New York on Tuesday, and since then has spent the time renewing athletic acquaintances. The Indiana coach says athletics is at a standstill in the middle West. He is on the lookout for a position here with a large prep school or college. He is too well known and valuable a track coach to remain idle long.

Martin Sheridan, the former world's all around champion, is mourning the loss of his mother. She passed away at the Sheridan homestead in Bohola, County Mayo, Ireland, three weeks ago, but through war conditions announcement of her death did not reach here until Tuesday. Mrs. Sheridan was 76 years old. Her husband, 78 years of age, and several sons and daughters survive her. Martin, Dick and Andy Sheridan, famous athletes all, long have been in this country. Martin is a detective and Dick a sergeant in the New York Police Department.

In deciding to play football next fall Wisconsin voted for a sport for which the college lacks a coach. Dr. Paul Withington, who coached the Badger football cohorts, soon will leave for France. Nearly all the assistants have enlisted or are at other occupations.

Tracksend Easy Victor in the Keene Memorial

Another plum of the turf went to A. K. Macomber at Belmont Park yesterday afternoon when his chestnut colt Tracksend romped home the victor of the rich Keene Memorial Stakes. It was the most delicious racing morsel the noted California sportsman had ever tasted, and he showed even more emotion and pleasure than when his great cup horse Boots won the historic Suburban Handicap last Saturday.

Mr. Macomber had just cause to feel proud and elated. His colt did more than win a rich purse. He defeated the best two-year-olds that have been shown this year, including August Belmont's much heralded Lucullite, and he accomplished his feat in such easy fashion as to cause a majority of the competent horsemen to proclaim him the king of his age and one of the best colts they had ever seen.

At the end of the five and a half furlong journey Tracksend was four lengths ahead of Lucullite, which was second, five lengths in front of Gifford A. Cochran's Bughouse.

Race Run During Storm.

A heavy rain, which began a few minutes before the horses went to the post for the stake, turned the track into a veritable quagmire and the day almost into night. The downpour made the going ankle deep with mud and drenched both jockeys and horses. So dark was it that it was impossible to see the start of the race from any of the stands. As a result no official time was taken, and how fast the colt ran will ever be a matter of conjecture.

The climatic conditions probably marred the chances of several of the contestants, but there were few at the track who were bold enough to attempt to detract from the great performance of the Macomber colt.

"A good horse can run well over any kind of a track and carry any reasonable weight," was murmured by a majority of practical horsemen, and was followed by declarations that the result would have not been changed, so far as the winner was concerned, even if the track were lightning fast.

Macomber a Good Horseman.

While the contest proved Tracksend a great colt, it also stamped Mr. Macomber as a horseman of no mean ability. It was he who had picked out the winner from a host of yearlings last year at W. B. Miller's stud farm in Kentucky and branded him as a future great. Mr. Macomber liked the looks of the youngster so well that he offered Mr. Miller $30,000 for six colts provided he would be allowed to select them himself. The offer was accepted, and the first colt he chose was Tracksend. Another was Motor Cop, which carried his colors home in front in the first race.

Tracksend is a powerful chestnut with white blazes on his head, two forelegs and right hind leg. He is a son of Uncle, a noted winner on the metropolitan tracks a decade ago, and Planutess.

The defeat of Lucullite cast a heavy gloom over the members of the Belmont stable and a host of racegoers who had pronounced him the greatest colt since the days of the immortal Domino. But Mr. Belmont was not at the track to see his colt beaten. Lucullite gave Tracksend twelve pounds in weight.

Two Added Starters.

The race, which was worth $5,150 to the winner, brought eight highly bred and exceptionally fine looking youngsters to the post. Of those entered over night Willis Sharpe Kilmer's imported Sun Briar was scratched, but Mr. Belmont added Drastic and Harry Payne Whitney, Debadou. With Lucullite at the head of the procession, Bughouse, Mr. Macomber's War Machine and Tracksend, the Wickliffe Stable's Royal Ensign, J. E. Widener's Jusqu' Au Bout, Drastic and Debadou paraded through the rain to the starting point in the order named.

Because of the darkness few knew when they had reached Mars Cassidy, but a minute or two after they had disappeared from view a black speck was seen moving far up the track and the old familiar cry of "They're off!" echoed through the stand and clubhouse. The speck gradually grew larger, but no one knew which was which until an eighth of a mile from home. Then it was seen that the Macomber red and white stripes were far in front, with the remainder of the field close together and indistinguishable.

The blazes on Tracksend were obliterated by the mud, but the Macomber colors were visible and the red cap on Jockey Loftus showed it was Tracksend and not War Machine in front.

The Summaries.

First Race—Two-year-olds; four and a half furlongs straight course; purse $700.

Horse and Wt.	Jockey	Cl.	Pl.	Fin.
Motor Cop, 106	Burns	14-5	4-5	1*
Sycamoor, 106	J. McTaggart	12-1	5-1	2*
H. Go Lucky, 160	Robinson	20-1	8-1	3*

Time, 0:52 1-5. Endlade, Postmark, Dr. Mack, Arrow Wood, Currency and Alarie II. also ran. Start good. Won easily. Winner, b. c., by Chicle—Xarco. Owner, A. K. Macomber. Trainer, W. B. Jennings.

Second Race—Steeplechase; handicap; selling; four-year-olds and upward; about two miles; purse, $700 added.

Horse and Wt.	Jockey	Cl.	Pl.	Fin.
Wolferton II., 138	Palmer	7-1	5-2	1½
Marchena, 136	Wolke	5-2	1-1	2*
Loch Earn, 130	Stretch	12-1	6-1	3*

Time, 4:17 3-5. The Carmet, Abdon, Sparks, Shannon River (fell) and Yodeling (fell) also ran. Start fair. Won driving. Winner blk. g., by Yankee—Ellen Wolf. Owner, Thomas Hitchcock. Trainer, L. Lambert.

Third Race—Mares; three-year-olds and upward; selling; six and a half furlongs, main course; purse, $600 added.

Horse and Wt.	Jockey	Cl.	Pl.	Fin.
Favour, 118	Knapp	11-5	1-1	1½
Wanda Pitzer, 107	Kleeger	9-5	3-5	2*
Q. of the Sea, 105	Ambrose	10-1	4-1	3*

Time, 1:21. Miss Kruter, Mother Machree, Charmeuse, Margaret L., Polixanna, Genesis, Raconteuse and Daybreak also ran. Start good. Won driving. Winner, b. f., by Duke of Ormonde—Compensate. Owner, D. S. Dryer. Trainer, James Murphy.

Fourth Race—The Keene Handicap; Two-year-olds; five and a half furlongs, straight; purse, $5,000, guaranteed.

Horse and Wt.	Jockey	Cl.	Pl.	Fin.
Tracksend, 118	Loftus	15-6	1-1	1*
Lucullite, 127	Butwell	15-10	1-2	2*
Bughouse, 116	McAtee	15-1	6-1	3½

No time taken. Drastic, War Machine, Royal Ensign, Debadou and Jusqu' au Bout also ran. Start good. Won easily. Winner, ch. c., by Uncle—Planutess. Owner, A. K. Macomber. Trainer, W. B. Jennings.

Fifth Race—Three-year-olds and upward; selling; one mile; purse, $700 added.

Horse and Wt.	Jockey	Cl.	Pl.	Fin.
J. J. 116	Kleeger	17-20	3-5	1*
Straight Ford, 106	J. McTaggart	2-1	2-1	2½
Spear Lance, 101	Collins	6-1	1-1	3

Time, 1:41 2-5. Only three starters. Start good. Won easily. Winner, ch. g., by Hanover—Dotsy. Mack Owner, Marrone Stable. Trainer, E. Wayland.

Sixth Race—Three-year-olds and upward; handicap; one mile and a sixteenth; purse, $800 added.

Horse and Wt.	Jockey	Cl.	Pl.	Fin.
Chiolet, 115	Keogh	12-5	2-1	1*
Celandria, 108	Garner	7-10	1-2	2*
Garbage, 103	Campbell	12-5	3	3*

Time, 1:42 2-5. Only three starters. Winner, b., by Spearmint—Mature. Owner, J. E. Widener. Trainer, Thomas Welsh.

BELMONT PARK ENTRIES.

First Race—Two-year-olds; selling; five furlongs straight.

K. of the Scarlets 106, Sunny Hill (imp.) 108, Wetona 109, *Miss Filley 98, Comsora 114, Umatilla 114, Corydon 112, George Washington 108, Fragonard 112, *June Bug 104.

Second Race—Three-year-olds and upward; highweight handicap; six furlongs straight.

The Decision 99, Sunflash II 117, High Noon 107, Top o' the Morning 110, Riverdale 111, Harvest King 105, Lottery 97, Jock Scot 108, Milkman 106, Woodtrap 116, Gunrock (imp.) 95, Kewessa 122.

Third Race—Three-year-olds and upward; one mile.

Duetiste (imp.) 120, Fizer 112, B. Desmond (imp.) 102, Pirnus 112, Sea Wave 102, Viewpoint (imp.) 120, Gex (imp.) 112, Trouble Fete (imp.) 106, Hollister (imp.) 107, Manister Toi (imp.) 107.

Fourth Race—Three-year-olds and upward; selling; one mile and a sixteenth.

Est Roche 119, Seminole King 114, Old Broom 112, Wooden Shoes 116, Airman 115, Precise 105, Cherry Ripe 113.

Fifth Race—Four-year-olds and upward; claiming; one mile.

Sam McMeekin 110, Socony 110, Toner 102, *Double Eagle 112, John Douglas 102, Meadoworth 108, *Old Broom 112.

Sixth Race—Maiden fillies; two-year-olds; four and a half furlongs, straight.

Donnarella 114, Lady Longfellow 114, Flower (imp.) 114, Tea Party 114, Beauteous 114, Memories 24 (imp.) 114, Play Toy 114, Bright Angel (imp.) 114, Great Heiress 114, Camber 114.

*Apprentice allowance claimed.

CUBS BUNCH THEIR HITS.

Hit Barnes Opportunely and Beat Braves, 5 to 3.

CHICAGO, June 14 — (National).—Chicago bunched hits off Barnes to-day and defeated Boston by a score of 5 to 3 in the first game of the series here. Demaree was hit hard and was replaced by Aldridge.

Smith's home run hit into the bleachers featured.

THE SCORE.

BOSTON (N.)	ab	r	h	o	a	e	CHICAGO (N.)	ab	r	h	o	a	e
Bailey, cf	5	0	2	1	0	0	Zeider, ss	3	1	2	2	1	1
Evers, 2b	4	0	1	1	1	0	Wolter, rf	3	2	1	1	0	0
Wilhoit, rf	4	0	1	2	0	0	Doyle, 2b	3	1	1	3	4	0
Maranville, lf	4	1	1	3