DOWN THE ALLEYS

Bowling the past week on the Forest Hill alleys was of the highest order, and many new marks were set by both the men and women bowlers. Several match games were pulled off, and they furnished good sport for the large crowds present.

The gold medal contest continues to draw large crowds, and each night a change is made in the standing column. Miss Barbara Godsey carried off the high honor for the week in the women's division, and she is now leading in the contest, with the good score of 163.

Day showed great form Thursday night in the series with the Nolde's Tip Tops team, and captured the honors for high individual score and high total.

One of the most interesting match games played this season was played Thursday night on the Forest Hill alleys, when the Nolde's Tip Tops team and the Times-Dispatch team battled for honors in a three-game series. The newspaper boys came out victorious by defeating the breadmakers two out of three games. Bell, Spilling and Day were the stars of the series.

Miss Esther Hertzburg made a nice record last week with the big pins, and she finished with nice total in a three-game series.

New League Formed.

President Frank Overmann, of the Greater Richmond Bowling League, Whit Whitman have now organized a summer ten pin league, to play during the summer months on the Forest Hill alleys. The new league will consist of four strong clubs, and games have been scheduled for every Tuesday and Thursday night.

The following are the scores made by the teams Thursday night:

Nolde's Tip Tops.	1	2	3	Total
Sutterlin	155	126	135	416
Spilling	199	175	...	375
Bell	186	136	125	447
Williams	106	151	138	295
Day	139	223	146	508
Farrer	...	...	145	145
	785	812	689	2,286

Times-Dispatch.	1	2	3	Total
Troutner	138	193	152	483
Overmann	180	159	148	487
Lohmann	147	159	163	469
A. L. Davis	129	150	139	418
Anderson	129	174	162	465
	723	835	764	2,322

Time of game, 2 hours 10 minutes. Official umpire, Frank Hartz.

The following is a complete list of the teams and players who will compose the new league:

Times-Dispatch—Troutner, Captain; Roy, Overmann, L. Smith, Lohmann, Anderson, Latimer.

Noldes's Tiptops—Whitman, captain; Brown, Day, Sutterlin, Deasy, Bickers.

Jewelers—Spilling, captain; Beardsley, A. L. Davis, S. N. Williams, Rowsey, Rudd, McFarland.

Forest Hill Giants—D. Williams, Netherwood, captain; Dillard, Butler, B. Weisiger, Gordon.

The new league will start the schedule Tuesday night, July 13, when the Times-Dispatch and the Noldes's Tiptops will battle in the opening games. The schedule will run through the months of July, August and September, closing in time for the regular big league season, which will begin on the Newport Alleys in November. The management of the Forest Hill Alleys has offered to give prizes to the individual players of each team and also to the winning team of the new league.

Mrs. C. J. Reynolds put up a nice title in a three game series Tuesday night, and she deserved great credit for her work. Mrs. Reynolds gives promise of becoming one of Richmond's best women bowlers.

Schedule for the Week.

Tuesday Night—Times-Dispatch vs. Noldes's Tiptops.

Thursday Night—Jewelers vs. Forest Hill Giants.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

(Continued from First Page.)

sell's shoots breaking across the plate and Irelan walked. Whiteman then scored Nash with his second two-bagger of the game. Flynn flew up to Arragon.

Richmond had a chance to take the lead in the second, but Umpire Harrison robbed them of it by his rotten decisions, followed by his ejection of Bates and Dunn from the field. Bates had kicked justly at a called strike and was put out. Dunn was put out a minute later. Russell started the inning by walking. Thompson flew out. Pick singled and went to second. Bates was then put out and Rube Meadows, who took his place, fanned. Arragon flew out to Nash.

At the opening of the third, lemons, bottles and other missiles flew at Harrison, and police were called upon to quell the impending riot. After things quieted down, Devlin fanned. Smith flew out to Arragon, Holden walked and Howley struck out. A double play, after two had got on, spoiled the chances of the Climbers to score in the third.

Umpire Harrison displayed a little more of his spleen in the fourth by putting Morrisette off the field for talking from the bench. Russell, in this frame, fanned Cadore, Nash and Irelan in a row, making nine in four innings.

The Climbers broke the tie in their portion of the fourth. Russell struck out, but Thompson and Pick each singled. Meadows struck out and Arragon followed with a single to left, scoring Thompson. Pick was out trying to go to third.

The Canucks tied it up again in the fifth. Whiteman clouted out a triple to center, which would have been an easy out had Bates been in the center garden. Russell made Flynn whiff air, but Whiteman came in on a single by Devlin. Smith walked, but Holden and Howley flew out. The Climbers went out one-two-three.

Russell fanned another in the sixth, and Umpire Harrison again appealed to the police, and bluecoats were put in the stands and bleachers to keep the crowd from throwing at the arbiter. The Royals were retired scoreless, and the Climbers got into the lead on a walk, a double by Thompson and a sacrifice fly by Pick.

The Royals broke the tie and forged ahead in the seventh. Russell was touched up for three hits in a row. Whiteman singled, making his fourth hit of the game. Flynn singled and Devlin doubled to center. Russell then fanned Smith. Holden grounded out and Howley hit up to Crane, who replaced Meadows in the center patch.

Richmond had an opportunity to tie it up in the seventh, but Cadore pitched good ball. Arragon had led with a long fly to center, which was netted by Smith. Tim Jordan then tripled to the same spot, but died on third when Healy and Fewster struck out.

Three more runs were hung up by the Royals in the eighth, although Russell fanned three men. With one down, Nash doubled and Irelan singled. Whiteman struck out, but Flynn brought Nash in with an infield hit. Devlin then doubled, scoring two. Smith struck out.

A great one-hand catch by Whiteman of a hard drive to center robbed Shag Thompson of a three-base hit. Schaufele had popped up to Devlin and Russell struck out.

Holden led the ninth with a single, but the next three men went out in order.

The Climbers got two runs in the ninth. Pick led with a single to center. Crane struck out. Arragon walked. Jordan beat out an infield hit. Healy hit to the pitcher, who threw Pick out at the plate. Healy was safe when Howley hit him with the ball on his way to first. Fewster was struck by a pitched ball, filling the bases. Schaufele drove up a pop fly which nobody tried to get. Russell then struck out with three on.

TWO PITCHERS' BATTLES

HARRISBURG, PA., July 10.—The Bisons and Indians broke even to-day in two sensational pitchers' battles. Chabek won the first, 2 to 0. His work in pinches tied up many Buffalo runners on bases. Bader had a slight weak spell in the sixth. The Bisons landed the second on timely hits in the tenth. Lee pitched a good game, pulling out of several holes. Both games were fast-fielding contests.

FIRST GAME.

Buffalo.	AB	H	O	A	E	Harrisburg.	AB	H	O	A	E
Gilh'ley, cf	4	0	4	0	0	Wowe, ss.	4	0	4	3	1
Jam'on, lf	4	0	2	0	0	Zim'an, 3b	4	2	2	4	0
M'C'thy, 2b	3	1	1	2	1	Tooley, 2b.	3	0	0	6	0
Chan'll, rf	4	0	2	0	0	Cal'han, cf	3	0	2	0	0
Judge, 1b.	4	1	9	1	0	Kraft, 1b..	3	0	11	2	0
Caris'm, 3b	3	1	0	1	0	Tamm, lf.	3	1	1	0	0
Keat'g, ss	4	1	3	2	0	Witter, rf.	3	0	2	0	0
Lalong, c.	4	3	3	2	0	Heck'er, c	3	1	4	0	0
Bader, p..	3	2	0	2	0	Chabek, p	1	1	1	2	0
*Jackson .	1	0	0	0	0						
†Tyson	0	0	0	0	0						
Totals ..	34	9	24	10	1	Totals ..	26	6	27	17	1

*Batted for Bader in ninth.
†Ran for Lalonge in ninth.

Score by innings:		R.
Buffalo	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0
Harrisburg	0 0 0 0 0 1 0 1 *	2

Summary: Runs—Mowe, Chabek. Two-base hit—McCarthy. Sacrifice hits—Carlstrom, Chabek. Double play—Tooley to Kraft to Mowe. Struck out—by Bader, 2; by Chabek, 2. Bases on balls—off Bader, 4; off Chabek, 1. Stolen base—Zimmerman. Wild pitch—Bader. Time, 1:40. Umpires, Brown and Hart.

SECOND GAME.

Buffalo.	AB	H	O	A	E	Harrisburg.	AB	H	O	A	E
Gilh'ley, cf	3	1	3	0	0	Mowe, ss.	4	0	4	3	1
Jam'son, lf	3	1	2	0	0	Zim'an, 3b	4	0	1	2	0
M'C'thy, 2b	3	0	1	3	0	Tooley, 2b.	4	0	3	6	0
Chan'll, rf	3	2	2	0	0	Cal'han, cf	4	0	2	0	0
Judge, 1b..	3	0	13	0	0	Kraft, 1b.	4	0	13	1	0
Caris'm, 3b	4	1	1	2	1	Tamm, lf..	3	0	1	1	0
Keat'ng, ss	3	0	3	3	0	Witter, rf.	4	0	3	0	0
Lalonge, c	4	3	2	2	0	Snow, c..	3	1	2	2	0
Gaw, p.....	3	0	1	3	0	Lee, p.....	2	1	0	3	0
Jackson, rf	0	0	1	0	0						
Totals ..	28	5	30	12	1	Totals ..	32	3	30	18	0

Score by innings:		R.
Buffalo	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1	1
Harrisburg	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0

Summary: Run—Jackson. Two-base hits—Snow, Mowe. Sacrifice hits—Lee, Jamieson, McCarthy, Judge. Double play—Carlstrom to Gaw. Struck out—by Gaw, 3; by Lee, 1. Bases on balls—off Lee, 2. Hit by pitcher—by Gaw, 1 (Tamm). Sacrifice fly—Channell. Time, 1:20. Umpires, Hart and Brown.

SKEETERS BEAT LEAFS

JERSEY CITY, N. J., July 10.—Through a good start and an excellent finish, Jersey City succeeded in carrying off the victory in to-day's opening clash with Toronto by a score of 2 to 1, giving the Skeeters a record of seven straight victories. Honors were even in the battle between Bruck, for Jersey City, and Manning, for the Maple Leafs. With the score tied, Jersey City won out in the seventh with the bases filled on Reynold's sacrifice fly. The score:

Toronto.	AB	H	O	A	E	Jersey City.	AB	H	O	A	E
Rath, 3b..	3	1	2	1	0	Trues'e, 2b	4	0	2	6	0
Wares, 2b.	4	1	0	4	0	Sher'an, rf	4	2	1	0	0
Grah'm, 1b	4	0	15	0	0	Barn'y, cf	4	0	3	0	0
Wil'ms, cf	3	1	0	0	0	Buss, 3b...	3	0	4	2	0
Hol'der, cf	0	0	1	0	0	Barry, 1b	3	0	14	1	0
Hall, ss...	3	0	3	5	0	Blake, lf.	3	1	0	0	0
Trout, lf..	3	0	1	0	0	Purtell, ss	3	1	1	4	0
Kocher, c.	4	2	8	1	0	Trag'sor, c	2	1	8	3	0
Mann'ng, p	3	2	0	1	0	Bruck, p..	2	0	0	1	0
						*Reyn'lds .	1	0	0	0	0
						Ring, p...	0	0	0	0	0
Totals ..	30	7	24	12	0	Totals ..	29	7	27	17	0

*Batted for Bruck in seventh.

Score by innings:		R.
Toronto	0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0	1
Jersey City	1 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 *	2

Summary: Runs—Ball, Sherman, Blake. Three-base hit—Tragressor. Sacrifice hits—Rath, Wares, Manning. Stolen bases—Rath, Williams, Manning. Double play—Balls and Graham. Bases on balls—off Bruck, 8; off Ring, 2; off Manning, 1. Struck out—by Bruck, 1; by Manning, 2. Wild pitch—Ring. Hits—off Bruck, 7 in 7 innings. Umpires, Carpenter and Cleary. Time, 1:40.

GRAYS WIN TWO GAMES

PROVIDENCE, R. I., July 10.—The Grays handed Jawn Ganzel's Hustlers a double defeat here to-day by scores of 2 to 0 and 5 to 4. The second game went into the tenth inning, when a passed ball allowed the locals to score the winning tally. Sensational fielding featured both games. The scores:

FIRST GAME.

Rochester.	AB	H	O	A	E	Providence.	AB	H	O	A	E
Cl'mens, cf	3	1	2	0	0	Fab'que, ss	4	1	4	3	0
Smith, lf..	2	0	1	0	0	Shorten, cf	4	2	3	0	0
Beatty, rf.	1	0	1	0	0	Shean, 2b.	3	2	3	2	0
Priest, 2b..	4	0	1	8	0	Onslow, 1b	3	0	5	0	0
Holke, 1b.	4	0	13	1	0	Casey, c.	3	0	11	3	0
Kores, 3b..	3	0	3	2	0	Gill, 3b...	3	0	0	0	1
Stev'on, ss	2	1	2	2	0	Eayrs, rf..	3	1	0	0	0
Wil'ams, c	3	1	0	1	0	Powell, lf	3	1	1	0	0
Herche, p.	3	0	1	2	0	Comst'k, p	3	1	0	0	0
Palm'ro, rf	0	0	0	1	0						
Erwin, c...	2	1	0	0	0						
Totals ..	28	4	24	17	0	Totals ..	29	8	27	8	1

Score by innings:		R.
Providence	0 0 1 0 1 0 0 0 *	2
Rochester	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0

Summary: Runs—Eayrs, Powell. Two-base hit—Clemens. Home run—Powell. Bases on balls—off Comstock, 6; off Herche, 1. Struck out—by Comstock, 10; by Herche, 1. Double plays—Stevenron to Holke; Fabrique to Shean to Onslow; Casey to Shean. Passed ball—Williams. Time, 1:50. Umpires, Freeman and Eckman.

SECOND GAME.

Providence.	AB	H	O	A	E	Rochester.	AB	H	O	A	E
Fab'que, ss	4	1	3	4	0	Cl'mens, cf	3	1	3	0	0
Shorten, cf	4	1	2	0	0	Smith, lf.	4	1	2	0	0
Shean, 2b..	5	2	1	4	0	Beatty, rf	4	1	2	0	0
Onslow, 1b	4	1	14	0	0	Priest, 2b..	5	0	2	2	0
Haley, c..	3	0	6	4	0	Holke, 1b.	5	2	10	0	0
Gill, 3b.....	4	0	0	3	0	Kores 3b.	5	1	3	2	1
Eayrs, lf..	3	0	0	0	0	Stev'on, ss	5	2	2	3	2
Powell, lf.	4	0	3	1	0	Wil'ams, c	4	3	3	0	0
Oe'chger, p	2	0	1	3	0	Hoff, p....	2	2	2	2	0
*Casey	1	0	0	0	0						
Totals ..	34	5	30	19	0	Totals ..	37	15	29	10	3

*Batted for Oeschger in tenth.
†Two out when winning run scored.

Score by innings:		R.
Providence	0 0 0 2 2 0 0 0 0	4
Rochester	1 0 0 1 3 0 0 0 0	5

Summary: Runs—Shean, Onslow (2), Eayrs, Clemens, F. Smith, Holke, Williams. Sacrifice hits—Fabrique, Clemens, Shorten. Stolen bases—Holke (2). Two-base hit—Fabrique. Three-base hit—Smith. Bases on balls—off Oeschger, 1; off Hoff, 8. Struck out—by Oeschger, 4; by Hoff, 2. Hit—by pitched ball—by Oeschger, 1 (Beatty); by Hoff, 1 (Onslow). Wild pitches—by Oeschger (2). Time, 2:05. Umpires, Eckman and Freeman.

Charged With Stealing Motor Car.

Charles Gullett, twenty-three years old, was arrested yesterday on a charge of taking and appropriating to his own use an automobile belonging to Abraham Jacobs. He was admitted to bail for his appearance in Police Court tomorrow morning.

PRELIMINARY STATEMENT OF RAILROAD EARNINGS

Fiscal Year Figures Will Show That Chesapeake and Ohio Has "Turned the Corner."

IMPROVEMENT ON SOUTHERN

Officials Optimistic and Are Spending Immense Sums on Improvements, Notwithstanding Losses of First Few Months of War in Europe.

The preliminary statement of the earnings of the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway, made public at the New York offices of the company yesterday, places increase in the earnings of the road for the fiscal year ending June 30 last at $1,919,018, or 5½ per cent over the total for the preceding year. No official analysis of the figures accompanied the statement, and none is expected until a complete report of the year's business is available.

The statement is based on the actual figures for the first eleven months and the estimated earnings for the month of June.

For the month of June the earnings are given as $3,550,992, as against $3,227,084 in June, 1914, an increase of $323,908, or nearly 10 per cent.

For the fourth week in June the earnings were above the average for the month, showing an increase of 17 per cent. The total for this week in June, 1915, was $1,239,591 as against $1,060,808 for the same week a year ago, a gain of $178,783.

INDICATES THAT C. & O. HAS "TURNED THE CORNER"

The showing is regarded in railroad circles as especially satisfactory, in view of the general conditions in the territory in which the Chesapeake and Ohio operates. It indicates that the road has successfully "turned the corner" from the depression which set in previous to the war in Europe and which continued for the first six or eight months of the fiscal year of 1914-15.

The increased coal, grain and live stock shipments to the seaboard, much of which are for export to England and France, have been of great value to the Chesapeake and Ohio in getting back upon its former basis of prosperity.

With the estimated earnings of the Southern Railway for the fiscal year ending June 30 available for the first time, the extent to which this system has been hit by the European war can be placed in dollars and cents with some degree of certainty. The decrease in earnings from the total for the preceding year, which was none too prosperous, is $8,603,680, or 12 per cent.

However, the situation is improving, so far as the Southern is concerned. For five months after the war in Europe started, tying up the cotton market and putting all kinds of business in the South in a bad way, the average decrease in the earnings was in excess of 20 per cent, while the average decrease for the year is 12 per cent.

OPTIMISM OF SOUTHERN'S GENERAL OFFICIALS SHOWN

There is one rather remarkable feature about the Southern's affairs, and that is the optimism of the system's officials. While its earnings for the year have gone down more than $8,000,000, approximately that amount has been spent in permanent improvements during the last twelve months. Much was for double-tracking, new buildings, improved yard facilities, and other work, all of which indicates the faith of President Fairfax Harrison and his associates in the railroad's future. The city of Richmond and the Counties of Orange, Culpeper, Albemarle and Pittsylvania came in for an appreciable share of the money spent in improvements.

The money to finance these improvements was secured just before the outbreak of the war in Europe, and the entire amount—approximately $20,000,000—will be spent in the South. What has already gone out has been a big help in many communities which suffered from a stagnation of trade last summer.

For the year from July 1, 1914, to June 30, 1915, the earnings of the Southern were $62,147,318, as compared with $70,750,998 for the preceding twelve months. For June the decrease was 10 per cent, the earnings dropping from $6,282,400 to $4,691,369. The fourth week in June showed a decrease of 9 per cent. The total for this week in 1915 was $1,473,977; last year, $1,624,040, a decrease of $150,072.

Joe Birmingham Seeks Position.

Now that he is a free agent, Joe Birmingham, recently deposed as manager of the Indians, is seeking a managerial job in the larger minor leagues. Incidentally, friends have recommended him for the job at Jersey City, where Joe Yeager is temporarily filling in since "Hooks" Wiltse was released.

Guinea Fox Wins.

The Guinea Fox defeated the Naps yesterday, 13 to 3.

The score by innings:		R.	H.	E.
Guinea Fox....	1 0 3 0 4 0 0 5 x	13	14	4
Naps	0 0 0 1 0 0 0 3 0	4	8	6

SEALED REPORT SUBJECT OF MUCH SPECULATION

Friends of Commissioners Goode, Weil and McCarthy Make Light of Rumors.

WHOLE BOARD CRITICIZED

This Is View of Many—Others Expect Drastic Recommendations Looking to Impeachment or Removal of Accused Men.

Friends of Police Commissioners R. N. Goode, Cliff Weil and D. F. McCarthy are disposed to make light of the rumor that the resignations of two of the commissioners are called for in the sealed report of the investigators, which will go to the Board of Aldermen at the meeting to be held next Tuesday night.

Some of the most intimate friends of the three commissioners admit the belief that all have been censured sharply. They are inclined, however, to believe that the Board of Police Commissioners as a whole is criticized in the report for certain official, acts which are specified, the findings in this respect being based upon records of the board produced in evidence by City Attorney Pollard.

Disbelief in the prediction that the report of the inquisitorial body will carry a recommendation that Commissioners Weil and Goode resign is based upon the hypothesis that the investigating committee adhered to the instructions contained in the resolution adopted by the City Council, calling for the inquiry. It is pointed out that the committee of seven was delegated to sift the charges contained in the Vice Commission's report to Mayor Ainslie and to extend their probe into the police department as a whole.

SEE NO REASON FOR ASKING RESIGNATIONS

The friends of the commissioners then proceed to argue that the committee could not consistently recommend the resignation of the accused commissioners, for the reason that the plain duty of the probers was to ascertain whether their acts had rendered them unfit for the positions they hold, and to recommend to the City Council that the accused men be deposed from office, be reprimanded for their official or personal conduct or be given a clean bill of health.

In support of this course of reasoning they point to the fact that at the opening of the inquiry the committee adopted a resolution by which it bound itself to observe in the taking of testimony the rules of procedure governing the examination of witnesses in a law court. Parenthetically, they attribute the failure of the committee to continue in harmony at the final executive sessions to the insistence of Councilman Edgar B. English, the lawyer member of the body, upon abiding by that resolution.

DUTY OF COMMITTEE TO PUNISH OR VINDICATE

In the same train, it is argued that, under the resolution, the committee placed itself in the attitude of a jury, and, as a jury, it could not consistently suggest the punishment the accused men should inflict upon themselves. Rather, it would be the duty of the jury, the argument goes, to state plainly in the verdict whether the men are guilty or innocent, and to recommend to the court, which is the investigating committee, that a penalty clearly specified, such as impeachment for the purpose of removal from office, be imposed if they are found guilty, and if they are not guilty that they be vindicated.

While the members of the committee decline to discuss the report in any of its details, the impression is strong that three of the body, Aldermen Workman and Melton and Councilman English refused to sign the majority report, and that a minority report was drawn, to which they subscribed their names.

Chairman Barton H. Grundy explains the circumstances of forwarding the sealed report first to the Board of Aldermen.

"The committee adopted a resolution offered by me," Colonel Grundy says, "providing that the findings and recommendations should be submitted first to the branch of Council in which the resolution calling for the inquiry originated."

Portland Loses in Deal.

Portland's deal with the Phillies for Dave Bancroft was anything but a profitable one. It got Herb Murphy and Milton Reed, in addition to some cash. Murphy failed to deliver and was sent to the Northwestern League, where he is, however, a bearcat. Reed jumped to the Feds, but they let him go later and then Portland sent him transportation to Atlanta. He made the long trip to the coast, played in a couple of games and was turned adrift, as he showed nothing.

Baker Enters Championships.

NEW YORK, July 10.—Against the advice of a physician, Homer Baker, the international half mile champion, has entered for the half mile run in the national championship at San Francisco. Baker was injured in a motorcycle accident several weeks ago, and was advised to keep out of any contests this summer.

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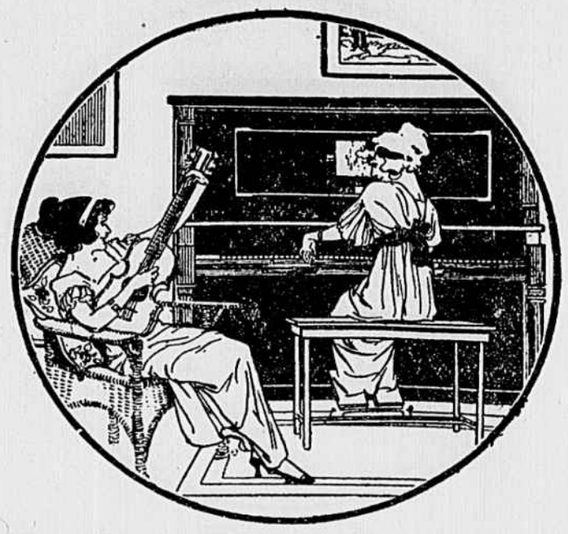

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Trains leave 5:30 A. M., 10:30 A. M., 6:00 P. M. and 11:15 P. M. Tickets good returning any time within final limit, August 4, 1915, provided original starting point is reached before midnight of that date.

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