

SPORTS

GOLF IS NOT ALL OF IT

MANY MORE SPORTS CALL FOR STRONG CONCENTRATION

Baseball and Billiards All Call for More From the Athlete.

NEW YORK, September 20.—The leading persons kidded themselves into believing that this is the only game that requires temperament of a certain sort, steady nerves, unflinching courage, brains, concentration and like qualities.

The inkblots have written reams and reams dwelling on the intricacies of their sport, they have talked themselves hoarse and hoarse still on the same subject. They have written and talked so much about it that they have come to believe that a good golfer is superior to all other athletes in the play of golf, that tennis, billiards, football and the other sports are included in only by rough necks.

It seems to be the way of editors of some magazines to dwell long and loquaciously upon the greatness of their game of the bell of other sports. But what will they say now, in face of the fact that the American amateur golfer, Bobby Jones, of Atlanta, accomplished in the recent national amateur tournament, what the professional golfer, after fifteen years, has not done, and that he has won the national championship, defeated another golfer and gave the 1915 championship to a man who is a better player than he is.

Who will say that at fourteen or fifteen temperament and brains are developed; that one has acquired poise, patience, steady nerves and calm judgment at such an age? Yet a boy, untried, beat some of the greatest golfing stars in America, and that he did so in a contest that was a world championship.

Golfers who term their game the most probably never indulged in tennis. If they had they would talk of it as they do. Tennis requires everything that golf requires—and much more. Tennis summons courage, steady nerves, concentration, endurance, and brain a thousand times faster than required in golf. A golfer can take an hour or more, if he wishes, to map out his next play, a net artist must think and act in a lightning flash. A golfer can play the game at any time that pleases him; a tennis player must be a human whirlwind; he must be here, there and everywhere.

Baseball makes a greater demand on the brain, the body and the nerve forces than does golf. It too requires courage, concentration, a stout heart and brain. Golfers elaborate on the term "strain" they are under when they are called upon to hole a six or ten or fifteen foot putt or lose a match. Does the strain compare with that of a pitcher in one of those bases situations? Does it exceed the nervous tension that comes to a batter when it is his turn to hit or lose the game for a side in a contest that may decide the night or win or lose a world championship?

Who will say that golf requires more than the matter of infinite care, concentration, nerve control and brains in billiards? Playing demands more of its devotees than does golf. It calls for concentration, the brain, the body and the nerve forces. Calm judgment and controlled nerves are essential. A golfer doesn't need to have abundant, nor ability to take punishment. But a billiard player does.

Golf is a great game, yes, but the golfers ought to perish the thought that theirs is the greatest; they ought to cease their foolish attempts to try to force folks to believe that golf is the only game where brains, concentration, steady nerves, etc., are absolutely essential.

RACES AT RADFORD FAST

Program of Fair Best Seen in Many Years—Facts to Decide Winner.

RADFORD, VA., September 20.—With seven starters in each race, the program of the fair this afternoon was the most exciting in years. After losing the first heat of the free-for-all trot race, Thomas drove Ar on Bee, an easy winner in the next three heats. Five heats were necessary to decide the 225 pace, Press Wing, owned by George Mason and driven by Kelly, of Radford, after trailing in the first two heats, won the last three heats. Jean Dominique, in his flight to capture, besides losing the loop, will be made down. This will be the first time that this act has been accomplished in the South.

The summary of four winning horses is as follows: Trot, purse, \$500 (best race in five years). Ar on Bee (Thomas).... 2 1 1 1 in R. Kelly.... 1 2 2 2 by Bedworth (Goodwin).... 1 2 2 2 a Zeelson (W. M. Fox).... 1 2 2 2 Time, 2:20 1-4, 2:17 1-4, 2:17 1-4, 2:18 1-4.

SELL HORSES BY POUND

WINCHESTER, VA., September 20.—Horses were yesterday sold by the pound for the first time in the Winchester market, when Scott Grant, a local dealer, offered 26,650 pounds of horse-flesh to C. G. Grant, of Martinsburg, Va., for 12 cents per pound. There were in all 21 horses, the average weight of which was 1,200 pounds. A two-year-old colt weighed 1,400 pounds.

MAKE SURVEY OF PLANTS

Report Regarding Industrial Concerns at Lynchburg Has Been Completed.

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Light Frost at Lynchburg. [Special to The Times-Dispatch.] LYNCHBURG, Va., September 20.—Light frost formed here in exposed places this morning, the temperature being as low as 35 degree.

NEARLY MILLION MADE HOMELESS BY FLOODS

Area of About 7,000 Square Miles in Anhui Province, China, Inundated—Comparatively Few Lives Lost, but There Is Tremendous Property Damage.

WASHINGTON, September 20.—Nearly 1,000,000 people have been made homeless by one of the greatest floods on record in that section of China where the American Red Cross has already spent \$600,000 for flood protection, and where the \$20,000,000 loan for reclamation work, which was postponed by the war, was to have been spent. Reports to the State Department today from the American consul at Nanking said Hwai River had inundated an area of about 7,000 square miles in Anhui Province. Appeals for aid have been sent out for the homeless, who virtually are entirely dependent on charity, as all the autumn crops were destroyed.

The flood occurred in a very flat alluvial section where the north-to-south passage of the grand canal had dammed up a large lake and allowed the Hwai River too little space to carry off the excess of water. To-day's delayed advices described conditions several weeks ago, but officials believe there probably has been little improvement. In the case of previous floods in that district, the waters have been held for long periods by the alluvial soil.

While it is thought that comparatively few lives were lost, crops and personal property have been destroyed, and there are thousands of destitute people, nearly all of whom are now objects of charity.

The supply of food-stuffs on hand will be inadequate to feed the people, and practically all of the autumn crops in the eight districts have been entirely destroyed. Appeals for relief have come in from the various affected districts.

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patches giving detailed information regarding recent extensive floods along the Hwai River in Anhui Province. The inundation is equal to, if not greater, than the one of 1909. An area of some 2,000 square miles was submerged under from three to fifteen feet of water, and from July 11 to July 21 the waters reached such a height as to submerge all except very high ground in an area estimated at 7,000 square miles.

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was sent to China to work out a reclamation system. In 1914 Colonel Siebert, of the Panama Canal, headed a Red Cross commission which approved Jameson's plan, and the Chinese government began arrangements for a \$20,000,000 loan to put them into effect. The European war, however, made it impossible to raise the capital.

NATIONAL CONFERENCE OF CATHOLIC CHARITIES

New Building Will Be Dedicated as Memorial to Late Thomas M. Mulry, of New York.

WASHINGTON, September 20.—Rev. J. Kirby, of Catholic University, Washington, and William Delacy, of Washington, were re-elected secretary and treasurer, respectively, of the National Conference of Catholic Charities here today.

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TRAINMEN URGE LABOR TO SUPPORT PRESIDENT

President of Brotherhood Sends Out Bulletin—Urges Loyalty to President and Congressmen.

CLEVELAND, OHIO, September 20.—Urging that labor support President Wilson in his campaign for re-election, W. G. Lee, president of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, last night sent out a bulletin in which it was "urgently requested that the position taken by President Wilson and both branches of Congress be not forgotten, and that all members use every honorable means to retain in office, regardless of partisan beliefs, those who have proved their loyalty to the cause of labor."

Similar bulletins have been prepared by Warren S. Stone, of the engineers; A. B. Garretson, of the conductors, and W. S. Carter, of the firemen.

The official organ of the trainmen, the Railroad Trainman, will present an editorial in its coming issue attacking the attitude of Charles E. Hughes on the eight-hour-day law, and urging organized labor to support Wilson.

GUILTY OF MANSLAUGHTER

Verdict in Case of John W. Miller, Charged With Killing Man Near Axton.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) DANVILLE, VA., September 20.—John Wesley Miller, charged with killing Bos Oules, near Axton, eleven months ago, this afternoon was convicted of voluntary manslaughter in the County Circuit Court, and sentenced to three years in the penitentiary.

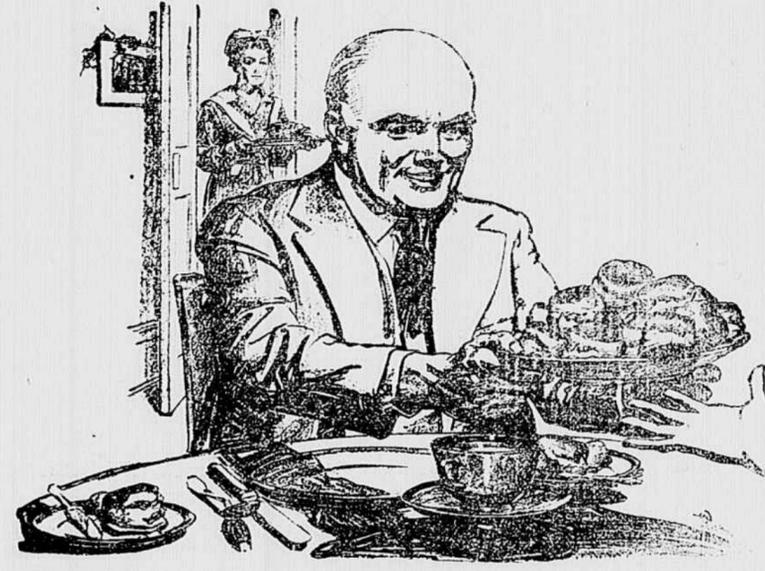
Oules was killed at a corn-shucking party, during a general fight, which grew out of an attempt to make one of the men present "ride the rail" in the scrimmage Miller received a knife wound in the abdomen, which caused his death.

SOUTHERN RAILWAY FLORIDA EXCURSION \$10.00 Jacksonville \$12.50 St. Petersburg \$13.00 Sarasota \$12.50 Tampa (Via Columbia or Atlanta in Either Direction) TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 26th Tickets sold for all trains this date. Return limits of Jacksonville tickets October 5; St. Petersburg, Tampa and Sarasota tickets, October 6, 1916; passengers to reach original starting point prior to midnight these dates. For Pullman reservations and further information, communicate with MAGRUDER DENT, District Passenger Agent, 907 East Main Street - - - Telephone Madison 272

STATEMENT OF THE FINANCIAL CONDITION OF The Union Bank of Richmond LOCATED AT RICHMOND, IN THE COUNTY OF HENRICO, STATE OF VIRGINIA, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS, SEPTEMBER 12, 1916, MADE TO THE STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION. RESOURCES: Loans and discounts \$1,403,317.61 Overdrafts, secured, \$58,000.00 unsecured, 582.66 Bonds, securities, etc., owned, including premium on same, 429,352.77 Banking-house and safe-deposit vaults, 59,900.00 Exchanges and checks for next day's clearing, 1,181,512.80 Due from national banks, 72.80 Paper currency, 8,129.28 Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents, 8,815.00 Gold coin, 42.51 Silver coin, 592.00 Total \$1,999,231.21 LIABILITIES: Capital stock paid in \$219,550.00 Undivided profits, less amount paid for interest, expenses and taxes, 219,217.15 Dividends unpaid, 22.38 Individual deposits, including savings deposits (sixty days notice), 1,181,512.80 Time certificates of deposit (sixty days notice), 19,216.50 Certified checks, 1,100.00 Due to State banks, private bankers and trust companies, 8,129.28 Reserved for accrued interest on deposits, 48,900.00 Reserved for accrued interest on certificates of deposit, 1,000.00 Reserved for accrued taxes, 13,900.00 Total \$1,999,231.21

I, Geo. W. Call, cashier, do solemnly swear that the above is a true statement of the financial condition of the Union Bank of Richmond, located at Richmond, in the County of Henrico, State of Virginia, at the close of business on the 12th day of September, 1916, to the best of my knowledge and belief. GEO. W. CALL, Cashier. Correct—Attest: GORDON WALLACE, CHARLES DAVENPORT, J. R. BEASLEY, S. W. TOMPKINS, Directors. State of Virginia, City of Richmond—ss: Sworn to and subscribed before me by Geo. W. Call, cashier, this 12th day of September, 1916. J. L. DE TRIVILLE, Notary Public. My commission expires July 7, 1920.

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE Manchester National Bank AT RICHMOND, IN THE STATE OF VIRGINIA, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON SEPTEMBER 12, 1916. RESOURCES: Total loans and discounts \$381,221.27 Overdrafts, unsecured, \$259.21 unsecured, 259.27 United States bonds deposited to secure circulation, 100,000.00 Premium on United States bonds, 592.00 Total United States bonds, 100,592.00 Stock of Federal Reserve Bank (50 per cent of subscription), 1,000.00 Equity in banking-house, 20,000.00 Furniture and fixtures, 5,000.00 Real estate owned other than banking-house, 1,412.00 Net amount due from Federal Reserve Bank, 33,317.00 Net amount due from approved reserve agents in New York, Chicago and St. Louis, 11,098.11 Net amount due from banks and bankers (other than included in preceding item), 11,098.11 Exchanges for clearing-house, 28,452.70 Outside checks and other cash items, 1,129.95 Fractional currency, nickels and cents, 266.41 Total, 225.87 Notes of other national banks, 522.29 Federal reserve notes, 882.00 Cash and certificates, 1,129.95 Legal-tender notes, 18,259.00 Redemption fund with United States Treasurer and due from United States Treasurer, 5,000.00 Total \$662,266.91 LIABILITIES: Capital stock paid in \$150,000.00 Surplus fund, 11,000.00 Undivided profits, less current expenses, interest and taxes paid, 4,609.68 Total, 165,609.68 Circulating notes outstanding, 59,000.00 Individual deposits subject to check, 7,898.81 Certified checks, 124,909.70 Cashier's checks outstanding, 321.12 Time deposits (payable after thirty days, or subject to thirty days or more notice), 11,187.60 Other time deposits, 257,777.95 Total of time deposits, 268,965.55 Total \$662,266.91 State of Virginia, City of Richmond—ss: I, D. C. Ballard, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. D. C. BALLARD, Cashier. Correct—Attest: E. T. RUCKER, O. D. BRINCKER, A. A. APRKINS, Directors. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of September, 1916. H. McGRATHAN, Notary Public. My commission expires December 21, 1918.



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CONDENSED STATEMENT OF THE National State and City Bank RICHMOND, VA., SEPTEMBER 12, 1916. RESOURCES: Loans and discounts \$7,379,459.47 Stocks and bonds, 749,401.03 Banking-house and safe-deposit vaults, 205,000.00 Cash in vaults, 508,362.42 Due from banks, 2,024,848.18 Total \$10,867,071.10 LIABILITIES: Capital paid in \$1,000,000.00 Surplus and undivided profits, 829,085.51 Contingent fund, 60,500.00 Dividends unpaid, 363.88 Circulation, 433,100.00 Bond account, 221,800.00 Bills payable, 100,000.00 Deposits, 8,222,221.71 Total \$10,867,071.10 WILLIAM H. PALMER, President. WILLIAM M. HILL, Vice-President. J. W. SINTON, Vice-President. JULIEN H. HILL, Cashier. R. E. CUNNINGHAM, Assistant Cashier. WILLIAM S. RYLAND, Assistant Cashier.