

BELMERE WON STAKE

Lasts Long Enough to Beat Dishabile in Pierpont.

COY MAID, FAVORITE, THIRD

First Day of the Fall Meet at Jamaica Showed Four Favorites as Winners—Jockey Walter Miller Puts Over Three Winners and Two Thirds—Season Opens at Latonia.

New York, Oct. 22.—The fall meeting of the Metropolitan Jockey Club opened at Jamaica today, with about 10,000 persons in attendance.

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Central's chances with Technical. Last week Tech defeated the Army and Navy boys 6 to 1, and Central expects to make a fine showing to-day.

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BOWLERS' GOOD START

District and Sunday School Leagues' Open Season.

President Cox Makes a Speech and Mr. Livingston Throws the First Ball—Prizes for Players Brozman and Eckstein—G. P. O. Takes Odd Game from War—Other Results.

A large and enthusiastic gallery of bowlers and lovers of the sport were present last night at the opening of the season of the District Amateur Bowling League, on the Saengerbund alleys.

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SPORTS OF ALL SORTS.

Soccer is getting a foothold in several parts of the country.

Yale is planning for a 240,000 bathhouse, 120 feet long and 50 feet wide.

Milwaukee has organized a canoe club for the purpose of giving a few dancing parties next winter.

Billiard champions Sutton and Hoppe, and the ex-champion Schaeffer, will play games at Baltimore soon.

Dan Renner, of Honolulu, well known as a crack swimmer, now is in the University of Pennsylvania as a student.

Pennsylvania is having a motor boat constructed to be used as a coaching launch for the candidates of the crew.

St. Thomas Lipton visited Milwaukee last week, and Brewerville treated him in such a way as the eminent and square sportsman richly deserves.

Neither Terry McGovern nor Young Corbett is satisfied with the result of their fight with an amateur, else cares, so they are going to try it over.

The massive gold diamond-studded belt, emblematic of the championship of the world, given to John L. Sullivan by thousands of his admirers after he beat Bob Fitzsimmons, has been found again in a pawnshop.

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FRENCH BALLOON VICTORIOUS

First Contest Held in America Is Great Success.

One Airship Reaches an Altitude of 8,000 Feet—"Orient" Is Now the Champion of the World.

Pittsfield, Mass., Oct. 22.—The Orient, the French balloon that carried Dr. and Mrs. Julian P. Thomas, of New York, on their flight from this city, last March, to-day won the first balloon race held in America, by defeating by twenty miles the Centaur, the champion long-distance balloon of the world.

The race began from the Aero Park, in this city, at 10:21 o'clock to-day. The airships had been awaiting good weather since Friday, and early this morning began inflating the balloons.

The Centaur carried 5,000 cubic feet of gas, and the Orient about 2,500 cubic feet.

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The Centaur, Charles T. Walsh, pilot, and Maj. Samuel Reber and Capt. Charles F. Chandler, observers, landed near Bennington, at 1:31 o'clock this afternoon.

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MOB SETS FIRE TO JAIL

Prisoner Accused of Attack on Girls Is Spirited Away.

Special to the Washington Herald. Washington, Pa., Oct. 22.—Rescued from the West Brownsville jail, which had been fired by an angry mob bent on summary vengeance, D. O. Roderick, a glass worker, was to-day placed in the jail here, after a thrilling ride through two counties. He is charged with an attempted attack on two small girls, and is alleged to have been detected in the crime.

When the mob surrounded the jail Constable Malkaard spotted Roderick out of the rear door, and placing him in a buggy soon distanced all pursuers.

The officer was forced to take his prisoner ten miles into Fayette County and then came to Washington by a circuitous route.

"BENDS" VICTIM CRUSHED. Falls from Elevated Platform in Front of Approaching Train.

New York, Oct. 22.—Overcome by the disease known as "bends," peculiar to workers in the tunnels now being constructed under the East River, John Hilbert, employed on the Belmont tunnel, fell from the elevated platform at Third avenue and Forty-second street to-day and was ground to pieces by a train.

Hilbert had been treated at the Emergency Hospital, maintained for the use of workers on "bends," and was on his way to his home in the Bronx.

Chicago Traffic Blocked. Hundreds of Green Motormen Tie Up Entire Downtown Section.

Chicago, Oct. 22.—Such a blockade of traffic as Chicago has never known, a blockade absolutely unique for any city, characterized by the first week-day's operation of trolley cars on what has hitherto been the North Side cable system.

The gripmen, suddenly transformed into motormen, knew nothing of their work. Except for the usual frequency of accidents Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night passed without serious trouble.

With the start of heavy trucking and the multiplication of the number of cars this morning the trouble began.

The cars must complete a loop encircling the business district. By 9 o'clock the loop was packed with a cursing, hissing sea of gripmen, conductors, and truckmen.

No one outside the charmed circle could get in; no one inside could get out.

Transportation was completely tied up, except by way of the elevated railroads, and two-thirds of downtown Chicago was from two to four hours late to work.

From 9 until noon little was "doing." Then the police and traction officials partly broke the blockade for two or three hours.

By that time the rush hour had begun, and at 4:30 conditions were as bad as before.

Manager Roach, of the Union Traction Company says there will be a little less trouble as the men grow familiar with their work, but that there can be no great improvement under the single car system—the cars must be run in trains or blockades are inevitable.

Tries to Cremate His Wife. Man Sought by Mob, But Police Chief Dissuades Lynchers.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Oct. 22.—John Doran, arrested at Wilkensburg, a suburb, yesterday, charged with attempting to cremate his wife, narrowly escaped lynching to-day at the hands of an enraged mob of neighbors.

As Doran was being removed from the lockup to the office of Justice of the Peace J. J. Walker for a hearing, a crowd of more than 100 people gathered about the office and attempted to take the prisoner.

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WOMAN'S BED EXPLODED. Incident on a liner that made the Steward Laugh. From the New York Herald. When the St. Louis, of the American Line, arrived from Southampton there were a score of passengers ready to tell a story that there had been an explosion during the voyage with disastrous results.

"Just ask about the explosion," said one, as he winked at another voyager. Williams, the purser, there was not an officer of the vessel who would admit that any accident had happened on the trip.

In the room steward's department the secret was quickly revealed and the terrible crash that awoke many of the sleeping travelers when the ship was tossing in midocean was told of.

"Sure it exploded," said one steward. "It was this way: Yes, see, the lobby was hexagonally 'eavy,' twenty staves, Joseph Thomson, a passenger, said all the fuss was about a pneumatic mattress that was unable to withstand the weight of Mrs. Thomson.

"There was no accident, I assure you," said he. "My, my, be sure and say that there was no accident."

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