

AUTOMOBILE RACE MEETING

WM. K. VANDERBILT, JR., WINS CHAMPIONSHIP.

USED A GERMAN MACHINE

Made a Half Mile in 41 Seconds—
Five Miles in 7 Minutes
and 36 Seconds.

Newport, Aug. 30—The automobile races held by the National association were run off on the half mile track at Aquidneck park this afternoon. Mr. Wm. K. Vanderbilt, Jr., the president of the organization, was the star performer of the day. He drove his own machine in four races, made the best time on the track, and won the championship cup. Fully 7,000 people went to the track. It was a notable society function and nearly every prominent family living here was represented.

In all there were 16 races, but the one attracting most interest and arousing the greatest excitement was that between young Vanderbilt in his new German racer of 35 horse power, and Foxhall Keene, in a machine of fully 60 horse power. Each had won preliminary heats. Vanderbilt quickly shot ahead at the start and at the end of the first lap was an eighth of a mile ahead. Aided by a very clever chauffeur, who at the sharp turns took every chance and leaned far in with only a small strap to support him, Vanderbilt added to his lead in the first mile. He was 56 seconds at the half and only one minute and 36 seconds at the mile. His third half mile was made in 41 seconds, the fastest lap of the meeting. Half way over the course he had Keene surely beaten barring accident, and finished the race in fine form, a winner in 7:36, the fastest five miles of the day.

JEWELRY STORE BURGLARIZED.

Safe Blowers Make Good Haul, Most-ly Gems.

Chicago, Aug. 30—The jewelry store of Bernard Hagemann was entered early this morning by safe blowers. The burglars tore off an iron rod which protected a rear window to the building and drilled holes in the door to the safe. With an explosive the door was blown from its hinges. The booty consisted of over \$4,000 worth of gems and \$700 in money.

TIES PILED ON TRACK.

Attempt to Wreck Passenger Train Failed.

New Ulm, Minn., Aug. 30—For the third time within a year an attempt was made last night to wreck trains on the Minneapolis & St. Louis road south of here. Each time ties have been placed along the track in the night. Early this morning the north bound passenger ran into a pile between this city and Searles, the first station south. Within a mile the fireman, who walked ahead of the train, found four other piles of ties.

WILL BE PAID AT ONCE.

Judgment of De Lama & Co. Against United States.

Washington, Aug. 30—Mr. Tracewell, the comptroller of the treasury, has rendered a decision which disposes of the famous De Lama case. He holds that under the recent decision of the United States supreme court, the judgment obtained by De Lama & Co. for \$14,597 from the United States on account of duties paid by them on merchandise shipped from Porto Rico to the United States, between the date of the ratification of the treaty of Paris and that of the approval of the Foraker act, may be paid out of the general fund of the treasury department without further action by congress.

WON THE MONEY.

Walked From New York to Sioux Falls on a Wager.

Sioux Falls, S. D., Aug. 30—Fred Culbert, who left New York May 1, to walk to Sioux Falls on a wager of \$5,000, arrived here at 4 o'clock this afternoon, 32 hours ahead of time, having walked 2,200 miles. Culbert left without a cent and has not slept in a bed since his departure from New York. He was given a reception here this evening.

Experience is the Best Teacher.

Use Acker's English Remedy in any case of coughs, colds or croup. Should it fail to give immediate relief, money refunded. 25 cts. and 50 cts. For sale by Chapple Drug Co.

Sure Death to Wolves and Coyotes
Rousseau et Strauss
STRYCHNINÆ

The Only Poison Made that Never Fails to Kill
SURE AND QUICK

Read the Following Recommendations from Leading Montana Stockmen:

Miles City, Mont., Feby. 12, 1901.
F. B. Dennie & Co., Minneapolis, Minn.
Gentlemen: I have heard so many of the large stock-growers who are using your brand of strychnine or wolf poison speak of it so highly, and after careful inquiry satisfying myself that it is the only poison on the market worthy of recommendation, I wish to ask you if you will not thoroughly advertise it that all will use the same and soon do away with this greatest of all poisons to stock-growers.

You should have a big sale for it I am fully convinced, and I am positive if you will make its superior quality known all will use it. I have heard enough to satisfy me that it is worthy of endorsement by all who are interested in the welfare of the stock-grower. Your respectfully
W. D. SMITH,
Stock Inspector for Montana.

Billings, Montana, Feby. 14, 1901.
F. B. Dennie & Co., Minneapolis, Minn.
Gentlemen: After using a large quantity of your strychnine or wolf poison, and giving it a most thorough test we are pleased to say that it is the best and cheapest poison we have ever used, and we hope that you will make its true worth known to all stock-growers.

Experience teaches us that it is cheaper to use the best poison, as this has proven itself to be at any price, than the ordinary grades as a gift.

We will continue to use this brand as we believe it will do more to exterminate the wolf than any other method known to us and we hope that all others will do the same.
Very respectfully yours,
CUSTER CATTLE COMPANY,
By Paul McCormick, Pres.

Fort McMinnis, Mont., Sept. 20, 1900.
F. B. Dennie & Co., Minneapolis, Minn.
Gentlemen: I herewith enclose check for \$195.00 for 40oz. strychnine which I purchased from your agent, F. D. Derby, this spring.

After giving the same a most thorough test I am pleased to say that it is the best strychnine that I have seen in twenty years. My men and wolves have had most excellent results by constant use of the same. Mr. Lindsey, one of my men got 21 wolves with three bottles and their carcasses were found all the way from six to one hundred feet from the bait.

I heartily recommend this strychnine to all stockmen, and hope that you will push the sale of it, as the wolf is one of the greatest pests to the stock-grower, and for me I have found this a most practical method of ridding my range of the same, and if it is good for me it must be good for others. Next year I expect to place an order for a larger quantity. Very respectfully,
OSCAR STEPHENS.

Billings, Mont., Feby. 15, 1901.
F. B. Dennie & Co., Wholesale Grocers, Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sirs: After using forty ounces of your strychnine or wolf poison this fall and winter, we take great pleasure in saying that it is the best poison we have ever seen or used. We get more wolves and coyotes with an ounce bottle of it than we generally get with a dozen of the common grades.

When all stockmen realize that this poison is all that is claimed for it, and use it as we will continue to do, we will then have less wolves to contend with. We hope you will advertise this poison and push the sale of it as the wolf question is a problem which we all have to deal with alike.
Yours, respectfully,
JAS. R. HAYNIE,
Foreman, Hysham Cattle Company.

Shawmut, Mont., Nov. 2, 1900.

F. B. Dennie & Co., Minneapolis, Minn.
Gentlemen: Enclosed please find check for strychnine bought of your agent this spring. We have used every brand of strychnine we could get for years with poor results, but am glad to say that this has proven highly satisfactory. We have gotten as high as twenty-four grey wolves with one ounce of the strychnine, and the best feature of it is they are found close to the bait.

Kindly forward us a pound of the strychnine at once, by mail.
Yours truly,
ELMER E. CRAWFORD,
Manager Bloomington L. & L. S. Co.

For Sale by the Following Dealers:

- | | | |
|-------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| DONOVAN-McCORMICK CO.,
Billings, Mont. | H. P. IMSULAND,
Grass Range, Mont. | McNAMARA & CO.,
Big Sandy, Mont. |
| T. C. POWER & BRO.,
Fort Benton, Mont. | J. E. KELLY,
Flatwillow, Mont. | J. F. WILLIAMS,
Chinook, Mont. |
| D. E. HEMPHILL,
Lewistown, Mont. | WM. GRANT,
Musselshell, Mont. | JAMES TYLER & SON,
Wildier, Mont. |
| | W. E. SAVAGE,
Miles City, Mont. | JAY E. WILSON,
Ekalaka, Mont. |

F. B. DENNIE & CO., Minneapolis, Minnesota,
SOLE AMERICAN AGENTS.

F. D. DERBY, Northwestern Agent, Billings, Mont.

DIED OF CONSUMPTION.

Brigadier General Ludlow Yields to Dread Disease.

New York, Aug. 30—Brigadier General Wm. Ludlow, U. S. A., died today of consumption at Convent, N. J.

Washington, Aug. 30—General Ludlow was one of the best known officers in the army. He entered the military academy from New York in 1860 and graduating before the close of the civil war, entered the corps of engineers. He rendered conspicuous services in the south, for which he was brevetted lieutenant colonel. Many important works of coast defense and river and harbor improvements have been under his charge and he was a member of the Nicaragua canal commission which made a report on that project just before the present commission was appointed. In May, 1898, he was made a brigadier general of volunteers and took an important part in the operations around Santiago. He was promoted to be major general of volunteers in recognition of his services.

Upon the rearrangement of the volunteer officers after the close of the Spanish war, he became brigadier general of the volunteers and retained that position until appointed a brigadier general in the regular army last January. While he was serving as brigadier general of the volunteers, he was military governor of Havana and instituted many reforms in the government of that city.

Went too Fast.

Newport, R. I., Aug. 30—Wm. K. Vanderbilt, Jr., was summoned to police court today and fined \$10 and costs for allowing his automobile to exceed the speed fixed by the city ordinance.

Hunt Appointed.

Washington, Aug. 30—Wm. H. Hunt of Montana has been appointed governor of Porto Rico.

Special Rates to Pan-American Exposition.

The Northern Pacific Railway company will sell special excursion tickets Billings to Buffalo and return at \$57.75. Tickets on sale the first and third Tuesday of each month, June to October inclusive. Tickets limited to thirty days.

H. N. KENNEDY, Agt.

SCHLEY IS NO COWARD

ADMIRAL WATSON RESENTS THE IMPUTATION.

Would Prefer Charges Against Any Naval Officer Who Asserted He Was.

New York, Aug. 30—Admiral John C. Watson is quoted in the World as having said in the course of a private conversation in Washington:

"If any naval officer asserts that Admiral Schley is a coward and the fact comes to my knowledge I will see that the delinquent has a chance to vindicate his opinion before a court martial. I will prefer charges against such an offender myself."

The remarks, according to the World's correspondent, were brought out as a result of the reiterating of some of the charges brought against Rear Admiral Schley.

MADE NO ADVERSE COMMENT.

Admiral Howison Denies Authenticity of Interview.

Washington, Aug. 30—Acting Secretary Hackett has made public a letter received from Admiral Howison, dated Yonkers, N. Y., August 24, denying the authenticity of the interview attributed to him in which he is made to comment adversely on Admiral Schley. The acting secretary has therefore continued Admiral Howison as a member of the Schley court of inquiry, leaving the court itself to determine any further question as to his competency.

Schley's Counsel Not Satisfied.

Washington, Aug. 30—The correspondence was sent to Admiral Schley who discussed it with his counsel. Later in the day the following announcement was made:

"Admiral Schley's counsel is entirely dissatisfied with the position of Admiral Howison as disclosed in his letter to Acting Secretary Hackett, made public today." The lawyers hold that it is not a comprehensive denial of the statements attributed to Ad-

miral Howison, nor, they say, does it disclose sufficiently the admiral's freedom from bias. It is probable they will set forth these objections in a letter to the acting secretary of the navy.

FATAL FIRE.

Started by Explosion of Coal Oil Stove.

New York, Aug. 30—Four persons were killed and seven were seriously injured in a tenement fire in Brooklyn tonight. The dead:

MRS. ROSIE ROTHGEISER, 37 years of age, jumped from fourth story window.

ANNIE BECK, 10 years.

TILLIE BECK, 5 years.

FRANK BURD, infant.

The explosion of a kerosene oil stove started the fire.

Nets were spread to catch those who jumped from the windows. Mrs. Rothgeiser missed the net, struck on the sidewalk and was instantly killed.

RACE HORSES BURNED.

Fire at St. Louis Fair Ground Consumes Some Fast Ones.

St. Louis, Aug. 30—Fire that broke out in fair grounds race track today consumed about a dozen stables, valued at \$5,500 and burned to death a number of valuable race horses. Great excitement prevailed during the fire. Horses were turned loose and ran away in every direction. It is impossible to learn the names of all the animals consumed, but it is known that Tom Cromwell, Miss Faustus and Silent Brook met their death. It was reported that a sick boy had been incinerated in one of the stables, but this could not be corroborated.

HELD TO GRAND JURY.

Former Minnesota Senator Charged With Crime.

Boston, Aug. 31—Alonzo J. Whitman was arraigned in court today on the charges of forgery and larceny and was held in \$5,000 for the grand jury. Whitman made no plea. His alleged victims here are Hunt & Co., and Armstrong, Schrimmer & Co. Whitman was at one time a member of the Minnesota senate.

PLOTTED TO KILL BISHOP

AND GAIN POSSESSION OF POLISH HOSPITAL.

TRIED TO HIRE ASSASSIN

Evidence in Trial of Five Parishioners Charged with Conspiracy.

Chicago, Aug. 30—Sensational testimony disclosing an alleged plot to kill Bishop Anton Koslowski, of the Independent Polish Catholic church was introduced by the prosecution in Justice Martin's court here today. Five of the bishop's parishioners are defendants on charges of conspiracy to defame the character of the bishop and attempting to cause his arrest.

B. Lewindowski, who has been employed as watchman of the hospital run in connection with the bishop's church, testified that Dr. Lodostow Slominski, the principal defendant, had plotted to get rid of Koslowski in order to secure control of the hospital. The conspiracy, it is charged, was entered into a year ago last winter. Lewindowski, in testifying said: "Dr. Slominski told me I had better kill the bishop, so that he and those other men could have the hospital. We were in a saloon at the time and he put \$50 on the bar and told me to take that now. Then he said I was to have \$350 more when I decided to do what he wanted. He said also that he would give me a steady job driving the ambulance and that I would have a nice uniform with brass buttons, and a horse."

The other defendants on trial are B. Wadzinski, S. Sajowicz, H. A. Podgorski and Joseph Ciszowski.

ROOSEVELT IN CHICAGO

TAKES CRUISE WITH ILLINOIS NAVAL MILITIA.

Meets Several Men Who Served in the Army Before Santiago.

Chicago, Aug. 31—Vice President Roosevelt spent a busy day here since his arrival at 7:30 this morning. The morning was taken up with a breakfast at the Chicago club tendered by Senator Cullom, and by private business of the vice president. At noon a luncheon attended by some 40 prominent business men and state officials was given by Col. J. H. Strong of Governor Yates' staff at the Union League club. For several hours in the afternoon Mr. Roosevelt in company with Governor Yates and staff made a cruise on the United States training ship Dorothea as the guest of Captain H. S. Allen, commander of the Illinois naval militia. After the Dorothea came to anchor at the end of the cruise, Roosevelt addressed the members of the ship's crew, lauding them for their willingness to serve their country. In passing among the jackets he discovered several men who had served in the navy before Santiago with whom he renewed acquaintances. In the evening the vice president was the guest of honor at a dinner given by Grace Stewart to a number of prominent Chicagoans and members of the Merchants club.

LIST INCREASING.

Number of Victims of Steamboat Disaster Reaches 21.

Philadelphia, Aug. 31—List of dead as the result of the explosion of the boiler on the steamboat City of Trenton in the Delaware river last Wednesday, has now reached 21. Sixteen bodies have been identified and five still await identification at the morgue. Eight bodies were recovered today in the vicinity of the disaster. Nine persons are missing and the five unidentified are probably some of this number.

Boers Blow Up Train.

London, Aug. 31—Kitchener reports Boers blew up a train between Watervaal and Haman's Kraal today. Lieutenant Colonel Vandalur of the Irish guards was killed. Other casualties not yet reported.

Sick Headache

Absolutely and permanently cured by using Moki Tea. A pleasant herb drink. Cures constipation and indigestion, makes you eat, sleep, work and happy. Satisfaction guaranteed or money back. 25 cts. and 50 cts. For sale by Chapple Drug Co.

Greatest of All

Every one in San Antonio, Texas, says that Acker's English Remedy is the greatest thing ever put up for coughs, colds, asthma, bronchitis, croup and consumption. I have been using it over four



years for all forms of throat and lung troubles, and have not to come across a case where it failed. We have four little ones in our family, and neither my wife nor I have ever lost a night's sleep because of throat troubles among the children. I guess that is more than any other family can say. Acker's English Remedy is just as effective for grown-up people as for the young. It seems to go straight to the place where the trouble lies in the throat and bronchial tubes and lungs. It soothes and heals the irritated tissues, loosens up the phlegm and mucus in the breathing passages, quiets the nerves, invigorates the constitution and stops the coughing. My advice to parents is to always keep a bottle in the house. It will be a constant safeguard against croup." (Signed)

F. G. ZIMMERMAN, San Antonio, Tex.
Sold at 50c, 75c and \$1 a bottle, throughout the United States and Canada; and in England, at 2s. 6d., 3s. 6d., 4s. 6d. If you are not satisfied after trying, return the bottle to your druggist and get your money back.
We authorize the above guarantee.
W. H. MOORE & CO., Proprietors, New York
For sale by Chapple Drug Co.



UNDER STATE SUPERVISION.

Pays 5 per cent on savings deposits. Interest compounded quarterly. Pays 6 per cent on time certificates of deposit, not subject to check. Issues savings certificates on building and loan plan with definite time of maturity and definite payments. Loans money on real estate to be repaid on monthly installments running from one to ten years, to suit borrower.

Trustees.
Lee Mantle, president; Chas. Schatzlein, vice-president; Frank W. Haskins, treasurer; A. B. Clements, secretary; Charles R. Leonard, F. Aug. Heinze, Henry Mueller, James H. Monteath.
FRED H. FOSTER, Local Agent.

P. H. Smith & Co.

Undertakers and Embalmers.

Undertaking Parlors
114 N. Twenty-Seventh St.
Telephone 20.

Calls Attended to at all Hours

DR. SELBREDE,



DENTIST
Parlors over
Chapple Drug Co. Billings, Mont.

SPEEDING SHAMROCK.

Mr. Jameson Takes Charge of the Sailing.

New York, Aug. 31—The sixth trip of Shamrock II today, thanks to a stiff breeze from the southeast, developed into a speed trial over a measured course, the results of which are considered satisfactory by Sir Thomas Lipton and his friends. Sir Thomas said yesterday that when Mr. Jameson arrived he would be in absolute charge of the yacht. He was on board the Shamrock today and in charge of the yacht every minute of the trial judging from the masterly way in which she was handled. Instead of going outside to sea, he had the yacht sent twice up and down the main ship channel from the southwest spit to Staten Island and back, almost every mile of which is marked by government buoys, with the result that by simple calculations it was found the yacht had traveled over certain portions of the course at the rate of 14 knots an hour. Sir Thomas Lipton, measuring her speed by that of the Erin, claims half a knot more.

ST. JOHN'S HEADACHE CURE will cure your headache. Sold by Chapple Drug Co.