SENATORS WIN THE THIRD

Mercer Pitches in Fine Form and Quakers Are Shut Out.

HIT HIM FOR ONLY FIVE BASES

Brown and O'Brien Score Home Runs Via the Bleachers and the Whole Team Play the Game According to the Latest Edition of Baseball Ethics.

GAMES YESTERDAY.

Washington, 6; Philadelphia, 0.
Boston, 7; New York, 5.
Baltimore, 10; Brooklyn, 3—First game.
Baltimore, 13; Brooklyn, 3—Second game.
Cincinnati, 6; St. Louis, 5.
Cleveland, 12; Pittsburg, 6.
Louisville, 5; Chicago, 4.

GAMES TODAY.

Brooklyn at Washington.
Baltimore at Philadelphia.
Boston at New York.

	W.	L.	Pct
1 Boston	62	28	.689
2 Cincinnati	58	30	.659
3 Baltimore	57	30	.655
4 New York	52	34	.605
5 Cleveland	47	43	.522
6 Chicago	45	49	.479
7 Philadelphia	42	50	.457
8 Pittsburg	41	50	.451
9 Louisville	42	53	.442
10 Brooklyn	38	51	.427
11 Washington	34	55	.382
12 St. Louis	25	70	.263

As the rain storm of Tuesday night swept the city to a cleanliness, so did the Senators sweep the Quakers to a nicety at National Park yesterday afternoon. The Stallings aggregation of high ball chasers were shut out and the Statesmen scored six runs and thereby were winners three times in a row.

Gen. Meade one time said that Hancock was superb. Yesterday 1,000 dead game baseball cranks paid that compliment to Mercer. The former distinction was made during the hottest conflict of the late war, and it is to be regretted that the masterly pitching of the East Liverpool twirler did not decide a battle on the diamond in measurable importance to that of the valiant warrior at Gettysburg. As it is, the Senators are still in eleventh place.

The fellows from the town of old Bitte Penn were as inanimate as a picnic train on a siding waiting for a fast express to pass. They were in and out to the fashion of a new queen, and the automatism of action was broken only by a far between hit.

The immense rainfall had its effect on Lajoie, Cross and Cooley. The latter, to make a bluff, started in the game, but his failure to get a hit in the first inning forced him out and Orth took his place. So endeth the Quakers and now to deal with the Statesmen.

Selbach captured six leatherites. Some might have been difficult for others, but German fiddler sang merrily, "All flies are alike to me," and while catching them his volume of music was all the greater. He also made a clever assist in the fifth and swatted two safe times on the ball.

Tom Brown is next. He wasted some time in endeavoring to convince Delehanty that he was out, after the Quaker had been decided safe by the umpire while pilfering second. But Thomas lambasted one of Wheeler's undeceivers into the bleachers, and made the circuit of the bases as leisurely as a department clerk walks to his office after eating lunch.

DeMontreville! He was like a fellow who never met defeat. He smothered grounders, caught flies, and covered second when O'Brien was a leetle slow, and seven times did he emphasize his utility.

The noblest Roman of them all, said the weather-beaten Democrats when grand old man Thurman ran for Vice President with silent Grover as a running mate. So do the cranks worship at the shrine of McGuire. The latter was in too game with his trusty stick, and his support of Mercer was like the old Roman's bandana in the campaign of 1888. His one error, a bad throw to catch a runner, made no difference in the score.

The hero of Tuesday—Tom Tucker—is not a midweek man this week. His fielding was all right, but he could not drive a single to save his record from falling.

Living a new life seems to tell the story of O'Brien rehabilitation. Yesterday he was like a colt browsing in a field of clover. He, too, sent the ball into the 25-cent kingdom, and scored a homer. His five chances were not of the easiest kind, but it seemed as though he forgot all about his money.

Next came the blonde right fielder, for instance. But Abbey did really play a fine game. In the second inning he unfastened his hoofs from the sod and sprinted toward Brown's territory with unusual alacrity, and made a spread eagle catch of McFarland's low fly.

The yearling on third, known familiar to the rooters as Zeke, but whose family name is of a more Biblical nature—Ezekial—demonstrated that he can bunt in McGraw fashion, and thrice did he sacrifice, two of which efforts aided in scoring runs.

And of Mercer, the second paragraph of this story in a measure shows his greatness. He fielded his position in a clear manner and his single resulted in his scoring.

The Quakers' play merit much, but their batting was weak.

The Senators began scoring in the first. Brown made a homer. O'Brien duplicated the bleacher act in the second.

Mercer and Selbach singled in the fourth, and while the latter stole second Mercer scored.

DeMontreville walked in the sixth and went to third on McGuire's single. When the old man went out on Tucker's force the shortstop crossed the home plate.

Abbey singled in the eighth, Wrigley sacrificed, and on Shugart's wild throw of Mercer's grounder the right fielder scored. The score:

Washington.	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Selbach, l. f.	5	0	2	6	1	0
Brown, c. f.	5	1	1	1	0	0
DeMontreville, ss.	4	1	1	5	2	0
McGuire, c.	4	0	3	3	0	1
Tucker, 1b	4	0	0	5	1	0
O'Brien, 2b	4	1	1	2	5	0
Abbey, r. f.	2	2	1	3	0	0
Wrigley, 3b	1	0	0	2	0	0
Mercer, p.	3	1	1	0	3	0
Totals	32	6	10	27	12	1

Philadelphia.	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Orth, c. f.	3	0	0	1	0	0
Cooley, c. f.	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dowd, r. f.	4	0	1	3	0	0
Delehanty, l. f.	3	0	1	1	0	0
Boyle, 1b	4	0	0	10	0	0
Shugart, ss.	3	0	1	5	3	1
Geier, 2b	3	0	0	0	6	1
Nash, 3b	3	0	0	2	1	0
McFarland, c.	3	0	1	2	1	0
Wheeler, p.	3	0	1	0	2	0
Totals	29	0	5	24	13	2

Washington ..... 1 2 0 1 0 0 1 1 x—6
Philadelphia ..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0

Earned runs—Washington 2. Home runs—Brown, O'Brien. First base by errors—Washington 2. Left on bases—Washington 9, Philadelphia 6. First base on balls—Off Mercer 2, off Wheeler 3. Struck out—By Mercer 2. Sacrifice hits—Wrigley 3. Stolen bases—Selbach, Brown, Delehanty, Dowd. Double play—DeMontreville, O'Brien and Tucker. Umpire—Mr. Kelly.

Brooklyn Is Here Today.

Since the Brooklyns have defeated the Senators three times they have hit the dust a like number of times with the Orioles and played one tie. They come to Washington today, and if the Statesmen keep up their present pace Barnie's men will go away from the country's capital scalped three times.

THE COLTS LOSE.

Dad Clarke Wins His First Game for Louisville.

Louisville, Aug. 11.—Dad Clarke pitched his first game for Louisville today, and won it, by keeping hits scattered at critical times. Briggs was effective, but three of his bases on balls were costly. Ryan, Johnson, and Callahan did the most effective stick work, and Stafford and Lange had the fielding honors. Score:

Chicago.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Everett, 3b.	0	3	1	1	0
Dahlen, s. s.	1	1	1	1	1
Lange, c. f.	1	1	4	0	1
Anson, 1b.	0	0	5	1	0
Ryan, r. f.	1	3	2	0	0
Callahan, l. f.	1	3	3	1	0
Connor, 2b.	0	0	3	5	2
Briggs, p.	0	2	0	1	0
Kittridge, c.	0	1	5	2	0
*Decker	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	4	14	24	12	4

Louisville.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Clarke, l. f.	0	1	1	0	0
Stafford, s. s.	0	1	4	5	1
Wagner, c. f.	0	0	3	2	0
Werden, 1b.	2	1	11	2	0
Dexter, r. f.	2	2	2	0	0
Johnson, 2b.	0	3	0	1	1
Wilson, c.	1	0	2	0	0
Clingman, 3b.	0	2	3	1	0
W. H. Clarke, p.	0	1	1	3	0
Totals	5	11	27	14	2

*Decker batted for Briggs in ninth.

Chicago ..... 0 2 2 0 0 0 0 0 0—4
Louisville ..... 0 0 0 2 0 2 0 1 x—5

Earned runs—Chicago, 2; Louisville, 1. Left on bases—Chicago, 7; Louisville, 7. First base on errors—Chicago, 2; Louisville, 1. Two-base hits—Ryan, 2. Home run—Dexter. Sacrifice hits—Anson, Callahan. Double plays—Johnson, Stafford, and Werden; Stafford, Werden, and Clingman; Clingman and Werden. Stolen bases—A. Clarke. Struck out—By Briggs, 4; by Clarke, 1. Wild pitches—Clarke, 2. Umpire—Mr. O'Day. Attendance—1,000. Time of game—2 hours.

THE INDIANS VICTORS.

Brown's Clever Box Work Helps Them to Win.

Cleveland, Aug. 11.—Clever pitching by Brown and poor base work by Hastings gave Cleveland a victory today. Criger was knocked down at the plate by Davis, whom he had blocked off, and badly injured. His error was due to his losing the ball when knocked down. Score:

Cleveland.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Burkett, l. f.	2	3	0	0	0
McKean, s. s.	1	1	3	5	1
Childs, 2b	1	1	3	4	0
Wallace, 3b	3	3	1	3	0
O'Connor, r. f.	2	2	0	0	0
Pickering, c. f.	1	1	1	0	0
Tebeau, 1b	1	3	13	1	0
Criger, c	0	0	2	0	1
Zimmer, c	0	0	4	1	0
Brown, p	1	1	0	1	0
Totals	12	15	27	15	2

Pittsburg.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Brodie, c. f.	0	0	2	0	0
Smith, l. f.	1	1	3	0	0
Padden, 2b	1	2	4	4	0
Davis, 3b	1	3	1	1	0
Rothfuss, 1b	0	1	7	0	0
Donovan, r. f.	0	0	4	0	0
Ely, s. s.	1	0	2	3	0
Merritt, c	1	2	1	2	0
Hastings, p	1	1	0	1	0
Totals	6	10	24	11	0

Cleveland ..... 0 3 1 4 3 1 0 0 x—12
Pittsburg ..... 0 0 0 3 0 0 0 0 3—6

Earned runs—Cleveland, 3; Pittsburg, 3. First base on errors—Pittsburg, 3. Left on bases—Cleveland, 9; Pittsburg, 6. First base on balls—Off Brown, 1; off Hastings, 7. Struck out—By Brown, 6. Home run—Hastings. Two-base hits—Wallace, Brown and Padden. Stolen bases—Tebeau, 2. O'Connor, Burkett, and Pickering. Double play—Childs, McKean and Tebeau. Hit by pitcher—By Brown, 1. Wild pitches—Hastings, 4. Time of game—2 hours and 8 minutes. Umpire—Mr. McDonald.

ORIOLES PLAY GREAT BALL.

Take Two Games From Brooklyn in Championship Style.

Brooklyn, Aug. 11.—Championship ball was played by the Championsin both games today. In the first conflict the Baltimores wasted only one hit. Hoffer sent the ball over the left field fence in the early game, while Clarke repeated the feat in the second game. Brown, who was with the Trenton club earlier in the season, was given a trial. He sent three men to first base in the opening inning, and in the fourth hit the first three men who toed the plate. Score:

Brooklyn.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Griffin, c. f.	0	2	0	0	0
Jones, r. f.	2	0	2	0	0
Anderson, l. f.	0	3	3	0	1
Shindle, 3b.	0	1	3	4	0
La Chance, 1b.	0	0	13	2	0
Shoch, 2b.	0	0	3	3	0
Grim, c.	0	1	0	1	0
Dunn, p.	0	1	1	4	0
G. Smith, s. s.	0	2	2	6	2
A. Smith, c.	1	0	0	0	1
Totals	3	10	27	20	4

Baltimore.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
McGraw, 3b.	2	1	1	3	0
Keeler, r. f.	2	1	3	0	0
Jennings, s. s.	0	1	6	2	1
Kelley, l. f.	0	1	4	0	0
Stenzel, c. f.	2	3	2	0	0
Doyle, 1b.	0	1	8	1	0
Reitz, 2b.	2	2	1	3	0
Clarke, c.	0	2	1	1	1
Hoffer, p.	2	1	1	2	1
Totals	10	13	27	12	3

Brooklyn ..... 1 0 1 0 0 0 1 0 0—3
Baltimore ..... 1 2 2 2 0 1 1 0 1—10

Earned runs—Baltimore, 5. First base on errors—Brooklyn, 1; Baltimore, 3. Left on bases—Brooklyn, 7; Baltimore, 8. Home run—Hoffer. Two-base hits—McGraw, Stenzel, 2; Clarke, G. Smith. Stolen base—Reitz. Sacrifice hits—Keeler, 2; Jennings. Double plays—Hoffer and Doyle; Reitz, Jennings and Doyle; G. Smith and La Chance. First base on balls—Off Dunn, 4; off Hoffer, 2. Hit by pitcher—Reitz, 2. Wild pitch—Hoffer. Umpire—Mr. Emslie. Time of game—1 hour and 55 minutes.

Second game:

Brooklyn.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Griffin, c. f.	0	1	2	0	0
Jones, r. f.	0	2	4	0	0
Anderson, l. f.	0	1	0	1	1
Shindle, 3b	1	0	4	0	0
La Chance, 1b	0	0	3	0	0
Shoch, 2b	1	2	2	5	0
A. Smith, c	0	0	2	3	0
Brown, p	0	1	0	3	0
G. Smith, s. s.	0	2	2	5	3
Burrill, 1b	1	1	8	1	0
Fisher, p	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	3	10	27	18	4

Baltimore.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E
McGraw, 3b	1	4	0	2	0
Keeler, r. f.	0	1	1	0	0
Jennings, s. s.	1	2	4	2	0
Kelley, l. f.	3	3	6	0	0
Stenzel, c. f.	1	0	1	0	0
Doyle, 1b	2	2	9	1	0
Reitz, 2b	1	1	4	5	0
Clarke, c	2	1	1	0	0
Pond, p	2	0	1	0	0
Totals	13	14	27	10	0

Brooklyn ..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 3—3
Baltimore ..... 4 0 0 3 1 1 0 0 4—13

Earned runs—Brooklyn, 2; Baltimore, 4. First base on errors—Baltimore, 3. Left on bases—Brooklyn, 8; Baltimore, 4. Home run—Clarke. Two-base hits—McGraw 2, Reitz, Kelley 2, Shoch, G. Smith. Stolen bases—Jennings, Kelley, Shindle. Sacrifice hit—Stenzel. First base on balls—Off Brown, 4; off Fisher, 1; off Pond, 2. Struck out—By Fisher, 1; by Pond, 1. Double plays—Doyle and Pond; Reitz and Doyle. Hit by pitcher—Griffin, Reitz, Clarke, Pond. Wild pitch—Brown. Umpire—Mr. Emslie. Attendance—4,266. Time of game—2 hours and 6 minutes.

A CLOSE GAME AT CINCINNATI.

The Tail-Enders Give the Reds a Hard But Futile Fight.

Cincinnati, Aug. 11.—Breitenstein and Donahue were the contending star twirlers today with the advantage to Breitenstein of better support. Umpire Tim Hurst, who this morning in police court was fined $50 and costs for hitting Fireman Cartuyvelles with a beer glass, made his first appearance on the local grounds since the assault. The crowd treated him rather civilly. Score:

St. Louis.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E:
Douglass, 1b	0	2	8	1	0
Turner, r. f.	1	2	1	0	0
Hartman, 3b	0	1	1	1	0
Murphy, c	0	1	2	3	0
Lally, l. f.	1	2	3	0	0
Hallman, 2b	1	1	1	4	0
Cross, s. s.	2	3	5	4	1
Harley, c. f.	0	1	3	1	1
Donahue, p	0	0	0	3	0
Totals	5	13	24	17	2

Cincinnati.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E
Ritchy, l. f.	0	1	0	0	0
Hoy, c. f.	0	1	4	0	0
Corcoran, s. s.	1	1	4	4	1
Beckley, 1b	1	2	9	1	1
Irwin, 3b	1	1	1	2	0
Miller, r. f.	2	2	1	1	0
McPhee, 2b	1	2	1	3	0
Peitz, c	0	1	6	2	0
Breitenstein, p	0	1	1	2	0
Totals	6	12	27	15	2

St. Louis ..... 0 2 0 0 0 2 1 0 0—5
Cincinnati ..... 0 2 2 0 2 0 0 0 x—6

Earned runs—Cincinnati, 3; St. Louis, 3. Two-base hits—McPhee, Cross, Turner, 2; Hoy. Three-base hits—Corcoran, Beckley. Stolen bases—Cross, Harley, Miller. Double plays—Breitenstein, Corcoran to Beckley; Corcoran to Beckley. Bases on balls—Off Donahue, 5. Struck out—By Breitenstein, 2. Sacrifice hit—Irwin. Time of game—2 hours. Umpire—Mr. Hurst. Attendance, 1,500.

BOSTONS' GREAT LUCK.

When Defeat Seems Sure They Bat Out a Victory.

Boston, Aug. 11.—Boston today had great luck. For seven innings New York, with Rusie on the rubber, had the leaders beaten to a standstill. They had pounded Lewis for four earned runs in the second and third innings; had added another in the sixth on Long's error, and had held Boston safe all the way with a lead of three runs. The score was 5 to 2, with the Giants at the long end. The home team won in the eighth, making five runs. Score:

Boston.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Hamilton, c. f.	0	1	1	0	0
Tenney, 1b.	1	0	12	2	0
Long, s. s.	1	0	7	3	1
Duffy, l. f.	0	2	3	0	0
Stahl, r. f.	2	1	2	0	0
Collins, 3b.	1	2	1	3	0
Lowe, 2b.	1	0	0	4	0
Bergen, c.	1	1	1	1	1
Lewis, p.	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	7	7	27	14	2

New York.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Van Haltren, c. f.	1	0	3	0	0
Tiernan, r. f.	0	1	1	0	0
Davis, s. s.	1	1	4	3	0
Gleason, 2b.	2	2	3	1	0
Holmes, l. f.	0	2	1	0	0
Clark, 1b.	0	0	8	2	2
Donnelly, 3b.	0	0	0	0	1
Wilson, c.	0	1	3	0	0
Rusie, p.	1	2	1	2	1
McCreery*	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	5	9	24	8	4

*McCreery batted for Wilson in the ninth.

Boston ..... 1 0 0 0 0 1 0 5 x—7
New York ..... 0 1 3 0 0 0 1 0 0—5

Earned runs—Boston, 1; New York, 4. Two-base hits—Duffy, Stahl, Tiernan, Holmes. Sacrifice hit—Van Haltren. Stolen bases—Hamilton, Davis, 2. Bases on balls—Off Lewis, 1; off Rusie, 4. Hit by pitched ball—Holmes. Passed balls—Wilson, 2. Wild pitch—Rusie. Struck out—By Rusie, 2. First base on errors—Boston, 3; New York, 1. Time—1 hour and 55 minutes. Umpires—Lynch and Carpenter. Attendance—7,400.

The Eastern League.

At Buffalo—

Buffalo ..... 2 0 6 4 0 0 2 0 0—14
Montreal ..... 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 4—5

Hits—Buffalo, 15; Montreal, 12. Errors—Buffalo, 1; Montreal, 4. Batteries—McParland and Smith; Baker and Zahner.

At Toronto—

Toronto ..... 1 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 1—4
Syracuse ..... 0 0 1 0 0 1 0 0 1—3

Hits—Toronto, 11; Syracuse, 6. Errors—Toronto, 1; Syracuse, 1. Batteries—Dineen and Casey; Mullarkey and Ryan.

At Scranton—

Scranton ..... 2 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 0—4
Springfield ..... 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 1 0—2

Hits—Scranton, 7; Springfield, 7. Errors—Scranton, 1; Springfield, 3. Batteries—Harper and Boyd; Korwin and Duncan.

At Wilkesbarre—

Wilkesbarre ..... 4 3 2 0 0 0 0 0 0—9
Providence ..... 2 0 1 4 0 1 0 0 2—10

Hits—Wilkesbarre, 12; Providence, 11. Errors—Wilkesbarre, 7; Providence, 10. Batteries—Willner and Gonding; Bran and Coogan.

Amateur Ball Players.

The Alpines defeated the Cyclones by the score of 17 to 14. The line-up is: Murphy, c. and 1b.; Kerrigan, 2b. and p.; Reagon, s. s.; Niedfeldt, 3b.; Shanahan, r. f.; Cullinan, c. f.; Smith, l. f.; Eagon, p. and c.; Williams, c. and 1b.; substitutes, Linkous and Luneback. Send challenges to D. Eagon, 720 1-2 First street northeast.

The Boston House Junior Baseball Team was defeated by the Young Twirlers by a score of 9 to 8. The victors would like to hear from all teams fourteen years of age. Address James Smith, captain, 308 Second street southwest.

The Centrals claim a game from the Selbachs. In the beginning of the fifth inning the score stood 6 to 5 in the Centrals' favor when the police stopped the game. The Centrals stand ready to protect their claim as champions of the District at sixteen years of age. They will cross bats with the Independents Sunday morning. All teams of sixteen years are preferred. Address manager, L. Phillips, No. 1313 South Capitol street southwest.

HARD ON THE BOOKIES.

The Favorites Are Capturing Everything at Brighton Beach.

New York, Aug. 11.—Since the beginning of the second meeting at Brighton Beach on Monday seventeen favorites out of twenty-one have passed the judges in the van, and if this sort of thing keeps up the public will have all the money. A record was made today when seven straight favorites scored and the layers of odds left the track with depleted wallets. The Petrel Stakes, at one mile for three-year-olds was the feature of the day. It was worth $1,500 to the winner and was taken by Charles Fleischmann and Sons' Haphazard in a very creditable manner. C. F. Fox's Nay Nay was second. Summaries:

First race—One mile. Maurice, 100, Perkins, 9 to 10, won; Dr. Shepard, 102, A. Barrett, 3 to 1, second; Double Quick, 101, Clawson, 8 to 1, third. Time, 1:41 3-4.

Second race—Five furlongs. Isabey, 107, Scherer, 1 to 2, won; Gypceiver, 107, Doggett, 10 to 1, second; Honey Dew, 104, A. Barrett, 20 to 1, third. Time, 1:02 1-2.

Third race—One and one-sixteenth miles. Skate, 122, Scherer, 6 to 5, won; The Swain, 122, Van Kuren, 2 to 1, second; Brandywine, 120, Doggett, 16 to 5, third. Time, 1:48 1-2.

Fourth race—One mile. Haphazard, 101, Clawson, 3 to 5, won; Nay-Nay, 101, Hirsch, 20 to 1, second; Taranto, 103, Bergen, 3 to 1, third. Time, 1:42.

Fifth race—Five furlongs. George Keen, 126, Scherer, 8 to 5, won; Prince Auckland, 104, Barrett, 10 to 1, second; Salabara, 110, Bergen, 9 to 5, third. Time, 1:02 1-2.

Sixth race—Six furlongs. Beldemere, 113, Sloan, 5 to 4, won; Leedsville, 109, Doggett, 2 to 1, second; Trillette, 113, Penn, 15 to 1, third. Time, 1:14 1-4.

Seventh race—One and three-quarter miles over seven flights. Brown Red, 143, Mara, 7 to 10, won; Baby Bill, 150, Anderson, 3 to 1, second; Beaufort, 141, Chandler, 3 to 1, third. Time, 3:23 1-2.

FAST WORK AT POUGHKEEPSIE.

John R. Gentry Accomplishes the Greatest Performance of His Life.

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., Aug. 11.—Interest was added to the second day of the Breeders' Association meeting at the Hudson River Driving Park today by fast exhibition miles, paced by John R. Gentry and Robert J., with running mates. The track was slow, and it was therefore a genuine surprise, when John R. Gentry went the mile in 2:02 1-2. This is the fastest mile paced by Gentry this season.

When Bowne turned Gentry around after the heat and drove up in front of the grand stand 3,000 spectators went wild with enthusiasm and round after round of cheers was given.

Mathew Laird, the owner and driver of Rubenstein (2:06), caught Gentry's mile in 2:02 1-2, same as announced by the judges.

John S. Clark, who bred Gentry's dam, made it a quarter of a second slower. Both said that taking into consideration the condition of the track, which had been rained on for two days, it was the greatest performance ever accomplished by John R. Gentry or any other horse. Mr. Bowne, Gentry's driver, stated that on the backstretch the track was wet in half a dozen places and on the home stretch there was a bad spot.

Robert J. made two attempts to pace a fast mile. The first time he cast a shoe before reaching the half; on the second trial he made the mile in 2:06.

SPORT AT SARATOGA.

A Large Crowd Sees the Runners Plod Through Mud.

Saratoga, Aug. 11.—Rain poured in torrents throughout the night and morning and consequently the track was reduced to a river of mud. The clouds broke away before noon, and, as it was ladies' day, there was a large crowd present. Although but two first favorites won, the other races went to horses that were heavily played. The feature of the card was the United States Hotel Stakes, which Rodermond, Braw Lad, Orion and Little Buck weighed out. Rodermond was the choice of the talent, but Braw Lad won by a neck. Rodermond was beaten out for the show money by the 50-to-1 shot, Little Buck. Summaries:

First race—Five furlongs. Aratoma, 102, Beauchamp, won; Hairpin, 102, Maher, 2 to 1, second; Midian, 104, Hewitt, 11 to 5, third. Time, 1:05.

Second race—One and a sixteenth miles. Patrol, 103, Thorpe, 3 to 5, won; King Stone, 96, Nutt, 9 to 2, second; Toots, 94, Hall, 5 to 2, third. Time, 1:53.

Third race—One mile. Braw Lad, 110, Martin, 11 to 5, won; Orion, 100, Thorpe, 11 to 5, second; Little Buck, 100, Nutt, 100 to 1, third. Time, 1:45 1-2.

Fourth race—Six furlongs. J. A. Grey, 120, Taral, 3 to 5, won; Lela's Cuckoo, 105, Warren, 8 to 5, second; Dalgretti, 108, Thorpe, 8 to 1, third. Time, 1:18 1-2.

Fifth race—Steeplechase; short course; about two miles. Phoebus, 143, Slack, 9 to 5, won; Royal Scarlet, 147, Veach, 7 to 10, second; Sayonora, 140, Dunlop, 20 to 1, third. Time, 4:14.

Newport Summaries.

Cincinnati, Aug. 11.—The attendance at Newport today was good and the sport was fair. Three of the five races were won by favorites. Clerico was suspended pending an investigation of his ride on Shuttlecock. Summaries:

First race—Six furlongs. Little Land, 5 to 1, won; Shuttlecock, second; Momus, third. Time, 1:16.

Second race—Five furlongs. Margaret Jane, 7 to 10, won; Locust Blossom, second; Spaldy Y., third. Time, 1:02.

Third race—One mile and seventy yards. Elkin, 2 to 1, won; Ondague, second; Fauntette, third. Time, 1:46 1-4.

Fourth race—Six furlongs. George Cooper, 6 to 1, won; Wase, second; Albert L., third. Time, 1:16 1-4.

Fifth race—Seven furlongs. Everest, 2 to 1, won; Animosa, second; Masterpiece, third. Time, 1:28 3-4.

St. Louis Summaries.

St. Louis, Aug. 11.—The races at the fair grounds today resulted as follows:

First race—One mile. Reuben Rowest, 5 to 1, won; Ultima, second; Bob Clancy, third. Time, 1:44 3-4.

Second race—Three-quarters of a mile. Sir Rolla, 3 to 5, won; Siva, second; White Leaf, third. Time, 1:17.

Third race—One mile. Amber Glints, 2 to 1, won; Can-I-See-Em, second; Moralist, third. Time, 1:44.

Fourth race—Five-eighths of a mile. I-Own-You, 5 to 2, won; Miss Adele, second; Clara C., third. Time, 1:04 1-2.

Fifth race—Seven-eighths of a mile. High Test, 2 to 1, won; Ferris Hartman, second; Minnie W., third. Time, 1:31 1-4.

Sixth race—Three-quarters of a mile. Truxillo, 6 to 1, won; Reel, second; Zarina, third. Time, 1:16 1-2.

Detroit Results.

Detroit, Aug. 11.—The conditions were perfect for the second day of the Jockey Club meeting. The sensational race was the third, when Ed Farrell came from the bunch at the eighth, and made a splendid burst, winning by a scant half length. Three favorites, one second choice, and two third choices won:

First race—Seven furlongs. Leoncie, 5 to 1, first; Stray Step, second; Rockwood, third. Time, 1:29 1-2.

Second race—One mile. The Duchess, 6 to 5, first; Harry Gaines, second; Visconti, third. Time, 1:41 1-2.

Third race—Six furlongs. Ed. Farrell, even, won; Alice Farley, second; Plantine, third. Time, 1:15 3-4.

Fourth race—Six furlongs. Ramona, 3 to 1, won; Alamo, second; Dixie Lee, third. Time, 1:15 1-2.

Fifth race—Seven furlongs. Jim Flood, 8 to 1, won; King Elkwood, second; Terrapin, third. Time, 1:28 1-2.

Sixth race—One and one-quarter miles; over five hurdles. Captain Piersall, 8 to 5, won; Roseberry, second; Timberland, third. Time, 2:22.

Surprises at Harlem.

Chicago, Aug. 11.—There were a number of surprises at Harlem today, long shots taking four out of the six races and only one favorite winning. Summaries:

First race—Six and a half furlongs. Botanic, 8 to 1, won; La Princess, second; Red, third. Time, 1:21 1-4.

Second race—Five furlongs. Almonte, 3 to 1, won; Star and Crescent, second; Spring Leaf, third. Time, 1:02 3-4.

Third race—One and a sixteenth miles. Metairie, 15 to 1, won; Evanatus, second; Hessville, third. Time, 1:48 1-4.

Fourth race—Four and a half furlongs. Fair Deceiver, 30 to 1, won; Our Gertie, second; Elsie Bramble, third. Time, 0:56.

Fifth race—One mile. The Plutocrat, 8 to 1, won; Prince of India, second; Newsgatherer, third. Time, 1:41 3-4.

Sixth race—Six furlongs. Irene Woods, 6 to 5, won; Lady Callahan, second; The Deuce, third. Time, 1:13 3-4.

NEW BICYCLE RECORD.

Ride of 356 Miles Covered in Twenty-four Hours.

New Brunswick, N. J., Aug. 11.—Antonio W. Evans, of this city, established a new twenty-four-hour record of 356 miles this morning, over a twenty-five mile course, between Elizabeth and this city. The previous record for twenty-four hours was 339 miles, made by Edwards, of New York, last June.

The start was made at 6:22 yesterday morning, the rider being paced throughout the twenty-four hours. Evans intended to keep in the saddle for ten hours continuously, but, having been caught in a shower at Plainfield, he was compelled to dismount at the end of the first century and change his clothing, which was black with mud.

The century was finished at 11:57 1-2 a. m. The next fifty miles were completed at 3:15:12. Then Evans set out to beat his twelve-hour record of 200 miles. He added six miles to it. The rest of the ride was accomplished in the night.

A heavy thunderstorm overtook the rider at an early hour of the morning, and Evans was somewhat retarded. But he stuck to his wheel and lowered the record, although he did not fulfill his hopes of making 400 miles.

MIKE LEONARD DEFEATED.

British Pugilist Peterson Gets a Decision at Troy.

Troy, N. Y., Aug. 11.—Mike Leonard, of New York, was defeated by Harry Peterson, of England, at the Manhattan Club last night. It was 1 o'clock this morning before the men stopped fighting. The bout was twenty rounds at 140 pounds.

At the end of the twentieth round the decision was given to Peterson, who had the best of the contest from start to finish. Leonard is very popular in Troy, and when the decision was announced the big crowd rushed toward the victor's corner. For a minute it looked as if there would be a general fight, but the police quickly took a hand and quelled the disturbance.

In the preliminary Jack Ritchie, of St. Louis, and Paul Kelly, of New York, fought a draw, and "Stockings" Conroy knocked out Fred Lang, champion of Indiana, in the first minute of the fifth round.

PRIZE FIGHT IN THE RAIN.

Rattling Fourteen-Round Al Fresco Mill on Cheat River.

Pittsburg, Aug. 11.—A prize fight between W. Lester, of Jeanette, and Henry Mason, of Scottdale, took place yesterday afternoon in West Virginia, on the banks of the Cheat River. It lasted fourteen rounds and was fought amid a downpour of rain, the ring being pitched in the open aid.

Mason, who is a young colored man, won. The fight was for $500 a side. There were only fifteen persons present, who were conn