OFFERED A NEW CUP,

But Dunraven Refuses to Race for Honors or Money.

RETURNS TO SCOTLAND.

Valkyrie III Being Dismantled and Made Ready for the Cruise.

ISELIN WILLING TO GAMBLE.

Ready to Enter the Defender for a Contest in Any Water for a Big Wager.

NEW YORK, N. Y., Sept. 13.—The Atlantic Yacht Club proposes to offer a cup of the value of at least $1000 to be sailed for by the two crack single-stickers—Defender and Valkyrie. The cup may be sailed for in a single race or in three races, as Lord Dunraven may elect, the race or races to be sailed under the rules and regulations of the New York, Atlantic or Larchmont Yacht Club, as he may decide. Lord Dunraven also will be allowed to select the water in which the races are to be sailed, the only limitation being that they be sailed between Sandy Hook and Marblehead. The location may be kept secret, except, of course, to those who are directly interested in the boats, and to the regatta committee of the club which may be selected as the one whose rules will govern the race.

The limit of time within which the races must be sailed will be fixed on October 1. The members of the Atlantic Yacht Club are enthusiastic believers in the ability of the Defender to outsail anything ever built in her class, and some of these men are willing to make up a purse of from $5000 to $2000 and bet that the American boat will win the cup.

Lord Dunraven, however, has quit for good. The Valkyrie will be stripped of her racing rig and sent back to Scotland at once. Lord Dunraven and his two daughters will go to Colorado and other points West on a pleasure trip, and will then return to England.

The Valkyrie, in tow, arrived in Erie basin shortly before 10 o'clock, and was warped in between the steamship George W. Clyde and the ship Carnehill. Her sailors were put to work at once stripping her. By noon the topmast and much of the tophamper had been removed. Lord Dunraven was not present. Mr. Glennie, his representative, said that the Valkyrie would start on her homeward voyage as soon as she could get in trim.

The Evening Sun to-night publishes the following:

C. Oliver Iselin expressed his willingness last night to race the Defender against the Valkyrie in American waters for $5000 a side. He said to several prominent yachtsmen: "I will not race Lord Dunraven, but I will race boat against boat. Any yacht course on the Atlantic Coast will suit me. The distance and number of races are immaterial. I will race for $5000 a side as many times as the owners of the Valkyrie wish to race. The courses and the distance of the races I leave to them to select."

Iselin, as the representative of the Defender syndicate, received an official notification by letter this afternoon from the America cup committee that the Defender was the winner of three international yacht races, sailed off Sandy Hook lightship, and, that in consequence, the America cup will remain in the possession of the New York Yacht Club.

A letter was also sent to Lord Dunraven notifying him that the series of the international races for the America cup was ended.

DUNRAVEN'S COURSE UPHELD.

Englishmen Hope, However, That He Will Consent to Race.

LONDON, Eng., Sept. 13. — The feeling throughout England over the failure of the match between Valkyrie III and the Defender, though embodying many shades of opinion, generally upholds Lord Dunraven, who is considered to have just cause for abandoning yesterday's race.

The opinion most generally held is that he was beset with difficulties especially abhorred by him, though in some quarters it is thought he was possibly hasty. Knowing Lord Dunraven's temper, those holding this view hope that he will be willing to arrange for contests between his boat and the Defender over some other course than the one off Sandy Hook and especially that he will consent to re-sail last Thursday's race, which was given to the Defender by the cup committee.

United States Embassador Bayard, in an interview about yesterday's fiasco, said today:

"I deplore the inconclusiveness of the contest, but I have abiding confidence in the integrity of the committee and don't believe that there was any lapse on their part of the slightest nature. The conspicuous American characteristics, generosity and fairness, have always been displayed, and I am unwilling to think that there are grounds for any criticism of the sportsmanlike qualities of Americans. I trust that Lord Dunraven will reconsider his decision and accept Mr. Iselin's offer to resail Thursday's race. I recognize the difficulty in maintaining a clear course off Sandy Hook in view of the present enthusiasm and general desire to see the races. Gratification of this desire is only possible by accompanying the racers on a steamer."

BITTEN ON THE TONGUE.

A Snake-Charmer Fatally Poisoned by a Rattler.

CENTREVILLE, Iowa, Sept. 13.—While exhibiting some rattle and black snakes at the county fair in this city this morning, William Primmer, a snake-charmer, was bitten by a rattler in the tongue. He died late this evening. Primmer was a new hand at the business and had failed to have the venomous fangs of the reptile removed, and when he fearlessly put the head of the rattler in his mouth the animal buried its poisonous fangs in his tongue. Within thirty minutes Primmer's tongue and throat were swollen so large that tracheotomy was necessary to allow respiration, but death finally ensued.

AN ORDER OF FORECLOSURE.

The Kansas City and Independence Railway to Be Sold at Auction.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Sept. 13.—In Judge Scarritt's court, at Independence, Mo., this morning, a decree of foreclosure was given in the case of the Central Trust Company of New York against the Kansas City and Independence Rapid Transit Railway Company, and the property will be disposed of at auction by Herman Brumback, who was appointed special master in chancery in the case. The mortgage calls for $901,444 24 and was secured by bonds issued May 4, 1889, which were to run twenty years, but default having been made in payments of interest the foreclosure followed. The bonds are held by the Metropolitan Street Railway Company and the Rapid Transit Company, which was recently changed into an electric line. The action of to-day will have the effect of giving the Metropolitan Street Railway Company a clear title to the old dummy line.

Pranks of the Lightening.

SPRINGFIELD, Ohio, Sept. 13.—During the storm last night Miss Minerva Smith was struck by lightning. She was knocked unconscious and badly burned. Mrs. Ed Alexander was literally paralyzed, while Miss Carlisle of Cincinnati, a visitor, was shocked. The Misses Thompson were knocked off their chairs. Mrs. Maria Congdon was also rendered unconscious. There was a brilliant pyrotechnic display. A ball of fire seemed to strike the wall near Center and Kiser streets and burst with an explosion like a cannon-shot. People in the neighborhood were affected by the shock.

At No Time in Danger.

OMAHA, Nebr., Sept. 13.—The following telegram was received this morning from Senator Thurston:

HAILEY, Idaho, September 13, 3 P. M.
Was taken ill Wednesday immediately after entering a hot plunge bath with an acute attack of indigestion. Was at no time in danger.
J. M. THURSTON.

KEIR HARDIE MET WAITE,

Another English Agitator Finds Only Disappointment in Colorado.

Accused by the Ex-Governor of Stealing Thunder From the Populist Party.

DENVER, Colo., Sept. 13.—Keir Hardie left Denver for Pueblo to-day, disappointed at his reception in this city. His meeting last night was not a financial success, only $18 being raised in the voluntary collection. Ex-Governor Waite attended and he took occasion to dispute some of Hardie's statements, just as he did some of the conclusions drawn by John Burns when he visited Colorado. Waite took offense at a locally published interview, in which Hardie declared the Populist party a fraud, and when Hardie last evening had finished his address the audience called for Waite to speak.

"We've got just such a society in America now," he began, "as these men have been talking to you about to-night. There is a good, healthy, living specimen of socialism among us that will not allow one of its members to go hungry. That specimen of socialism is the Mormon church."

Loud cries of "That's so, Governor," "That's the truth, old man," arose from the delighted auditors. Something like a look of despair settled on the face of J. Keir Hardie and on the face of his companion Frank Smith. They appeared to realize that their thunder was being stolen in an astonishing way.

"If I were going to join any church," resumed Governor Waite, when the tumult had subsided, "I would join the Mormon church—the Joe Smith wing of it. The Joe Smith wing don't preach polygamy, and that suits me. One woman is all a man needs or ought to have, and sometimes one is one too many." Then he defended the Populist party and declared that the socialists had stolen most of their thunder from that party.

When he sat down Hardie arose to say that he knew but little of the Populist party, but were he an American he could never join such a party. He did not think it amounted to much and he was certain its best ideas were taken from socialistic sources. The audience cheered both speakers aud seemed to hugely enjoy the discomfiture of the visitors from England. Hardie spoke in Pueblo to-night and goes thence to San Francisco.

Very Hot Weather.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Sept. 13.—Kansas City sweltered to-day in the hottest day of the year. After an oppressive night the mercury rose in response to the fierce rays of the sun, until at noon it registered 91 degrees and at 3 o'clock the signal office recorded 94 degrees. Thermometers on the streets showed a temperature of 100. Suffering among outdoor workmen has been intense, but only two prostrations were recorded. Two years ago to-day the thermometer registered 101.4, but the humidity to-day made it appear warmer than that day, which was the hottest ever known here in September.

DENVER, Colo., Sept. 13.—This was the hottest day of the season, the thermometer registering 96 in the shade.

Four Bankers Arrested.

DENVER, Colo., Sept. 13.—J. L. McNeil, president; William N. Byers, vice-president; J. B. Lozier, cashier, and R. W. Woodbury, director, of the recently defunct Union National Bank were arrested to-day on complaint of a depositor, who charges them with accepting drafts when they knew the bank was insolvent. They gave bonds.

A Fire in Muir Tunnel.

LIVINGSTON, Mont., Sept. 13.—Fire was discovered to-day in Muir tunnel, east of here. It has been closed and traffic is delayed in consequence. Passengers and mails are transferred over the mountains.

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ON EASTERN TRACKS,

Very Exciting Finishes at the Louisville Meeting.

NIGHTINGALE BEAT B B P

Sulphide Won the Thousand-Dollar Purse for Two-Year-Olds.

DARKNESS SPOILED ONE RACE.

Get-Away Day at Churchill Downs Enlivened by Three Favorites' Victories.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Sept. 13.—The fifth and sixth races were unfinished, while the seventh was not reached. The finishes to-day were more exciting than at any time during the meeting.

(Unfinished) 2:11 trot, purse $1000, Nightingale won, B B P second, David B third. Best time, 2:09¼.

(Unfinished) 2:16 trot, purse $5000, Baron Rogers won, Ollie K second, Charming Chimes third. Best time, 2:11¾.

2:24 trot, purse $1000, Julia Coultrie won, Carillon second, Earl Baltic third. Best time, 2:15¼.

Two-year-old pace, purse $1000, Sulphide won, May Day and Tom Martin distanced. No time.

2:29 trot, purse $2000, Dentine won, Fitzroyal second, Judge Rice third. Best time, 2:14¾.

2:18 pace, purse $1000, Blue Hal won, Emma Wilkes second, Charley D third. Best time, 2:14½.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Sept. 13.—2:22 pacing class, purse $600 (unfinished), Aurelian won, Pentland second, Flora C third. Best time, 2:17.

The 2:45 pacing class was postponed on account of darkness after T B G had won the first heat in 2:14¾, Dan McCabe second heat in 2:13¾, King Lud third heat in 2:16 and Keen Cutter fourth and fifth heats in 2:16 and 2:18¼.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Sept. 13.—Six and a half furlongs, Bansach won, Raviola second, Oakview third. Time, 1:24.

Five and a half furlongs, Walnut Ridge won, Mermaid second, Arian third. Time, 1:10.

Six and a half furlongs, Hart Wallace won, Servitor second, Eli third. Time, 1:23.

One mile, Assignee won, Sullross second, Charley McDonald third. Time, 1:41.

Five and a half furlongs, Bertha won, Midland second, Woodlake third. Time, 1:10.

Six furlongs, Dorah won, Empera second, Miss Rowett third. Time, 1:14¾.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Sept. 13.—The racing season here closed to-day:

2:16 class, trotting, purse $1000 (postponed)—Lady Roberts won, Fred B second, Dollikins third. Best time, 2:14¼.

2:11 class, trotting, purse $1000—Bourbon Wilkes Jr. won, Geneva second, Roseleaf third. Best time, 2:12½.

2:20 class, trotting, purse $1000—Marquette won, Ben Wallace second, Kitchell's Red Wilkes third. Best time, 2:17¼.

Consolation, for 2:23 trotters, purse $500 (unfinished)—Chickbills won, Cyclone Wilkes second, Forester third. Best time, 2:20¾.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Sept. 13.—This was get-away day, yet three favorites won at Churchill Downs.

Six furlongs, Tom Elmore won, Fayette Bell second, Bob Martin third. Time, 1:16¼.

Four and a half furlongs, Nannie D won, Gasparone second, Judith C third. Time, :56¾.

One mile and twenty yards, Tom Sayre won, Gascon second, Queen May third. Time, 1:46.

Six furlongs, Loretta won, Peytonia second, Little Annie third. Time, 1:17½.

One mile, Greenwich won, Major Tom second, Jesse third. Time, 1:49.

Five-eighths of a mile, Lucile H won, Mike Kelly second, Elwynn third. Time, 1:03.

OAKLEY, Ohio, Sept. 13.—The Cincinnati Jockey Club begins its autumn meeting to-morrow and continues nineteen racing days.

On the Ball Field.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 13.—First game: Washingtons 4, 13, 5. Brooklyns 3, 4, 1. Batteries—Mercer and Maguire, Stein and Grim. Umpire, Murray. Second game: Washingtons 8, 9, 7. Brooklyns 3, 8, 2. Batteries—Anderson and McGuire, Daub and Burrell. Umpire, Murray.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Sept. 13.—Philadelphias 18, 18, 4. New Yorks 9, 15, 4. Batteries—Taylor and Clements, Clark, German and Wilson. Umpire, Keefe.

BALTIMORE, Md., Sept. 13.—First game: Baltimores 8, 14, 3. Bostons 3, 11, 5. Batteries—Clarkson and Clark, Sullivan and Ganzell. Umpire, Hurst. Second game: Baltimores 11, 16, 3. Bostons 10, 11, 12. Batteries—McMahon and Robinson, Nichols and Ryan. Game called on account of darkness. Umpire, Hurst.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Sept. 13.—Pittsburgs 4, 8, 1. Cincinnatis 3, 7, 2. Batteries—Gardiner, Foreman and Merritt, Rhines and Vaughn. Umpires—Emslie and McDonald.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Sept. 13.—Louisvilles 2, 13, 4. Chicagos 15, 19, 1. Batteries—Weyhing and Warner, Parker and Kittridge. Umpire, Jevne.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Sept. 13.—St. Louis 7, 16, 2. Clevelands 18, 18, 0. Batteries—Ehret, McDougal and Peitz, Young and Zimmer. Umpire, O'Day.

Passing of an Athletic Club.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Sept. 13.—By a formal decision reached to-night, the Pastime Athletic Club will go into the hands of a trustee for liquidation. It owes about $1000, with no funds and a dwindling membership. It was before the Pastime that "Kid" McCoy sprang into pugilistic prominence, and numerous rattling fights have been pulled off under its auspices.

Roby's Track to Reopen.

CHICAGO, Ill., Sept. 13.—The Roby racetrack, which has been closed since it was enjoined in June by the State authorities, will reopen for racing next Tuesday.

RACES AT SACRAMENTO.

Two Nose-and-Nose Finishes Delight a Crowd of Spectators.

A Hard Struggle Between Navy Blue, Goldbug and Miss Buckley.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Sept. 13.—Joy was once again depicted on the faces of racegoers to-day. On arising this morning they found a bright sun beaming down upon them, while here and there a scattering mud-puddle marked all that remained of the rainstorm.

This was the eleventh day of the meeting, with but one more day of the sport to come, and lovers of racing turned out in large numbers, the grand stand being crowded with the fair sex and their escorts.

In the opening race, a selling dash for two-year-olds, five and a half furlongs, with four starters, Burns and Waterhouse entered Palomacita, the sister to Armitage, for a meager $200, many, many times below her real value, and, going to the post a 1 to 4 chance, won hands down in 1:09½ from Easel, who showed a world of speed. Josephine took the short end of the purse.

Nine well-classed selling platers went to the post in the next race, a six furlongs selling affair, with Morven the post favorite at 8 to 5. Miss Buckley, Gold Bug and Foremost were the most fancied of the others and received strong support in the ring. Rosebud, a racy looking Tyrant filly, headed the field when the flag fell, leading into the stretch, with the favorite and Navy Blue at her heels.

Navy Blue, with a feather on his back, soon headed the bunch and looked to have the race up his sleeve, when Gold Bug and Miss Buckley closed on him and the trio passed the judges heads apart, Miss Buckley getting the decision and Gold Bug securing the place. The winner was ridden by Tod Sloane, whose work at the meeting has been of a brilliant character.

The two-year-old handicap was third on the card and demonstrated the fact that either Grady is a colt that does not like weight or else Sloane gave him a very poor ride on Thursday, when he carried 118 pounds, and was beaten by Belle Boyd with 105 in the saddle.

To-day he picked up 114 pounds, and starting a 6 to 5 choice, he won with such ease after letting the mare who carried 107 pounds run out in front, that there is but one conclusion; Grady had an off day Thursday.

There was a deal of figuring over the outcome of the fourth race, another six-furlong selling event. Rose Clark reigned favorite for a while, but finally gave way to Bernardo, who went to the post 9 to 5, while the Prince of Norfolk mare receded from 7 to 5 to twos. Silver State, the third choice, carried a barrel of coin on her chances, and Ike L was also strongly backed.

It ended in another nose and nose finish, of which this meeting has had so many. Silver State led the field to the bend for home, where Ike L, Rose Clark and Bernardo rapidly began closing on her. The leader soon had enough, and Bernardo and Rose Clark fought the issue out, the former catching the judges' eye by the scantiest of noses in 1:15½. Duchess of Towers, a 15 to 1 shot, who got away from the post a bad last, made a phenomenal run through the stretch, and, coming on the outside, was but a head back back of the leaders as they flashed passed the winning post.

The last race of the day, a mile and three-quarters, over hurdles, was taken very handily by the even-money favorite, Esperance, backed down from 8 to 5. Onti Ora finished second and Guadaloupe third.

Five and a half furlongs, selling, for two-year-olds; purse $400.
Burns and Waterhouse's ch. f. Palomacita, 96, by Surinam-Paloma (Donnelly) 1
Woodlawn stable's br. f. Easel, 96, by Ben Ali-Ezza (Jones) 2
Al Smith's gr. f. Josephine, 93, by Sir George-Una B (Riley) 3
Time, 1:09½.
Betting: Palomacita 1 to 4, Easel 5, Josephine 5. Bell Oak 10 also ran.

Six furlongs: selling; purse $400.
Elmwood Stock Farm's b. f. Miss Buckley, 3, 95, by imp. Brutus-Forma (Sloane) 1
J. Hunter's ch. g. Gold Bug, a., 101, by Pittsburg-Mollie S (Hinrichs) 2
T. Boyle's b. g. Navy Blue, 3, 89, by Blue Wing-Bay Betty (Jones) 3
Time, 1:15.
Betting: Miss Buckley 3, Gold Bug 3, Navy Blue 15. Mary S 7, Morven 8 to 5, Rosebud 10, Abi P 10, Foremost 4 and Rob Roy 20 also ran.

Five furlongs, handicap, for two-year-olds; purse $400.
Owen Bros'. b. c. Grady, 114, by Three Cheers-Gold Cup (Sloane) 1
J. P. Atkins' ch. f. Bell Boyd, 107, by El Rio Rey-Sylvia (Piggott) 2
Elmwood stock farm's b. g. Tiberius, 95, by imp. Brutus-The Swayback (Jones) 3
Time, 1:02.
Betting: Grady 6 to 5, Belle Boyd 4, Tiberius and Investigator coupled 5 to 2. Benham 2 also ran.

Six furlongs, selling; purse $400.
Pleasanton stable's br. g. Bernardo, a., 100, by imp. Cheviot-Sweet Peggy (Piggott) 1
H. Wakeman's ch. m. Rose Clark, a., 101, by Prince of Norfolk-Etta W (Hinrichs) 2
Burns and Waterhouse's br. f. Duchess of Towers, 3, 90, by Algerina-Presto (Donnelly) 3
Time, 1:15½.
Betting: Bernardo 9 to 5, Rose Clark 2, Duchess of Towers 20. Silver State 2½, Ike L 5, Inkerman 8, Blue Bell 6 also ran.

Hurdle handicap, one and three-quarter miles; purse $400.
J. A. Tobin's b. g. Esperance, 4, 128, by Alta-Mother Hubbard (Goodman) 1
B. F. Hobart's blk. m. Onti Ora, a., 135, by Alta-Thetis (Finn) 2
Pleasanton stable's ch. g. Guadaloupe, a., 135, by Grinstead-Josie C (Johnson) 3
Time, 3:22½.
Betting: Esperance even, Onti Ora 3½, Guadaloupe 6. Alexis 2, Amigo 10 also ran.

To-morrow will be the final day of the meeting, and a big crowd is expected to be in attendance. The forenoon will be taken up with the finishing of the delayed 2:20 trot and 2:19 pace, laid over from Wednesday through the inclemency of the weather.

At 2 o'clock in the afternoon, prior to the first event of the running programme, by permission of John Mackey, superintendent of the Rancho del Paso, the famous stallions Salvator, Tenny, Watercress, Gold Finch and imported Midlothian will be paraded before the grand stand. McKinney (2:11), Diablo (2:09¼) and Chehalis (2:09¾), of the side-wheel division, will also be out on parade.

The following fine list of entries should furnish a great day's sport:

Five furlongs, maiden two-year-olds—Pansy 105, Long Lady 105, Carnation 105, Treachery 105.

Handicap, one mile, for two-year-olds—Bloomsbury 120, Instigator 118, Lucretia Borgia 100, Heartsease 110, Billy McClosky 100, Mercedes filly 95, Elsie 90, Sam Leake 105.

Free handicap, one mile—Entries close tomorrow at 10 A. M.

One mile, selling—Nebuchadnezzar 89, Captain Skedance 92, Navy Blue 88, Rear Guard 96, Mary S 91.

Six furlongs, selling—Road Runner 104, Warrago 101, Amarino 105, Gallant 113, Nervosa 100, Tim Murphy 108.

WON IN FIVE ROUNDS.

Australian Billy Smith Defeated by William Johnson.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Sept. 13.—William Johnson, boxing instructor of the Sutter Athletic Club and amateur middleweight champion of the State, to-night knocked out Australian Billy Smith in five rounds.

Smith made a game and rushing fight in every round, but Johnson was too clever for him, and met his rushes with straight left-handers in the face.

Johnson is not now a middle-weight, but a heavy-weight, scaling from 165 to 170 pounds.

Jack Sharkey and Soldier Walker seconded Smith.

Johnson has long been regarded as the best amateur in the State, and to-night's fight was gotten up to give him a chance to show what he could do when before a professional. It was his fight from the start.

STANFORD'S NEW COACH.

It Is Thought Walter Camp Has Agreed to Come West.

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Cal., Sept. 13.—The athletic committee met to-day and heard the football manager's report on the feasibility and expense of a new "gridiron" to be used during the coming season's games. It was decided to use the outfield of the baseball grounds, which can be fitted up at little expense and is favorably situated for work during the rainy season.

The players are getting out in a very encouraging manner thus far. Under the coaching of Captain Cochran this evening there was an hour's work done in punting. Hereafter for a week or more there will be field work—kicking, falling on the ball, etc. This practice will be given Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. On Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays all the work will be in the gymnasium, under the eye of the trainer. In this way the men will be in good shape when the coach arrives.

From the satisfied demeanor of Manager Eaton and Captain Cochran there is no doubt that the "coach" question has been settled satisfactorily to those gentlemen. Manager Eaton says that the only reason for not making the new coach's name officially public is the coach's own desire that it be kept quiet uhtil he is willing to have it made public. This is Mr. Camp's usual way, and it will undoubtedly prove to be that gentleman when the name is announced, as was first stated in The Call.

Soldiers Accidentally Shot.

CITY OF MEXICO, Mexico, Sept. 13.—At a military review at Chapultepec today three soldiers were accidentally shot and seriously injured.

PASSED INTO HISTORY.

Close of the Encampment With a Brilliant Ball.

EIGHT THOUSAND THERE

An Appeal to the People in Reference to the Pruning of Pensions.

DECREASES WERE DENOUNCED.

Resolutions of Interest to Grand Army Men Adopted During the Closing Session.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Sept. 13.—At 10 o'clock to-night when the bugle was sounded for the grand march of one of the most brilliant balls ever given in the South the Grand Army encampment of '95 passed into history. Eight thousand of the leading citizens of Louisville and visitors from abroad participated in the function, and the array of beautiful women and gorgeous toilets combined to create an entrancing scene. General Lawler and Mrs. John A. Logan and ex-Governor Simon Buckner and Mrs. Wallace of Chicago gave a reception to the encampment officials and delegates while the festivities were in progress. The exodus of visitors was on in earnest all day, but tens of thousands whose faces are turned toward Chattanooga and Chickamauga will remain over until Saturday and Sunday. In every respect the encampment has been an overwhelming succes.

When the delegates assembled to-day several hundred failed to respond to the rollcall and the absentees were roundly scored by General Lawler, who objected to the drudgery of the work being left for a few. The report of the committee on pensions, composed of one representative from each State and Territory, was listened to with profound attention. In part it was as follows:

The representatives of the people, in Congress assembled, recognizing the deep sentiment of gratitude which justly pervades the entire community, solemnly declared by appropriate legislation that a pension once granted upon acceptable and accepted evidence constituted a vested right, of which the possessor could not be deprived except by due process of law, and we insist that this statutory and patriotic provision be carried out with the utmost good faith, to correspond with the high character of the obligation recognized and owing. No Nation that is unmindful of its duties to its defenders can expect that hearty, ungrudging loyalty which is the pride and glory of the American soldier; and we demand for our comrades that just treatment which the country gladly concedes. No niggardly cutting down of pensions under the guise of re-issues; no partial and grudging allowances that cut here and pare there, with the full measure due that the country owes to its surviving heroes. Nothing short of full measure dealt with an honest hand and liberal heart will ever meet with the approbation of the American people, and for this we confidently appeal to the grateful, patriotic sentiment of the whole people, and earnestly believe that our appeal will not be in vain. Receding from no position heretofore taken, reaffirming all our previous declarations on the subject, we specially demand a liberal and just construction of the laws passed for the benefit of the pensioner, to the end that his declining years may not be harassed with doubts born of distrust, or the difficulties thrown around him by a rigorous and restricted construction of laws passed in the effort to relieve his necessities.

Comrade Semple of Pennsylvania declared that the report did not go far enough. The encampment should demand the restoration of every veteran dropped from the rolls, with the payment to him of every dollar of which he had been unlawfully deprived. This sentiment was cheered, but the report was unanimously adopted.

There was a spirited debate over a resolution submitted by the Department of the Potomac, praying Congress to pass a law imposing a penalty for the violation of the veterans' pension law.

The committee reported against the resolution, but General Adams of Massachusetts, General Anderson of Washington, Corporal Tanner of New York and Townsend of Ohio made forcible speeches in its behalf. The opposition contended that it was proposed to ask for such legislation as had already been branded as class legislation and therefore null and void.

A ballot was demanded and the committee was defeated, the resolution being adopted by a large majority. A batch of resolutions went through with little discussion. One declared against civil service discriminations against veterans on account of age. Another favored an increase of the present pensions allowed to the widows of ex-soldiers and sailors to the uniform figure of $12. Still another condemned the violation of section 1754, Revised Statutes, by the removal of veterans in Government employ.

The proposal to establish a military park at Vicksburg, Miss., was approved, and also a resolution declaring that the stars and stripes should float from every schoolhouse. The encampment voted in favor of a celebration of the organization of the Grand Army Post. A resolution demanding an amendment to the interstate commerce laws prohibiting railroads from making discriminations in the matter of rates against veterans to future encampments, and another indorsing the project for the establishment of a national university of patriotism was reported upon adversely by the committee, and its action was sustained.

A resolution on Memorial day which was an indirect reference to the dedication of the Confederate monument at Chicago last May caused considerable discussion. The resolution was intended to condemn the desecration of what was termed the most sacred day of the year to G. A. R. men, and this excited much unfavorable expression of opinion. One delegate pointed to what Mr. Watterson said yesterday, that both the Confederate and Federal dead were comrades on the other side of the dark river now, and insisted that it was not appropriate for the encampment to notice the Chicago incident. The resolution was ultimately withdrawn.

The matter of admitting into the G. A. R. the members of the order of Sons of Veterans was reported favorably by the committee. This subject has repeatedly come up before encampments and at this one as at the others it met with much opposition. The discussion of the resolution showed so much opposition to it that in order not to kill it entirely its supporters succeeded in having it referred to the committee on rules and regulations, to be reported upon at the thirtieth National encampment at St. Paul. After this action had been taken an effort was made to reconsider the vote, with a view to defeating the measure finally and for all time, but this effort failed.

An adverse report was rendered on the proposition to establish permanent headquarters for the organization, but in favor of accepting an offer to store the archives in the Independence Hall, Philadelphia. This completed the work on the report of the committee on resolutions.

The report of the committee on rules and regulations was then taken up. It contained recommendations for but few changes in the present laws of the order. The most important change advised by the committee and adopted by the encampment was with reference to the rights of past commanders. Heretofore they have not been entitled to a vote in the encampment. It was decided to make them permanent members of the encampment and bestow upon them all privileges of delegates. The list of officers for the ensuing year was completed by the selection of J. B. Whiting of Wisconsin as surgeon-general and T. C. Cliff of Utah as chaplain. Then the departments announced their memorial for the council of administration, the commander-in-chief-elect, General Waller of Indianapolis, and his associates were installed, and at 2:30 o'clock the encampment adjourned sine die.

WOMEN ARE PATRIOTIC.

They Ask That All Foreign Flags Be Rigidly Excluded.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Sept. 13.—At the convention of the Ladies of the G. A. R. Mrs. Catherine E. Heirst of this city was elected National president.

An overture from the department of Pennsylvania designed to establish a national system of sick and death benefits was defeated, the convention deciding that each State department was at liberty to legislate on the subject without National interference.

The following petition to Congress was adopted and will be circulated for signatures throughout the country:

The loyal citizens of this republic, actuated by a spirit of love for the emblem of our nationality and a desire to extend and perpetuate the principles of patriotism throughout our entire land, most respectfully petition for the formation of such laws as will forever prohibit the carrying or displaying of any flag within the limits of the United States other than the "stars and stripes," and that the Saturday nearest June 14, "flag day," be a National holiday.

GOBBLED UP BY BRITONS.

Lord Dunraven Among Those to Acquire Picturesque Lands in Colorado.

Much of the Property Has Reverted Back to Americans, However, by Tax Sales.

DENVER, Colo., Sept. 13.—Settlers in Estes Park are indulging in considerable speculation over the object of Lord Dunraven's visit to Colorado. He is said to possess a vast tract of land in that picturesque mountain-girt valley, whose beauty was early recognized by Englishmen. Many hunting parties from England visited the park. In 1870 nearly all the land was taken up by men employed by the English, and in the course of a few months following almost the entire tract was found to be in the names of titled Englishmen, much of it credited to the Earl of Dunraven.

There was a wild lot of Englishmen roaming over the park lands at this time, one, known as Lord Haight, by some means acquiring the enmity of many of the settlers. Wild times were alleged to have happened at the cabin where this Lord lived, and many are the stories yet related of his escapades.

The land which was placed in the name of the Englishmen and had been known largely as the estate of "the English company" has much of it reverted back to the State through tax sales, and is now in the hands of American citizens. The final adjustment of surveys showed errors of location, and through this much good land went to actual settlers. The English colony in the park has thinned out, but is still a large factor. There remain three or four large "estates," as they may be called, comprising some of the most valuable land of the park. Many times suits have been threatened against the holders of the property to destroy the title. At the time the irregular entries were discovered the publication undoubtedly saved thousands of acres to the public, but on those lands to which title had already been given no action was taken.

Baseball-Players Injured.

BALTIMORE, Md., Sept. 13.—The bus in which the Boston players were returning to their hotel from Union Park after today's game was run into by a cable-car. Several of the players were thrown to the ground. Second Baseman Harrington received bruises about the head and legs. The other members of the team were considerably shaken up, but not seriously injured. Harrington's injuries will probably keep him out of the game during the remainder of the season.

Asylum Horrors Renewed.

CHICAGO, Ill., Sept. 13.—Charges have been made against the County Insane Asylum employes in the case of David Adam, an old patient who died September 4, it is alleged, from the brutal and neglectful treatment of attendants. The case is similar to that of George Hucik, whose violent death caused the sensational investigation, except that no attendant is personally accused of the responsibility for Adam's death.

Deeds of a Drunken Manager.

GRAND LODGE, Mich., Sept. 13.—Frank Forbes, manager of the Forbes-Ward Dramatic Company, playing an engagement in this city, went on a spree and quarreled with his wife. He shot her and also shot Deputy Sheriff Halliday, who attempted to arrest him. Forbes was then overpowered. Mrs. Forbes will probably die.

Death Due to a Beating.

DENVER, Colo., Sept. 13.—Edward McKnight, a Cripple Creek miner, died at the County Hospital to-night from injuries sustained last Wednesday night. While drunk four tramps took him into an alley, pounded him insensible and took $65, a watch and most of his clothing. John Bowman is held as one of the accessories.

Tidal Wave on a Lake.

ASHLAND, Wis., Sept. 13.—A tidal wave swept over Lake Superior and Chequamegon Bay late this afternoon, doing considerable damage. The water rose nearly six feet in a few minutes. The engine-rooms in the elevator at Washburn were flooded and several wagon roads washed out.

The Famous Mora Claim.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 13.—Secretary Olney, Senor Dupuy de Lome, the Spanish Minister, and Antonio Maxima Mora, will be in Washington to-morrow to witness the closing act in the famous Mora claim, the payment to the United States of the indemnity demanded from Spain for the confiscation of Mora's sugar plantation in Cuba. All the details for the payment have been made and the formal payment of the indemnity will be completed to-morrow or Monday.

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Sumner Suspended.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 13.—Secretary Herbert this morning announced the action taken in the case of Captain George H. Sumner, U. S. N., recently tried by court-martial for the careless docking of the cruiser Columbia at Southampton, England. Captain Sumner is suspended from duty for six months and given waiting orders pay during that period.

More Troops From Spain.

HAVANA, Cuba, Sept. 13.—The Spanish transportation steamer Leon XIII arrived here from Spain last evening with troops. An immense crowd welcomed her enthusiastically.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Sept. 13.—C. B. Barnard and J. B. Hester were arrested to-day at Cedar Keys and taken before United States Commissioner Lutterloh on a charge of violating the United States neutrality laws by having in their possession arms, ammunition and provisions for the Cuban insurgents. Nothing could be proved to sustain the charges, and the defendants were dismissed.

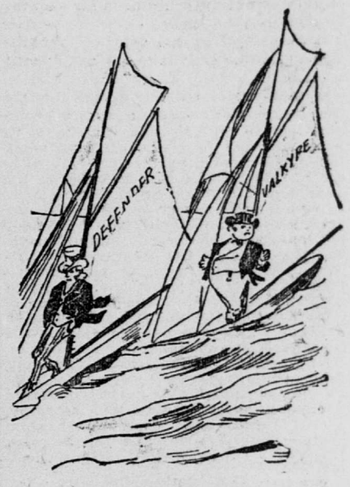
Wreck of a Mexican Train.

BOSTON, Mass., Sept. 13.—A Herald special from the City of Mexico, dated yesterday, says: A train from Vera Cruz on the Interoceanic road was derailed this afternoon between Puebla and that city. Several passengers were wounded, and it is reported that the conductor, engineer and fireman were killed.

Death of Mrs. Gerry.

NEW YORK, N. Y., Sept. 13.—Mrs. Hannah G. Gerry, mother of Commodore Gerry, died this evening.

In the case of musk, as it comes to the refiner, the odor is so pungent and unpleasant that those who have to examine the pods in which it comes have to wear cloth over their mouth and nose, and in some cases inhalation of the odor produces bleeding of the nose.



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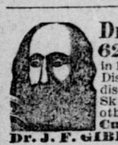

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