THREE CHOICES FINISH FIRST AT OAKLAND

Gaylon Brown Fails to Win After Beating the Gate--Hagerdon Scores Again.

RACING was resumed by the California Jockey Club at Oakland track yesterday before the usual crowd of racegoers. The track was fast and favorites captured three of the six events decided. F. E. Mulholland replaced Jake Holtman as starter, and with one exception his work was up to the average.

The sport opened with a sprint over the Futurity course, for which Jerid, ridden by Henry Shields, ruled an even money choice. The chestnut horse did his best for a time, then faded away to nothing. Glissando assumed the lead in the stretch, beating out Rio Chico a length.

Hoar had the mount on Mike Strauss, favorite for the six-furlong run that followed and won all the way. Ruiz on El Mido arrived in time to down Irate four lengths for the place. Screenwell Lake was probably afraid to drop into better than fourth position.

Once in a while, when the coin is down right, "Chub" Russell does put up a good ride, but the judges have certainly stood for his coarse work a long time. He had the mount on Carlo, which closed a slight favorite over Achilles for the five and a half furlong dash for two-year-olds and, riding an excellent race, won easily from the first choice. Dandy, a 60 to 1 shot, ran third. Collis, who had a world of trouble around the California circuit, obligingly pulled up Huachuca.

Fortune favored Jim Hale, favorite for the five and a half furlong scramble following, and only for a streak of good luck he would never have won. Bassinger on the 40 to 1 shot Gaylon Brown succeeded in beating the barrier after an extended delay, caused by the unruly actions of Rio de Altar, but his mount could not last out. Collis brought Hale up just in time to beat Rio de Altar a neck on the wire.

Three noses on the wire marked the finish of the sprint next decided. Valencienne, piloted by Collis, ruled favorite, and after striking the stretch second to Midlove was placed third to Vantine and Mocorito in the closest fit of the day. Russell rode the winning mare, which was bet on by his clique.

On the ferry-boat home some very tart remarks were made over the result of the closing mile run, taken by Hagerdon, the favorite. Sullivan's ride on Rio Shannon, the second horse, beaten but a neck, came in for caustic comment, and it must be admitted that the rider's effort was simply shameful. Bassinger's piloting of Goldone was no better.

Track Notes.

Ten bookmakers made weight, but owing to the illness of Caesar Young, one on the list was missing.

Some few in the crowd did not like the start in the fourth event. Accidents will happen in the best of regulated families and the starter tendered no apologies.

To-Day's Entries.

First race—One mile and seventy yards; 3-year-olds and up; selling.

2483 Master Cal ....107 | (2481)Harry Thatchr,113
2462 Firelight II ...113 | 2446 Carlovingian ..107
2486 First Shot .....113 | 2474 Quibo 107
(2483)Rey Dare .....107 | 2481 Parader 115
2470 Evirato .....115 | 2474 Frank Duffy ..113

Second race—Four furlongs; maiden 2-year-olds; purse.

2484 Big Massie ....118 | 2484 Pheny L 115
2464 St. Sever .....115 | 2449 Fred Atterbury.108
2429 Resin .....118 | 2484 Lillie Dale 115
2429 Priam .....108 | 2279 Cousin Sue 115
2477 Lento .....111 | 2119 Juros 115
2464 Knockings .....108 | 2466 Botany 108
1865 Marello 118

Third race—Five and a half furlongs; 3-year-olds and up; purse.

2455 Ralston .....122 | 2476 Cora Goetz 105
1557 Limb of Law..107 | 2067 Emile Zola 122
2465 Aurora B .....120 | 1248 Sea Spray 122
2344 Homage .....105 | 2475 Monda 122
2485 J. Richelieu, Jr.107 | 2374 Spry Lark 120
2443 Byron Rose ...107 | 1820 True Blue 122
2482 I Don't Know..122

Fourth race—Four furlongs; maiden 2-year-olds; purse.

2464 Dan Collins ...108 | 2464 Shell Mount....115
2466 Lady Carlo ....108 | 2464 Gypsy Boy....118
2449 Flattered .....108 | 2466 B. C. Greene....111
2452 Prestene .....108 | 2466 You You 108
2477 Hon. P.Sterling.111 | 2464 Cayenne Pep'r.115
2363 Murcia .....115 | 2464 Wand'ring Boy.111

Fifth race—One mile; 3-year-olds and up; handicap.

2457 Sunello ..... 82 | (2465)Yellowtail 120
2463 Beau Ormonde.104 | 2448 Rosormonde ...106
2463 The Fretter.....122 | 2463 Mission 93
2399 Snips 90

Sixth race—Seven furlongs; 4-year-olds and up; selling.

2463 Lena .....113 | 2478 Cromwell 114
2472 Foul Play .....107 | (2489)Mike Strauss...109
2479 Alee .....109 | 2431 High Hoe 109
2487 Alicia .....109 | 2478 Flamero 111
2487 Pat Morrissey.111 | (2486)Ostler Joe 114
(2458) McAlbert .....111 | 2489 The Buffoon ..109

Probable Winners.

First race—Rey Dare, Master Cal, Parader.

Second race—Botany, Big Massie, Fred Atterbury.

Third race—Byron Rose, True Blue, Ralston.

Fourth race—Murcia, B. C. Greene, You You.

Fifth race—The Fretter, Yellowtail, Beau Ormonde.

Sixth race—Cromwell, Lena, Pat Morrissey.

THE CALL'S RACING FORM CHART

OAKLAND RACETRACK—Thursday, May 23, 1901.—Weather fine. Track fast.

2488. FIRST RACE—Futurity course; selling; four-year-olds and up; purse, $300.

Index, Horse, Wt, Jockey.	St.	½.	Str.	Fin.
2471 Glissando, 4, 111.Alxandr	3	3 4	1 ½	1 1
2487 Rio Chico, 5, 114...Collis	2	4 2	3 ½	2 1
2445 Exped'nt, 4, 111.Buringm	6	6	4 ½	3 1
2445 Kickumbob, 4, 111.Russll	1	5 n	6	4 h
2447 Sweet Voice, 4, 109.Hoar	5	1 n	2 1	5 3
2473 Jerid, 5, 117.....Shields	4	2 1	5 1	6

Time—To ¼, :21; to ½, :46½; last ⅝, 1:01; short ⅝, 1:12¼. Perfect start. Won handily. Second and third driving. Winner, J. Naglee Burk's b. g. by imp. Foul Shot-imp. Berna. Jerid stopped to a walk. Glissando outsprinted Rio Chico. Too short for Expedient. Sweet Voice had early speed. Scratched—Hilary 111, Senator Matts 114, Galene 109.

Betting—Glissando, 11-5; Rio Chico, 5; Expedient, 15; Kickumbob, 20; Sweet Voice, 100; Jerid, 1.

2489. SECOND RACE—Six furlongs; selling; three-year-olds and up; purse, $300.

Index, Horse, Wt, Jockey.	St.	½.	Str.	Fin.
2465 Mike Strauss, 4, 119.Hoar	3	1 n	1 3	1 ½
2473 El Mido, 5, 121.....Ruiz	2	4 ½	4 3	2 4
2404 Irate, 3, 98....Fauntleroy	4	3 2	3 ½	3 ½
2482 Scr. Lake, 3, 95...Stuart	1	2 4	2 n	4 6
2471 Homestake, a, 109.Meadr	5	5 ½	6 6	5 4
2456 Darlene, 3, 106.Alexander	6	6 1	5 2	6 6
2438 The Buff'n, 4, 119.Sullvn	7	7 ½	7	7
2471 March Seven, 4, 107.Prior	8	8	Bled	

Time—¼, :24¼; ½, :49; ¾, 1:15¼. Good start. Won easily. Second and third driving. Winner, W. E. Cotton's br. g. by Iroquois-Gypsy. Strauss had all the speed. El Mido found it a trifle too short. Screenwell Lake showed improvement.

Betting—Mike Strauss, 6-5; El Mido, 16-5; Irate, 8; Screenwell Lake, 5; Homestake, 300; Darlene, 30; The Buffoon, 16; March Seven, 50.

2490. THIRD RACE—Five and a half furlongs; two-year-olds; purse, $300.

Index, Horse, Wt, Jockey.	St.	½.	Str.	Fin.
(2466)Carlo, 113.....Russell	5	2 1½	1 3	1 2
2472 Achilles, 115.....Ruiz	6	3 ½	2 3	2 2
2468 Dandy, 113.....Tullett	2	5 4	3 ½	3 h
2468 Royalty, 110....Bassinger	7	6	5 1	4 3
(2429)Yellowstone, 113.Alexndr	1	1 h	4 ½	5 8
2466 Remele, 106..Burlingame	3	4 2	6	6
2468 Huachuca, 113.....Collis	4	Pulled up		

Time—3-16, :18½; ¼, :25½; ½, :50¾; 5½f, 1:02¼. Good start except Huachuca. Won easily. Second and third driving. Winner, W. M. Murry's ch. c. by St. Carlo-Moonlight. Carlo had worked well and ran to it. Achilles absent. Dandy ran his race. Yellowstone quit. Collis on Huachuca pulled up.

Betting—Carlo, 11-5; Achilles, 2; Dandy, 60; Royalty, 9-2; Yellowstone, 15; Remele, 100; Huachuca, 18-5.

2491. FOURTH RACE—Five and a half furlongs; selling; three-year-olds; purse, $300.

Index, Horse, Wt, Jockey.	St.	½.	Str.	Fin.
(2469)Jim Hale, 107.....Collis	5	2	3 5	1 n
2434 Rio de Altar, 110.Alxndr	3	2 1	2 n	2 ½
(2476)Gaylon Brown, 107.Bassgr	1	1 5	1 1	3 12
2476 Matilda O, 105.Pendergst	4	5 4	4 1	4 1
2476 Lief Prince, 105.....Hoar	6	6 h	5 3	5 4
2459 Scallywag, 107....Russell	2	3 1	6 1	6 ½
.... Ravino, 105.....Fogg	7	8	7 1	7 2
2332 Cavanaugh, 102..Tamplin	8	7 10	8	8

Time—3-16, :18½; ¼, :23½; ½, :50; 5½f, 1:08½. Bad start. Won first three driving. Winner, W. L. Stanfield's b. g. by imp. Piccolo-Rillito. Gaylon Brown beat the gate. Jim Hale much the best. Lief Prince won't do. Scratched—Cora Goetz 100, Catherine Bravo 105.

Betting—Jim Hale, 9-10; Rio de Altar, 9-5; Gaylon Brown, 30; Matilda O, 100; Lief Prince, 10; Scallywag, 10; Ravino, 200; Cavanaugh, 300.

2492. FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs; selling; three-year-olds and up; purse, $300.

Index, Horse, Wt, Jockey.	St.	½.	Str.	Fin.
2431 Vantine, 4, 107....Russell	7	7	5 1	1 ns
(2473)Mocorito, 6, 109.Bassingr	3	2 h	3 1	2 ns
(2451)Valencienne, a, 109.Collis	5	5 1	2 ½	3 1
2475 Dang. Maid, 4, 107.Alxdr	6	4 n	4 ½	4 1
(2455)Midlove, 5, 109....Tullett	2	1 1	1 n	5 2
2455 Flatterer, 3, 100.....Hoar	4	6 1	6 2	6 6
2431 Tiburon, 5, 106.Burlingm	1	3 3	7	7

Time—¼, :24¼; ½, :48¾; ¾, 1:14½. Good start. Won easily. Second and third driving. Winner, G. W. Snider & Co.'s ch. m. by imp. Anchorite-Vestina. Russell on Vantine tried one of his famous cushion caroms, and the book won. Mocorito had no excuses. Valencienne couldn't get up. Midlove quit. Flatterer didn't have his speed with him. Scratched—Sybaris 106, Princess Titania 95.

Betting—Vantine, 15; Mocorito, 7-2; Valencienne, 9-5; Dangerous Maid, 13-5; Midlove, 15; Flatterer, 15; Tiburon, 30.

2493. SIXTH RACE—One mile; selling; four-year-olds and up; purse, $400.

Index, Horse, Wt, Jockey.	St.	½.	Str.	Fin.
(2463)Hagerdon, 4, 100....Collis	1	1 5	1 5	1 h
(2457)R. Shannon, 4, 112.Sullvn	2	2 3	2 2	2 4
2480 Goldone, 4, 112.Bassinger	3	3 6	3 4	3 5
2457 Wyoming, a, 113.Russell	4	4 3	4 3	4 3
(2467)Gauntlet, 5, 116...Tullett	5	5	5	5

Time—¼, :24¾; ½, :49; ¾, 1:14¾; mile, 1:41. Fair start. Won first three driving. Winner, H. L. Frank's b. g. by imp. Esher-Lady Richmond. Sullivan on Shannon had no excuses for not beating Hagerdon from the paddock home. Goldone can do better. So can Wyoming. Scratched—Horton 116.

Betting—Hagerdon, 1; Rio Shannon, 9; Goldone, 5-2; Wyoming, 5; Gauntlet, 30.

To Make Uniform Rules.

PARIS, May 23.—The Olympian games committee met at the Automobile Club this morning to discuss a proposal submitted by I. P. Sheldon of Yale in behalf of the Athletic Union of America, that the committee draw up international rules for athletic contests, to do away with the existing diversity in various countries and associations. The committee decided to take the matter under consideration.

COMMANDO WINS THE BELMONT STAKE

NEW YORK, May 23.—Commando, the son of Domino, won the classic Belmont stake at Morris Park to-day and stamped himself the best three-year-old of recent years. He was a strong favorite in the betting at 7 to 10, made all the running and won galloping by two lengths in 2:21, the track record for the distance. It was the last day of the Westchester Racing Association's spring meeting, and a crowd of at least 15,000 people was in attendance. Only three horses went to the post for the Belmont. Commando and The Parader both opened at even money, the former being backed to 7 to 10, while The Parader went up to 7 to 5. All Green went begging at 15 to 1. They were sent off on the first break to a good start, and Spencer took Commando to the front and led by two lengths up the backstretch. Going up the hill The Parader moved up to him, and they ran neck and neck around the far turn. For a few jumps The Parader showed in front, but it was only on sufferance, and when Spencer called on Commando at the head of the stretch he came away and won easily. The Parader was under the whip through the last furlong in a fruitless effort to get up. All Green was a bad third. Commando got an ovation when he returned to the scales. Summary:

One mile, selling—Lucky Star won, Blue Away second, Knight of the Garter third. Time, 1:42.

Five furlongs—Honolulu won, Velleda second, O'Hagan third. Time, :59½.

The Eclipse, five and a half furlongs—Blue Girl won, Saturday second, Whisky King third. Time, 1:04¾.

The Belmont, mile and three-eighths—Commando, 126 (Spencer), 7 to 10, won; The Parader, 126 (Landry), 7 to 5 and out, second; All Green, 126 (Shaw), 15 to 1 and 8 to 5, third. Time, 2:21.

Jockey Club, mile and an eighth—Conroy won, Blues second, Dr. Barlow third. Time, 1:55.

Six furlongs—Ventoro won, Gold Lack second, Karl Kahler third. Time, 1:15½.

Six furlongs—Uledi won, Full Dress second, Velma Clark third. Time, 1:17½.

CHICAGO, May 23.—Summary:

Four and a half furlongs—Hoodwink won, Lysbeth second, Palmetto third. Time, :58 3-5.

Six furlongs, selling—Rival Dare won, Joe Martin second, Ecome third. Time, 1:18.

Mile and twenty yards—Knight Banneret won, Ida V second, El Caney third. Time, 1:49 1-5.

One mile, selling—Hampshire won, Oxnard second, Zacatosa third. Time, 1:48 1-5.

One mile, selling—Lamachus won, Refugee second, Patroon third. Time, 1:48 2-5.

One mile, selling—Give All won, Bright Night second, Dan Cupid third. Time, 1:49 4-5.

CINCINNATI, May 23.—Manager Fowler announced to-day that the Newport meeting will continue indefinitely and will run at least until July 6. Summary:

Six furlongs—Uterp won, Miss Redwood second, Corialis third. Time, 1:15¼.

Six furlongs—Gwynne won, Young Henry second, Prosit third. Time, 1:15¼.

Four and a half furlongs—Bud Embry won, Baccie second, Tom Crabb third. Time, :56½.

Six furlongs—B. G. Fox won, Grandma II second, Eva Wilson third. Time, 1:15.

Seven furlongs—Fair Day won, The Bronze Demon second, Ben O'Fallon third. Time, 1:28.

One mile—Annie Lauretta won, Fairy Dell second, Filibuster third. Time, 1:41½.

Latonia summary:

Six furlongs—Maydine won, Little Rita second, Marin Lynch third. Time, 1:18½.

One mile—Long Flo won, Janowood second, Sprung third. Time, 1:46½.

Five furlongs, Harold stakes; net value, $1100—Pentecost won, Andy Williams second, Owenton third. Time, 1:04¼.

Five furlongs—Brief won, Dr. Tarr second, Alice Scorpion third. Time, 1:04¾.

Five furlongs—Miss Charlie won, Lady Brockway second, Corinne C third. Time, 1:04¾.

ST. LOUIS, May 23.—Fair Grounds summary:

Six and a half furlongs, selling—Reducer won, Ducassa second, Regatta third. Time, 1:21¾.

Five furlongs—Kaloma won, Father Wentker second, Helen Print third. Time, 1:01½.

One mile, selling—Deponan won, The Caxton second, Mystery third. Time, 1:47½.

The Mississippi Valley selling sweepstakes; purse $1500, one mile—Blink won, Hilee second, Bowen third. Time, 1:44.

One mile, selling—Colonel Gay won, Pan Charm second, Joe Doughty third. Time, 1:46.

Six and a half furlongs, selling—Sam Lazarus won, Quite Right second, Virgie d'Or third. Time, 1:25¼.

TORONTO, Ont., May 23.—The forty-first annual spring meeting of the Ontario Jockey Club began to-day. Summary:

Six furlongs—Sannarara won, Springwells second, Mr. Jersey third. Time, 1:17.

Two year olds, half mile—Lady Patroness won, Miss Lobster second, J. Patrick third. Time, :53.

One mile and a half—Macklet won, Mystic Shriner second, Interference third. Time, 2:55.

Queen's plate, mile and a quarter—John Ruskin won, Bell Court second, Fernstickle third. Time, 2:18¼.

Steeplechase, about two miles—Harvey Corby won, Californian second, Daryl third. Time, 4:51¼.

Six furlongs, selling—Teekla won, Edinburgh second, Andrallis third. Time, 1:18¼.

Election Officers Indicted.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., May 23.—Among the 149 indictments handed down by the April Grand Jury to-day were those against Michael J. Gibbons, John L. Lillis, R. H. Johnson and Frank A. Mulligan, judges and clerks at the last municipal election, who are charged with making false returns. Frank Ausinger was indicted on the charge of repeating.

The Original Little Beneficencia Publica Company of San Francisco. Organized September, 1893. Drawing May 23, 1901.

No. 41,344 wins $7500 00, sold in San Francisco, Cal.; No. 54,567 wins $2500 00, sold in San Francisco, Cal.; No. 72,642 wins $1250 00, sold in San Francisco and Suisun, Cal.; Nos. 1462, 23,264, 39,507, 42,779 and 53,865 each win $125 00, sold in San Francisco and Sacramento, Cal.

DUDES WIN FROM UNHAPPY ANGELS

Close Game, With Little Hitting, Marks the Opening Event.

Many Double Plays and Decisions of the Umpire Were Features.

Oakland 3, Los Angeles 1.

Several weeks have elapsed since the Los Angeles team has played on a local diamond and the home fanatics have been hungry for a sight of the nine orangemen who did so well the last time up. They did fairly well yesterday, but were not lucky, nor did they find Moskiman with any surety or frequency. The change in the make-up puts Briseno, the new infielder, at second and Brockhoff in the field. Oakland has at last reached solidification and presented yesterday a better personnel than at any other time this season.

In the fifth Oakland was lucky, Francks and Lohman scoring, chiefly on a poor decision by Donohue. In the sixth Dunleavy rolled out a two-bagger and scored on Francks' two-bagger.

The fielding throughout the game was good, but not sensational. Brockhoff misjudged a couple of flies and Arrellanes lost control of his top piece in a critical moment. Both pitchers twirled in good form, but in the fifth and sixth innings Jones suffered a slight bunching of safe ones. The score:

LOS ANGELES.

	AB.	R.	BH.	SB.	PO.	A.	E.
Brockhoff, r. f.	3	0	0	1	0	0	0
Kelly, ss	3	0	0	0	3	5	0
Hutchinson, 1 b.	4	0	1	0	11	0	0
Householder, c. f.	4	0	1	0	2	0	0
Spies, c.	4	1	1	0	4	0	1
C. Reilly, 3 b.	3	0	1	0	2	1	0
Bowman, l. f.	4	0	2	0	1	1	0
Briseno, 2 b.	4	0	0	0	1	6	0
Jones, p	3	0	1	0	0	2	0
Total	32	1	7	1	24	15	1

OAKLAND.

	AB.	R.	BH.	SB.	PO.	A.	E.
Drennan, c. f.	4	0	1	0	2	0	0
Streib, r. f.	4	0	0	0	3	1	0
Decker, 1 b.	4	0	0	0	10	0	0
Arrellanes, 2 b.	4	0	1	1	3	4	0
Dunleavy, l. f.	2	1	1	0	1	0	0
Francks, ss	2	1	2	0	6	6	1
Moore, 3 b.	2	0	0	0	0	2	0
Lohman, c.	2	1	2	0	0	0	1
Moskiman, p	3	0	0	0	2	2	0
Total	28	3	7	1	27	15	3

RUNS AND HITS BY INNINGS.

Los Angeles	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0—1
Base hits	1	1	0	1	0	0	1	1	2—7
Oakland	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	*—3
Base hits	0	1	1	0	3	2	0	0	*—7

SUMMARY.

Runs responsible for—Jones 2. Two-base hits—Spies, Dunleavy, Francks 2, Jones. Sacrifice hits—Dunleavy, Lohman. First base on errors—Los Angeles 1, Oakland 0. First base on called balls—Los Angeles 2, Oakland 1. Left on bases—Los Angeles 6, Oakland 3. Struck out—By Jones 3. Hit by pitcher—C. Reilly. Double plays—Moskiman to Decker, Briseno to Kelly to Hutchinson, Francks to Arrellanes to Decker. Time of game—1 hour 35 minutes. Umpire—Donohue. Official scorer—McFarlin.

SAN FRANCISCO THE WINNER.

Local Nine Gets the Game on the Capital Grounds.

SACRAMENTO, May 23.—With ten men in the field to-day, Iburg officiating as umpire in the absence of O'Connell, San Francisco won by a score of 7 to 6. Evans officiated in the box for San Francisco and Stricklett for Sacramento, and both were hit hard and often. Score:

SAN FRANCISCO.

	AB.	R.	BH.	SB.	PO.	A.	E.
Hildebrand, lf.	5	1	1	0	3	1	0
Schwartz, 2b.	5	1	3	0	2	1	2
Krug, ss.	5	1	1	1	5	4	1
Pabst, rf.	3	1	0	0	2	0	0
Nordyke, 1b.	4	1	1	0	5	1	0
Croll, cf.	4	2	3	0	4	0	0
Graham, c.	4	0	2	0	6	2	1
Reilly, 3b.	4	0	0	0	0	1	0
Evans, p.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	38	7	11	1	27	10	4

SACRAMENTO.

	AB.	R.	BH.	SB.	PO.	A.	E.
Devereaux, ss.	4	2	2	2	1	0	1
McLaughlin, lf.	5	0	0	0	3	0	0
Courtney, 2b.	4	1	3	0	1	2	0
Doyle, rf.	4	1	1	0	0	0	0
McGucken, cf.	5	0	1	0	5	0	1
Hanlon, 1b.	3	1	0	1	7	0	0
Stanley, c.	2	0	0	1	7	0	0
Sheehan, 3b.	4	0	0	0	1	1	1
Stricklett, p.	4	1	2	0	1	6	0
Totals	35	6	9	4	26	9	3

RUNS AND HITS BY INNINGS.

San Francisco	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	1—7
Base hits	4	0	1	1	0	1	0	2	2—11
Sacramento	1	1	0	0	2	1	1	0	0—6
Base hits	2	1	0	1	3	1	0	0	1—9

SUMMARY.

Runs, responsible for—Evans 3, Stricklett 4. Home runs—Croll, Krug, Courtney. Three-base hit—Stricklett. Two-base hit, Croll. Sacrifice hit—Nordyke. First base on errors—Sacramento 3, San Francisco 3. First base on balls—Off Evans 6, off Stricklett 2. Left on bases—San Francisco 8, Sacramento 8. Struck out—By Evans 3, by Stricklett 6. Double play—Stricklett to Hanlon. Wild pitch—Evans. Time of game—1:50. Umpire—Iburg. Official scorer—Rutherford.

EASTERN BASEBALL GAMES.

New York Defeats Cincinnati and Leads National League.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

NEW YORK, May 23.—By defeating Cincinnati to-day at the Polo Grounds, the New York baseball club resumed the lead in the National League. Doheny was hit hard in the opening, but was invincible toward the end. Attendance, 9150. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
New York	8	16	4
Cincinnati	1	9	1

Batteries—Doheny and Bowerman, Newton and Peitz. Umpire—Dwyer.

BROOKLYN, May 23.—Brooklyn was not in it at any stage of the game with Chicago. McJames pitched poor ball at the start and Chicago, with well-bunched hits, gained a lead of six runs, which they never relinquished. Attendance, 2400. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
Brooklyn	2	8	3
Chicago	9	10	0

Batteries—McJames and Farrell, Taylor and Kling. Umpire—Emslie.

BOSTON, May 23.—Boston won by bunching hits in the first and third innings of to-day's game. Attendance, 1500. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
Boston	7	6	2
Pittsburg	3	10	1

Batteries—Pittinger and Moran, Chesbro and O'Connor. Umpire—O'Day.

PHILADELPHIA, May 23.—St. Louis defeated the locals to-day in the first game of the series. In the ninth inning the visitors, by a mighty batting rally, knocked out eight hits and scored seven runs. Attendance, 2883. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	10	18	4
Philadelphia	6	4	1

Batteries—Harper, Powell and Nichols; Dugleby and Douglass. Umpire—Nash.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

CLEVELAND, May 23.—Cleveland won out an almost hopeless game by a batting rally in the ninth inning. Attendance, 1250. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
Cleveland	14	19	4
Washington	13	14	2

Batteries—Hoffer and Woods; Patton, Lee and Grady.

DETROIT, May 23.—After scoring one run in the first inning on errors by Casey and Buelow, Boston bunched two doubles and a single in the fifth inning and scored two more. Then, in the eighth, Hemphill scored on Freeman's fly to Barrett. Attendance, 3373. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
Detroit	2	6	4
Boston	4	6	4

Batteries—Cronin and Buelow, Young and Schreck.

CHICAGO, May 23.—The home team won an exciting, though poorly played game from Philadelphia. Attendance, 2800. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
Chicago	11	10	3
Philadelphia	9	11	5

Batteries—Katoll, Harvey, Griffith and Sullivan; Plank, Fraser, Powers and Murphy.

THE EMPORIUM. | THE EMPORIUM. | THE EMPORIUM. | THE EMPORIUM.

$1.25 to $2.25 Novelty Silks, To-Day 87c.

Another of the big store's astonishing silk sales for **Friday only.** A special purchase of about 2500 yards of rich novelty silk in new designs and splendid color assortments. In lengths ranging from 15 to 30 yards, silks worth up to $2.25 per yard will be sold for **eighty-seven cents.** The collection includes fancy stripes in open work and fancy effects; print warps and jacquard figured Louisine; also a few fancy black silks; shirt waist, street or evening dress silks, that regularly retail at $1.25, $1.50, $1.75, $2.00 and $2.25 per yard; to-day only.... **87c**

Butter Sale.

The best Creamery Butter, regular size squares, to-day and Saturday, if supply lasts, per square **30c**

Limit 3 squares to a customer.

$3.50 Shoes $2.37

We found that about 10 doz. pairs of ladies' fine tan willow calf lace shoes, shipped to us by a prominent Eastern manufacturer, were slightly imperfect. There were one or two spots upon each pair that look as though they were made by a drop of water. We called the maker's attention to this fact and he made us a most liberal allowance. These are splendid shoes, with hand-sewed extension soles, new mannish toes and military heels; in all sizes and widths; the regular price of which is $3.50 per pair; Friday, and Saturday also, if lot lasts, the big store will sell them at..... **$2.37**

Hurd's Paper 15c.

A small lot of Hurd's kid-finish Writing Paper with envelopes to match; commercial and Alexis sizes; in silver gray, heliotrope and cream tints; regular price 25c and 30c per quire; special price to-day:

Writing Paper, per quire..... **15c**
Envelopes to match, pack..... **15c**

Liquor Specials.

American Club Whiskey—Regularly $2.50 a gallon; special Friday and Saturday. **$1.95**

Wood Alcohol—Quarts, regularly 40c a bottle; Friday and Saturday..... **32c**

Brown's Celery Phosphate—½-gallon bottles, regularly $1.25; Friday and Saturday..... **$1.05**

25c Handkerchiefs 14c.

100 dozen Ladies' Sheer Lawn Scalloped Embroidered Handkerchiefs; fine qualities and dainty patterns; some of our most desirable 25c values; special Friday only.. **14c**

$16.50 Tailor Suit $12.50.

The New Belted Eton Style, like picture, plain or trimmed, with a neat, very narrow black and gold braid, made of all-wool Venetian of good quality, in tan, brown, navy and black; jacket is silk lined and the skirt with good percaline; no better suit is sold around town at $18.00; we have sold this new dress at $16.50, but the special price Friday and Saturday, in all sizes, will be..... **$12.50**

$1.00 Shirt Waists 69c—Newest striped gingham waists, splendid patterns, all the new ideas in cuffs, front and back, all sizes, regularly $1.00; Friday and Saturday..... **69c**

$22.50, $25.00, $27.50 and $30.00 New Tailor Dresses, $19.50—Assorted lot of 200 of the newest Eton Dresses, some with and some without vest effects, in all the new colors and styles of cloths; many of these are sample model dresses, made in the highest manner; also in all-silk lined, belted Eton pebble cheviot; navy and black; all sizes; regularly $22.50 to $30; all at one price Friday and Saturday. **$19.50**

$1.25 Wrappers 83c—New lawn light-colored Wrappers and soft-finished percales in dark colors; all have lined waists, nicely trimmed and made; all sizes; regularly $1.25; Friday and Saturday..... **83c**

Undermuslin Specials.

This Chemise 65c—Either lawn or cambric skirt chemise; lace trimmed; tucked ruffle; new, clean, liberally cut; well made goods, regularly $1.00 each; to-day only..... **65c**

Choice of two fine Cambric Gowns — One of all tucks and lace insertion yoke; lace on cuffs and neck; the other fine tucked new style yoke, tucked embroidery ruffle on edge of yoke, tucks and embroidery on cuffs; wash silk ribbon around neck; these gowns always sold for $1.50; special to-day only (2 to a customer), each..... **$1.05**

Cut Glass 17c.

Genuine rich cut glass Pepper or Salt, with heavy plated screw tops; very clear crystal and finely cut; choice of two pretty shapes; special sale to-day only; each..... **17c**

Spoons and Forks a Special Sale.

A small lot of triple-plated on white metal, **Teaspoons, Tablespoons and Forks;** a pretty beaded pattern; to-day only; while quantity lasts:

Teaspoons; set of 6..... **48c**
Tablespoons; set of 6..... **96c**
Table Forks; set of 6..... **96c**

Sheet Music 17c.

Fifty different pieces of music, published at 50c each; regularly with us 25c; on special sale to-day only..... **17c**

Among the titles of the above music are: Mamma's China Twins; If I Only Had a Dollar of My Own; Veronica by Loraine; The Honeysuckle and the Bee; McKinley March and Two-Step; The Darky's Picnic, Cakewalk; Peace Forever, March; Carolina March and Two-Step; Eli Green's Cakewalk Song; and Tommy, the latest Eastern success.

Millinery Cut Prices

$1.50 Walking Hat 90c—This fancy braid straw walking hat; draped dotted band; was a bargain at $1.50; Friday and Saturday only; special at... **90c**

$3.50 White Chiffon Hat $2.25—A charming hat with plenty of chiffon; not thin and scant; regularly $3.50; Friday and Saturday only; special..... **$2.25**

Children's $5.00 Trimmed Hats, $2.50—A very fashionable line of children's trimmed hats; each is a dainty bit of art in itself, and all of the nicest materials; regularly $5.00; special Friday and Saturday only..... **$2.50**

Ladies' Trimmed Hats, $5.00, $8.00 and $10.00—The very best; the very latest and most stylish creations we have had; these are all new, fresh from our own work rooms, and we know that only the choicest is in them; special value for Friday and Saturday..... **$5.00, $8.00 and $10.00**

Picnic Specials.

Sardines—Friday and Saturday **3 tins 24c**
Deviled Ham—Libby's, ¼s, Friday and Saturday..... **2 tins 7c**
Ripe Olives—Regularly 25c quart, Friday and Saturday..... **20c**
Van Camp's Soups—Friday and Saturday..... **3 tins 25c**

Over Collars 10c