GIANTS OF THE PRIZERING MEET TO-NIGHT IN MECHANICS' PAVILION

CHAMPION JEFFRIES READY TO DEFEND HIS TITLE IN CONTEST WITH MUNROE

Sensational Battle Expected by Experts.

Flood of Money Offered on Jeffries.

CHAMPION BOXER OF THE WORLD AND CHALLENGER FOR THE TITLE, WHO WILL MEET TO-NIGHT IN A TWENTY-ROUND BOUT. BOTH MEN ARE TRAINED TO THE HOUR AND THE MOST SENSATIONAL BATTLE EVER FOUGHT HERE BY HEAVYWEIGHTS IS EXPECTED.

JEFFRIES FEELS CERTAIN OF HIS RING PROWESS

"I am stronger, faster and heavier than at any time in my ring career and I see no possibility of the championship passing from me. I followed my own ideas of training and on the eve of the fight I am in perfect physical condition, although the croakers claimed it would be impossible for me to reach my old time form. I expect to prove my superiority over Munroe in a decisive manner. He will not have me at the disadvantage as regards the high altitudes which affected me in the Butte fight."—Excerpt from a statement by Champion Jeffries.

Champion James J. Jeffries will defend his title of the world's greatest boxer in Mechanics' Pavilion to-night for the ninth time since he gained the laurels by knocking out Bob Fitzsimmons in eleven rounds at Coney Island in June, 1899.

For an opponent he will have Jack Munroe, the heaviest man he has ever faced and the most rugged. In the past there has been a wide discrepancy between the weight of the champion and that of his opponent. This was especially noticeable in the bouts with Fitzsimmons and Corbett, the former weighing about 170 pounds, and the latter 180.

In the fights with these men Jeffries agreed to a clean break, which slowed down the action to a considerable degree, as at the order of the referee the men had to break and step back without any attempt at hitting. The action to-night should be swift as the men can hit while they have an arm free and must protect themselves coming out of a clinch.

This was proposed by the Munroe people, and as Kid McCoy suggested it he has undoubtedly been shown something by Munroe which warrants him meeting Jeffries at his own game. The latter's short-arm blows have terrible power behind them, but, apparently, Munroe counts upon blocking them successfully and giving some in return.

MUNROE IS GAME.

Jeffries' friends have an idea that Munroe is deficient in hitting power, but this feeling is not shared by the miner's boxing partners. He knocked them down repeatedly with jolty, half-arm blows, which seemed to the spectators to have no power behind them. He was unusually considerate of his sparring partners and seldom used all his strength.

Munroe's gameness is of the bulldog order. In the first round of his fight with Sharkey the sailor sent him reeling across the ring with a blow that would have felled an ox. Munroe came back full of fight and soon had all the steam taken out of Sharkey.

The betting is an indication of the popular opinion regarding the outcome of the fight. Wagering opened with Jeffries a 3½ to 10 choice. All the tickets written have been at these figures. The Jeffries money comes in thousands from the heavy bettors, while the Munroe end is nibbled at by the men who have cashed on so many long shots. The betting on the rounds is still even money that Jeffries will win in ten rounds.

Spider Kelly and other fight experts believe Munroe will make a desperate stand against Jeffries, although on form they do not figure him a winner. The miner is fairly fighting for his life and is expected to prove a dangerous factor until one or the other of the combatants is declared the winner. In the Butte fight Munroe never backed up an inch, although he was severely punished for a time. He is not worrying over to-night's engagement. It seems farthest from his thoughts and he discusses it but little. His rest has freshened him up noticeable during the past two days.

HAS JEFFRIES GONE BACK.

Munroe knows he is fighting the greatest man the ring has ever known. He says other champions have been dethroned, and he will try his hand at king making. He is trained to the hour. His condition is much better than it was at the time the fight was postponed. He has learned ring tactics rapidly since then, and the question which remains to be answered to-night is whether Jeffries has gone back far enough since his last ring engagement to give Munroe a chance of winning. Jeffries and his friends are sure he has not gone back and his strength and his activity seem to bear them out.

Jeffries, despite his bulk, moves about with the speed of a lightweight. He is a tireless worker and goes at his training like a man who enjoys every moment of it.

The Yosemite Club officials expect at least a $30,000 house. There was a rush for tickets yesterday, the sporting men having, apparently, made up their minds that there was no possibility of disappointment this time.

JEFFRIES' QUIET DAY.

His Only Exercise Is Rowing on Lake Merritt.

Champion James J. Jeffries spent a quiet day in Oakland yesterday. The only interval during the entire day that he felt like fight was when Landers Stevens bawled him out at the Liberty Theater in the evening and then he wanted to "get" "Mr. Potter of Texas," but as a line of footlights separated the two Mr. Stevens escaped uninjured.

The incidents of the last day before the battle were few. The big champion awoke at the usual time. He took his breakfast with his friends and his wife at the Gas Kitchen. Then the champion enjoyed a row on Lake Merritt with John J. Marcovich, his great friend. There was a substantial luncheon and another row on Lake Merritt. These little sprints on the water were the only exercise in which the champion indulged.

In the evening the only fighting of the day began. Mr. Jeffries with his wife attended the Liberty Theater in company with Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Van Court, John J. Marcovich, Alfred Scott and his cousin. Landers Stevens discovered the big champion in the audience and from that moment there was a running fire of remarks. When Mr. Stevens, as Mr. Potter of Texas, had to eject a number of waiters from the room it was, "I'll fire you fellows like Jeffries will Munroe." When Mr. Potter of Texas had to slay a few of his friends in the company it was always "as Jeffries would do it." So it went through the play until the end. Every sally that called attention to Jeffries was greeted with rounds of applause until Jeffries was forced to leave his box. The audience was entirely on the Jeffries end and they applauded the big champion.

MUNROE READY FOR THE TEST IN THE ARENA

"My trainers have done everything possible for me and will send me into the ring to meet Jeffries at the highest development of my physical powers. I realize I am to fight the best man in the world, but this does not scare me. I am going to do my best. Where two powerful men are fighting it is often a tossup as to which will land a decisive blow. I hope to be that one and will do all in my power to wrest the championship from Jeffries."—Excerpt from a statement by Jack Munroe.

LEW POWELL BEATS WOLFF IN A ONE-SIDED FIGHT

Latter Displays Unusual Gameness, but Is No Match for the Lightweight Amateur Champion.

Lew Powell beat Willie Wolff before the Hayes Valley Club last night in Woodwards Pavilion. Wolff displayed an unusual amount of gameness. For a round and a half he was staggering around the ring helpless, when the police stoped the fight in the third round. In the first round both lads sparred to try each other out. Wolff hastened his downfall in the second round when he started to mix it. Powell steadied himself and with a well-aimed right landed fairly on the point. From then on it was a one-sided bout.

Abe Label knocked out Harry Tenny in the second round. Both boys displayed cleverness, but Label was the best.

Telegraph Hill Jack O'Brien reversed matters with his namesake from the south side and knocked him out in the third. The second edition was held in the street, but a policeman refused to allow a decision.

Eddie Kehoe won the decision from Eddie Sullivan. Joe McDonald beat Loren Brown in a round. Harry Baker won a decision from Chefie Johnson. Charlie Dunn won the decision from George Brown.

Ladies to Meet on Tennis Courts.

The ladies of the Golden Gate Tennis Club will hold a scratch doubles tournament to-morrow on the park courts. Nine teams will compete. The drawing which was held last night resulted as follows:

Miss C. Travenar and Miss M. Travenaf vs. Miss A. Duncan and Miss B. Culley; Miss I. Mearns and Miss V. Crocker vs. Miss H. Levison and Miss C. Wagg; Miss C. Lindstrom and Miss A. Alberger vs. Miss A. Vodden and Miss G. Meyer; Miss V. Beyfuss and Miss E. Hess vs. Miss B. Gardner and Miss A. Greenberg; Miss D. Weed and Miss M. Worcester, a bye.

LYNCH'S DARING IS REWARDED

He Makes a Dash for the Plate in the Tenth and Noses In a Lone Tally

FAMINE OF BASE HITS

Corbett and Bobbie Keefe Break About Even in a Pretty Pitchers' Battle

Tacoma 1, San Francisco 0 (10 innings). Lynch's desperate dash for the plate in the extra inning ended a pitchers' battle between Joe Corbett, the star, and Bobbie Keefe, the star to be, with Mique Fisher one to the good.

Had Lynch failed to land the anvil men in the Wurzburger garden would be still in the grounds telling how it should have been done. But he made it. Corbett lined to Gorton, who tagged the batter by mistake. Lynch, who started with the ball, ploughed through the dust with the winning run.

Of course there was a heated discussion. James Whalen, the boy orator, was the eloquent kid for the Seals, while Charlie Graham was chief attorney for the Tigers. After 10 minutes of conversation that would be barred at pink teas, Umpire O'Connell sent the self-appointed delegates to the woods and O. K'ed the run.

The bout between Corbett and Keefe was as close as the one between Kuroki and Kuropatkin, who are playing a different game in the Far East. It was the boy who has a name to make against the one who has made a name and wants to keep it.

There were just two hits off each for nine innings. Then Gochnauer ran amuck. Lynch landed one into his territory and the imported shortstop thought Van Buren was a skyscraper. The throw went into a political discussion in the bleachers and Lynch went for two. Casey sacrificed him to third.

In the tenth, while Corbett and Gorton were dreaming of other days, Lynch made good on his slide for life just as the chronic fans were telephoning for blankets. Ted Sullivan, a representative of the Cincinnatti Reds, watched Keefe's work and hummed, "I've Got My Eyes on You."

An inebriated automobilist arrived at the grounds in the tenth. "What's er news?" he asked.

"Port Arthur has fallen," replied the gatekeeper.

"Who wants know about Port Arthur?" asked the wobbly gent. "How about Joe Corbett?"

"Joe Corbett's fallen, too," said the gatekeeper.

"Good night," said the automobilist. "Hey, Bill," he shouted to the chauffeur. "Aim her at Twin Peaks and let her go. We don't care what happens now." Here is how it occurred:

San Francisco—	AB.	R.	H.	P.A.		Tacoma—	AB.	R.	H.	P.A.	
VnBrn,1b	4	0	1	18	0	Doyle,rf.	4	0	1	1	0
Gchner,s	3	0	0	2	7	Shehn,3b	4	0	0	1	1
Wldrn,cf	4	0	0	1	0	Nrdyk,1b	4	0	1	13	0
Hldbnd,lf	2	0	0	3	0	Eagan,s..	4	0	0	1	5
Irwin,3b.	4	0	0	0	3	Lynch,cf	4	1	0	0	0
Andsn,rf	4	0	0	2	1	Casey,2b.	3	0	0	5	2
Miller,2b.	3	0	0	2	5	McLin,lf	4	0	0	6	0
Gorton,c.	3	0	0	2	1	Hogan,c.	4	0	0	3	3
Corbett,p	3	0	1	0	1	Keefe,p..	2	0	0	0	6
*Meany..	0	0	0	0	0						
Totals.	30	0	2	30	18	Totals.	31	1	2	30	17

RUNS AND HITS BY INNINGS.

Tacoma	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	—1
Base hits	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	—2
San Francisco.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0
Base hits ..	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	—2

SUMMARY.

Stolen bases—Van Buren, Lynch. Errors—Gochnauer 2. Two-base hit—Van Buren. Sacrifice hits—Gochnauer, Casey. First base on errors—San Francisco 1, Tacoma 2. First base on called balls—Off Corbett 1, off Keefe 2. Left on bases—San Francisco 2, Tacoma 3. Struck out—By Corbett 2, by Keefe 3. Time of game—1 hour and 50 minutes. Umpire—O'Connell.

BATTLE IS SHUT OUT.

Doc Newton Has Siwash Batsmen on His Staff Throughout.

SEATTLE, Aug. 25.—Los Angeles shut out Seattle to-day with consummate ease. Big Doc Newton put it all over the Siwashes. He had them stabbing all around the plate and simply poking little measly ones up into the air to fall into the outstretched hands of the fielders. The score:

Seattle—	AB.	R.	H.	P.A.		Los Angeles—	AB.	R.	H.	P.A.	
Delhty,3b	4	0	0	0	0	Brnard,cf	5	2	3	2	0
VnHtn,cf	4	0	0	3	1	Flood,2b.	5	2	1	3	2
Mohlr,2b.	4	0	1	4	4	J.Smh,3b	5	1	3	1	1
Frisk,lf..	4	0	0	1	0	Eagar,rf.	5	0	1	2	1
Blnkp,1b.	4	0	0	9	2	Chase,1b.	4	2	2	6	0
Smith,rf.	3	0	0	1	0	Toman,s.	4	0	1	6	0
Hall,s...	2	0	0	3	1	Ross,lf...	4	0	2	2	0
Wilson,c	2	0	0	5	3	Spies,c...	4	0	1	5	0
Hughes,p	3	0	1	1	3	Newton,p	3	0	1	0	3
Totals.	30	0	2	27	14	Totals.	39	7	15	27	7

RUNS AND HITS BY INNINGS.

Seattle	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0
Base hits	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	—2
Los Angeles.	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	2	2	—7
Base hits	2	0	1	*3	3	0	1	3	2	—15

SUMMARY.

Errors—Delehanty, Blankenship, Smith, Flood, Chase. Earned runs—Los Angeles 1. Two-base hits—Newton, J. Smith. Sacrifice hit—Newton. Stolen bases—Bernard 3, Flood 2. Bases on balls—Off Newton 2. Hit by pitched ball—Mohler. Struck out—By Hughes 4, by Newton 4. Double plays—Russ Hall to Blankenship; Van Haltren to Mohler. Passed ball—Wilson. Wild pitch—Hughes. Time of game—1 hour and 30 minutes. Umpires—Brown and McDonald.

SPENCER'S DARING STEAL.

Scores Portland's Only Tally in Game Won by Oakland.

PORTLAND, Aug. 25.—Oakland had to fight for every inch of the way before it secured the game to-day from Portland. The visitors bunched their hits on Butler only once, in the seventh, when they secured two runs. Portland's only tally was on Spencer's sensational steal home. Attendance 2500. Score:

Portland—	AB.	R.	H.	P.A.		Oakland—	AB.	R.	H.	P.A.	
Spencr,2b	4	1	0	1	3	Frncks,ss	4	0	0	2	4
Hurley,1b	2	0	0	3	1	Ganley,rf	4	0	0	3	0
Drenan,cf	4	0	0	3	0	Dunivy,lf	4	0	2	1	1
Beck,3b.	1	0	0	0	0	Schffly,2b	4	0	1	3	3
Castro,rf.	2	0	0	0	0	Kruger,cf	4	1	1	4	1
Raymd,ss	4	0	1	3	2	Streib,1b.	2	1	0	7	2
Nadeau,lf	3	0	1	4	0	Deverx,3b	3	0	0	0	1
Shea,c...	3	0	0	8	1	Stark,c..	4	0	1	6	1
Butler,p.	3	0	0	0	2	Jones,p..	4	0	1	1	2
Cmpbll,ss	0	0	0	0	0						
*Steelman	1	0	1	0	0	Totals	33	2	6	27	15
Totals	27	1	3	27	9						

*Steelman batted for Shea in ninth inning.

RUNS AND HITS BY INNINGS.

Portland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	—1
Base hits.....	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	—3
Oakland	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	—2
Base hits.....	0	0	1	2	0	0	2	1	0	—6

SUMMARY.

Errors—Beck, Butler, Streib. Stolen bases—Spencer (2), Campbell, Schlafley. Castro (2), Nadeau, Kruger. Bases on balls—Off Butler 1, off Jones 7. Struck out—By Butler 7, by Jones 3. Sacrifice hit—Devereaux. Double plays—Ganley (unassisted), Shea to Raymond. Left on bases — Portland 7, Oakland 8. Hit by pitcher—By Butler 1. Time of game—One hour and fifty-five minutes. Umpire—McCarthy.

ANOTHER RICH TURF EVENT FOR THE MARE SWEET MARIE

Judges Do Not Like the Work of Her Driver—When He Is Retired She Wins.

READVILLE, Mass., Aug. 25. — Almost a gale of wind swept across the track to-day, making fast time impossible at the Grand Circuit meeting. Major Delmar was booked to go against the world's trotting record; but, owing to the wind, the attempt was postponed until to-morrow.

The Ponkapoag, an early closing event for trotters eligible to 2:14 class last April, was the feature. It was counted by turf followers that the California-bred mare Sweet Marie would carry off the honors, and she did, but not until two heats had gone to Direct View.

Smith, the driver of the favorite, got the word while trailing in the open heat. In the home stretch she had only to overtake Direct View, but she failed to make up the distance and the stallion won by a short neck in 2:08¾. Sweet Marie was timed the final half in 1:02. Much to the surprise of all, Sweet Marie failed to take the second heat and Smith was removed from the sulky. She took the next three heats.

E. E. Smathers of New York bought Dr. Strong (2:08) after the second heat of the Massachusetts stake race yesterday for $14,000. Summary:

The Ponkapoag, 2:14 trot, purse $3000, three in five—Sweet Marie won the third, fourth and fifth heats in 2:13¾, 2:11½ and 2:12½. Direct View won the first and second heats in 2:08¾ and 2:10¼. Rajah, Lady Patchen, Mary Gage and John Mac also started.

2:18 pace, purse $1000, two in three—Bay Book won two straight heats in 2:09¾ and 2:10½. Nancy H, Lookout Hal, Gladbells, Inaha, Starlight and Walter Keim also started.

2:07 trot, purse $1500, two in three—McKinley won the second and third heats in 2:08¼ and 2:11. Caspian won the first heat in 2:10¼. Hawthorne and Wentworth also started.

2:10 pace, purse $1000, two in three—Redbird won two straight heats in 2:09¾ and 2:08¼. Carlio M, Sadie Baron, Dandy C and Orin B also started.

NEW YORK, Aug. 25.—Louis Benze, bookkeeper for Pendas & Alvarez, cigar manufacturers, was locked up at police headquarters to-night, charged with having forged checks to the amount of $25,000.

JOCKEY SHAW OUTFINISHES TRAVERS AND LANDS DOLLY SPANKER A WINNER

Three Horses Break Down in Races at the Saratoga Track.

Special Dispatch to The Call.

SARATOGA, Aug. 25.—Three horses closed their racing careers this afternoon at Saratoga. Fort Hunter pulled up with a badly bowed tendon and is not expected to be in racing shape again this season. The Globe broke down badly in his race and may never run again. Hark Forward, after winning the best race of his career some days ago, was so badly crippled after the jumping event that his owner said this evening he would probably have to be destroyed.

The breakdown of Fort Hunter occurred during the running of the Saranac handicap of $5000 at one mile and a furlong. There were only three contenders, Fort Hunter, Dolly Spanker and St. Valentine. Fort Hunter opened a strong favorite in the betting at 4 to 5, but a heavy play on Dolly Spanker sent the price to even money. St. Valtine was so utterly neglected that his price soared from 4 to 8 to 1. Dolly Spanker rushed out in the lead, followed by Fort Hunter, while St. Valentine trailed along in the rear. There was no change in position until the three-quarter-mile post was reached, where Fort Hunter was seen to falter and fall back rapidly. Travers began a vigorous ride on St. Valentine, which was five lengths behind and succeeded in reaching Dolly Spanker as they passed the grand stand. Shaw "outfinished" Travers and Dolly Spanker won by a nose, with Fort Hunter limping along ten lengths in the rear. Summary:

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs; three-year-olds and up; selling:
Betting. Horse, Weight, Jockey. St. ¾ Fin.
13 to 5—Canteen, 96 (Lee)..... 5 1½ 1 2
4 to 1—K. of Rhodes, 112 (Martn) 2 3 h 2 5
10 to 1—B. of Bellemead,99 (Brnr) 8 2½ 3 4
Time, 1:14. Start poor. Won easily. Winner, A. L. Aste's br. f. by Mirthful-Partridge. Lord Badge, W. R. Condon, Right and True, King Pepper, Queen Belle, Seagate, Rawhide, Gay Lizzette, Memphis, May Bender, The Globe, finished as named.

SECOND RACE—About two miles; four-year-olds and up; steeplechase; handicap:
Betting. Horse, Weight, Jockey. St. ¾ Fin.
3 to 5—Malden, 165 (Mara)..... 1 2 8 1 2
5 to 1—Libretto, 130 (Bernhardt). 3 1 ¾ 2 15
3 to 5—Jim Slick, 148 (Henry)... 5 4 30 3 12
Time, 4:15. Start good. Won driving. Winner, J. W. Colt's b. g. by Lissak-Mag Rapture. Hark Forward, Inspector Stevens, finished as named.

THIRD RACE—Five and a half furlongs; two-year-old maidens; purse:
Betting. Horse, Weight, Jockey. St. ¾ Fin.
10 to 1—Merces, 107 (Crimmins).. 2 2½ 1 h
8 to 5—Prin. Eris, 107 (Martin).. 1 1 h 2 2
13 to 5—Gold Fleur, 105 (Travers) 4 3 1 3 6
Time, 1:08 2-5. Start good. Won driving. Winner, Miltown Stable's br. f. by Athelroy-Miss Doone. Kunjamuck, Sir Ralph Earldom, Indian Star, Only One, Onward, finished as named.

FOURTH RACE—One and an eighth miles; the Saranac Handicap for three-year-olds:
Betting. Horse, Weight, Jockey. St. ¾ Fin.
6 to 5—Dolly Spanker, 115 (Shaw) 3 1 2 1 n
8 to 1—St. Valentine, 112 (Travrs) 1 3 2 10
Even—Fort Hunter, 126 (Odom).. 2 2 8 3
Time, 1:55 1-5. Start good. Won driving. Winner, R. T. Wilson Jr.'s b. g. by Kingston-Lady Gay. (Three starters.)

FIFTH RACE—Five and a half furlongs; handicap; two-year-olds:
Betting. Horse, Weight, Jockey. St. ¾ Fin.
8 to 1—Jack McKeon, 100 (Crmns) 4 5 h 1 2
3 to 2—Escutcheon, 112 (Cochran) 1 3 n 2½
7 to 1—Katie Caffrey, 110 (Odom) 2 1 n 3 3
Time, 1:08 1-5. Start good. Won handily. Winner, T. E. Munday's b. c. by G. W. Johnson-Juan. Sufferance, Caper Sauce, Dazzle, Mirthless, McKenna, finished as named.

SIXTH RACE—One mile; handicap; all ages:
Betting. Horse, Weight, Jockey. St. ¾ Fin.
9 to 5—Mry England, 115 (Wdly) 1 1 2 1 1
16 to 5—Wild Thyme, 104 (Martin) 9 7 2 1
16 to 5—Gay Boy, 111 (Odom).... 2 6½ 3 6
Time, 1:41. Start poor. Won driving. Winner, J. E. Seagrave's ch. c. by St. George-Weknowit. James F. New York, Duke of Kendal, Damon, Missing Link, Court Maid, finished as named.

BOOKMAKERS INVADE RING.

Prove More Popular Than the Pari Mutuel Boxes at Sacramento.

SACRAMENTO, Aug. 25.—The invasion of the betting ring by bookmakers, which had been threatening since the opening of the State Fair, occurred today, when three books "cut in." They did a lively business and had a shade the best of the guessing contest with the betting public. The betting ring took on new life and so liberal was the play that two additional books will be put on to-morrow. B. W. Cavanaugh of this city and Jack Atkins of San Francisco control the booking privilege, having guaranteed $8200 for the remaining nine days of the fair. The attendance was larger than yesterday. Summary:

First race, trotting; two-year-olds; purse $500:
Bellmont, b. f. by Zombro-Altmont (Durfee) 3 1 1
Ambush, br. c. by Zolock-Silknut (J. Sanford) 1 2 2
Athasham, b. f. by Athadon-Cora Wickersham (J. W. Zibble)..... 2 3 ds
Rey McGregor, b. f. by Rey Direct (A. L. McDonald)..... Dis
Time—2:20, 2:20½, 2:25.

Second race, special trot, 2:12 class; purse $500:
Briney K, b. g. by Strathmay (W. G. Durfee) 1 2 1 1
Ole, b. g. by Silas Skinner-Eveline (Quinn) 2 1 4 2
Red Skin, ch. g. by Red Cloak (J. C. Mosher)..... 3 3 2 dr
Liege, b. h. by Tobasco-Raven (J. Groom) ..... 4 4 3 dr
Time—2:11, 2:11, 2:15, 2:18¾.

Third race, running, five furlongs, handicap, purse $225—Lecturer, 112 (Vickery), 3 to 2, won; Adalcho, 112 (Henderson), 4 to 1, second; Grey Morn, 106 (Bozeman), 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:02. Derby Winner, Dave Ahern, Samar, Abbie A. and Amicus also ran.

Fourth race, running, five furlongs, purse $225—Nakana 105 Burlingame), 3 to 1, won; Innsbrouck, 107 (Bozeman), 2 to 5, second; Baltest, 107 (Henderson), 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:02. Torsola, Little Gun, Lafigaro, Red Roy and John Anderson also ran.

Fifth race, selling, seven furlongs, purse $225—Miss Culver, 106 (Crosswaite), 6 to 1, won; Dr. Shorb, 109 (Henderson), 3 to 5, second; Uppercut, 109 (Hazard), 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:27. Berendos, Theodora L, Thorndale, El Morro and Thaddeus also ran.

Tokalon, Favorite for Hawthorne Stakes, Beaten by White Plume.

Special Dispatch to The Call.

CHICAGO, Aug. 25.—A large crowd was present to-day to see the running of the Hawthorne stakes for three-year-olds at one and one-eighth miles. Some of the other races offered nearly as much interest, and as scratches were few one of the best day's sport of the season was witnessed.

Tokalon was always the favorite for the stake race, though 8 to 5 was obtainable nearly all the time, with Miss Crawford next in favor. Tokalon set all the pace and looked like a winner at the head of the stretch. White Plume joined issue with her at this point and in a hard drive beat her.

"Pa" Bradley's filley Ahola, which beat Big Ben and Clifton Forge at a long price a few days ago, proved in the third race that her victory was no fluke, as she beat a high class field at one mile. Summary:

FIRST RACE—Five furlongs; two-year-olds; purse:
Betting. Horse, Weight, Jockey. St. ¾ Fin.
6 to 1—Cutter, 110 (Helgesen)... 3 2 1 1 h
5 to 1—The Novice, 106 (Henry). 5 4 h 2 2
13 to 2—Capitanazo, 108 (Mountn) 4 3 h 3 1½
Time, 1:03. Start good. Won driving. Winner, J. A. Wernberg's b. f. by Gotham-Kenmore Queen. Michael Byrnes 108, Broadway Girl 115, Mary Eleanor 105, Petit Duc 108, Bannock Belle 105, finished as named.

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs; four-year-olds and up; selling:
Betting. Horse, Weight, Jockey. St. ¾ Fin.
12 to 1—Peter J, 104 (Morrison).. 2 1 1 1 h
8 to 5—S. Talbot, 103 (Nicol)... 1 2 5 2 4
12 to 5—Prin. Tulane,106 (Lwrnce) 3 3 h 3 1½
Time, 1:15. Start good. Won driving. Winner, Mrs. S. P. Rogers' b. g. (4) by Maxlo-Ladybug. Orfeo 107, Harney 107, Crestfallen 102, Mary McCafferty 97, Huachuca 110, finished as named.

THIRD RACE—One mile; three-year-olds and up; selling:
Betting. Horse, Weight, Jockey. St. ¾ Fin.
5 to 2—Ahola, 100 (Aubuchon)... 2 3 3 1 n
13 to 2—Bragg, 104 (Mountain)... 1 2 1½2 1½
16 to 5—Careless, 100 (Nicol)..... 4 1 1½3 2½
Time, 1:42 2-5. Start good. Won driving. Winner, R. Bradley & Co.'s br. f. (4) by Aloha-Mrs. Stuart. Gregor K 102, Huzzah 105, finished as named.

FOURTH RACE—One and an eighth miles; three-year-old fillies; Hawthorne Stakes:
Betting. Horse, Weight, Jockey, Start, ¾ Fin.
13 to 2—White Plume,117(Helges) 4 2 5 1 h
8 to 5—Tokalon, 122 (Nicol).... 1 1 2½2 2
9 to 2—Leila, 110 (Larsen)..... 3 4 1½3 n
Time, 1:55 1-5. Start good. Won driving. Winner, C. W. Moore's ch. f. by Order-Virginia Moore. Miss Crawford 122, Katie Powers 117, finished as named.

FIFTH RACE—One and a sixteenth miles; selling; four-year-olds and upward:
Betting, Horse, Weight, Jockey, Start, ¾ Fin.
18 to 5—Eth Wheat, 96 (Nicol) 3 1 2½1 4
9 to 2—Carat, 104 (Morrison).... 4 3 3 2 n
7 to 1—Hand Cross, 102 (Lawr) 5 2 h 3½
Time, 1:50. Start good. Won easily. Winner, H. McCarren Jr.'s ch. m. (6) by Pursebearer-Martha Birch. Niaxus 97, O'Hagen 101, Louisville 96, Rabunta 98, Sarilla 101, Goal Runner 103, finished as named.

SIXTH RACE—Five and a half furlongs; purse; two-year-olds:
Betting, Horse, Weight, Jockey, Start, ¾ Fin.
9 to 5—Flaxman, 117 (Prior)... 2 2 4 1½
18 to 5—Matador, 105 (Morrison) 3 1 3 2 h
11 to 10—Monte, 105 (Henry).... 1 3 10 3 20
Time, 1:09 3-5. Start good. Won driving. Winner, C. E. Durnell's b. c. by Rough and Ready-Mistral. Maxnar 105, Lady Fashion 102, finished as named.

HAWTHORNE ENTRIES.

CHICAGO, Aug. 25.—The races at Hawthorne to-morrow attracted the following entry:

First race, four and a half furlongs—Grace Elliott 110, Mart Gentry 110, Itch 110, Bass Wood 110, Siss Lee 110, Colonel Rupper 113, Pacifico 113, The Gadfly 113, Portsmouth 113, Togo 113, Baker 113, West Brookfield 113, Bonebrake 115, Dixie Andrews 115, Rainwitch 115, Ralph Reese 118.

Second race, one mile, selling—Royal Pirate 99, John E. Owens 101, Fading Light 102, Kilmorie 104, Sioux Chief 104, Tam O'Shanter 104, Allie Virgle 104, Marshalsea 106, Ethylene 109, Dr. Stephens 109, Inventor 114.

Third race, six furlongs, handicap—Peter Paul 104, Clifton Forge 106, Ananias 106, Fossil 110, Port Royal 112, Irene Lindsey 116, Big Ben 118, New Mown Hay 106. (New Mown Hay and Big Ben, Durnell entry.)

Fourth race, one mile, selling—Nannan 85, Berry Waddell 87, Watermelon 89, Golden Mineral 91, Dungannon 92, Maud Muller 96, Marco 98, Gloriosa 102, Mr. Farnum 103, Sweetie 105, Casava 105, Hainault 105.

Fifth race, five furlongs, selling—Lady Fashion 94, Lo Lo Mai 94, Devout 97, Swedish Lad 97, Bowling Butte 99, Lady Lasca 99, Useful Lady 99, Dundall 102, Janeta 102, Big Beach 105, Lillian Ayres 105, St. Denis 106.

Sixth race, seven furlongs—Fly Lady 104, Jusequa La 104, Eleata 104, Bernice 104, Tellfare 106, General Steward 106, Sallvate 106, Charlie Miller 106, Great Eastern 109, Baywood 109, Copper 109.

HAWTHORNE SELECTIONS.

By the Chicago Inter Ocean.

First race—Portsmouth, Ralph Reese, Bonebrake.

Second race—Dr. Stephens, Ethylene, Allie Virgle.

Third race—Durnell entry, Irene Lindsey, Peter Paul.

Fourth race—Golden Mineral, Sweetie, Gloriosa.

Fifth race—St. Denis, Useful Lady, Devout.

Sixth race—Bernfce, Baywood, Fly Lady.

Condition of the track—Fast.

Barney Schreiber's Colts Finish One-Two in the Missouri Futurity.

Special Dispatch to The Call.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 25.—The Missouri Futurity stake race to-day was a farce. Barney Schreiber's Tom Shelly and Woodlands, which ran one-two, were under double wraps all the way. J. B. Sheridan was the only other starter. The track was fast and the weather threatening. Attendance 4000. Summary:

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs; three-year-olds; Betting. Horse, Weight, Jockey. St. ¾ Fin.
7 to 2—Happy Chappie,105(How) 1 1 2 1 ½
80 to 1—Pinochle, 103 (Hernis)... 6 5 2 2 1½
30 to 1—St. Vitus, 105 (Lindsey) 5 2 1 3 n
Time, 1:16¼. Start good. Won driving. Winner, G. C. Baker's b. g. (4) by The Hero-Matilde R. Oudon 96, Eugenia B 91, Suave 93, Bensonhurst 105, finished as named. La Rouge 103, left at the post.

SECOND RACE—Five and a half furlongs; two-year-olds:
Betting. Horse, Weight, Jockey. St. ¾ Fin.
Even —Princess Orna,105(D.Aus) 4 1 4 1 3
7 to 1—Franco, 105 (Rice)..... 1 3 2 2 2
6 to 1—Kings Trophy,103(J.Dale) 3 5 6 3 5
Time, 1:09. Start good. Won easily. Winner, T. P. Hayes & Co.'s b. f. by Ornament-Princess Over. Anna Belle Lee 100, Erla Lee 105, A. Lady 100, My Eleanor 105 finished as named. Franco broke his leg 50 yards from the wire.

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs; three and four year olds:
Betting. Horse, Weight, Jockey. St. ¾ Fin.
4 to 1—Ed Ball 104 (Foley)..... 2 1 ½ 1 1½
3 to 5—J.W.O'Neill,102 (H.Andn) 1 2 5 2 12
75 to 1—Felix Mozzes,105 (Young) 5 4 3 3 1½
Time, 1:15. Start poor. Won easily. Winner, W. Mulkey's ch. g. (4) by Virgie d'Or-Niobe. St. Paris 105, Bird Pond 100, Claremont 105, St. Winnifride 107, Tanette 100, finished as named.

FOURTH RACE—Five and a half furlongs; two-year-olds; Missouri Futurity:
Betting, Horse, Weight, Jockey, Start, ¾ Fin.
*1 to 50—TomShelly, 120 (Otis).. 1 1 ½ 1 1½
*1 to 50—Woodlnds, 115 (H.And) 3 2 2 2 2
30 to 1—JBSheridn,107 (DAustn) 2 3 3
*Coupled in betting.
Time, 1:10¼. Start good. Won easily. Winner, B. Schreiber's