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PICK OF RACERS WILL MEET TODAY

Best Horses at Emeryville Clash in Christmas Handicap and Other Events

By JOSEPH MURPHY

The Christmas handicap, one of the feature events of the New California jockey club season, will be run this afternoon at Emeryville. A high class field of distance horses will go after the $2,000 purse, to be divided among the first three horses. There are nine racers entered, and at least six will go into the hands of Starter Jake Holtman.

The running of the Christmas handicap has in the past attracted the largest crowds of the seasons, and with good weather the banner crowd of the meeting should turn out today. Handicapper Nathanson has arranged an unusually attractive card along with the feature event. Every race should provide keen sport.

There are three handicaps and three selling events. The Motto handicap, over the futurity course for two year olds, brings out four of the best youngsters in training. It also marks the first appearance of the season of the highly touted two year old Pluvious, which proved to be one of the best youngsters on the eastern tracks. Pluvious has been kept in his barn on account of illness, but the colt now is well and sound, he has been working well, and the stable expects the youngster to show his true form when he starts today. Opposed to Pluvious will be Winning Widow, one of the speediest fillies turned loose here this season, the consistent winner, Pay Streak, and the speed marvel, Pawhuska.

HIGH CLASS SPRINTERS

The Geraldine handicap for sprinters at six furlongs should be a good contest. Arasee and Sea Cliff are entered, but they also are named to go in the Christmas handicap, and it is more than probable that they will start for the $2,000 purse. Even with them missing the race would be highly interesting, as Jack Paine, Enfield, Raleigh P. D., and other speed marvels will go.

The main interest centers in the running of the Christmas handicap, in which Bubbling Water meets the pick of the handicap division. It is the first time this season that the daughter of Colonel Wheeler has been asked to traverse a mile and a quarter, but the queen of the California turf seems to be able to go a distance as well as sprint. On acount of her immense popularity with the racegoing public, Molera and Joseph's entry likely will be favorite, even though she is asked to carry a heavy burden and meet a grand field of handicap horses. Chester Krum, E. Moyne's entry, also is immensely popular, and he will undoubtedly come in for big support, as he is nicely weighted with 110 pounds. Spellbound always receives support, and he appears to be one of the most likely horses entered. Arasee, if he starts in the feature attraction, is sure to get backing on his grand race Saturday, when he ran a mile in track record-time. Belfast, the crack two year old, has been qualifying for the event, and might prove the surprise. Endymion II is a very capable distance horse, as is Belleview.

LESSER JOCKEYS SHINE

Shilling's departure from Emeryville gave some of the lesser lights of the saddle a chance to shine during the week. Taylor, whose riding has been satisfactory, divided the riding honors of the week with Guy Garner, each of the boys having four wins to his credit. Glass, Archibald and Pickens were close up with three victories each.

The following is the record of the riders for the last week:

Garner	4	Fischer	2
Taylor	4	Mentry	2
Glass	3	Thomas	2
Archibald	3	McBride	1
Pickens	3	Callahan	1
Shilling	2	Page	1
Kirschbaum	2	W. Cotton	1
E. Martin	2	Riddle	1
Scoville	2		

The attraction Wednesday will be the Rey el Santa Anita handicap at a mile and 70 yards for all ages. The Candelaria handicap at five furlongs will be run Thursday, and Saturday many of the best horses on the coast will meet in the Briar Sweet handicap at seven furlongs.

E. L. Jones & Co., head the list of winning owners for the season with $3,370 to their credit. C. H. Widemann is second. The owners who have won more than $500 are:

E. L. Jones & Co.	$3,370	Chanticleer stable	890
C. H. Widemann	2,393	C. P. Lamar & Co.	880
W. Walker	2,382	W. Cahill	857
Molera & Josephs	2,175	G. Durker	825
Oakland stable	1,842	A. G. Blakelly	845
Early Wright	1,765	J. J. Umensetter	724
J. Schreiber	1,700	G. A. Robethan	715
Orange Vale stable	1,700	T. W. O'Brien	715
W. H. Travers	1,632	Charles J. Quinn	685
W. Gabriel	1,597	J. Tigue	670
E. G. Moyne	1,525	C. M. Polk	665
J. M. Crane	1,515	F. M. Hopper	630
M. C. Prichard	1,500	J. T. Strite	610
James MacManus	1,470	R. Frazier	581
H. A. Cotton	1,417	Henderson & Hogan	585
G. Bassett	1,330	Thompson & Rinehart	565
F. W. Doss	1,222	G. W. Berry	545
W. M. Cain	1,135	D. Dennison & Co.	530
Ontario Oregon stable	1,070	E. S. Paddock & Co	530
C. Pendarvis	1,080	C. P. Waterhouse	500
J. L. Brown	1,010	Oakwood stock ranch	500
F. D. Howard	1,000		
J. N. Camden	1,072		
Charles Lewis	957		

KING GEORGE LIKES BONNIE SCOTLAND

Balmoral Quite a Change for Royal Family

King George is as fond of Scotland as was his grandmother, Queen Victoria, before him, and, keen sportsman as he is, says the Gentlewoman, enjoys shooting and fishing nowhere so much as on Deeside. His children, too, are all devoted to Scotland, and it will be a great change for them, after having always stayed at Abergeldie, to be housed at Balmoral. The late king and queen did so much for the castle that it needs no putting in order. The brown and yellowish paint that disfigured the passages, yet satisfied Queen Victoria, was made to go, and Balmoral, all white, and rose, and green, the colors beloved in juxtaposition by Francis Bacon, and adopted by Queen Alexandra in many of her schemes of decoration, hardly knew itself.

During the first six months of 1910 the receipts of the government railroads of Chile were $5,126,692, against $4,667,482 for 1909, while the expenses for the same period for 1910 were $5,741,524, against $5,576,883 for 1909.

The receipts of the Chilean government for 1909 amounted to $51,711,155 United States gold, with an expense account of $56,180,977, leaving a deficit of $4,469,822 for the year.

The man who lives twice as fast as he ought to is apt to see double.

THE CALL'S RACING HANDICAP FORECAST

J. H. BARR—ADA MEADE—EMMA G.

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs; selling; 3 year olds and upward:

Index	Horse	Wt	Remarks
7771	J. H. BARR	105	Bad luck last race; good chance here.
(7548)	ADA MEADE	109	Probably the favorite and one to beat.
7783	EMMA G	100	Fast finisher; has a chance.
7771	Home Run	112	Last race not up to the standard.
(7763)	Burning Bush	109	Last race a sparkler.
7783	Biskra	109	Form good.
(7782)	Jeesup Burn	109	Right on edge.
7762	Bellsnicker	109	Form good.
7782	Swagerlator	109	Hardly good enough.
7729	Rimini	105	Has speed.
7710	Platoon	109	Hardly good enough.
7760	Combury	109	Been quitting in shorter races.

WINNING WIDOW—PAWHUSKA—PAY STREAK

SECOND RACE—Motto handicap; Futurity course; 2 year olds:

Index	Horse	Wt	Remarks
7713	WINNING WIDOW	99	The one to beat.
7761	PAWHUSKA	111	Distance just right.
7761	PAY STREAK	108	Figures close up.
6390	Pluvius	104	The class; first start; may need race.

ENFIELD—ARASEE—JACK PAINE

THIRD RACE—Geraldine handicap; six furlongs; all ages:

Index	Horse	Wt	Remarks
7774	ENFIELD	112	Bad luck in last race.
(7785)	ARASEE	105	Distance a trifle too short.
(7773)	JACK PAINE	107	Last race a sparkler.
7773	Sea Cliff	107	Can do it.
7773	Raleigh P. D.	—	Figures close up.
7784	Lord of the Forest	100	Hardly good enough.

BUBBLING WATER—SPELLBOUND—CHESTER KRUM

FOURTH RACE—Christmas handicap; purse $2,000; mile and a quarter; all ages:

Index	Horse	Wt	Remarks
(7713)	BUBBLING WATER	126	The one they will have to beat.
7749	SPELLBOUND	110	Looks to have the next best chance.
(7749)	CHESTER KRUM	110	A bulldog; will be fighting it out at end.
(7785)	Arasee	106	In grand form; distance appears too far.
7787	Belfast	88	A high class youngster.
7772	Endymion II	100	Clever distance performer; might surprise
7772	Belleview	102	This might be the day.
7773	Sea Cliff	107	Has failed to show form over a route.
7732	Fulletta	103	Appears to be outclassed.

DAHLGREN—BONNIE BARD—BOGGS

FIFTH RACE—One mile; selling; 3 year olds and upward:

Index	Horse	Wt	Remarks
(7751)	DAHLGREN	101	Fast and distance suits.
7786	BONNIE BARD	106	Races have been good.
(7774)	BOGGS	103	Rounding to his best form.
7787	Keep Moving	109	Can do it.
7751	Miss Picnic	98	Figures close up.
7786	Sir Angus	103	In good form.
7786	Elgin	103	Last race good.
7747	Young Belle	98	Might prove the surprise.
7738	Cabin	103	Distance and track suits.
7693	Quality Street	98	Recent races ordinary.
7760	Novgorod	100	Been running in sprints.
7708	Royal River	103	Looks to be up against it.

MADELINE MUSGRAVE—PROSPER—ANNE McGEE

SIXTH RACE—Six and a half furlongs; selling; all ages:

Index	Horse	Wt	Remarks
7784	MADELINE MUSGRAVE	109	Has an excellent chance to win.
(7733)	PROSPER	109	Last race a sparkler.
7748	ANNE McGEE	106	Figures very close up.
7771	Binocular	105	Showed speed in last start.
7746	Dacia	83	Fast.
7684	Pickaninny	83	Recent races below form.
(7771)	Dareington	112	Won last start.
7770	Cisko	80	Races have not been up to standard.
7735	*Tripping	78	Fast filly.
6779	Adena	103	First start.
7030	Hiacko	103	First start.
7747	Gretchen G	103	Done nothing.

*Apprentice allowance.

INJURY OVERTAKES JUAREZ RECORD

Clever Horse Beats Crack Field in 1:45 for Mile and a Sixteenth

JUAREZ, Mex., Dec. 25.—Amid the rousing cheers of 4,000 persons, Injury, a 6 to 1 shot, easily won the Navidad handicap, one mile and a sixteenth, at Terrazas park today, and in doing so made a new track record for the distance by stepping it in 1:45 flat. The best previous time was 1:45 1-5, made by Meadow last year. Harrigan came out early in the pace, but Injury gradually closed up and in the stretch he took command and won by a length from Cherryola, with the favorite, Polls, third. Two favorites won. Summary:

First race, 2 year olds, five and a half furlongs—Flying Wolf, 111 (Murphy), 3 to 5, won; Salali, 108 (Van Dusen), 5 to 1, second; Seth, 106 (Benschoten), 15 to 1, third. Time, 1:06 1-5. Fred Essen, Coed and Uncle Ben also ran.

Second race, selling, 3 year olds and up, six furlongs — Lena Lech, 111 (McGee), 3 to 5, won; Miss Caithness, 108 (Reid), 15 to 1, second; Lady Panchita, 104 (T. Smith), 3 to 1, third. Time, 1:13 4-5. Hidden Hand, Tom McGrath and Lady Quality also ran.

Third race, selling, 3 year olds and up, five and a half furlongs — High Culture, 102 (T. Smith), 6 to 5, won; Preen, 107 (Reynolds), 5 to 1, second; Antigo, 110 (McGee), 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:07 1-5. Bantronis, Deerfoot, Personalty, Thurbet, Pannel, Dave Montgomery, Ned Carmack and Senator Paynter also ran.

Fourth race, the Navidad handicap, value $2,000, all ages, one and a sixteenth miles—Injury, 110 (R. Wilson), 6 to 1, won; Cherryola, 109 (Mountain), 6 to 1, second; Polls, 111 (Murphy), 3 to 1, third. Time, 1:45. Jack Atkin, Green Seal, Harrigan, Round the World, Taboo and Helmet also ran.

Fifth race, selling, 2 year olds, six furlongs—Cat, 102 (Murphy), 4 to 5, won; Little Friar, 110 (R. Wilson), 3 to 1, second; Stalwart Lad, 107 (Benschoten), 7 to 1, third. Time, 1:13. Oblivion, Juarez, Vanity Fair and Count de Oro also ran.

Sixth race, selling, 3 year olds and up, one mile — Cobbleskill, 110 (Reid), 7 to 1, won; Barney Oldfield, 110 (Ganz), 3 to 1, second; Little Marchmont, 100 (Reynolds), 7 to 2, third. Time, 1:40 1-5. Vesme, Bonton, Col. Bronston, Tugboat, Puna and Ed Holly also ran.

JUAREZ ENTRIES

FIRST RACE—Five furlongs; selling:

*Union Jack	97	Belle Marchmont	102
Smiling Maiden	102	Ed Withers	105
Edna Perry	102	Lees Friar	105
Texan	102	*Lady Stalwart	105
Canapa	102	Aragonese	107
Agility	102		

SECOND RACE—One mile; selling:

Marcus	100	Cuban Boy	109
Acumen	100	St. Klida	109
Dave Montgomery	103	You Win	109
*List	104	McNally	109
Gunston	109	Irrigator	109
Misprison	109	Red Hussar	112

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs; selling:

Kyle	102	Alice George	107
Sixteen	102	Beau Man	110
Sainfox	107	Ellerd	110
Periwinkle	107	Clint Tucker	112
Gene Wood	107	L. M. Eckert	112
Flying Pearl	107	Joe Woods	112

FOURTH RACE—Seven furlongs; handicap:

Ocean Queen	92	The Pippin	105
Candleberry	92	General Marchmont	112
Colinet	102	Meadow	123

FIFTH RACE—Five and a half furlongs; selling:

Deadwood	102	Butterball	106
Commendation	104	The Hague	109
Lizie	104	Pit-a-Pat	111

SIXTH RACE—One mile; selling:

*Crossover	99	Bob Lynch	106
Short Order	98	Kopeck	109
Noon	100	Lucky Mose	110
Ramon Corona	102	John Louis	113
Harlem Maid	103		

*Apprentice allowance.

SMALLER THE COUNTRY LONGER THE ANTHEM

Would Take Half a Day to Hear San Marino's

A French statistician has been comparing the lengths of the national anthems of various countries, and he concludes that the smaller the state the longer the anthem. Thus "God Save the King" has only four verses. The "Boje Tsara Krant," the Russian national anthem, has six. The Siamese national anthem has 66, while that of Uruguay has 70. The Chilean anthem has 40. The little republic of San Marino has the national anthem the longest after China, and we read that to hear it from beginning to end would take half a day.

FINE SCORES MADE AT SHELL MOUND

Few Marksmen Compete in the Christmas Shoot, but Work Is Excellent

By WILLIAM J. SLATTERY

OAKLAND, Dec. 25.—There was only a small attendance of marksmen at the Shell Mound targets today, the majority of the shooters preferring the comforts of home on Christmas.

F. P. Schuster made the big score of 226 in the expert class of the San Francisco schuetzen verein and E. Hoffman captured the bullseye honors with a mark of 680. W. F. Blasse was an easy first in the bullseye shoot of the Germania schuetzen club, turning in the remarkable score of .10.

The indoor pistol team of the Shell Mound club will meet the Columbus, O., team Tuesday evening in a telegraph match, under the auspices of the United States revolver association. The Shell Mounds will tackle the Duluth, Minn., team the following Tuesday and on January 10 will meet the Smith & Wesson club of Springfield, O. Next Sunday will be an off day at the Emeryville targets, being New Year day.

Here are the scores made today:

San Francisco schuetzen verein monthly medal shoot—Expert class, F. P. Schuster, 226; champion class, George A. Pattberg, 212; first class, E. Doell, 180; third class, E. Hoffmann, 200; fourth class, A. F. Linge, 191.

Bullseye scores—E. Hoffmann, 680; L. Bendel, 680; F. Dellenbaugh, 918; O. Lemcke, 1008; J. de Wit, 1119; P. F. Schuster, 1218; H. Haber, 1245; G. A. Pattberg, 1467; F. C. Rust, 1904; E Doell, 2125; H. Bornholdt, 2165; D. Dunker, 2212; A. Linge, 2276; H. Luneberg, 2695.

Germania schuetzen club, bullseye scores—W. F. Blasse, 10; G. A. Pattberg, 277; E. Hoffmann, 300; H. Huber, 655; F. Dellenbough, 834; L. Bendel, 1080; M. Blasse, 1030; J de Wit, 1219; C. Bendel, 1159.

Norddeutscher schuetzen club—H. Huber, 428; D. Schwormstede, 605; O. Lemcke, 698; F. C. Rust, 728; F. Dellenbough, 795; H. Bornholdt, 898; H. Luneberg, 1405; E. Hoffmann, 1439; J. Siebe, 1495.

IRISH LACE MAKERS GET SMALL PAY

$3 to $10 a Week Is the Average Earnings

At the time of the Cork exposition in 1884 special attention was paid to the display of lace productions and care taken to point out the defects of workmanship and how to improve the workmanship, so as to bring about best results, reports Deputy Consul J. S. Armstrong at Cork. Since that time the Irish lace industry has been increasing in importance steadily, until at the present time it is the source of compensation to a large number of people in the poorer districts, where chances for earning a livelihood are scarce. Few of the girls who make lace can take it up as a constant employment, as the work is usually tedious and a severe strain on the eyes and, as a rule, it is engaged in as a sort of subsidiary occupation to farm and household work.

If the lace makers could work constantly, their compensation would vary from $3 to $10 per week in proportion to their skill; but, as it is, their remuneration is small. It is estimated that there are about 6,000 girls engaged in the lace making industry in Ireland. The majority of these do their work at home, in poorly lighted and uninviting quarters, very much out of keeping with the spotlessness required of the dainty fabrics which they produce, but there are a large number of peasant girls who work at convents under the supervision of nuns, whose workrooms are usually well lighted and suitably equipped. Most of the point lace of Youghal, Kinsale, and other centers is produced in these convents.

The girls who work independent of the convents usually make the lace under contract with dealers in Cork, Dublin, Queenstown, Belfast and London. Some of the smallest shop keepers keep as many as 100 girls at work for them, and buy up all they produce.

During 1909 there were 845,093 pounds of olives grown in Chile.

MATTY BALDWIN MAY FIGHT BURNS

Promoter Griffin at Outs With One Round Hogan and Manager Franey

By WILLIAM J. SLATTERY

There is liable to be a switch in the boxing card for next month if Promoter Jim Griffin keeps steering in the course that he mapped out as his Christmas present. The North beach magnate has taken it upon himself to frown temporarily upon One Round Hogan. This is the principal reason why he has been in daily communication for the last week with Matty Baldwin.

The fans perhaps will be a bit disappointed if they do not see their much heralded one round terror in action. Since he disposed of Frayne a week and a half ago in his first twenty round mixup, Hogan has been a very much discussed young man around San Francisco. Some of them have been knocking him for not stowing Frayne away, but the majority of the critics are of the opinion that Jack displayed all the necessary class in putting up the argument he did against a man of Frayne's experience.

But it is hard for any handler of boxing contests to give the public what it wants when it wants it. Griffin apparently has been unable to make his business talk sound like sweet music in the ears of either Hogan or Manager Walter Franey. An old time grudge still remains to be settled, and unless there is some action from the other end Griffin is laying his wires to bring Baldwin out to go against Burns.

BALDWIN A TOUGH ONE

Baldwin from all accounts is a pretty tough bird. None of them has ever beaten him decisively, though he has been against practically all the present day topnotch lightweights, with the exception of Wolgast and Hogan. Thus far Baldwin never has had any experience over the long distance route, though he should be fitted for it by now.

Baldwin is described as being a miller after the Wolgast type. He has the reputation of wanting to wade in and tear as hard as he knows how to tear. He went against Burns back in New Jersey some eight or nine months ago. The bout was a hair raising six round affair and honors were about even at the finish, though, as usual, each man claimed the decision.

Burns seems to be willing enough to go against either Hogan or Baldwin. The $1,000 which his manager, Jack Perkins, posted is still in the hands of Tom Corbett as a side bet for Hogan, but thus far Hogan has not seen fit to cover it.

"This bet will go just as soon as some promoter displays a willingness to stage the match," says Hogan's manager, Walter Franey. "We are perfectly willing to take Burns on, but we can not do any good till a promoter makes us an offer. I am open to talk business for a match with any of the lightweights, including Champion Wolgast, but I would be foolish to start till such time as some promoter makes me a proposition."

Williams May Try Out San Jose Pitchers

[Special Dispatch to The Call]

SAN JOSE, Dec. 25.—Frank Yates, formerly with the San Jose state leaguers, and Kanthelener, the Santa Clara college pitcher, have been recommended to Nick Williams, who will be the Portland manager, by Bobby Eager, former catcher of the Los Angeles Coast league club and now a local resident acting as a scout for the Portland Northwestern league team. It is probable that both will be signed to play with the Portlanders.

Williams is looking for some good talent among bush players, and will do well, according to local fans, to give both these lads a tria.

Kanthelener is a southpaw with a fine, fast ball, and Yates also has a nice, fast one in addition to his sharp curves. Yates was the junior member of San Jose's pitching staff, but is said to have shown a lot more than some of the older heads. He was as consistent a winner as any of the throwers, and was always ready for his turn on the hill. He has pitched winning ball for both Gilroy and Newman.

CARD MANUFACTURE A SPANISH SPECIALTY

Government Takes No Chances in Collecting Tax

The manufacture of playing cards is a Spanish specialty. The industry, like the paper industry, is well represented in this region. At Barcelona six firms manufacture playing cards, reports Vice Consul General William Dawson Jr. of Barcelona.

One local manufacturer makes all styles of playing cards, ranging from 18 to 240 cards to the pack, according to the games for which they are used. The regular Spanish deck, used for "tresillo," is composed of 48 cards. Cards are manufactured here for export, particularly to South America and former colonies. In 1908 Spain exported $140,000 worth of playing cards, of which $73,620 went to the Philippines, $16,550 to Cuba, $11,880 to Argentina, and $10,000 to Uruguay.

The Spanish government collects an excise tax of 30 centimos (about 5½ cents) on every pack of cards manufactured in Spain. It was formerly customary to affix a revenue stamp to the wrapper. At present, however, to avoid evasions of the law, manufacturers are compelled to send one card (usually an ace) out of every deck to Madrid, where it is stamped. It is stated that this system gives better results. This tax is remitted in case cards are exported.

The retail business in cards is falling off. This is attributed to the fact that clubs and casinos, which buy direct from manufacturers, sell their cards, while still in good condition, to cafes and individuals.

A syndicate of capitalists of Holland have sent two expert engineers into the country adjacent to Punta Arenas to make a study of the mineral resources of that part of Chile.

During 1909, 2,611,941 pounds of figs were grown in Chile, the greater portion in the provinces of Atacama and Coquimbo.

There are 6,743,052 acres of forests in Chile, located principally south of latitude 35 degrees south.

There were 7,142,718 pounds of cheese made in Chile during 1909.

WEST AND EAST WILL BATTLE ON GRIDIRON

SEATTLE, Dec. 25.—The Oak Park (Chicago) and Wenatchee high school football teams, neither of which has suffered defeat this year, are ready for the Christmas game, which is to be played on Denny field tomorrow. The Oak Park boys are fully rested from their tiresome trip two-thirds of the way across the continent. The teams are of equal weight, but the Chicago supporters expect to see the Oak Park boys carry their Washington opponents off their feet by the show of speed which made them winners in the east.

The Wenatchee rooters are equally confident and expect to see their apple fed warriors vindicate the big red apple of the Wenatchee valley as a food upon which to train football players.

Five hundred Wenatchee citizens are coming to the game on a special train, bringing with them a carload of apples, which they will distribute among the spectators. The game has attracted great attention in the Pacific northwest, as it will show the relative strength of the eastern and western high school fooball teams.

PING BODIE LEADS FAMILY TO VICTORY

Home Run Hitter Pitches Winning Game, Gets Two Bingles and Scores Twice

Six members of the Bodie baseball family celebrated Christmas by galoping away with a baseball game at the Presidio grounds. The victims of the Bodie household were the Clarions, the clever tossers who did such good work all season in the amateur ranks.

Ping Bodie, left fielder for the Seals, who was drafted by the Chicago White Sox, did the pitching for the "family team," and his brother Paul took 'em off the bat. Ping had plenty of speed and benders. He also did fairly well at the bat, making two runs and two hits, but Pitcher Dolan struck him out twice.

The Bodie aggregation hit the ball hard at all times, while their opponents were slow on the bases and could not make hits count. The score:

CLARIONS

	AB.	R.	BH.	PO.	A.	E.
Walsh, l. f.	3	2	2	1	0	1
Fusco, c.	3	0	1	11	2	0
Muller, c. f.	4	0	2	2	0	0
Dolan, 2b & p.	2	0	0	1	4	0
Pfeister, ss.	4	0	0	1	1	1
Schwab, 3b	3	0	0	2	1	0
Bye, 1b	4	0	0	8	0	0
King, r. f.	4	0	0	0	0	0
Garcia, p. & 2b.	4	2	0	1	2	0
Totals	31	4	5	27	10	2

BODIES

	AB.	R.	BH.	PO.	A.	E.
J. Bodie, l. f.	2	2	1	1	1	0
Kennedy, 1b	4	1	1	2	3	2
F. Bonns, 2b	5	0	0	9	0	0
D. Bodie, c. f.	4	3	1	8	1	0
P. Bodie, p.	4	2	2	0	4	0
G. Bodie, ss.	2	2	2	3	1	2
Paul Bodie, c.	5	1	2	1	0	0
A. Bonns, 3b.	5	0	2	3	0	0
L. Bodie, r. f.	5	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	36	11	12	27	10	4

RUNS AND HITS BY INNINGS

Base hits	1	0	1	0	1	0	2	0	0	—5
Clarions	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	—4
Base hits	1	2	1	1	2	3	1	0	1	—12
Bodies	1	1	2	0	3	3	0	0	1	—11

SUMMARY

Two base hits—P. Bodie, D. Bodie, Walsh (2). Sacrifice hits—Kennedy, F. Bodie. Stolen bases—Clarions 4, Bodies 3. Double plays—Dolan to Schwab; G. Bodie to F. Bonns. Wild pitches—Bodie, Garcia. Hit by pitched ball—Fusco, Schwab, G. Bodie. First base on called balls—Off Garcia 7, off Bodie 4. Struck out—By Garcia 3, by Dolan 5, by Bodie 8. Umpire—Finney. Scorer—Billy Brackett.

Midwinter League to Play Today

OAKLAND, Dec. 25.—The Oakland Commercial Midwinter baseball league will play the following games Monday morning and afternoon:

All Stars vs. Examiner team at Oakland carbarn grounds at 10 o'clock. Umpire, Eddie Morse.

Pierce hardware company vs. Company N at Oakland carbarn grounds at 2:20 o'clock. Umpire, Eddie Morse.

Owl team vs. Braley-Grotes at Melrose grounds at 1:30 o'clock. Umpire, Coy.

Santa Fe team vs. Enquirers at Melrose grounds at 2:30 o'clock. Umpire, Coy.

The league is composed of eight clubs.

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The protested game of last Sunday between the Pierce hardware team and the Examiner nine was played off this forenoon on the East Lake diamond and resulted in a verdict in favor of the hardware team. The latter won the game last Sunday but were found guilty of playing a professional at short, so were compelled to win a second time before the result could be given official sanction. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
Pierce Hardware	7	10	3
Examiners	5	15	5

Batteries—Storey and Colby, Twilger and Martin.

RAILWAY EXTENSION IN BRITISH INDIA

Businessmen Would Build Line From Hyderabad to Karachi

An effort is being made by the businessmen of Karachi to secure the sanction of the Indian government to the extension of the meter gauge railway from Hyderabad to Karachi. This railway now extends from Hyderabad, Sind, to Jodhpur, Rajputana, but through freight from Rajputana to Karachi does not use this line to any great extent on account of the necessary transfer at Hyderabad to the broad gauge, and the high charges of the broad gauge road for the short haul from Hyderabad to Karachi. It is believed that much larger trade will result between Rajputana and Karachi if this extension is allowed, and it would furnish Karachi with an additional line of communication with the interior, this being necessary on account of frequent damage to railway lines because of floods which occur during the wheat seasons. Communications have already been interrupted for three days during the present season, while three or four years ago all freight traffic with the interior was cut off for a period of 34 days.

There are 2,572,457 acres of irrigated lands in Chile and 2,169,360 acres that are susceptible of irrigation.

DRAW DOUBLES AT CALIFORNIA CLUB

Tennis Players Reach Semi-finals in Tournaments; Will Be Completed Today

The tennis players were out inforce yesterday at the California club and Golden Gate park. Both tournaments progressed nicely and will be completed today.

The Golden Gate club started a draw doubles, and as the best players did not draw together there were no walkovers.

Twelve teams entered an dthree of them worked their way to the semifinal round. J. Schwarz and George Janes will meet W. Marcus and J. A. Code in the upper half and Getz and Levenson will meet the winners of the Batkin and Jacquez vs. Swift and Berndt match in the lower half.

A majority of the matches played yesterday required the full three sets and several of them went to deuce.

Only one match was played at the park in the mixed doubles tourney, but this brings it to where it can be completed this morning.

Miss A. Meyer and C. Curley (owe 3-6) defeated Miss A. Greenberg and F. Adams (owe 15), 7—5, 6—1, and earned a place in the semifinals. Two other teams have reached this round. They are Miss B. Chase and C. Sparrow and Miss Baker and E. Berndt.

The results of the doubles matches follow:

First round—Marcus and Code defeated E. Reibeth and Whitney, 6—2, 5—7, 6—3; Kuechen and Bass defeated Curley and W. Tabor, 6—4, 7—5; aBtkin and Jacquez defeated Bass and Martin, 6—8, 6—4, 7—5; Swift and W. Barendt defeated U. P. Gladston and H. Allen, 6—1, 2—6, 8—6.

Second round—Schwarz and Janes defeated Henning and Adams, 6—0, 5—7, 6—2; Marcus and Code defeated Kuechen and Bass, 7—5, 6—2; eGtz and Levinson defeated Davis and Pyburn, 6—4, 6—4.

Eighteen players entered for the handicap singles tournament for the Troutt cup yesterday at the California club. At the conclusion of play the semifinals weer reached and W. Fottrell, E. Fottrell, George Cutter and eDitrick were left in to fight it out today.

A number of the matches went by default and others were one sided. Ruben Hunt, one of the scratch players, found that 40 was rather a heavy handicap to allow, and after losing the first set to W. Dwight at 12—10 he decided to give up and defaulted.

The results of the matches played were as follows:

W. Dwight (40) defeated R. Hunt (scratch), 12—10, default.

First round—E. Thirket (30 3-6) defeated Lieutenant Ward (30), 6—3, 6—1. W. Fottrell (15 3-6) defeated E. D. Lederman (15), default; W. Dwight (40) defeated J. D. Lederman (30 3-6), default; G. Cutter (15) defeated W. G. Knowlton (15), default; M. Lillienthal (15 3-6) defeated S. Lillienthal (15), 9—7, 6—2; B. Deitrick (30 3-6) defeated R. Toyy, default; A. Rosenberg (scratch) defeated J. Cassell (15), 6—4, 2—6, 6—3; E. Fottrell (scratch) defeated J. Goodfellow (15), default.

Second round—W. Fottrell defeated Thirkell, 6—1, 12—14, 6—0; Cutter defeated Dwight, 6—0, 7—5; eDitrick defeated M. Lillienthal, 6—2, 6—3; E. Fottrell defeated A. Rosenberg, 6—4, 6—4.

NEWFOUNDLANDERS ARE HARDY SET OF MEN

Environment Adapts Them to All Labor

The adaptability of Newfoundlanders is remarkable, and has been attested by all concerns employing them for the most varied pursuits. Living as they are in isolated settlements, around a wide stretch of seaboard, and obliged, by reason of this condition, to rely upon themselves almost wholly, they have become, as a result of environment and heredity, capable of marked proficiency in any kind of handicraft, with a minimum of training. They are (says Canada) fishermen, farmers, miners, navvies and factory hands in turn, and as each new enterprise takes shape in the colony men are speedily and easily trained to perform the necessary tasks incident to its maintenance.

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ENGLISH SOCCER TEAM BEATS SCOTS

Hard Fought Battle Won by the Rose, but Thistle Is Close Behind

By BOB SHAND

The rose triumphed over the thistle at Freeman's park, Oakland, yesterday afternoon, when the English soccer players scored a 3 to 2 victory over the sons of Caledonia. It was one of the hardest fought soccer battles of the season and attracted a banner crowd.

The English team scored a goal from a penalty kick after 12 minutes' play, Jackson putting the ball in the net. The penalty was awarded for Selkirk fouling Garvie while the latter was making his way toward the goal. Jackson made it two for the Englishmen a few minutes later after a piece of perfect teamwork participated in by Walters and Pike. Pike brought the ball down the wing and crossed to Walters, who poked it into the goal where Jackson was waiting. McFarlane had no chance to stop the ball and the English rooting section gave vent to its enthusiasm.

The "hoot mons" broke into the score column after half an hour's play, when Goal Keeper Clements missed an easy bounding shot sent in by Davidson, and shortly before the interval the Caledonians tied the score after the prettiest play of the game. Scott sent a beautiful cross to Carswell and the other thistle man drove the ball into the net. Aitken was on the goal line with the best intentions of assisting, but his services were not required. It was two apiece at the interval.

Aitken missed a glorious opportunity to put the Scots in the lead five minutes after the resumption of hostilities. "Billy" had the ball all by himself 20 yards from the goal, but he missed the mark by inches. After this narrow escape the Englishmen returned to the attack and Jackson notched a pretty goal from a scrimmage. The Scotchmen began to take the game seriously toward the finish, and McLaughlin missed the goal by a couple of inches with a rocket shot. Swain fouled Carswell within the penalty area, but the referee granted the Scots simply a free kick, although the Caledonians were penalized more severely when Selkirk used overly strenuous methods earlier in the game.

Perkins and Jackson were the bright particular stars of the English team, the former doing the work of three men in the halfback line. Jackson's shooting ability got all three goals for the winners. Gates, Pike and Swain also played well. Selkirk played a fine game for Scotland and was ably assisted by Hunter. The halfbacks were all good, and McLaughlin and Aitken starred in the forward rank. The teams:

England—Clements, Gates, Swain,