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HADDOCK WAS A FAILURE

Eight Runs Earned Off His Pitching By the Browns.

SENATORS STARTED OFF WELL

They Knocked Clarkson Out of the Box in the First Inning, but They Failed to Connect With the Deceptive Delivery of Breitenstein, the Southpaw Twirler.

Results of Yesterday's Games.

BALTIMORE, 9; CHICAGO, 3.
BOSTON, 10; LOUISVILLE, 9.
NEW YORK 14; PITTSBURG, 3.
CLEVELAND, 8; BROOKLYN, 0.
ST. LOUIS, 10; WASHINGTON, 7.
PHILADELPHIA, 6; CINCINNATI, 2.

The Championship Record.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Baltimore..	75	36	.676	Pittsburg...	54	56	.491
Boston.....	72	39	.649	Chicago.....	50	61	.450
New York..	73	40	.646	Cincinnati..	47	64	.423
Phila'phia..	63	47	.573	St. Louis...	46	66	.411
Brooklyn...	60	50	.545	Wash'ton...	38	74	.339
Cleveland..	55	53	.509	Louisville...	32	79	.288

FIRST LOST TO ST. LOUIS.

Von Der Ahe's Aggregation Won a Short Game from the Senators.

Pitcher Haddock and Umpire Betts made their first appearance in this city yesterday afternoon in the game between Washington and St. Louis. The former was hit hard and at opportune times, and, although he made a single and a double, he could not win his initial game.

Mr. Betts umpired in a very impartial manner, and the several close decisions were rendered in a very creditable manner, although considerable kicking was indulged in.

The home team began with a rush, but the pace was too fast, and they were beaten out after having knocked Clarkson out in the first inning. But when the German Southpaw went into the box they were only able to score one run in the remaining five innings. At the end of the fifth inning the Senators wanted the game called, but Umpire Betts thought differently. Then the Browns blanked the Washingtons and scored four runs. Then after the Senators had been blanked in the seventh the game was called, notwithstanding the protest of Capt. Joyce.

The Senators scored six runs in the first inning by Shiebeck and Joyce going to first on balls, Hassamer's sacrifice, Ward's triple, McGuire's single, and doubles by Selbach and Haddock. In the third McGuire made a holiday home-run hit over to left field fence.

Cooley started with a hit in the Browns' half of the first, and, after Ely went out on a fly, Miller got four balls. Connor was safe at first on Miller's out at second. Quinn then singled, Shugart made a triple, and Peitz hit safely, four runs being scored.

Miller hit safely in the third and came home on Connor's four baser over the right field fence. In the sixth Haddock was hit for a double by Peitz and singles by Cooley, Ely, Miller, and Connor. He also gave Breitenstein his base on balls. Four earned runs were made. The score:

WASHINGTON.	B	H	PO	A	E.	ST. LOUIS.	B	H	PO	A	E
Shiebeck, ss	1	0	2	3	0	Cooley, rf...	2	3	3	0	0
Joyce, 3b...	1	0	0	1	0	Ely, ss.....	1	1	3	1	1
Hassamer, rf	0	0	0	0	0	Miller, c.....	1	1	4	2	0
Ward, cf....	1	1	1	0	0	Connor, 1b..	2	2	8	0	0
Maguire, c	2	3	3	1	0	Quinn, 2b...	1	1	1	3	0
Selbach, lf.	1	2	3	0	0	Shugart, cf..	1	1	1	0	0
Carv'w't, 1b	1	0	8	2	0	Peitz, 3b....	1	2	0	0	0
Radford, 2b	0	0	1	2	1	Hogan, rf....	0	0	1	0	0
Haddock, p	0	2	0	0	0	Br'tnst'n, p	1	0	0	3	0
Total...	7	8	18	9	3	Total.....	10	11	21	6	1

Washington	6	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	—7
St. Louis	4	0	2	0	0	4	x	x	—10

Earned runs—Washington, 4; St. Louis, 8. Home runs—McGuire and Connor. Three-base hit—Ward. Two-base hits—Selbach, 2; Haddock and Peitz. Sacrifice hits—Hassamer and Hogan. Stolen bases—Shribeck, Cooley and Quinn. First base on balls—Off Haddock, 3; off Clarkson, 3; off Breitenstein, 4. Left on bases—Washington, 5; St. Louis, 3. First base on errors—Washington, 1; St. Louis, 2. Wild pitch—Haddock. Struck out—By Breitenstein, 3. Double plays—McGuire, Shiebeck and Cartwright; Quinn, Ely and Connor. Time—2 hours. Umpire—Mr. Betts.

Comiskey's Chaps Again Lost.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 4.—Philadelphia won from Cincinnati to-day in a game that was interesting and well contested throughout. Attendance 2,430.

	R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	6	11	1
Cincinnati	2	6	1

Batteries—Taylor and Clements for Philadelphia; Wittrock and Merritt for Cincinnati.

Earned runs—Philadelphia, 2; Cincinnati, 2. Two-base hits—Turner. Three-base hits—Turner. Stolen bases—Hamilton, Thompson and McPhee. Double plays—Cross, Hallman and Boyle. Firt base on balls—Off Taylor, 4; off Wittrock, 3. Hit by pitched ball—Hamilton, Clements and Latham. Struck out—By Taylor, 1; by Wittrock, 2. Passed ball—Merritt. Wild pitche—Wittrock. Time—1 hour and 50 minutes. Umpire—Mr. Emslie.

Hemming Pitched Winning Ball.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 4.—Hemming made his first appearance in Oriole colors and did well. Attendance, 3,400.

	R.	H.	E.
Baltimore	9	11	6
Chicago	3	10	1

Batteries—Hemming and Robinson for Baltimore; Terry and Schriver for Chicago.

Earned runs—Baltimore, 5; Chicago, 2. Two-base hit—Brodie. Three-base hit—McGraw. Home run—Reitz. Stolen bases—McGraw and Dahlen. Double plays—Reitz, Robinson and Jennings; Keeler, Dietz, and Jennings. First base on balls—Off Terry, 6; off Hemming, 3. Hit by pitched ball—Keeler. Struck out—By Terry, 2. Passed ball—Robinson. First base on errors—Chicago, 1. Left on bases—Baltimore, 8; Chicago, 10. Sacrifice hits—Wilmot and Jennings. Time—1 hour and 50 minutes. Umpire—Mr. Keefe.

Couldn't Hit Pitcher Cuppy.

BROOKLYN, Sept. 4.—Four badly scattered hits from off Cuppy's pitching virtually tells the tale of the Brooklyn's defeat by the Spiders at Eastern Park this afternoon. Attendance, 650.

	R.	H.	E.
Brooklyn	0	4	3
Cleveland	8	12	0

Batteries—Stein and Dailey for Brooklyn; Cuppy and O'Connor for Cleveland.

Earned runs—Cleveland, 8. First base on errors—Cleveland, 2. Left on bases—Cleveland, 9. Bases on balls—Off Stein, 3. Struck out—By Stein, 2. Three-base hit—Cuppy. Two-base hits—Childs (2), McKean and O'Connor. Sacrifice hits—McKean and G. Tebeau. Stolen bases—Burkett and G. Tebeau. Time—1 hour and 44 minutes. Umpire—Mr. Lynch.

Louisville Pitchers Were Wild.

BOSTON, Sept. 4.—Boston won from Louisville to-day in seven innings of wild pitching. Attendance 1,625.

	R.	H.	E.
Boston	20	17	4
Louisville	11	14	3

Batteries—Hodson, Stivetts and Ganzel for Boston; Wadsworth, Knell and Grim for Louisville.

Earned runs—Boston, 8; Louisville, 4. Two-base hits—Stivetts, Nash and Brown. Three-base hits—Lutenberg. Home run—Grim. Stolen bases—Ganzel and McCarthy. Double plays—Lowe and Ryan; Gilbert, Richardson and Zahner. First base on balls—Stivetts, Ganzell, Lowe, Nash (2), Long, McCarthy, Duffy, Bannon (2), Lutenberg, Clark (2), and Nichol. Struck out—Ryan, Duffy, Knell, Zahner and Gilbert. Passed ball—Grim. Time—2 hours and 25 minutes. Umpire—Mr. Hurst.

Won by Heavy Hitting.

NEW YORK, Sept. 4.—The New York and Pittsburg teams indulged in a heavy hitting and poor fielding game at the Polo grounds to-day in the presence of 2,500 people.

	R.	H.	E.
New York	14	19	6
Pittsburg	13	15	5

Batteries—Meekin and Farrell for New York; Menefee and Sugden for Pittsburg.

Earned runs—Pittsburg, 6; New York, 10. First base on errors—Pittsburg, 5; New York, 2. Left on bases—Pittsburg, 8; New York, 8. First base on balls—Off Menefee, 2; off Meekin, 1. Struck out—By Menefee, 1. Home run—Meekin. Three-base hits—Burke, Fuller, and Meekin. Two-base hits—Smith, Stenzel, Tiernan, and Ward. Sacrifice hit—Bierbauer. Stolen bases—Hartman and Menefee. Double plays—Ward, Fuller, Doyle (2), Donovan, and Sugden. Time—2 hours and 23 minutes. Umpire—Mr. McQuaid.

FAVORITES RIGHT IN LINE.

All Five Races at Alexander Island Won by First Choices.

When the bookmakers quit business after yesterday's races at the Island track they realized several crimps had been put in their bank rolls, as five favorites won off the reel. An investigation is being made into the running of the horse Brooklyn, and Jockey O'Brien will very likely be ruled off, not only for his riding of Brooklyn, but also for suspicious work on Tioga and Needmore. Summaries:

How the Horses Ran.

Track good.

439 First race—Selling. Four furlongs. Purse, $120. Time, 0:51¼.

Ind.	Horse and wt.	St.	¼	St.	Fin.	Jockey.
366	Little Charlie, 94	4	8½	2h	1¾	King.
436	Pr. Rhelda, 94	2	1n	3¾	2½	O'Brien.
414	Cloverdale, 94	1	2n	1h	3¾	Davis.
154	Upstart, 104	3	4	4	4½	Johnson.
364	Little Captain, 94	5	5	5	5	Neary.

Fine start. Won cleverly.

Betting—Little Charlie, 1 to 2; Princes Rhelda, 5; Cloverdale and Upstart, 6 each, and Little Captain, 20.

440 Second race—Five furlongs. Purse, $120. Time, 1.03.

Ind.	Horse and wt.	St.	¼	St.	Fin.	Jockey.
427	Belle Bikb'n, 105	2	2	2h	1½	Johnson.
434	Mollie Penny, 105	4	1½	1½	2½	Davis.
439	Needmore, 105	1	3	3	3h	O'Brien.
430	T. Brophy, 105	3	4	4	4	Donnelly.
419	Poverty, 105	5	5	5	5	Parson.
423	Flagrant, 105	6	6	6	6	Clare.

Good start. Won driving.

Betting—Belle Blackburn, 1 to 2; Mollie Penny, 5; Needmore, 5; Tommy Brophy, 4; Poverty, 15, and Flagrant, 15.

441 Third race. Six and one-half furlongs. Selling. Purse, $120. Time, 1:23¾.

Ind.	Horse and wt.	St.	¼	St.	Fin.	Jockey.
437	Some More, 99	2	3h	2n	1n	Murphy.
421	Mattie Chun, 93	1	1n	1½	2¾	Neary.
427	Hemet, 98	4	4	4	3h	King.
(425)	Tioga, 99	3	2½	3¾	4	Donnelly.

Good start. Won driving.

Betting—Some More, 4 to 5; Mattie Chun, 2; Hemet, 50, and Tioga, 5.

442 Fourth race—Six furlongs. Selling. Purse, $100. Time, 1:17.

Ind.	Horse and wt.	St.	¼	St.	Fin.	Jockey.
416	A. C. D., 90	5	4	1n	1f	Murphy.
410	Clara Bell, 90	1	1f	2½	2½	O'Brien.
417	Headlight, 95	6	6	5	3l	Neary.
427	Lento, 95	4	5	4	4	McKnight.
422	Phil Daly, 90	3	3h	3½	5	Davis.
428	Aunt Jane, 95	7	7	7	6	King.
404	W. Huntress, 90	2	2f	6	7	Donnelly.

Fair start. Won easily.

Scratched—Vocalite, 90, and Psyche, 90.

Betting—C. O. D., 1 to 2; Clara Bell, 10; Headlight, 12; Lento, 8; Phil Daly, 8; Aunt Jane, 20, and Wild Huntress, 7.

443 Fifth race—Five furlongs. Selling. Purse, $120. Time, 1:03¾.

Ind.	Horse and wt.	St.	¼	St.	Fin.	Jockey.
425	Meadows, 95	3	1½	1f	1n	Murphy.
(414)	Senator Hill, 88	2	2	3	2ft	Davis.
424	Mirthwood, 93	4	4	4	3½	King.
401	W. C'm'b'll, 106½	5	5	5	4	Casey.
422	Flyaway, 88	1	3	2h	5	Neary.

Fair start. Won easily.

Betting—Meadows, 1 to 4; Senator Hill, 5; Mirthwood, 15; Walter Campbell, 200, and Flyaway, 6.

Card for To-day.

First race—Five furlongs.

Index.	Horse.	Wt.	Index.	Horse.	Wt.
385	Jim Fagan	105	434	Selah	105
430	Verbia	105	384	Eddie M.	105
438	Martel	105	433	Jim Lamb	105
426	Llewellyn	105	408	Pottowatt'mie	105
377	Mollie Davis	105	442	Aunt Jane	105
414	Prince Albert	105	440	T. Brophy	105
436	Nemo	105	434	Snap	105

Second race—Four furlongs.

Index.	Horse.	Wt.	Index.	Horse.	Wt.
—	Jolly Boy	97	428	Theckla filly	94
(360)	Monte Carlo	100	413	Somage	97
407	Stella colt	106	(428)	Cicada	97
(294)	Miss Doloris, f	101	420	Miss Modred	100

Third race—Seven furlongs.

Index.	Horse.	Wt.	Index.	Horse.	Wt.
421	Ponce de Leon	101	398	Annorean	107
(411)	Daybreak	104	(430)	McKeever	107

Fourth race—Six furlongs.

Index.	Horse.	Wt.	Index.	Horse.	Wt.
(412)	Queen d' Or	90	440	R. Blackburn	95
407	Senator	95	441	Hemet	90
430	Dr. Helmuth	90			

Fifth race—Five furlongs.

Index.	Horse.	Wt.	Index.	Horse.	Wt.
(436)	Little Charlie	114	422	Rebecca	108
424	Lum	109	248	Lithograph	109
418	Bird Minstrel	109	426	G. of Gloucst'r	108
—	Benvolio	111	424	Gardner	117
384	Criterion	114	440	Flagrant	114
433	Florist	111	409	White Star	109

Selections.

First race—Jim Lamb; Pottowattomie.
Second race—Somage; Miss Doloris filly.
Third race—Ponce de Leon; McKeever.
Fourth race—Belle Blackburn; Senator.
Fifth race—Rebecca; Criterion.

Results on the Running Turf.

At Sheepshead Bay: Derfargilla, Candelabra, Figaro, The Commoner, Vold, and Havoc. Entries for to-day:

First race—Futurity course. Melba, 119; Rubicon, Ed Kearney, and Prig, 116 each; Flirt, Harrington, and Florence, 113 each.

Second race—Futurity course. Magnetism colt, Favora colt, Dr. France, Midstar, and Emma, 115 each; Nicolini, Canterbury, Mirage, Lobengula, and Major McLaughlin, 111 each, and Emulate filly and Louise, 108 each.

Third race—One mile. Selling. Beldominio, 105; Ingomar, 104; Speculation and Sandowne, 103 each; Judge Morrow, 101; Arab, 100; Copyright and Anna, 98 each; Sam Bryant and Chiswick, 97 each; Shadow, 94; Clementina, 92; Jim Lee and Terrapin, 87 each, and Sarcasm, Zoulika, and Clarius, 84 each.

Fourth race—One mile and an eighth. Handicap. Yo Tambien, 118; Roche, 117; Faraday, 114; Dobbins 111; Saragossa, 107; The Pepper, 104, and Hornpipe, 90.

Fifth race—One mile and three-sixteenths. Sir Walter, 122; Banquet and Yo Tambien, 119 each; Henry of Navarre and John Cooper, 112 each.

Sixth race—Three-quarters of a mile on turf. Partridge stakes. Lissak, 112; Harry Reed, 107; Owlet, Monotony, and McKee, 105 each, and Lucania, 103.

At Latonia: Innocent, May Bee, Plutus, Selika, Simon W., and Miss Lilly. Entries for to-day.

First race—Selling. Seven furlongs. Clintie C., Remorse, Oxford, Boro, Guilty, Dolly Withers, W. L. Munson, Tasco, Press Conley, and Promenade, 102 each, and Tenny jr., Jersey, Henry Jenkins, and Say On, 105 each.

Second race—One mile and twenty yards. Portugal, 97; Velocity, Fraulein, and Camella, 102 each; Al Boyer, 105; The Governess, 107, and Michel and Ely, 110 each.

Third race—Nine furlongs. The Spook, 99; Llewellyn, 99, and Eli, 103, (coupled); Peytonia, Lake Shore, 102; Ida Pickwick, 121.

Fourth race—Three year old fillies. Mile. Zophilie, Amanda P., Charity, Lindolette, Alethia Allen, 104 each.

Fifth race—Maiden two-year-old colts. Five furlongs. Prairie and Electric Light, 104 each; Debosis, Sandoval, Bob Tucker, Parisan and Shanty Bob, 107 each; Bellagio, 109, and Bookie, 112.

Sixth race—Maiden two-year-old colts. Five furlongs. Insomnia, Bee Boy, Jack Bradley and Col. Allen, 104 each; Jacob Litt, Whiff, Crumbaugh, My Dutch and John Nealis, 107 each.

At Hawthorne: Jack Gore, Little Cripple, Debracey, Glee Boy, Miss Mattie, Imp, Welcome, and Argenta. Entries for to-day:

First race—Six furlongs. Shadrach, Icilius, and Gateway, 106 each; Little Tom, Fagin, Margaret Ann, and Alice C., 103 each; Satellite, Red Wood, San Gabriel, Repeater, and St. August, 112 each; Asben, 103; May Hart, Jim T., Leader, The Shark, and Warsaw, 109 each, and Normanda, 107.

Second race—One and one-sixteenth miles. Sull Ross, 110; Debracy, 105; Linda and Wildwood, 108 each, and Patrick, 104.

Third race—One mile. Fakir, Janus, and Eagle Bird, 106 each; Tip, Billy McKenzie, and Abbess, 97 each; Climax, 103; Enthusiast, 109; Governor Pulmer and Freddie L. T., 100 each.

Fourth race—Seven furlongs. Lulu T. and Hymn, 98 each; Prince Regent and Highland, 104 each; Young Arion and Tyro, 112 each; Rey Del Mar, 117; Simrock, Willie L., and Wahatchie, 107 each, and Rico, 109.

Fifth race—Six furlongs. Occula, Coria, and Dejure, 97 each; Tom Sayres and Capriv, 103 each; Wells Street, Chenoa, and Woodfield, 104 each; Dick Behan, 108; Leonas Last, 101, and Tremor, 100.

Sixth race—Six furlongs. Golda, Princess Lorraine, and Japonica, 109 each; Danton, Sir James, Dolsie Dimple, Silver Bill, Florence Dickey, Fullerton Lass, and Idyle, 103 each; Bismarck, Good Day, and The Hero, 112 each, and Kingsclere, 113.

Seventh race—One mile. Florry Myers, 97; Buck McCann, 106; Onyx, 103; Palmetto, 110; Paulus, 97; J. W. Brooks, 97; Craft, 103; Vanzant, 106; La Gascon, 97; Eli Kindig, 103; Encoria, 103; Virden, 103, and Snowball, 107.

Trotting and Pacing Results.

At Fleetwood Park—2:18 trot: Ralph Wilkes won, best time 2:15¼. 2:14 trot: Fanny Wilcox won, best time 2:12¾. 2:40 trot: Redbud won, best time 2:16¾.

At Indianapolis—2:45 two-year-old pace: Marietta Wilkes won, best time 2:19¼. 2:20 pace: T. N. B. won, best time 2:12¼. 2:30 pace: Harry K. won, best time 2:16¼. 2:16 trot (unfinished): Alzeppi, Piletta, and Nina Medium each won a heat and Don Cubit two heats.

Many Others Think Likewise.

EDITOR TIMES: I desire to call attention to the grand array of THE TIMES Chapel the neatness and uniform appearance of which was to my eye the O. K. of the parade.
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GERMANS GAINING FRIENDS.

Delay in Deciding the Pythian Ritual Question Is Favorable to Them.

In the Pythian supreme lodge interest still centers about the German ritual and liquor questions. The former will probably be disposed of first, and is being thoroughly discussed from every point of view. At present it seems to be an evenly balanced fight, but the German Knights are slowly but surely gaining friends. The subject will not come up for consideration until the latter part of the week, and during the interval there are many private arguments among members of the supreme lodge, and it is thought such discussion will add strength to the Germans.

The friends of the Germans say that those lodges already organized and chartered twenty years ago with the German ritual should not be required to abandon it at this time. They say further that when the Knights of Pythias, as an organization, was in eminent danger of disintegration the Germans came to the rescue and were permitted to form lodges, with the distinct understanding that the ritual should be used in their lodges. It is wrong and unjust, says these friends, that when the order is strong and prosperous an attempt should be made to annul the German charter. It is also claimed that the resolution adopted at Kansas City, providing that the ritual should be printed in English only, was carried by underhand parliamentary methods.

When the committee's report is brought up for consideration there are sure to be some sharp and unpleasant exchanges of words, and both factions will make desprate efforts to carry their respective points.

Under a special order the supreme lodge yesterday considered the new code of statutes for the Uniform Rank. The consideration was continued until late in the afternoon, and will probably be the principal business of to-day's session. The new code was prepared by a committee, of which Gen. Carnahan is chairman, and provides for the substitution of rifles in place of swords. This provision is objected to on the ground that it conflicts with the militia laws of the United States. The new code, with amendments, may be adopted to-day.

At the morning session yesterday a resolution was adopted authorizing the supreme keeper of records and seals to have printed a suitable memorial volume containing the addresses delivered at the memorial services in honor of Past Supreme Chancellor Shaw.

A petition from the grand lodge of Louisiana asking that the suicide clause inserted in the beneficiary Endowment Rank certificates be stricken from the by-laws as it injures the growth of the rank, was presented. The Louisiana grand lodge also asks that the board of control be ordered to discontinue the additional assessment of 5 cents a thousand, and that a suitable symbol be prepared so that a distressed Knight may make his want known beyond the sound of his voice.

The supreme lodge rank has been conferred on Past Grand Chancellor Hoskins, of Wisconsin. An invitation was received from the Indianapolis Board of Trade inviting the supreme lodge to hold its next session in the Hoosier capital.

In speaking yesterday of the results of the encampment, Major Gen. James R. Carnahan, commander-in-chief of the Uniform Rank, said: "The encampment in Washington has done the Pythian army a great deal of good. The Knights have had an opportunity to see the capital of their country and thus increase their patriotism. Naturally the camp takes on more or less of a picnic feature, but over and above this it was a grand success. The encampment stimulates the boys to acquire perfection in drill, and the effect is such that it continues during the interval between the meetings. We were much pleased with your city and hope you were equally well pleased with us."

The Cyclometer Winner.

This is the portrait of Mr. A. E. Benjamin, who was the lucky man to win the cyclometer offered by THE TIMES for the person whose solution of the missing word in the bicycle contest was first drawn. Mr. Benjamin is the window dresser at Saks & Co. Curiously enough his answer of the problem was the second to be received at THE TIMES office on Sunday, although, as previously explained, the time when the coupons were received cut no figure in deciding the contest.

Miscellaneous Sporting Notes.

Senators and Browns again this afternoon.

The three League leaders won again yesterday.

J. H. Gheen, of this city, will be a judge at the Pimlico trotting races to-day.

The Rockville, Md., fair begins to-day, and it promises to eclipse all previous affairs.

Owing to another accident to the Vigilant's center-board the American yacht will not compete for the Cape May cup.

Clifford (122) and Domino (112) will race to-morrow, one mile, for a purse of $5,000, at Sheepshead Bay track.

The crack pigeon shots of this country, of England, France, Belgium, Germany, and Holland are planning to arrange an annual international match.

C. J. Hamlin, owner of Robert J., says the latter can pace two seconds faster than his record of 2:03¾, made at Fort Wayne.

Mike Kelly and his ball team failed to appear at Erie yesterday and Umpire Snyder gave the game by forfeit to Erie.

Miss Tilley Ashley of Hartford, and Miss Rose Mosentheim, of St. Louis, have been matched to row one and one-half miles. The race will probably be rowed on Lake Whitney in New Haven.

Congressman Bryan's Speeches.

THE TIMES has secured a limited number of copies of Congressman Bryan's speeches, and will furnish them to readers of THE TIMES at 25 cents per single copy, or five copies for $1. They cover all the great questions now before the people—tariff, silver, income tax, election of Senators by the people, anti-option, etc. Call at office of THE TIMES and bring a copy of this notice. au10-tf

UNCLE SAM'S PENSIONERS

Scenes About the Agency When Quarter Day Comes Around.

COME WITH BREAK OF DAWN

Maimed Old Veterans Exchanging Reminiscences of Tented Field and Battle—Widows and Orphans Anxious for the Stipend—Sharps and Harpies Laying for Them.

An interesting, instructive, and, in some of its aspects, melancholy spectacle might have been witnessed by any philosophical observer whose wanderings yesterday morning chanced to lie in the direction of the United States pension agency, Fourth and F streets. Long before dawn the gardens and streets contiguous to the locality were the bivouac of a motley but orderly crowd, whose members were bent upon a common object, viz, the earliest possible acquisition of the quarterly pensions granted by Uncle Sam to some thousands of war-worn veterans, resident in the States of Delaware, Maryland, Virginia and the District of Columbia, whose lives had been risked and whose limbs, in many instances, had been shattered in their struggles with Mexican, Confederate or frontier foes.

As the gray light of a warm September morning broke over the massive pile of the Pension Office, a long line of old soldiers, of various hues and nationalities, but comrades all in desire, in soul and in reminiscence, began to form. One end of the line was at the door of the Pension Agency on Fourth and F streets, but in the dim and uncertain early luminosity it was difficult to estimate the extent of the file without walking along its entire length. On careful inspection the thread of expectant pensioners was found to extend around the corner of the agency office, and in a compact formation to a point beyond Fourth and E streets, where it broke off into groups of six or more maimed, lame, half blind and whole.

The array was eloquent with armless sleeves, legless trousers, crutches, and other evidences of individual sacrifices for the nation's weal. Now and again a subdued, cheery voice would be heard in such greetings as "Hello, comrade!" or "Ah, there, chummy!" and ancient friendships would be renewed and revived to the accompaniments of hearty handshakes and kindly smiles.

ALL SORTS OF PEOPLE THERE.

The attire and general appearance of the pensioners was as varied as their physiognomies. There were well-to-do looking men in broadcloth and silk hats, and shabby wights in torn, shoddy and tattered fustian; college graduates and department clerks with spotless shirts and faultless neckties, and unlettered laborers with heelless shoes and no neckties at all; prosperous store-keepers with gold watches and of aldermanic physical proportions, and pale, thin, consumptive totterers whose hectic countenances unerringly foretold the near cessation of their pilgrimages to the pension agency. On the opposite sides of the streets on which the applicants for the national bounty were ranged surged an equally motley multitude of that element which is always eager to pounce upon and fleece the poor quondam warriors so soon as the latter should have received from the busy clerks the financial recognition of a grateful country.

A striking feature of the morning's proceedings was the constant arrival and departure of parties of widows and orphans, to whom were handed Treasury checks for pensions due in respect of deceased husbands and fathers. Most of these ladies were neatly and becomingly dressed, and their sedate manner was in marked contrast with the rollicking and cheery, though quiet humor of the general crowd, with which they did not mix or communicate. Other women there were anxious-eyed, and in some cases tearful wives, mothers, daughters, sisters, and sweethearts, mounting guard over the dear relative or lover, and ever ready to lead him away with kindly word and embrace from the scene of temptation, or at any rate to make sure by accompanying him in his search for quenchment of the matutinal thirst, that such quenchment should not proceed to an unmanly or humiliating extremity.

In this connection it is right to note that there are at least three kinds of resort to which the pensioner, after receiving his pension, repairs in order to cash his check in the very common event of his not possessing sufficient patience to wait until the doors of the Treasury open at 10 a. m. eThse are the second hand clothing stores—whose proprietors send their agents to wheedle him into purchasing very inferior habiliments at very superior prices, the low rum shops, at which he is not only heavily mulched in the price of his drinks, but is also charged from five to fifty cents for the privilege of getting greenbacks in exchange for his check, and a better class of taverns and restaurants, at which he will be cheerfully accommodated, so far as the cashing is concerned, without being pressed to indulge his drinking propensities any further than may be absolutely within his own volition.

MONEY QUICKLY COME, QUICKLY GONE.

But, whatever may be the prospective merits of these aids to the spending of his money, the fact remains that the poor pensioner is frequently as hard up within twenty-four hours of receiving his check at the agency as he was when he took his place in the long line of expectants. Such remarks as the following were painfully numerous yesterday morning: "Last time Sam drew his money he had nothing left by midnight." "All Jim'll have when he's paid the grocer, and the rent, will be $9, and if his wife gets that she'll be lucky." "I'm a pensioner myself, and know how these things are. There's Mike Hanlon, he owes me $17 for board, but I can't find him, and I'll never get a cent of my money if he gets among these harpies round here."

A very conservative estimate seemed to be that about three-fifths of the pension receivers would have little or nothing left by Thursday of what they drew from the government yesterday morning. So, to take an optimistic view of the matter, let us be thankful for the other two-fifths. Conspicuous among this minority were an old fellow who was wounded in the arm at Antietam, and who, responding to the blandishments of a sartorial gentleman, said: "No; I got stuck like sheol at a store where they pretended to sell clothes cheap, and I'm through with you ——;" and another, of Pennsylvania renown, who, in reply to the observation, accompanied by a slap on the back, that "Tom" was waiting to invite him to take a drink, retorted, "You tell Tom to go to thunder; I had more than enough of him and his drink the last time I saw him here." "That's right," ejaculated a grizzled old son of Ham, "oh, how often have I seen de downward co'se; pension; women; drink o' whiskey; treat; robbed; a—ll gone!"

And so the thin, irregular, motley line of black and white, of blind, halt, and lame, moved slowly on until some 1,500 or 2,000 heroes of the tented field, who had fought valiantly for the great republic, had received their quarterly meed of Uncle Sam's money.

He Pursued Assassin Booth.

CHICAGO, Sept. 4.—Gen. David Clendenin, of Oneida, Ill., is lying at his home dangerously ill. He was colonel of the Second Cavalry U. S. A., and is now retired. He attracted considerable attention as a commander in the chase after assassin Booth, and was a member of the commission that sentenced Mrs. Surratt. His son, Surgeon Clendenin of the Army,