

OVER IOWA PRAIRIES

The Message to "Bloody Bridges" Waits is Now Speeding.

NOW NEARLY TWENTY-FOUR HOURS

Ahead of the Schedule—Delayed By Illinois Sand Roads Yesterday. Pittsburgh Defeated By the Colonel—Martin's Ferry Wins Again.

SPRINGFIELD, ILL., August 9.—The relay bicyclists arrived here at 7:12 this morning, nineteen and a half hours ahead of time.

JACKSONVILLE, ILL., August 9.—The Washington-Denver bicycle relay passed through this city at 9:27 this morning, twenty hours and ten minutes ahead of schedule time.

BURLINGTON, IOWA, August 9.—The Washington-Denver relay race reached Roseville, Ill., at 4:40 p. m. today and passed Gladstone, Ill., at 9:30.

BUFFALO, N. Y., August 9.—Hamlin's handsome young four-year-old mare, Fantasy, reduced her record to-day in an exhibition mile, paced by a runner.

A FOOT BALL LEAGUE

Organized at Steubenville—A Field Day to be Held in Wheeling.

STREUBENVILLE, O., August 9.—Out of the meeting of representatives of the Y. M. C. A. Associations of the Ohio Valley and vicinity, which was held here Wednesday evening, came the organization of the Tri-State Foot Ball League.

C. C. Mitchell, of Martin's Ferry, was chosen president and John Ferguson, of Beaver Falls, secretary.

The Field Day.

Among the towns that will be represented at the Field Day here are McKeosport, Pittsburgh (central), Pittsburgh (East End), Beaver Falls, Butler, Grove City, Washington, East Liverpool, Steubenville, Martin's Ferry and Wheeling.

Persons who wish to contest in any one of those can do so, also for any one in the pentathlon class.

Tallenders Do 'Em Up.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., August 9.—Hemming's effective pitching and timely three-base hit in the ninth inning won the game for Louisville.

Table with 3 columns: Team, Score, and other statistics.

Merritt luffed for Gumbert.

Earned runs, Louisville 2. Two base hits, Stenzel and Mack. Three base hits, Brown, Pfeifer and Hemming.

Jennings' Fine Work.

BROOKLYN, August 9.—The Brooklyn and Baltimore played together for the last time this season at Eastern Park today.

Clay Was Not in It.

CHICAGO, August 9.—The Colts and Yods finished their series to-day and split even.

Hallman's First Play.

BOSTON, August 9.—Young Hodson made his debut as a member of the Boston club to-day and to say that he covered himself with glory is but mildly expressing it.

tering hit. Hallman in the sixth, in running down Hodson between second and third bases, deliberately threw the bat to the ground, and for a few minutes it looked as though there might be trouble but outside of cat-calls and blases Hallman's bad playing was soon forgotten.

Weak at the Bat.

WASHINGTON, August 9.—The Senators played an errorless game to-day, but were lamentably weak at the bat.

Base Ball Notes.

Brook Brown, who became very sick while playing at Martin's Ferry on Saturday, joined the Martin's Ferry club at Barnesville yesterday.

The Kirkwoods challenge any club in the Ohio Valley under twenty years of age for a game Saturday, August 11, at 2 o'clock, on the Bridgeport ball park.

A large crowd witnessed the game on the Martin's Ferry Y. M. C. A. grounds yesterday between the Hiiwatha and High school clubs.

Twelve Home Runs.

BARNESVILLE, O., August 9.—The game this afternoon was another victory for Martin's Ferry.

A Game Arranged.

At last a game has been arranged between the Mozart ball club, of this city, and the Gallahers, of Moundville.

YO TAMBLEN FAILED

To Justify the Expectations of Her Admirers at Saratoga.

SARATOGA, N. Y., August 9.—Yo Tambien made her first appearance to-day and she was made the favorite over Merry Monarch in the second race.

Old Dominion won all the way in the first race with Chattanooga, the favorite in the place.

The steel works will close down today because of a shortage of metal, but will run part of next week, all of it if material can be had.

How's This!

We offer One Hundred Dollars reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

WARREN WEATHER IS DROWN.

SOME MERCHANTS would have you believe that trade enters a condition of torpidity about July 1, and remains so till the cool days of September wake it to life and activity again.

AT JEROME PARK.

DAILY AMERICA a Top Heavy Favorite Won Easily—The Other Races.

NEW YORK, August 9.—At Jerome Park to-day the opening race promised to be interesting, but four out of nine were scratched and Daily America was a top-heavy favorite.

Stononelle took the lead and kept it to the stretch when Simms gave Daily America his head and he came in and won easily.

In the second race two out of the eight were scratched and the Magnolia colt was made favorite.

First race, one mile—Daily America, 107 (Simms), 3 to 5, won by three lengths; Stononelle, 99 (M. Bergen), 10 to 1, second by two lengths; Annie Bishop, 110 (Hamilton), 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:45.

Second race, five furlongs—Magnolia colt, 110 (Hamilton), 8 to 5, won by two lengths; South Side, 113 (Doggett), 2 to 1, second by four lengths; Herolmer, 103 (Simms), 2 to 1, third. Time, 1:33.

Third race, one and one-sixteenth miles, selling—Jolan, 107 (Doggett), 7 to 5, won by a neck; Fitz Matt, 93 (Carter), 24 to 1, second by two lengths; Galloping King, 110 (Littlefield), 3 to 1, third. Time, 1:33.

Fourth, six furlongs, selling—Cockade, 107 (Doggett), 3 to 5, won by three lengths; Metropolis, 107 (Simms), 8 to 1, second by one length; King (old), 105 (Bergin), 12 to 5, third. Time, 1:17 1/2.

Mic Mac Queen, 107 (Doggett), 8 to 1, second by half a length; Melody, 110 (Littlefield), 8 to 5, third. Time, 1:16 1/2.

For Ten Thousand Plunks.

COWS, ILL. OF WONT, August 9.—Mr. Gould has declared informally at the Royal Yacht Squadron castle that he is willing to sail three races against the Britanna for a prize of \$10,000.

MARTIN'S FERRY.

Haps and Mishaps in the Thriving City Across the River.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Newland and daughter, Miss Maud, are entertaining Mrs. E. G. Fisher, of Canton, Ohio, and Miss Ella Robinson, of Brainard, Minn.

Mr. George Chandler, who arrived home on Monday from Chicago to attend the funeral of his father, will return to-day.

Squire Alec Humphreys, of Mt. Pleasant, slipped on a corn cob while leading a colt on Wednesday and broke his left leg below the knee.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Van Pelt and son left last night on a two weeks' trip, including Chicago, Omaha, Neb., Lansing and Muskegon, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Henderson and daughter, Emma, and Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Black leave to-day for the Hollow Rock camp ground.

A hay wagon party of ten couples went out to the home of Miss Laura McCue in the country last night and had a good time.

Miss Maggie Ralston has returned from Dayton, accompanied by Mrs. Rev. E. C. Simpson and daughter.

The Martin's Ferry young people camping at Bass Island like the place and report a good time.

Mrs. W. F. Chaffin, of Toledo, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Clark, on North Fourth street.

Mrs. Joseph N. Frazier and Miss Marcia Schofield went to Epworth park yesterday.

Last evening Mrs. Fred Muegge and Mrs. George Horcher returned from Germany.

The estate of the late Mrs. G. A. Greenfield was appraised yesterday.

Misses Lizzie Belle and Kate Suaver have returned from Cincinnati.

Mrs. Nathan Vale, of Wellsville, is the guest of Mrs. G. W. Twoody.

Mrs. William Davis is visiting at Sharon, Pa.

BELLAIRE.

All Sorts of Local News and Gossip from the Glass City.

The window glass manufacturers demand 40 per cent reduction from the blowers.

James Wilson was pretty badly used up by being hit by a moving freight car on the Cleveland, Lorain & Wheeling railroad.

A noble county man announces that he got seventy cents a bushel for his wheat by turning over one hundred head of hogs into a nine-acre field before cutting it, and then selling the hogs.

Bellaire people are congratulating themselves that the worst of the hard times for this locality seems to have passed.

The steel works will close down today because of a shortage of metal, but will run part of next week, all of it if material can be had.

Three neighboring Sunday schools held a union picnic at Clover hill yesterday, just west of town.

S. O. Cummins left yesterday for an extended trip through Canada and along the lakes.

Miss Lucy Davis entertained a number of friends at her home on Gravel hill.

The next county teachers' institute will be held at Epworth park.

John L. Schilling went to Parkersburg yesterday.



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