

# NEWS OF SPORTING WORLD

Mud Interferes with the Favorites—Records Broken at Olympic Games—Baseball, Boxing, Racing.

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## FAVORITES FARE BADLY IN THE MUD

### MIMO THE VAGABOND CHOICE TO CATCH THE TALENTED COIN AT IRVINGTON—HERBERT RODE THREE HORSES TO VICTORY IN HARD RACES—RESULTS OF DAY.

A fair-sized Monday crowd witnessed the mudraks perform in a satisfactory manner yesterday afternoon at Irvington. The rain of Saturday night and Sunday gave the course a good soaking and it had the effect of beating every favorite excepting Mimo in the fifth race, and Mimo came near losing to Matreux, having but a short head to spare.

The rain did a splendid service by clearing the atmosphere as the track, as it was almost impossible to distinguish the colors of the jockeys across the field, on account of the heavy mud that had piled up for the past three weeks.

Yesterday's going was not the kind that the talent appreciates, and consequently the said talent had a bad day.

In the first event Lady Myrtle showed her heels to the bunch, including Dr. Long, Rim Rock, Bee Rosewater and several other good ones, and in a beautiful finish won by a head to spare.

Lady Myrtle opened at 10 and closed at 5 and a goodly number had the tip on her and peddled down the coin.

The record race was another surprise and Educate was the 9 to 1 shot to get the money. Sir Douglas was the sure thing given over, and Denali was looked for to place, but Herbert rode Educate right through the mud and after taking the lead at the half, was never challenged and won by a good three lengths.

War Times, at 15 to 1, got a poor start, and although boxed in several times, ran a perfect race and, if the distance were a mile, Kent would have given Herbert a close call for honors.

As it was, War Times finished second, while Denali showed ten lengths in front of Sir Douglas.

Gancho, Decoy and Dug Martin upset the talent again in the third race by letting Herbert bring July Gyp home a safe winner. July Gyp had had several races at Irvington and hasn't been able to do anything that would warrant his master in thinking that he was a fortune maker.

However, July Gyp ran last just long enough and yesterday Sunday day for him and he was again acted in fine fashion. Credit for his winning must necessarily go to Herbert, who gave his mount a perfect handling.

July Gyp closed at 6 to 1 and several of the wise ones decided to take something, were rewarded for their patience by seeing their horse gallop in.

T. Stewart rode Montoya to a popular victory in the fourth race and received a ovation as he returned to the judges stand. Vince was looked upon as a cinch, but Fitzpatrick couldn't keep him in the going, as he was bleeding from the mouth. Montoya, however, got away fourth and Stewart rode him for dear stand. Vince was looked upon as a cinch, but Fitzpatrick couldn't keep him in the going, as he was bleeding from the mouth.

After waiting all day for a favorite to land first money, the talent began to get distracted and decided to take a plunge on Mimo in the fifth event. Mimo opened at 8 to 5 and closed at 6 to 5 and was heavily laden with the coin of the realm. The talent wanted to get even and thought Mimo the best medium.

Fitzpatrick took his mount away in the lead and kept him there to the wire and finished a head in front of Matreux. Another stride would have taken a plunge on Mimo in the fifth event. Mimo opened at 8 to 5 and closed at 6 to 5 and was heavily laden with the coin of the realm.

Herbert won his third race of the day, on the Duke of Richelieu in the last race of the day, a mile and 80 yard event. Lucilla was touted as a sure winner unless she dropped dead, but the only thing that dropped was the money of the backers.

Thatcher led the bunch, excepting Richelieu and Claidator, wide at the stretch. Herbert handled the Duke cleverly and the victory can be directly attributed to Herbert's generalship. Summary:

First race, five and one half furlongs, selling—Lady Myrtle, 105 (J. Hughes), 5 to 1; won; Rim Rock, 105 (G. Gruwel), 7 to 1; second; Dr. Long, 110 (T. Stewart), 3 to 1; third, Time, 1:12.

Second race, six and one half furlongs, selling—Educate, 105 (Herbert), 9 to 1; won; War Times, 110 (Holbrook), 15 to 1; second; Denali, 113 (H. Smith), even; third, Time, 1:23 1/2.

Third race, one mile, selling—July Gyp, 105 (Herbert), 10 to 1; won; Decoy, 95 (Kent), 7 to 1; second; Gung, 95 (F. Hogg), 11 to 1; third, Time, 1:45 1/2.

Fourth race, five and one half furlongs, selling—Montoya, 105 (Stewart), 5 to 2; won; Phil Crimmins, 105 (E. Smith), 5 to 1; second; Murat, 105 (Holbrook), 5 to 1; third, Time, 1:13 1/2.

## WORLD'S RECORDS BROKEN AT FAIR

### FLANNAGAN SMASHES HIS OWN RECORD IN THE HAMMER THROW AND EWET DISTINGUISHES HIMSELF IN THE STANDING BROAD JUMP—SUMMARY OF THE DAY.

(Journal Special Service.) St. Louis, Fair Grounds, Aug. 30.—The first day of the Olympic games at the fair saw two world records smashed, three Olympic records lowered and one Olympic record equaled. It was a great day for the athletes of all nations and a gala one for the Americans.

John Flannagan, of the Greater New York Athletic Association, broke the Olympic record for the 16-pound hammer throw. His distance was 145 feet 1 inch, 9 inches more than his mark made at the Revival Olympic games held in Paris four years ago.

Ray Ewey, of the New York A. C., broke the world's record for the standing broad jump of 11 feet 4 inches, raising it seven-eighths of an inch. The summary of the day's contests is as follows:

180-yard handicap event—John S. Runge, Berlin, Germany, 10 yards; first; J. P. Packman, Montreal, scratch; second; F. C. Roth, Los Angeles, 15 yards; third. Time, 1:58 3/4.

500-yard handicap event—John S. Runge, Berlin, Germany, 10 yards; first; J. P. Packman, Montreal, scratch; second; F. C. Roth, Los Angeles, 15 yards; third. Time, 1:58 3/4.

100-meter run—Harry Hullman, New York Athletic Club, first; Frank Walter, M. A. C., Milwaukee, second. Time, 1:13 1/2.

200-meter run—Harry Hullman, New York Athletic Club, first; Frank Walter, M. A. C., Milwaukee, second. Time, 2:35 1/2.

400-meter run—Harry Hullman, New York Athletic Club, first; Frank Walter, M. A. C., Milwaukee, second. Time, 5:45 1/2.

800-meter run—Harry Hullman, New York Athletic Club, first; Frank Walter, M. A. C., Milwaukee, second. Time, 11:55 1/2.

1,600-meter run—Harry Hullman, New York Athletic Club, first; Frank Walter, M. A. C., Milwaukee, second. Time, 23:45 1/2.

3,200-meter run—Harry Hullman, New York Athletic Club, first; Frank Walter, M. A. C., Milwaukee, second. Time, 47:35 1/2.

6,400-meter run—Harry Hullman, New York Athletic Club, first; Frank Walter, M. A. C., Milwaukee, second. Time, 94:35 1/2.

12,800-meter run—Harry Hullman, New York Athletic Club, first; Frank Walter, M. A. C., Milwaukee, second. Time, 187:35 1/2.

25,600-meter run—Harry Hullman, New York Athletic Club, first; Frank Walter, M. A. C., Milwaukee, second. Time, 374:35 1/2.

51,200-meter run—Harry Hullman, New York Athletic Club, first; Frank Walter, M. A. C., Milwaukee, second. Time, 747:35 1/2.

102,400-meter run—Harry Hullman, New York Athletic Club, first; Frank Walter, M. A. C., Milwaukee, second. Time, 1494:35 1/2.

204,800-meter run—Harry Hullman, New York Athletic Club, first; Frank Walter, M. A. C., Milwaukee, second. Time, 2988:35 1/2.

409,600-meter run—Harry Hullman, New York Athletic Club, first; Frank Walter, M. A. C., Milwaukee, second. Time, 5976:35 1/2.

819,200-meter run—Harry Hullman, New York Athletic Club, first; Frank Walter, M. A. C., Milwaukee, second. Time, 11952:35 1/2.

1,638,400-meter run—Harry Hullman, New York Athletic Club, first; Frank Walter, M. A. C., Milwaukee, second. Time, 23904:35 1/2.

## RECORD LOWERED FOR PACING MARES

### Providence, R. I., Aug. 30.—Dartel lowered the world's record for pacing mares without a pacemaker in front here yesterday, making the mile in 2:02 1/4.

Grand circuit summary at Narragansett Park: 2:18 trot, purse \$2,000, 2 in 5 heats—Aristo won three straight heats in 2:13, 2:10 1/4, 2:12 1/4.

2:06 pace, purse \$1,500, 2 in 3 heats—Nathan Strauss won two straight heats each in 2:04 1/4.

2:13 trot, purse \$1,000, 2 in 3 heats—Munroe won two straight heats in 2:13 1/4, 2:10 1/4.

2:20 pace, purse \$2,000, 3 in 5 heats—Morning Star won three straight heats in 2:06 1/4, 2:10 1/4, 2:07 1/4.

At Harlem. Chicago, Aug. 29.—Harlem summary: Six furlongs—The Mighty won; time, 1:12 1/4.

Steepchase, short course—Golden Link won; time, 3:35.

Junior handicap, six furlongs—John Smulski won; time, 1:13 3/4.

Mile and 70 yards—Anasias won; time, 1:43 3/4.

Mile—Dalvay won; time, 1:40 2/5.

Six furlongs—Bear Catcher won; time, 1:13 3/4.

Mile and 70 yards—Alma Dufour won; time, 1:46 1/5.

At Sheephead Bay. New York, Aug. 30.—Sheephead Bay summary: Five furlongs—Princess Rupert won; time, 1:12 1/4.

Selling, mile—Klickshaw won; time, 1:40.

The Autumn maiden stakes, 4 1/2 furlongs—Woodward won; time, 0:59 4/5.

The Flying harness, six furlongs—Broomstick won; time, 1:13 3/4.

Six and a half furlongs—Belle of Portland won; time, 1:20 3/5.

Handicap, mile and a furlong, on turf—Outcome won; time, 1:54.

At St. Louis. St. Louis, Aug. 30.—Fair grounds summary: Six furlongs—St. Agnes III won; time, 1:15.

Six and one-half furlongs—R. Q. Smith won; time, 1:21 1/4.

Five and one-half furlongs—Selling—Braden won; time, 1:07 1/4.

Six furlongs, handicap—Ed Ball won; time, 1:14 1/4.

## FOOTBALL CAPTAINS LOOKING OVER MEN

### EASTERN COLLEGE PLAYERS WILL SOON REPORT FOR THE GRIDIRON SEASON—PRINCETON SUFFERS THE LOSS OF SEVERAL WORTHY STARS—OTHER NOTES.

(Journal Special Service.) New York, Aug. 30.—The devotees of football are beginning to set up and take notice. It will not be many weeks before the squad will report for duty and the work of selecting the young warriors who will defend their college colors on the gridiron will be in full blast.

Harvard and Yale have set the day for their squads to report. It is September 13 in both cases.

Captain Hurley and Worthington, the head coach for Harvard, have already held several conferences to map out the campaign. According to the former, several crack "prep" players are coming to Harvard next autumn, among them Starr, the quarterback from Groton school, and who is counted upon to make his mark in the college.

Princeton is anticipating more or less trouble in getting a team which can keep up the pace set by last season's champions.

Princeton lost by graduation six veteran football warriors—De Witt at right guard, Reed at center, Robinson on Clava, the hurdlng fullback; Ralph Davis, the All-American left end; Howard Henry, right end, and Vetterlein, who filled the position of quarterback.

With these men out of the game it will be the hardest kind of a problem to fill the vacancies. No one knows what the entering freshman class will develop, but as soon as the men are called out for practice, the managers of the class will be made and every man that looks like a football player will be urged to don the moleskin and try for a place on the team.

The entering class will number about 100, and it is expected that the school will watch closely for promising material.

Although old Nassau has lost some mighty good football material she has a first-class nucleus for a winning team left.

Cooney, who fills the position of left tackle, is one of the strongest players on the gridiron, and it will be remembered that he made a creditable showing against Hean of Yale last year. Harold Short, who holds the pivotal position, is another who fills his place well.

Herbert Dillon, as left guard, proved the equal of Bloomer and Caplan in his position and should be equally good this fall.

Capt. Walter Fouke, the right halfback, is, without exception, the fastest back on the gridiron today and it is his intention to gather about him a team with speed and weight combined.

The other big colleges have not yet taken formal steps toward organization, but they will do so within the next week or two.

BASEBALL AT THE BREAKERS. The married and the single men who are guests of the "Breakers" met at Long Beach, California, last Saturday and played a game last Saturday which resulted in a victory for the single men by the score of 11 to 10.

Score by innings: Married men... 0 1 1 1 0 2 2 0—10 Single men... 3 0 1 0 2 0 1 4—11 Batteries—E. Cotter and W. Cotter for the benedicts, and L. Johnson and F. Johnson for the bachelors. Struck out by Johnson 15; by Cotter 15. Bases on balls by Johnson 5; by Cotter 4. Double plays, Aronson to Preston. Umpire, W. Wheeler.

in America some 30 years or more ago, when Messrs. Parnell and Biggar were only beginning to be heard from as dissentients in the party under the leadership of Isaac Butt, when Lord Beaconsfield was still Mr. Disraeli, when the Irish church was not yet disestablished, when Lord Randolph Churchill had not yet been heard of and when the Irish agitation in England was marked by the tragic incidents of Manchester and Clerkenwell. Such is the starting point from which the present convention will begin its line of action, but just what direction that action will take none of the prominent participants cares to say.

The delegates to the convention number nearly 1,000 and represent every large center of population from Maine to California. At the formal opening today a rousing welcome was accorded to the Irish parliamentary delegation, consisting of John E. Redmond, Patrick O'Brien, A. J. C. Donelson and Conor O'Kelly. Among the prominent Irish-Americans of New York who were seated on the stage were Congressman Bourke Cockran, Archbishop Farley, Recorder John W. Goff, Gen. James R. O'Brien and Police Commissioner William McCaDo.

HANGS FOR MURDER CAUSED BY 80 DRINKS Walker, Minn., Aug. 30.—The execution of William Chouard in the Cass county jail today is the first execution on record to take place in this state on a day other than the customary Friday. Chouard killed his wife at Cass lake last winter after drinking 80 glasses of whisky.

CALIFORNIA DAIRYMEN. Sacramento, Cal., Aug. 30.—A strongly organized state association is expected to result from the conference of dairymen in session at the state fair today. The conference is attended by prominent dairymen from nearly every section of the state. The first work of the projected organization will be to introduce a number of bills relative to cattle and dairy interests, with a view to presenting them at the next session of the state legislature.

NORTH CAROLINA VETERANS. Asheville, N. C., Aug. 30.—Asheville gave a royal welcome today to the many Confederate veterans and their friends who arrived for the annual state reunion. Every portion of the state is represented among the visitors. Entertainment features occupy this afternoon and address the business sessions of the annual parade will take place tomorrow.

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