Spokane Falls to Pieces; Portland Wins, 7 to 4.

#### THREE MEN SCORE ON ONE PLAY

Thrown Bull Hits Zeigler, With Disnatrous Results to Visitors-Good After the First Inning.

NORTHWEST LEAGUE. Yesterday's Games Portland, 7; Spokane, 4. Seattle, 9; Tacoma, 4.

Butte, 4; Helena, 0.

Standing of the Clubs. Won. Lost. P. C. .... ....... 46 Butte ..... 42 81 Portland .... 28 37 .575 .507 Нејепа .. ...... 34 Spokane .... 32 Tucoma .... 31 44

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Portland took another game from Spo-kane yesterday, but it was a sudden turn of luck, more than good playing, that brought victory into the local camp. The score was 7 to 4, all but one of Portland's tallies being made in the first inning. Muller, as usual, was the first man up for Portland, but he popped out on a long fly to Ferris, who was playing in left field. Van Buren and Anderson both reached first on errors by the Spokane infield, and both scored on a long two-bagger by Zeigier. Weed followed Zeigier by landing safe at first, when the Spokane baseman dropped the ball, and Har-ris followed on a fielder's would-be choice that failed to put anybody out of busi-ness. At this juncture of the game Zeig-ler attempted to steal home from third. and was almost nipped by Catcher Elsey, who was jealously guarding the plate. Zeigler ran back to third, but turned homeward again as he saw the ball in Baseman Donahue's hands. The latter threw toward the plate, and it looked like an out for Mr. Zeigler. Donahue's throw was a hard one and the ball hit Zeigler on the left shoulder, glancing off toward the bleachers, where it rolled listlessly upon the ground. Quick as a flash Zeig-ler had scored, and before Jack Grim's paralyzed players had time to take in the situation. Weed and Harris had crossed the rubber for two more scores. Harris came all the way from first, but he could ave come a mile, for it was fully five minutes before the Bunchgrassers knew just what had happened. Finally a small boy threw the ball back into the diamond and the game was renewed, with Mr. Jacob Deisel at the bat. A two-hagger into the right garden surprised Deisel and set the bleachers roaring, and another hurrah went up as the runner scored while Shea was going out at first. Wer-ner shared the catcher's fate, and Portland retired, every man on the team having had a chance with the willow. Then six long innings nary a score

made by Portland. In the eighth, the spell was broken and "Rube" Van Buren scored on a pretty single by Weed. Spokane scored once each in the first fourth, sixth and eighth innings. The visitors put up a good game, and might have pulled out a victory had they not gone to pieces when Zicgler scored in the first inning. Kostal outpitched Werner, but the latter put up a fair game as far as actual pitching was concerned. Field-ing his position is Werner's chief weakness, his work in that line being far be-low that of Witbeck or Engle, Kostal used good judgment and clearly demonstrated the fact that he is a ball-player. Catcher Denny Shea was in the harness again yesterday, and put up a great game for the local team. Weed sustained his hitting record by timely drives, while Deisel's single and double raised his bat-

ting average several notches, Shortstop Kelly, of Spokane, was disabled in the second inning, and was re-placed by Ferris, who was brought in from center field. Howells played the latter's position, and Frary occupied first

bag.

Just before the game commenced Umpire Colgan was presented with a beau-tiful bouquet of carnations. The present must have produced an inspiration, for Colgan's work was somewhat better than

The game, taken as a whole, was rather listless. Little vim or enthusiasm were displayed, and when the sides changed the players walked on and off the field like so many funeral mourners. The pub-lic likes fast, snappy ball, and it is high time for the league managers to do a little lecturing to their proteges. Manager Grim displayed the right spirit yesterday when he roasted a Spokane player for smoking a cigarette while in uniform. The score:

PORTLAND.

.....30 7 5 27 13 SPOKANE McLaughlin, c. f ..... 4 Kelly, 5, 8.... Howells, L. f...... Roltz, 2b Elsey c
Lonabue 3b
McKevitt r. f.
Ferris, l. L and s. s...
Frare 1b Frar 1b ...... 4 0 0 10 0 Kostal, p ...... 4 0 0 0 1

SUMMARY. Earned runs—Spokane, I. Bases on balls—Off Werner, 2; off Kos-

SCORE BY INNINGS.

tal, l. Hit by pitcher-Van Buren. Struck out-By Werner, l; by Kostal, L. Two-base hits-Zeigler, Deisel, Donahue,

Sacrifice hit—Harris,
Sacrifice hit—Harris,
Stolen bases—Weed, Donahue, Anderson,
Dorble plays—Delisel to Weed; Reitz to
Frary: Harris to Weed,
Paoned ball—Elsey,
Left on bases—Portland, 2; Spokane, 4.
Time of game—I hour and 20 minutes,
Umpire—Colgan,
Attendance—1299,

#### TUESDAY'S SCORE REVERSED. Senttle Wins Game From Tacoma,

9 to 4. TACOMA, Aug. 12.-It was turn about day, and Tuesday's score was identically reversed, with the exception of the fact that Tacoma collected all four of its runs in the ninth, after two were out. Joe McCarthy, Fisher and Zimmer hit safely in succession. Harmon was sent up to bat for Drinkwater and planted a corking two-bagger in right field, acoring McCarthy and Fisher. Kelly's wild throw to the plate allowed Zimmer to score and Harmon to take third. Smith muffed, scoring Harmon. Seattle bunched hits with Tacoma's errors, earning but

SIX IN ONE INNING one run and that in the fifth, when Babblitt singled, was sacrificed to second and came home on Campbell's line drive.

Smith, c, f, r, f, 4 0 0 3 0 1

Nagle, r, f, c, f, 5 9 2 1 9 0

Murdock, l, f, 4 0 0 1 1 1

Hutchinson, lb 4 0 0 12 0 0

Anorews, 2b 4 0 2 1 3 1

McCaginy, s, s, 4 1 2 2 3 0

Fisher, 7b 4 1 1 2 3 0 Drinkwater, p ..... \*Battes for Drinkwater in the ninth, Drennan, c. f.
Babbitt, s. s.
Klopf, 3b
Hurley, 1b
Campbell, 2b
Dalrymple, l. f.
Kelly, r. f.
Sianicy, c.
Stovali, p. ..34 9 10 27 9 3

SCORE BY INNINGS. SUMMARY. Struck out-By Stovall, 9; by Drinkvater, 2. Bases on balls-Off Stovall, 1; off Drink-

water, 4. Wild pitches-Drinkwater, 2. Stolen bases-Babbitt, Hurley, Stovall, Stolen bases
Dairympie.
Two-base hits-Harmon, Nagle
Two-base hits-Harmon, Nagle
Earned runs-Tacoma, 2; Seattle, 1.
Sacrifice hits-Stanley (2), Klopf,
Double play-Murdock to Andrews to Double pisty—Murdock to Andrews McCarthy.

Left on bases—Tacoma, 7; Seattle, 5.

Time of game—I hour and 25 minutes.

Umpire—Fisher.

Attendance—720.

BUTTE SHUT HELENA OUT. Sensational Game Put Up by Mon-

tana Clubs. BUTTE, Mont., Aug. 13. - Butte shut Helena out today, in one of the fastest and best games of baseball seen on the home diamond this senson. From the beginning of the game it was nip and tuck between the contesting clubs, and up to the eighth inning it was anybody's game. Errors by Schmeer and Donahue, coupled with a single by Marshall and a three-bagger by McIntyre, gave Butts three unearned runs and decided the day's issue, Both Siagle and Roach pitched good ball. Flannery, of Helena, and Mc-Hale, of Butte, made sensational catches in the center field. Score:

BUTTE

Totals ..... Hannivan, 1, f ... SCORE BY INNINGS. SUMMARY.

SUMMARY.

Earned run—Butte, 1.

Three-base hits—Ward, McIntyre.
Stolen bases—Ward, Houtz, Shaffer.
Doubte play—Schmeer to Shaffer.
Bases on balls—Off Slagle, 2.

Hit by pitcher—By Slagle, 1.

Struck out—By Slagle, 2; by Roach, 3.

Left on bases—Butte, 6; Helena, 8.

Sacrifice hit—Roach,
11mc of game—1 hour and 40 minutes,
Umpite—McCarthy.

Attendance—500.

#### AMERICAN LEAGUEL

Philadelphia, S. 9; Detroit, 0, 0. PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 13.-Detroit suffered two defects today, being shut out in both of the games. Waddell and Hustings, the local pitchers, were more effective than their opponents, and the visitors played a well-fielded game. Attendance

Detroit ..... 0 2 5 Philadelphia . 8 13 Butteries-Mercer and McGuire; Waddell and Shreck.

RHE RHE .. 9 4 5 Philadelphia . 9 13 2 Detroit ... Batteries-Mullen and Buelow; Hustings

St. Louis, 71 Washington, 5. WASHINGTON, Aug. 12.-St. Louis was

more successful than the home team in bunching hits today, and, assisted by Carrick's error in the sixth inning, placed the game beyond Washington's reach. Attendance, 2568. Score: RHE

Washington . 5 11 2 St. Louis ...., 7 11 0 Batteries-Garrick and Clark; Powell

Boston, 9; Chicago, 0, BOSTON, Aug. 13.-Chicago could not hit Dincen today, and Callahan's wilds with opportune batting by the home team, settled the outcome of the game in the second inning. Callahan gave way to Gar-vin in the third. Attendance, 5490. Score: RHE RHE Boston ...... 9 9 0 Chicago ...... 9 3 5

Batteries Dineen and Criger; Callahan, Garvin and Sullivan. Baltimore, 14; Cleveland, 4. BALTIMORE, Aug. 13.-The Baltimore American League team celebrated its homecoming by beating Cleveland handlly. Smith, the youngster who won his two

provious games, was batted out of the box in the second inning. Attendance, 1396. Score: RHE Baltimore ....4 15 1 Cleveland .....4 11 4 Batteries-Howell and Robinson; Smith, Hess and Wood.

#### NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Boston, S, 1; Pittsburg, 6, 0, BOSTON, Aug. 13.-Boston and Pittsburg won the first game by a batting streak in the eighth inning. In the second game Boston tried a new local pitcher named Dresser, who struck out eight men. Attendance, 3000. Score:

First game—RHE Boston ...... 8 10 0 Pittsburg ..... 6 8 5 Batteries-Willis and Kittredge; Chesbro and O'Connor Second game-

RHE
Boston ...... 1 10 6 Pittsburg ..... 6 12 1
Batterles—Dresser and Moran; Phillipi
to work at any colliery for the purpose of Umpire-Irwin.

St. Louis, 4; Philadelphia, 2, PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 13.—St. Louis defeated Philadelphia today by opportune batting. Both pitchers were effective, but Pierson was the most fortunate when hits meant runs. Attendance, 4664. Score:

St. Louis ..... 4 9 2 Philadelphia . 2 6 2 Batteries-Pierson and Ryan; Iberg and Umpire-Emslie.

Brooklyn, 4: Chicago, 2. BROOKLYN, Aug. 12.-Brooklyn defeated Chicago again today by four runs to chise Counties since Tuesday. In the two. Captsin Lowe, of the Chicago team, latter county the rains were exception.

a decision on balls and strikes in the eighth inning. Attendance, 2400. Score: Chicago ..... 2 4 l Brooklyn ..... 4 ll 1 RHE Batteries-Williams and Kling; Evans Umpire-Brown.

Cincinnati, 4, 2; New York, 3, 4. NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—The New York and Cincinnati teams played a double-header today and each won a game. In the second game the New Yorkers scored. all their runs in the first three innings off five hits. Corcoran, the visiting short-stop, was put out of the first game for uting a decision of Umpire O'Day. At-

Cincinnati ... 4 10 3 New York .... 3 6 4 First game-Batteries-Hahn and Bergen; McGinnity and Bresnahan. Second game-RHE RHE Cincinnati .... 2 6 2 New York .... 4 5 2 Batteries-Thielman Bergen-Matthewson and Bresnahan.

> STANDING OF THE CLUBS. American League.

Umpire-O'Day.

St. Louis ..... Chicago ...... Philadelphia ..... Cleveland ... Detroit ...... Baltimore ..... National League.

Western League Scores. At Milwaukee-Omaha game postponed on account of rain.
At Pearla—Des Moines game postponed;

At Kansas City-Kansas City 12, Den-At St. Joseph-First game, Colorado Springs 1, St. Joseph 8; second game, Colorado Springs 10, St. Joseph 2.

Brush Denies the Rumor. NEW YORK, Aug. 13.-John T. Brush suid tonight that there was no truth in the rumor that he had bought or was going to buy a controlling interest in the New York baseball club. Mr. Brush refused to discuss the rumored consolida-tion of the National and American

To Meet Vancouver at Cricket. The long-looked-for international crick-et match between the Portlands and the Vancouvers (B. C.) will begin tomorrow Vancouvers (B. C.) will begin tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock on the Multnomah Club grounds. The Vancouvers are bringing a strong eleven to this city, and as they have defeated the hard-hit-ting Victorias (B. C.), the Portland cricketers are aware that the visiting Canadians are opponents worthy of their steel. The Portlands have been working hard at practice this week, and have all improved. The play will inst two days, Saturday's game being with an all-Oregon eleven against the Vancouvers. There will be no charge for admission, and all interested in this typical English game are invited.

McLean Lowers a World's Record. PROVIDENCE, R. I., Aug. 13.-Hugh McLean lowered the world's record for 20 miles at the Collseum tonight by \$2 seconds, placing the mark at 27:34 2-5, in a race with Albert Champion, whom he de-

Sam Calkins, of Boston, defeated Hubert Martin, of this city, in straight heats of five miles, and established a new world's amateur record for the distance, making a mark in the second heat of 7:24 2-5.

#### Cricket at London

LONDON, Aug. 12.—The Australian cricketers were all out for 121 runs today in their second innings of the last test match with the English teams. In their first innings the Australians scored 224 runs. The English players were all out ngs for 183 runs. They their second innings and won the match by one wicket.

Bengle Club's Field Trials. NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—The executive committee of the National Bengle Club of America has decided to hold the 15th annual field trials during the week commencing November 2. The place has not yet been fixed.

#### FOUND NO CRUELTY.

Result of the Investigation of the Illinois Insane Asylum.

KANKARKE, III., Aug. 13.-At the conclusion of the investigation into the man-agement of the Illinois Eastern Hospital for the Insane the members of the State Board of Charities drafted a preliminary report, which was telephoned to Acting Governor Northcott at Springfield. The report says that they find upon the full-est investigation that no crueities of any kind whatever are inflicted upon any of the patients in this institution: that the food furnished them is of the best qual-ity and sufficient in quantity, and that the inmates are under the care and super-vision of intelligent and humane nurses and attendants. and attendants.

Light Fines in Contempt Cases. CHARLESTON, W. Va., Aug. 13.-In the miners' contempt cases here today, Judge Keller held John Richards and his asso-ciates guilty of contempt and fined them \$5 and costs, holding them committed until the fines were paid or bail given. Richards is president of District No. 17, United Mineworkers. Judge Keller said he did not think they had intentionally violated the order and he would, there fore, not deal with them harshly, but would make their fine light. But at the trial and the publicity given this matter served to give everybody notice of the meaning of these injunction orders, and if there were any further violations of them, he would visit severe punishment upon the offenders. Five defendants were discharged, it not being shown that they

Mine Superintendents' Meeting. POTTSVILLE. Pa., Aug. 13.—The gen-eral superintendents of the largest coal companies in the anthracite field held a secret meeting at the offices of the Phila-delphia & Reading Coal & Iron Company here today. B. C. Luther, general su-perintendent of the Philadelphia & Read-ing Coal & Iron Company, replying to a question regarding the settlement of the etrike, said the termination of the sus-pension rests entirely with the men. When asked if an attempt would be made operating it, the superintendent smiled and made no reply.

Mexican Ranchers Suffering .. TUCSON, Ariz., Aug. 15.—Advices from Nacozari, Mexico, state that conditions are most serious in that section on account of the prolonged drouth. Manager Shearman, of the Shearman Cattle Com-pany, says the company has lost 67 per cent of its cattle on account of the lack of water and grass. Other ranchers are losing in the same proportion, and business is paralyzed.

Hard Rains in Arizona.

TUCSON, Ariz., Aug. 13.-Generous rains have fallen in Santa Cruz and Cochise Counties since Tuesday. In the ally hard and extended over a large area

# CHAMPIONSHIP OF TENNIS

DOHERTY BROTHERS WIN IN SIN. GLES ON LONG ISLAND.

Good Match in the Doubles in Three Hard and Speedy Sets.

SOUTHAMPTON, L. I., Aug. 13.-Good weather conditions prevailed today for the second day's play in the lawn tennis tour-nament for the Long Island champion-ship. The match between the English exchampion, R. F. Doherty, and Bob Hunt-ington, the Western player, and that between George T. Atterbury and H. L. Do-herty, the present champion of England, developed the most exciting sport yet witnessed at the meeting. Both of the Dohertys won their brackets in the semi-final round. The result brings R. F. Doherty and William A. Larned together in the top half of the semi-finals. The com-mittee has decided not to play any further matches in the championship singles

until Friday.

The championship doubles were started in the afternoon. Only one great match was the result of the four contests played. It was that in which R. P. Huntington and Ford Huntington were beaten after three hard and speedy sets by Reuben G. Hunt and Guy Phelps Dodge. The other contests were won, as was expected, by Malcolm D. Whitman and W. A. Larned, Dr. Pitt and O. C. Campbell, and the Doherty brothers. The latter team took their places on the bracket in the final round by virtue of a default. The mixed doubles also made progress, and two of the pairs advanced to the

#### THE DAY'S RACES.

semi-finals. The best work was done by Miss Anna Sande, who is paired with Dr.

CHICAGO, Aug. 12.—One of the biggest coups of the local racing season came out in the third race at Harlem today, when Brigadier romped home eight lengths in front of his field, after being backed front of his heid, after being backed from 8 to 1 down to 4 to 1 at post time. A prominent horse-owner is said to have cleaned up \$5,000 on the race here and in New York. Summary: Five furiongs—Hattle Walker won. Versified second, Chicago Giri third;

time, 1:94%.

Five furlongs— Adies won, Applesweet second, Lady Churchill third; time, 1:06.

Six furlongs—Brigadier won, Emma R. second, Fairbury third; time, 1:18:3-5. Short course, steeplechase-Helen Pax-ton won, Old Fox second, Bristol third;

Five and one-half furlongs, the Proviso stakes-Sidney C. Love won, Philo sec-ond, Poor Boy third; time, 1:12. One mile and 100 yards—Guy H. won, Pyrates' Queen second, Silurian third; time, 1:53 2-5.

Brighton Beach Trotting and Pacing. NEW YORK, Aug. 13.-The events of the Grand Circuit at the Brighton Ber track today proved to be the most excit-ing up to date. The attendance was large and speculation heavy. The \$5000 Hiram Woodruff purse for the 2:20 trotting class was a most exciting race from start to finish. The \$5000 Horse Review stake for 3-year-old trotters proved to be the great-est race of the first class, sine colts and filles coming up for the word. The Ra-jah won three heats with ease, taking the third in 2:14%. This is the best 3-year-old record for the season. Sum-

2:08 pacing, purse \$1500 povolty, each heat a race, horse winning fastest heat taking first money—Chestnut won the first heat in 2:07%; The Bishop won the second heat in 2:08%; Sphynx S. won the third heat in 2:08%. 2:20 class, trotting, Hiram Woodruff stake, purse \$500-Wilque won the first, fourth and fifth heats in 2:11%, 2:12, 2:13%;

Chase won the second and third heats in 2:00¼, 2:10¼. Three-year-old trotting, Horse Review

stakes, purse \$5000-The Rajah won three straight heats in 2:16%, 2:16%, 2:14%.
Amateur race, 2:09 class, trotting to wagon, prize silver cup-Mabel Onward defeated Franker in two straight heats;

#### Races at Butte.

BUTTE, Aug. 13.-Results; Five and one-half furlongs, selling-Mimo won, Gladys Bell second, Nabuco third; time, 1:11. One mile and one furlong, selling-La-Borgia won, Kickumbob second, Ladaea third; time, 1:59%.

Six furiongs, selling—Laureata won, Jerid second, Flamero third; time, 1:15%. One mile and one-sixteenth, handican Wolhurst won, Tufts second, Ulloa third;

Six and one-half furlongs, seiling-Ala-ria won, Agnicia second, Sweet Caporal third: time, 1:2314. Five furlongs, selling - Modder won. Cors Goetz second, Louise Hooker third; time, 1:03%.

One mile and one-eighth, hurdle handl-cap-Poorlands won, Mr. Rose second, Phil Archibald third: time, 2:06. Races at Saratoga

SARATOGA, N. Y., Aug. 11.—Summary: Five and one-half furlongs, maldens— Girdle won, Grantsdale second, Boutonniere third; time, 1:97 2-5. Steeplechase handicap, short course

Rowdy won, Clasher second, Victor third time, 4:14 2-5.

Five and one-half furlongs, the Troy selling stakes, for 2-year-olds-Plater won, Merry Priar second, Wild Thyme third; time, 1:06 3-5.

Seven furiongs, maiden jockeys-Fiirti-ner won, Lee King second, Golden Cot-tage third: time, 1:25 1-5. San Andres finished first, but was disqualified for fouling. One mile and three-sixteenths, handless

One mile and inrec-sixteenins, nanuicap

—Par Excellence won, Himself second,
The Rival third; time, 1:59.

One mile—Duoro won, Lux Casta second, Port Royal third; time, 1:38.

#### Races at Delmar. ST. LOUIS, Aug. 12,-This was Getaway

day at Delmar. Summary: Five and one-half furlongs, selling-Happy Chappy won, Floyd K. second, Bridal March third; time, 1:05%. One mile and 70 yards, selling-Little Master won, One More second, Mona B. third: time, 1:48. One mile, purse, 2-year-olds-Jack Young won, Avoid second, Pickles third;

time, 1:414.
One mile and one-sixteenth, purse-W. B. Gates won, Ida Penzance second, Found third; time, 1:47.
One mile and 70 yards, selling-Tulare Bacchus second, The Phoenecian third; time, 1:45%.
Seven furlongs-Kitty G. won, Tom Col-

The Busch Handicap. ST. LOUIS, Aug. 13.-The Kinloch Park Jockey Club has made public the weights in the Busch Handlcap, which will be contested for tomorrow, the opening day. The distance is one and one-sixteenth miles.

and Jim Clark is asked to shoulder the

lins second, Sadina third; time, 1:29.

top weight-119 pounds. The weights as-signed follow: Joe Doughty, Federalist, Barklyite, Pretender, Learoid, 96; Blue Mint, 91; Stuart Young, Moderator, 22; Kentucky Babe, Prospeia Gai, Last Knight, 26; Eva's Darling, Dodie S. Lillian M., 26; Dutch Carter, 37; Lunaral, Helen Print, The Phoenician, Glenwood, Navarino, Wall, Audiphone, Cherished, Josée F., Star Cotton, 96; Leffare, 99; Found, Branch, Traverse, Colonel Ballantyne, King Barleycorn 100: Grantor, Colonial Girl, Schwalbe, 102; Tickful, Bengal, Pompino, Major Mansur, Lennep, Satin Coat, 103: Ethylene, Silver Coin, Kitty Ciyde, 104; Ida Ledford, Jessie Jarboe, South Breeze, 105: Salve, Marshal

Nell, 106; Beans, Alice Turner, Zazel, Fitz-

kanet, Henry Bert, 107; Claies, Brief, 108; Varro, Mynher, 110; Blink, Peaceful, 112; Jack Ratlin, 113; Jim Clark, 119.

#### BUTTERFLY COLLECTING. Hints for Boys Who Would Like to Try Their Hand at It.

New York Sun.
Butterflies, because of their conspicuousness and beauty and their occurrence almost everywhere, furnish at-tractive and ready means for studying the many curious ways in which nature provides for her creatures.

Collecting butterflies is an interesting

pursuit, especially for boys in the country on vacation, and, besides, may become a profitable pastime. The most ordinary collections often sell for fair prices, while those more elaborate, especially if they follow out some scheme, as a collection to indicate sleeping or feeding habits, or representing the vary-ing daily or seasonal peculiarities of the insects, will be very valuable, often running up in the thousands of dollars.

The apparatus necessary for collecting

and arranging these winged beauties is simple. The first thing is the means of capturing. Capturing is done by means of a net which can be made from a small oop attached to the end of an old broom andle. The body of the net is made of mosquito netting and should be set about two feet deep if the hoop is a foot in diameter.

With a little practice one can become terflies rapidly and without in any way injuring their delicate wings. In approaching the insect it is well to wait until it has alighted, and to bring the net closto it as slowly as possible, and keep it near the ground and out of sight. When very close to the prey a sudden stroke, followed by a quick backward move-ment, will bag the butterfly and fold the ment, will bag the butterfly and fold the net over so that it cannot escape. Never touch the wings with the fingers in removing the insect. Carefully insert the killing bottle and allow the butterfly to flutter into the bottle and the insertion of the cork will hold it a prisoner.

The killing bottle should be a widemouthed bottle into which the butterfly can page without injury to the wings. In

can pass without injury to the wings. In the bottom should be placed securely by means of shellac a small piece of cotton which is wet with benzine or common gasoline. The vapors from these sub-stances produce an easy and painless stupor, ending in death. Do not be hasty in removing the butterfly after it has gone to sleep, because the fresh air often revives it. After the insects are captured and killed they are ready to be pinned For pinning always use insect pins, which are much thinner than comon pins, and will not rusa. These cost cents a hundred.

A butterfly should be pinned through the middle of the thorax, and in such a way that the body is at right angles to the pin. The thorax is between the head and the point where the wings join the body. After the insect is properly pinned it is ready for setting, and for this prosetting board is a plain, flat board with numbers of holes large enough to take the head of the pin.

## ON ABSENT-MINDEDNESS.

Argument to Show It Does Not Mean Mental Failure.

American Medicine, Is absent-mindedness indicative of men-tal failure? This question is suggested by such facts as the large number of unaddressed letters posted each year. An English contemporary cites in evidence the official list of articles left in one year in the London cabs and ofinibuses. It in-cludes \$50 canes, 19,000 umbrellas, 257 rugs, 742 opera glasses, 926 articles of jeweiry, 189 watches, 3239 purses, besides birds, dogs, cats, etc. The list seems like a pretty severe in-

dictment of the mental qualities of the modern city dweller, and if the hardpressed newspaper reporter happens to see it, he will undoubtedly send off a har-rowing syndicate letter to all the Sunday editors on this afarming demonstration of mental degeneracy of the twentieth cen-tury man. Even our medical contem-porary suggests the advisability of those who ride in omnibuses and who forget things of consulting a physician.

The more marvelous thing, however, is they do not forget far than they do. Civilization has suddenly increased a thousandfold the necessary and synchronous preoccupations of the mind. Singleness of attention was the predominant characteristic of mental action before our time of bewildering interests and duties. Not to have learned the trick of poising in the attention at one instant such a multitude of objects is certainly not a demonstration of mental failure, but rather of non-acquirement of a diffi-

cult art.
But the more convincing proof of the actual triviality of the amount of forget-fulness is shown by the comparison of the number of memory slips of the Londoner with the number who ride in om nibuses and other public carriages. Let us double the number of lost articles and not the total at 50,000; if now we roughly estimate the number of rides each day in London, as at least on the average one for each twentieth citizen, we calculate in a year there are surely as many as 100,000,000 trips made. Consequently, on the average, a person forgets some ar-ticle once in about every 2000 trips taken. The alarmist adviser of consultation of an alienist for such fallures of memory would probably smile at this evidence of his own mental failure.

#### Transferred to the Boston. WASHINGTON, Aug. 13.—The cruiser Philadelphia having gone out of commis-sion at San Francisco, the officers at-

tached to her have been transferred to the Boston. Commander C. P. Perkins will be the Commander of the latter ship and Lieutenant-Commander Laird the executive officer.

Alabama Prohibition Ticket. MONTGOMERY, Ala., Aug. 11.—A com-plete ticket for Governor and state offi-cials, headed by Rev. W. A. Day, of this city, has been announced by the Prohi-hitionists of Alabama.

#### AT THE HOTELS. THE PORTLAND.

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H D Niles, Salt Lake F D Crow, city
Miss E Niles, do
T F Mullen, Chicago
E M Cummings, Falico P M Cochran, U S A
Jos McCabe, W W
L Forester, do
I S Ruriark, S F
O I Reichenbach, S F Hy Ellers, city
Mr & Mrs T D Spielman, St Louis
Jos Morris, N T
J G Edwards, Hay Ck
Wm Summer, St Jo
Mrs L G Gurnett,
Bridal Vell
Mrs P Weich & fam.
Spokane

THE PORTLAND.

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