

ATHLETIC NEWS

SUCCESS IS NOW ASSURED

The Regatta Will Be the Greatest Event in Astoria's History.

The sporting carnival commencing on August 20 and finishing on August 23 is stirring up the people around the coast country and they are determined to take in all the events and sights, and all Astoria with visitors. Never before have so many people indicated their intention to attend, and it seems certain that the regatta will eclipse anything ever held here. The committee having the affairs in hand have arranged a program that will keep the spectators busy or they will miss some very fine events.

The starting of the fish boats from anchor is a splendid idea, which is bound to make the race a beauty. The athletic games on the last day will be a feature of the program. The boys are training faithfully and competition will be keen. Prof. Kellogg has a large number of entries for each event, and how it remains for our citizens to make the regatta a success, which can be accomplished by closing up their places of business as much as is practicable, and getting to the water front to add enthusiasm when the gun fires.

It is a credit to the city indeed that it can hold such an array of events in these supposed hard times.

BASEBALL.

The Atlantic City club beat the Cape May team last Friday by a score of 2 to 1 in the presence of 500 people.

Jerry Denny, the famous third baseman and the greatest single-hand player the game ever produced, is now managing the Derby, Conn., team.

Jim Corbett played first base on the home team, and his record was a phenomenal one. He accepted twenty chances without an error, made a two-base hit, stole a base and created a sensation among the local fans by his brilliant playing.

Orin, Philadelphia's best pitcher, has been dubbed the "survivor" wonder in his work. This leads the Philadelphia Press to remark, "This Virginia is a pitching mystery, and yet if you study the problem closely it will be found that with him it is the case of a player with an arm of medium ability, who uses his brains to supply the lack of speed and depth of his curves. He is as heady a pitcher as Tim Lincecum ever was, and as the years pass he will be the credit due him in this respect. To look at Orin playing you would think that it would be decidedly easy to take up a ball and knock out hits at will. But the best batsmen in the world can't do it often, and Orin's motions are so deceptive that he fools the spectators as well as the ballers. If some of those who call Orin the "survivor" wonder take this prescription they will discover that a pitcher's ability rests on something more substantial than a rabbit's foot. His curves are not as wild as Taylor's, but shoot, nor do they plunge downward with the depth of Russell's drop, but they take just enough bend to completely puzzle the batter."

BOXING.

"Mysterious" Billy Smith has gone to St. John, N. H., where he is to meet Jack Burge, a local middle-weight, in a 20-round bout at catchweights.

"Kid" McCoy has struck soft going again in his race for title honors. He is now matched to meet old Dan Barry in a 15-round contest in Dayton, Ohio, August 20th.

A "pair of blacks," striking a Klondike gold is not an unfamiliar sight about the city, in the early morning these days, and would seem to demonstrate that there is something on the tapis.

If Kid McCoy defeats Tommy Ryan in Syracuse on September 8 he will issue a challenge to meet Bob Fitzsimmons. The ambition of the hoodler is to meet the Australian for the championship belt. Fitz is willing to take Charley on at 125 pounds. Many of the friends of McCoy believe that he can defeat the champion. Everything depends on the showing he makes with Ryan in Syracuse.

The verticose exhibition brought out a goodly crowd of the sport loving public, and the spectators who did not witness "the real thing" have had a number of "side lights" thrown on this great contest. Some theories have been expounded and new estimates made as to the respective abilities of the contestants. Corbett's movements the ring and his off-hand fighting and exhibition of science brought out much favorable comment, while Fitzsimmons' tenacity and aggressiveness were faithfully portrayed.

GENERAL.

Prof Day, the celebrated jockey, whose death was reported last week, piloted China to victory in the Futurity of 1889. Few jockeys on the American turf had a more brilliant career before them than the English lad, who was engaged by Con Leighton, ex-Congressman H. L. Scott's trainer.

John Flanagan, who broke the record for hammer-throwing at Albany recently, was born at Killreece, county Limerick, Ireland. He stands 5 feet 9y inches in his shoes, and has a chest measurement of forty inches, with five inches expansion. He weighs 225 pounds in his athletic clothes, but this amount of weight-

is so evenly distributed over his body that no one would imagine that he weighs so much. His biographer, in "The New York Athletic Club Journal" says: "That Flanagan is the most scientific weight thrower alive today there is not the least shadow of a doubt, and experts who are competent to judge vote him, when manipulating the missile, a representative embodiment of scientific muscular exertion. Furthermore, he has, strictly speaking, completely revolutionized the game of hammer-throwing by introducing successfully the style of double revolution in the circle. But it is not alone as a hammer-thrower that Flanagan excels; in other branches he has been prominent, and has won prizes at sprinting, jumping and almost every game known to modern devotees of physical culture."

MUSIC AND DRAMA.

Astoria is soon to have dramatic clubs. Yvette Guilbert is worth \$25,000. Lucky Yvette.

E. H. Southern has a new play called "Change Alley."

Nelle McHenry is to star in Louis' "Little Detective."

Ed Smith Russell never plays to less than \$500 a week.

May Irwin will soon open her season with "The Swell Miss Fitzwell."

Francis Powers has written his second play, "When Turk Meets Greek."

Louis James' principal play this season will be "The Cavalier of France."

Julia Arthur is to star in Holbrook Burnett's play "A Lady of Quality."

Maudie Adams will make her debut as a star in Barris' "Little Minister."

W. H. Crane has a new play, "A Virginia Courtship," by Martha Morton.

Extra Kendall, well known here, has entered vaudeville and is at present in Chicago.

Stuart Robson is coming to the coast and will present his latest success "The Luckless."

Madison Arbuckle who was with the Crowley company last season, is now a member of the First Road company.

It is said that Lily Langtry is to marry the Prince Esterhazy de Galantha. The Prince owns about half of Hungary.

Anthony Hope the successful author of "The Prisoner of Zenda," is to give a reading in this country the coming season.

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CIRCUMSTANCES ALTER CASES.

Doctor: "Are you usually enough, madam, to spend the summer in the upper lake region?"

Madam: "We have a very small income."

Doctor: "On closer examination I find that yours is not a case of hay fever, but only a bad cold in the head."—Detroit Free Press.

Mr. Nathaniel Mortenson, a well known citizen of Ishpeming, Mich., and editor Superior Post, who, for a long time, suffered from the most excruciating pains or rheumatism, was cured, eight years ago, by taking Ayer's Sarsaparilla, having never felt a twinge of it since.

A GENTLE SPODIFIC

"What's the matter with Blum? I hear that alarm clock of his goes off half a day in those between 12 at night and 12 in the morning?"

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Still in Doubt.
Aunt Sarah (from Troy)—Say, sonny, can you tell me who owns that house?
Johnny Smithers—You'll have to come round arter awhile. Do ole lady and ole man's havin a fierco scrap over dat question now.—New York World.



And It Was.
"By gosh, this here's the second four leaf clover I've found today. Something must be comin my way with er rash."—New York Journal.



Clear as Mud.
"If you've any complaints to make, Private O'Flaherty, ye'll make them at once, and in my company, and not behind my back when you're alone and every one else's present."—Ally Sloper.



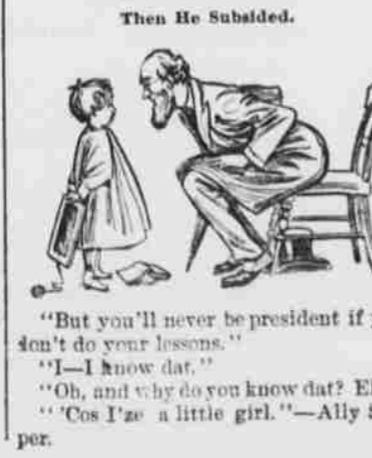
A Close Friend.
Hookey—Denny McSwart is a close friend of yours, ain't he, Mike?
Dooley—That he is. Sure, I never know he was so close until Oi trow ter berry a dollar off at him.—Up to Date.



A Dangerous Thing Loaded.
Mrs. Gunn—John, dear, you aren't afraid to fire dangerous—or—things that are loaded, are you?
Mr. Gunn—Poooh! Of course not.
Mrs. Gunn—Then I wish you'd go down stairs and discharge Bridget.—New York Journal.



She Had a Good Reason.
Mrs. Sugartrust—Hortense, how dare you look at the stage without your daughter?
Daughter—Oh, maw, please just once, I want to see what's going on.—New York Sunday Journal.



Then He Subtended.
"But you'll never be president if you don't do your lessons."
"I—I know dat."
"Oh, and why do you know dat? Eh?"
"Cos I'm a little girl."—Ally Sloper.

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CAUSE FOR GRATIFICATION.

"Do you remember that Mr. Puller, who goes to the same summer resort we do?"
"Remember him? Of course I do."
"Here's an item in the paper that says a horse kicked him in the mouth."
"Well, thank goodness, perhaps we won't have to hear him eating corn off the cob next July."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Women are not the only ones who are sensitive about their axes. A man does not like to be told that he is getting old. Health keeps a man young. It doesn't make any difference if he has lived eighty years. If they have been healthy years, he will be hale and hearty and won't look within twenty years as old as he is. Good digestion and rich, red blood make people look youthful. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery makes rich, red blood. It makes health in the right way. It works according to the right theory, and in 36 years of practice, it has proved that the theory is absolutely correct. It begins at the beginning—begins by putting the stomach, liver and bowels into perfect order, but it begins its good work on the blood before it finishes with the digestive system. It searches out disease germs wherever they may be and forces them out of the body. All druggists keep the "Discovery."

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HE ONLY PREACHED.

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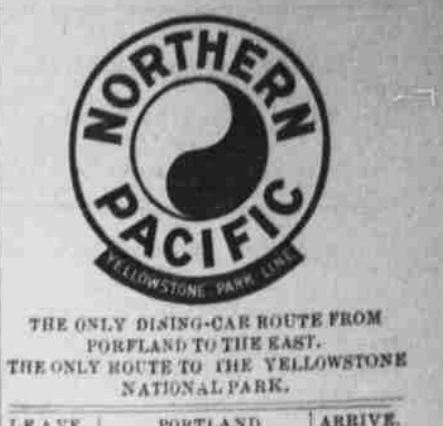
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