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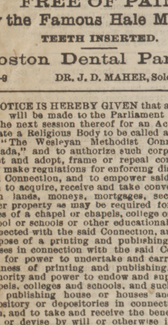

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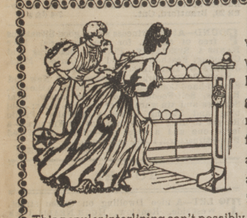

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THIS MORNING'S NEWS.

CANADA.

While four young people were boating near St. Helen's Island, Montreal, Saturday, the craft upset and Fred Horrigan and Miss Hughes, who were to have been married shortly, were drowned.

GREAT BRITAIN AND IRELAND.

The Earl of Limerick died on Sunday. He was born January 17, 1840, and succeeded his father, the second Earl, in 1866. He was aide-de-camp to the Queen since 1886, and twice captain of the yeoman of the guard. He was deputy lieutenant and justice of peace of County Limerick.

A statement signed by the Duke of Abercorn, the Marquis of Londonderry, Col. Edward J. Saunderson, M. P., and other tory opponents of the Irish land bill has been issued. It repudiates the idea that the amendments made to the bill by the House of Lords are calculated to destroy the character of the measure and wreck it unless the House of Commons rejects the amendments with the consent of the Upper House. The statement claims the amendments improve the ill-drawn and ill-arranged measure.

UNITED STATES.

Howard Lowe, aged 11 years, died of hydrophobia at Bay City, Mich., Saturday. About six weeks ago the boy was bitten on the wrist and ankle by a cat.

Daniel Morris, of Atlantic City, N. J., has presented $45,000 to Bishop McFaul for an orphan asylum and industrial school for boys.

Frank Yerrington, Jas. Butrick, W. M. Maneks and Martin Manning were drowned at Benton Harbor, Mich., Sunday, while bathing in a lake.

The race war in Polk county, Ark., has broken out in earnest, and as a result of the first battle three negroes are dead and eight wounded, many being run out of the county by the whites. The trouble is between white and black laborers employed on the grading works of the Kansas City, Pittsburg and Gulf Railway, near Horatio, Ark.

Moore Bros., the Chicago bankers who went down under the Diamond Match Co., have received a cablegram from Vienna which might have prevented their disastrous failure and consequent closing of the stock exchange if it had been received a week earlier. It was from Director George Smith, of the Diamond Match Co., and read as follows: "The deal with the Landerbank of Austria is closed. Have contract. It is worth more than all the decline in match stock." The stock exchange is still closed.

All records of camp meeting collections were broken at Old Orchard, Maine, Sunday, when Rev. Dr. A. B. Simpson, of New York, the renowned Christian Alliance leader, raised $101,324 for foreign missions. Gold, silver, greenbacks, pocket pieces, gold watches, bicycles, gold rings, diamonds, rubies, opals, heirlooms, a piano, corporation stock and a homestead were included among the contributions. It was a sensational climax to a fortnight's meetings held under Christian Alliance auspices. There were 10,000 people present at the noon service.

FOREIGN.

Miss Clara Barton has started on her return to the United States, her mission of distributing relief to the Armenian sufferers having been ended.

A body of Mussulmans Saturday butchered thirty unarmed Christians within the precincts of the monastery at Anopolis, near Candia, Crete. One priest was burned alive.

The weather at Odessa was fairly clear on Sunday and good observations of the eclipse of the sun were had. At many other places in northern Europe and northern Asia cloudy weather made the observations a failure.

M. Bartolomeos, late archbishop of Brusa, has been chosen locum tenens of the Armenian patriarch, Matthew Izmirbian, who resigned a few days ago. It is said M. Bartolomeos will be able to fill the post more acceptably than the last incumbent, as he has Mohammedan sympathy.

An accident occurred Sunday on the River Spree near Berlin by which four pleasure-seekers lost their lives. The party had gone on the river on an excursion and were proceeding to the woods near the shore where dinner was to be eaten, when one of the steamers plying on the river ran into the boat of the excursion party, crushing it so badly that it almost immediately sank.

MINOR LOCAL MATTERS.

Next year's Y. M. C. A. convention will be held at Halifax.

Halifax Liberals gave Finance Minister Fielding a banquet, Saturday evening, at the City Club.

Military camps will be held in Nova Scotia, New Brunswick and P. E Island in September.

A good investment for five cents at Louis Green's, tobacconist, King street: A famous Stonewall Jackson cigar, superior to many so-called 10 cent brands.

George Seaman to-day commenced work as trackmaster of the Moncton and St. John division of the Intercolonial in place of Mr. Deboo, now in charge of the northern division.

The cyclinder head was blown out of No. 7 engine in the Union street power house of the Street Railway, Sunday evening. The engine ran the light dynamos, and arc and incandestent lights on the streets, in houses and churches were out for a short time.

At Woodstock, Saturday evening, Levitia Niles threw herself off the river bridge and was carried down in the rushing stream. There is apparently no particular explanation of the tragedy. The body has not yet been found.

Short-sighted dealers invariably hold our famous Stonewall Jackson cigar back on account of them costing more than any other five cent cigar. See that you get them and don't allow inferior brands, affording larger profits, to be palmed off on you. The largest sale of any five cent cigar in the Dominion. H. Jacobs & Co., manufacturers, McGill street, Montreal.

The death occurred at Collina, Kings county, on Wednesday of Mrs. Addison, wife of the Rev. Milton Addison, pastor of the Salisbury Baptist churches. Mrs. Addison had been suffering with consumption for several months. She was the youngest daughter of Mr. Ezekiel Kelly, of Collina, and sister of Rev. W. E Kelly, missionary to India. She leaves one daughter.

ONE HONEST MAN.

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SPECIAL SUNDAY SERVICES.

Rev. G. E. Lloyd preached at both services at St. Luke's church.

Rev. Charles W. Dockrill, of Lawrence, Mass., preached in the evening at the Congregational church.

No. 2 Company, N. B. R. C. A., Capt. Baxter, attended divine service at St. George's church, Carleton, in the morning. An able and appropriate sermon was preached by Rev. W. H. Sampson. The artillerymen were accompanied to and from the church by the Carleton Cornet band.

Rev. W. J. McCaughan, of Belfast, Ireland, High Chief Ranger of the Irish Foresters, preached at the Portland Methodist church in the morning and at St. Andrew's in the evening. Large congregations were present at each service, including many Foresters and friends. Court Loyalist attended the morning service in a body. Each church was prettily decorated, and at each there was special and appropriate music. Rev. Mr. McCaughan is an able, eloquent and forcible speaker, and made a most favorable impression. His text in the morning was Hosea xiv., verses 5-8. In the evening he preached from Revelation iv., verses 6 8.

Rev. Mr. Stevens, of Philadelphia, preached at both services at the Fairville Baptist church.

FREDERICTON NEWS.

FREDERICTON, Aug. 9.

Mr. Johnson, representing an English cold storage company, was heard before a committee of the City Council Friday night respecting the proposed construction of a large cold storage building here. He said the company would erect a building as large as the Randolph block if the City Council would give free water and tax exemption for fifteen years. He estimated the daily water consumption at 25,000 gallons.

The two and one-half story brick dwelling on King street, owned by the late Edward Jack, was sold under mortgage, Saturday, to Edward Fraser of J P. Neill's hardware establishment, for $1,525.

Miss Maggie McGoldrick, second daughter of the late Owen McGoldrick, died Saturday after a lingering illness. Deceased was about 28 years of age, and a most estimable young lady.

FLORAL NOTES.

BY H. E. GOOLD.

The web worm is making its appearance on trees and shrubbery. Watch for them, and cut off the infested branch as soon as they form a web and destroy it. This should be done in the evening, as the worms will be together in the web at this time.

Pruning and clipping of spruce hedges or trees should be done during this month; transplanting as well. In transplanting spruces for a hedge great care should be taken that the fine roots do not come to the air. The best way to do is to get a number of old sacks or bags. Have these well soaked with water, and when a tree is dug up cover the roots with one of these, and do not remove it until the ground is ready to receive the tree. Cut off any roots that may be bruised or otherwise injured, but do not cut the roots any more than can possibly be helped. It is a good idea to have a box of fine soil handy, and when about to set the tree dip the roots into a pail of water, and then into the soil, thus coating the fibrous roots with mud, which prevents their exposure to the atmosphere and refreshes the outer bark. When the tree is planted it should have several pails of water applied at once, and the surrounding soil thoroughly soaked.

Our Cupid sweet peas are disappointing—perhaps too much was expected—but I have not heard many expressions of approval yet by any of the growers.

Repotting gloxineas while in bud and bloom will not injure or check them blooming if carefully done, but change should be to one size larger only.

Carnations are undoubtedly the favorite cut flower for general use, and probably in time will displace the rose as a florist's cut flower; and with reason, as a well-grown carnation possesses lasting qualities, fragrance and beauty of form, and is generally more satisfactory at all seasons of the year. First-class florists are increasing their carnation space every season. Stake your carnations as soon as the first bloom appears; it will effectually aid the plant in throwing out lateral growth. Be sure to cut off the blooms as soon as they are developed, as if allowed to seed they injure the vitality and blooming qualities of the plant very much.

Every owner of a good house plant should see that it is in good shape for the Horticultural society's exhibition in August, especially now that the society propose to call for and return all plants in good condition. If you have a good window box be sure to send it, and if it contains climbers or tall fuchsias that require support it is well to build a wooden background sufficiently high to furnish the same.

[Any questions regarding floral matters addressed to H. E. Goold, Florist, Sussex, N. B., will receive prompt attention.

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BOUND AND GAGGED.

HIGH-HANDED OUTRAGE AT SAN FRANCISCO.

Hawaiian Millionaire Decoyed and Maltreated—Attempt to Extort a Check for $20,000 from Him.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 7.

James Campbell, the millionaire sugar planter of Honolulu, who mysteriously dropped out of sight for two days this week, says he was imprisoned and robbed by Oliver W. Winthrop, who attempted to obtain the capitalist's signature to a $20,000 check as the price of his liberty. Winthrop, who was tried and acquitted last year on a charge of poisoning a woman in Laurel Hill Cemetery, of which he was Assistant Superintendent, has disappeared. No trace can be found of his confederate.

Campbell says Winthrop decoyed him to his house on a slight pretext. Suddenly, he says, a masked man rushed into the room, and pointing a revolver at Campbell's head, ordered him to throw up his hands. Campbell says he leaped at his assailant and felled him to the floor. The man was dazed, almost stunned, but levelling his revolver again at Campbell, fired. The millionaire says the bullet grazed his temple and passed through his hat into the wall. Campbell sprang at the man again, but before he could reach him he was struck over the head with some heavy instrument.

The two men then pounced on Campbell and bound, handcuffed and gagged him. They lifted him from the floor to a bed and strapped him to it. His feet and hands were tied to the four corners of the bed, and a chain was passed over his body and fastened to staples driven into the floor. Captain of Detectives Lees, in his investigation afterward, found the evidence of this. Cords were passed around Campbell's body and drawn so tight that he could not move. For twelve hours Campbell was kept in this position, the gag being in his mouth all the time.

Tuesday morning the gag was removed with the caution that he would be killed if he made any noise. He was told that he would have to sign a check or order for $20,000 before he would be cleared. He was shown a document, which they asked him to sign, and he was also ordered to write a note to his wife asking her to cash the check and give the money to the bearer without asking any questions. Campbell says he refused to even read the paper, telling his captors that he did not care what they did to him.

When the newspapers published the fact that Campbell had disappeared, the millionaire says his captors became frightened, and after dark released him. The police have a description of Winthrop's confederate, but no clue to his whereabouts.

NORMAL SCHOOL.

The following students in the St. John division have passed the Normal School entrance examination in the first class:

Flora E. White, Narrows.
J. Vernon Klerstead, Narrows.
Blanch Alward, Brunswick.
Sarah Muir, Mill Settlement.
Mary L. Jenkins, Downeyville.
Alice G. Gilmore, Victoria school.
Isabella Donaldson, Victoria school.
Duncan Kilpatrick, Gaspereau.
Albert A. Duffy, Nauwigewauk.
Gertrude Morrell, Hatfield's Point.
B. Hayes Dougan, Lucbby.
Lily A. Belyea, Victoria school.
Jennie S. Drake, Victoria school.
Elizabeth F. Hayes, St. John.
Emily Bardsley, St. Vincent's school.
Ethel Durdan, Victoria school.
Grace A. Perkins, Hatfield Point.
George H. Purdy, Jolicure.

Miss White was one of the leading twelve.

RADCLIFFE TO HANG WHEELER

The Kind of Murderer Who Always Breaks Down at the Last.

Peter Wheeler, who is to be executed on the second Tuesday of September for the brutal murder of Annie Kempton, is to all appearances the happiest man in the province, says the Annapolis *Spectator*. He has got very fleshy of late, and prison fare seems to agree with him, though he complains of the food and thinks it not good enough to place before such a distinguished guest. He eats heartily, and his slumbers are never disturbed by the spectre of the hangman's rope or an avenger's musket. He is busy writing at his confession, which is the same as appeared in these columns, except it goes more into details. He is more than willing to talk religion, and is very anxious that he has due preparation before the day of execution.

His regard for truth is about the same as when he told, after the sentence was pronounced against him, that he hoped the guilty man would be caught before the 8th prox. Peter vows he will never break down, but will walk to the scaffold unaided. He is the kind of a man that executioners say always break down at the last, as they fail to recognize it until a few days before the fatal leave is taken. Wheeler is very anxious about his burial and seems to have aristocratic ideas about the place and manner of burial. His strong wish is that one at Bear River, who figured prominently in the case, have the pleasure of "laying him out." He has posted up in his cell a notice to the effect that for ten cents he will chat with visitors. As Sheriff VanBlarcom has a say on that matter, Peter's visitors are few and far between. Radcliffe in all probability will be down at the last of the month and begin preparations for the execution.

THE BRITISH WOOD MARKET.

[Farnworth & Jardine's Circular.]

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 1.

The arrivals from British North America during the past month have been 56 vessels, 54,076 tons, against 64 vessels, 44,260 tons, during the corresponding month 1st year, and the aggregate tonnage to this date from all places during the years 1894, 1895, and 1896 has been 184,061, 189,217 and 262,605 tons respectively.

The business generally during the past month has shown more activity. Imports, especially of some of the leading articles, have been large, but the deliveries have been satisfactory and values well maintained. Stocks are not excessive, and prospects continue fair if shipments are kept within a reasonable compass.

New Brunswick and Nova Scotia spruce and pine deals.—Of spruce deals the import during the past month has been large, viz, 21,637 standards, against 13,439 standards corresponding time last year; the demand has continued satisfactory and prices steady. The stock although now showing a considerable increase, is largely composed of cargoes recently arrived, the bulk of which will probably go direct from the quay into consumption. Prospects are fair, but shipments must not be unduly increased. Pine deals.—There have been no arrivals.

Birch.—Logs still come forward too freely; the deliveries have been large, but the stock is excessive, and at the recent auction sales very low rates were again accepted. Planks have been more enquired for, and the latest sales show a slight improvement in value.

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Miss Kate Caton of Lansing, Mich., is an experienced horse dealer, trainer and "vet." She shipped nine valuable trotters to Russia a few days ago. She will get $30,000 for them.

GREAT HEAT WAVE

SWEEPS OVER THE UNITED STATES.

Mercury Reaches Over 100°—Numerous Deaths Reported—Prostrations Common.

CHICAGO, Aug. 9.

In Chicago the heat while not intense as on Saturday was almost unbearable. A good breeze gave temporary relief in the forenoon; it suddenly died out. At 4 o'clock the thermometer registered 96. One fatality is reported.

Despatches received from various points throughout the country show no point exempt from the torrid weather. At Elgin, Illinois, yesterday, several persons were prostrated; two died. For three days the mercury soared above 100 at Evansville, Ind.; two deaths are reported. At Kansas City yesterday 102 was reached; a few prostrations reported. At Anderson, Ind., there was intense suffering among men in the nail factory; there were three prostrations in the city.

Despatches from Altoona, Hillsboro, Springfield and Belvidere, Ill., indicate the hottest weather on record.

Out-door work was suspended at all these points, vegetation being burned by heat in many localities. A water famine is threatened. Wabash railroad officials have closed the shops of the end system pending the heated term. A tAlton the mercury ranged from 105 to 112 in shade.

MILAN, Mo., Aug. 9.

It was 106 in the shade yesterday and much mortality among animals is reported. Horses dropped in the streets and only absolutely necessary work was done. All records were broken at Jefferson, Iowa, when the thermometer indicated 106 in the shade at two o'clock. At Tiffin, Ohio, Henry Downy, a wealthy farmer, was overcome by heat yesterday and dropped dead. At Norwalk, Ohio, it was 103 in the shade today. At Peoria, Ill., and Valparaiso, Indiana, there were many prostrations. At Des Moines, Iowa, the record of 92 in the shade is reported; two fatalities are announced.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 9.

The heated term that has been almost without precedent in this city continues. The general impression is that to-day has been beyond all doubt the hottest and most uncomfortable of the season. The highest point reached by the official thermometer at the weather bureau, high above streets, was 97° at 3 this afternoon. Down in the streets as a general rule it was ten degrees higher. Several prostrations and two deaths are reported.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 9.

With each day's continuance of the terrible heat the mortality has increased, until to-day 22 deaths were reported by the police. The thermometer to-day reached a maximum of 96.2 degrees, the highest point touched by the mercury this summer. Besides the deaths, half a hundred heat cases were taken to the hospitals.

COLUMBIA, S. C., Aug. 9.

The heat during the past week has been extreme, the thermometer registering 100 for three days in succession. The suffering has been intense. Three men and a number of horses were overcome. The maximum to-day was 98, and there is no indication of a break. If the heat continues field crops will suffer.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Aug. 9.

For four days the heat has been unusually intense. Yesterday and to-day the thermometer registered 97 deg.

BARRY, O. T., Aug. 9.

Prairie fires are raging in the Commanche (Indian) country southwest of here. Thousands of acres of grain have been swept by the flames. The fires followed the term of hot winds, which have parched vegetation and caused cattle to suffer. Thermometers registered 108 deg. yesterday.

WICHITA, Kan., Aug. 9.

Hot winds swept over this section yesterday. For six hours the temperature has been stationary at 104½ deg. at Government Station. On the streets thermometers registered 112 deg. Vegetation is being burned up. Unless there is rain soon the situation in southern Kansas and Oklahoma will become alarming. For three days the temperature has averaged over 100 deg.

NEW YORK, Aug. 9.

To-day capped the climax of the record of heat wave which, for the past week, has caused much suffering and sickness in this city. Dwellers awoke after an unrefreshing night to find the heat and humidity greater than on any previous day. The greatest suffering was among dwellers in crowded tenements on the east side. There were two or three cases reported of men, women and children falling from roofs or fire escapes, where they had taken refuge from the stifling air in their rooms. The number of deaths during the heat to day was 25; total number of heat prostrations reported in addition, 50.

BALTIMORE, Aug. 9.

The thermometer this afternoon recorded 97½ degrees here. Fifteen deaths and twice as many prostrations were reported up to midnight.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., Aug. 9.

The last four days have been the warmest ever known in western Michigan. Rain is badly needed. The thermometer was above 100 all day. Towards evening it only lost ten points. Several fatalities have been reported.

CLEVELAND, Aug. 9.

To-day was a record breaker, the mercury reaching 93 at weather bureau. Temperature at other places was above 100. There were several prostrations, including twelve at the Ohio National Guard encampment. A laborer died from the effects of the heat.

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PEOPLE'S PASTIMES.

Base Ball.

National League games Saturday were: Philadelphia 6, Boston 2; Baltimore 21, Washington 16; Pittsburg 7, Cleveland 3; New York 5, Brooklyn 1; Chicago 4, St. Louis 3; Cincinnati 5, Louisville 2.

Sunday games—Cincinnati 5, Louisville 4; Chicago 8, St. Louis 6.

Cincinnati is closely pressing Baltimore for the lead in the race for the league pennant; Cleveland is third.

SATURDAY'S GAMES.

The Starlights defeated Moncton in a league game on Saturday afternoon on the B. & A. Club grounds. It was a good game, the Monctons having visibly improved since their last visit. The game was closely contested, but the home team had it from the start. The batteries were Henderson and Malcolm for the Starlights and Embree and Harris for Moncton. Both batteries did good work.

About 400 persons saw the game on the Shamrock grounds between the Roses and Alerts, and it showed that this part of the city is more interested in base ball. It was a fine game notwithstanding the heavy scoring. Wholly pitched for the Alerts and his left hand twirling was at times puzzling to the batter, but more so to the baserunner on first base, two or three of whom were caught napping. Frier was batted quite heavily, McDonald putting a ball over the left field fence. The Alerts had the best of it until the last inning, the score being 13 to 8 in their favor. In the last inning a doubtful decision seemed to unnerve Wholly and he got careless, and the Roses took advantage of this to get in eight runs, and the game ended in their favor.

GRAND STAND REFLECTIONS.

George Whitenect is an impartial umpire, but he is hardly cool-headed enough.

Friars talks rather freely, and while he probably means nothing by it, it looks bad for him to laugh tauntingly at his opponents.

How many people in the grand stand are superior to the umpire in knowledge of the game. A favorite player has only to look tragic when a ball was called a strike, or a strike a ball, and the sympathetic spectators immediately make uncomplimentary references to the umpire.

The Alerts and Roses are well matched, and they play great ball. Either of them would do well to invite the Tartars, of Fredericton, here for a game.

A New Record.

In the maritime pentathlon contest Saturday at Pictou, the Halifax team won the banner for the second time, making 1,071 points, against 1,062 by Amherst. Crocker, the Y. M. C. A. secretary of Amherst, broke the maritime record in the pole vault, clearing 10 feet 4½ inches.

Mr. Crocker should long ago have been barred from amateur athletics. He is beyond doubt a professional. Part of the work which he performs and receives pay for is his athletic teaching at Amherst. His case should be investigated at once.

A Mile in 1.03.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 5.

E. E. Anderson attempted to-day to ride a mile in a minute, paced by a locomotive, but failed by three seconds. The trial was on the track of the Bluff Line Railway, nine miles north of St. Louis. The track was solidly planked and the engine was an express speeder. Several warming-up spurts were made over part of the track, to get the speed regulated. In one of these Anderson made a half mile in 33 seconds. For the final trial a half mile running start was made. As the engine crossed the starting line, the cycle was 12 feet behind the engine and seemed to urge the pacemaker, which was going at 58 second speed. At the half the speed was about a mile a minute, with Anderson working hard and 15 feet behind. At the three-quarter mile the engine was turned loose and crossed the line in a minute, with Anderson trailing three seconds short. He was badly winded and could not have gone 100 feet further. The wheel was geared to 92, and to this and other things he attributes his defeat. Another trial will be made on August 22nd, when the wheel will be geared to 120. Two thousand people witnessed the race

The Rifle.

Captain J. H. McRobbie won the tablespoon in series A; Mr. James Hunter the dessert spoon in series B, and Private A. McIntosh the teaspoon in series C, in the spoon match held on Drury range Saturday afternoon.

The Provincial Rifle Association meet will be held next week at Sussex.

On Wednesday the County Association matches for the P. R. A. and D. R. A. medals will be shot at Drury range. The first at 9 30 a. m. and the second at 2 p. m.

McLeod Sullivan Crew Challenged.

The St. John crew who rowed at Halifax have issued a challenge to the McLeod-Sullivan crew to row a three mile race on the Kennebeccasis for $200, or more, a side.

Fast Pacing and Trotting.

MEDFORD, MASS., Aug. 8.

Combination park saw some phenomenal trotting and pacing to-day. In the special pacing race for $2,000 between Joe Patchen (2 04) and Star Pointer (2.04½), Patchen won in two straight heats, distancing Pointer in the second; time, 2.13, 2.08¾. The last figure is a record for a half mile track. Then Patchen made an exhibition mile in 2 05¼, paced by the noted running horse Joe Cotton, an old Derby winner. This is the world's record for a half mile track. In the special trot for a $1,000 purse, Cephas, Benton M. and Page finished in 1, 2, 3 order in each heat; time, 2.13¾, 2.12, 2.11¾. In the last heat Cephas equalled his own record and broke the world's record for a half mile track.

Nuremberg Chess Tournament.

NUREMBERG, Aug. 7.

The adjourned game from the 16th round between Marco and Schlecter was drawn after nearly 100 moves.

To-day's pairing for the 17th round was No. 5, in which Schlechter had the bye.

The notable encounter was between Steinitz and Tschigorin, and in its early stage it looked like a win for the Russian, so bad was the veteran's position