THE EARTH CLAIMED

By Third Party Leaders, Who Are Expecting to Carry All the Sections

FROM MAINE TO OREGON.

They Can't See Where Old Parties Can Get a Corporal's Guard

TO VOTE FOR THEIR CANDIDATES.

The South to Be Split All to Pieces and the West Wrecked.

ENTHUSIASM OF PEOPLE'S PARTYITES

[FROM A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.]

WASHINGTON, Aug. 21.—I have just gone over with N. A. Dunning, editor of the *National Watchman*, the organ of the People's party, the work that has been done and that is being done in the third party movement in the various States, and I fancy the wide swath they claim to be cutting will surprise even those who have tried to keep pace with events as they have been announced from day to day as they have occurred. It may be interesting to group in a single statement the work up to this time of the party that is causing no little anxiety to the leaders of both the old parties.

Beginning in the far Southwest: Nugett has been nominated for Governor in Texas, a complete electoral ticket has been chosen, and candidates for Congress have been or will be nominated in every district, with a fair prospect of carrying several districts, the old Mills district among them, as Antony, the successor of Mills, had but 346 majority.

The result of the recent State election in Alabama leads the new party managers to expect pretty near a clean sweep in that State. There will be a complete Congressional ticket and an electoral ticket has been chosen. Old General "Joe" Wheeler, who got Tom Watson investigated to such poor purpose, has already acknowledged himself beaten, and has withdrawn. Colonel Herbert, of the Second district, has followed suit, and there is a strong probability that Judge Oates will drop out also.

States in the South Counted Up.

Mr. Dunning counts confidently on the election of every Congressman in Alabama for the People's party. It is expected that Kolb, who ran for Governor, will run for Congress in the Oates district.

The Arkansas election takes place on the 5th of September, and it is expected that the effect of the Alabama election will assist to give the People's party a great impetus there. Candidates have been nominated for Congress in every district, electors have been named and a leader named Carnahan has been nominated for Governor, with a complete State ticket. If, as is expected, the State ticket and a share of the Congressmen are elected, or if a big vote is given for the State ticket, the moral effect on Georgia will be tremendous, it is asserted, and in that case a clean sweep is counted on in the latter State.

A fight to the death is being waged in Georgia, where William L. Peck has been nominated for Governor, with a complete State Congressional and electoral tickets. Everything that can be thought of is being done to defeat Tom Watson, who is blamed for much of the discontent with the Democratic party in the South. Forty outside speakers, beside the best talent in the State, have been imported, and the district has been stumped from schoolhouse to schoolhouse, and from farm to farm, but Mr. Watson is thought to be invincible.

Florida to Be Swept Clean.

Pretty nearly a clean sweep is expected in Florida, where Congressional and electoral tickets are in the field. In South Carolina a similar state of things exists, except that there is a State ticket, and the canvass for Governor is so hot that riots are narrowly averted at nearly every meeting. Governor Tillman, who ran two years ago as a mixed Democrat and Alliance candidate, is now the avowed candidate of the People's party, and will be elected, it is asserted, almost beyond a doubt, with a sprinkling of Congressmen and the electoral ticket.

In North Carolina, State, Congressional and electoral tickets are in the field, Dr. Exum, one of the foremost men in the State, being the nominee for Governor.

In Virginia no State ticket is to be elected, but complete Congressional and electoral tickets will be put in the field. A thorough organization has been effected. Following the meeting of the State Committee 24 counties were organized in one week.

In West Virginia, Huston has been nominated for Governor, and State, electoral and Congressional tickets will be named.

Governor Buchanan's Walkover.

In Tennessee Governor Buchanan has been indorsed by the People's party, State and electoral tickets are up, and Congressional candidates were nominated in every district with the posible exception of that one now represented by Pierce, who has been renominated and who is a great favorite with the third party people. Several Congressmen are expected from this State.

Kentucky elects no State ticket, but a Congressional and electoral ticket will be put up and the party expect to make a break in the Congressional delegation.

A great fight is being waged in Missouri over State, Congressional and electoral tickets, with L. G. Leonard as the People's party candidate for Governor. Two or three Congressmen are counted on from this State.

In Mississippi it is expected that General Hooker and Private Lewis will be supplanted by People's party Congressmen. In Maryland candidates for Congress will be nominated in every district except those of Baltimore. In Louisiana the election of two Congressmen is confidently predicted.

Summing Up the Solid South.

To sum up the Southern States, complete Congressional tickets will be nominated in every one except Maryland. Victories are counted on for State, and where State officers are to be elected, electoral tickets, in Texas if the Democratic split be not healed, and in Alabama, Arkansas, Florida, Georgia, South Carolina, North Carolina and Tennessee, with a large proportion of the Congressmen and every one of the Legislatures, with Congressmen here and there from the other States, with a considerable portion of each of the Legislatures, if not the majority in each.

Coming to the Northern States, Mr. Dunning claims that Kansas, Nebraska, Colorado, Wyoming, Montana, Idaho and Nevada will all be taken out of the Republican line as regards the electoral and State tickets—that is, those which elect the latter—with most of the Congressmen, and a majority in the Legislatures. Even Oklahoma and Indian Territories have been organized, and, it is claimed, will send People's party delegates to Congress.

In Oregon, Washington, California, Wisconsin, Iowa, Minnesota, Michigan, Illinois, Indiana and Ohio a thorough organization has been or will be speedily effected, and electoral and Congressional candidates put up where they have not been already. Governors nominated in the States mentioned are Llewellyn in Kansas, Van Wyck in Nebraska, Cannon in California, and Ignatius Donnelly in Minnesota.

Great Gains Expected in Kansas.

In Kansas, Davis, Baker and Simpson, now representing the People's party in Congress, have been renominated and will be re-elected, while it is expected that Funston's and one or two other districts may be captured, with the State and electoral tickets.

A tremendous movement is reported from the West and Northwest. President Lourch, of the Alliance, from South Dakota, who has been in the city for several days, says there is such an uprising as no one could conceive of without he was in it.

Coming east, three or four Congressmen are expected from New York, and nominations will be made in every district except those of New York City. A branch of the St. Louis headquarters will be opened within a few days in New York to take care of the New England and the Middle States.

Congressmen will be nominated in the Nineteenth and Twenty-fourth districts of Pennsylvania; in Connecticut they expect to capture the balance of power in the Legislature; New Hampshire, Massachusetts, Maine and New Jersey will all be worked. Thirty clubs are now organized in New Hampshire and many in Massachusetts.

In Maine electoral and Congressional tickets have been nominated and two Congressmen named.

Even New Jersey to Get in Line.

It is expected that one Congressman will be captured in New Jersey. Of course the great vote is expected from the South and West, but so surprising a showing is anticipated, not only in those sections, but in the Eastern and Middle States, this year as to place the new party on a footing that will give it an even chance with the old parties in State elections in the near future, at the next Congressional election in 1894 and at the next Presidental election in 1896.

"These may be thought to be extravagant claims," said Mr. Dunning, "but all I ask you to do is to compare them with the returns from the November and previous elections. I predict you will say that the half has not been told. The attendance and enthusiasm at our meetings are marvelous. They far exceed those of the old parties in this respect. Why, I spoke the other day in the Virginia district where Meredith is a candidate for Congress. I had a tremendous audience, and a few days afterward, when Meredith spoke, he had only between 200 and 300. Over on the Eastern shore recently one of our speakers had upward of 1,000 in that sparsely settled country, and a few days afterward Senator Gibson, of Maryland, held a meeting at the same place and had less than 100. It is so all over. They want no more of the old parties.

The Subjects of Platform Talk.

"What do we talk about? The money question and transportation. We tell our speaker to let the tariff and the force bill alone. If we can get money of the proper kind and sufficient volume and transportation and communication under proper control, the tariff and force bill questions will take care of themselves. Our speakers have been drilled for years, and they are not afraid to meet any man in the country on the issues which we put forward. Down in Florida the other day a boy of 19 years fairly drove Senator Call from the rostrum, he used him up so badly in debate. The force bill? Why, you begin to shake the force bill issue in the face of our people in the South and they simply laugh at you. They are not afraid of negro domination."

"But will they not count you out, as it is claimed they did Kolb the other day in Alabama?" I asked.

"Why, my dear fellow," was the reply, "two can play at that game. Let them try it. If they do, we shall have a shotgun policy in dead earnest. Our people know something about that business. They have helped to count the negroes out in other days, and know how it is done. But let anybody try to work that game on them, and powder and cold lead will prevent all usurpation, and the Federal Government will be called upon to settle the matter in the courts.

Money Coming in From the People.

"That is the kind of a force bill we will employ. But I don't think they will attempt any such outrages. In this case it will not be white man against negro, but white man against white man, and I think if the negro takes any part in the fight it will be on the side of those who, no matter what sins they have committed in the past, are now determined to have a free ballot and a fair count throughout the whole South or know the reason why.

"Where do we get our money? The money comes in small sums from the people who are going to do the voting. Among the farmers certain acres of wheat and corn, or other products, are planted for the benefit of the party, and the proceeds will be given to pay campaign expenses. I will venture to say that 10,000 acres of wheat are devoted this year to the party's cause. Where can you find the counterpart of that? Not since the days of the crusades has such exalted enthusiasm been shown in any cause. I tell you, you can't crush a movement which has such supporters."

DROWNED AT LONG BRANCH.

A Young Man Carried Away by a Breaker While in Bathing.

LONG BRANCH, Aug. 21.—[*Special.*]—Frank McKenna, the 19-year-old son of ex-Commander Thomas McKenna, of this place, and a graduate of the Lehigh University, at Bethlehem, Pa., was drowned while in bathing at the Atlantic Hotel grounds this afternoon. Frank, together with his brother Thomas, had gone in bathing. He was struck by a big breaker which almost strangled him, and before he recovered he was carried seaward. Finding it was impossible to save himself the now almost exhausted bather called for help.

The young man's cry was answered by his brother and the bathing master. Before they could reach him, however, he had sank, and Thomas had to dive after him twice before he succeeded in finding him. Among the crowd at the beach was the young man's father and sister, and strong arms had to hold the father from jumping into the surf.

RUSSIA HAS A LABOR RIOT.

Steel Rail Workers Fire Houses, Plunder the Factory and Demolish Works.

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 21.—A serious labor riot occurred yesterday at Ekaterinlav. Workmen employed in Mr. Hughes' steel rail factory set fire to a number of workmen's dwellings, plundered the factory and had begun to demolish the furnaces when a military detachment that had been summoned arrived on the scene.

A sharp encounter then took place between the troops and the workmen, and several persons were killed and a large number wounded before the riot was suppressed. The damage done to property is so great that it will take three months to effect repairs.

A BIG CONTRACT CAPTURED.

Americans to Build a Million-Dollar Market at Lima, Peru.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 21.—[*Special*]—News comes from Lima, Peru, that the firm of Rix & Birrill, of this city, has secured the Government contract for rebuilding a grand market at the Peruvian capital, to cost between $800,000 and $1,000,000.

The architect is A. Page Brown, of San Francisco, who has designed an ornamental structure, with spacious colonades below and loggias around the tower. This contract is noteworthy as the first which an American firm has secured in Peru in years.

A Crisis in Buenos Ayres.

LONDON, Aug. 21.—The *Standard's* Buenos Ayres correspondent says: "President Pellegrini has resigned in consequence of a conflict between the Executive and Congress, the outcome of the refusal of the Minister of Marine to answer an interpellation in regard to the naval estimates. Congress has requested Senor Saenz Pena to assume the reins of government."

Another Bering Sea Arbitrator.

ROME, Aug. 21.—Marquis Visconti Venosta, ex-Minister and Senator, has been appointed Italian member of the Bering Sea Arbitration Commission.

JACK ROBINSON BUSY

Preparing for the State League Convention at Williamsport

TO TAKE PLACE SEPTEMBER 28.

He Talks in a Breezy Way of State and National Politics and

INTRICACIES OF THE NEW BALLOT LAW

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.]

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 21.—"The State League of Republican clubs will meet in convention at Williamsport, September 28, and I am in the city to send out the proper circulars giving that date along with other matters," said Congressman John B. Robinson, at the Lafayette Hotel, this evening. "It will be a larger convention than last year, and the various clubs will have a big share in the Presidental campaign."

Congressman Robinson came down from Highland Lake to-day, and is here for work. He said that the Republican League Club headquarters at Thirteenth and Chestnut streets will be open regularly after this week, and everything is a go from to-day. Among those who met him this evening was General Charles L. Leiper, whose son was but recently appointed to a cadetship in the Annapolis Naval Academy through his instrumentality.

"Are you a candidate for re-election as President of the State League?"

"I am a candidate in the sense that there is no other candidate in the field," was the Congressman's reply. "I know of no opposition and have heard of none. Mayor Stuart has assured me that he is not on the list, nor has he at any time considered the subject. This removes the only doubt in the situation, and leaves the clear course my friends most desire.

Pros at Membership of the League.

"There were 200 clubs represented last year at Scranton, and this year there will be more. A number of clubs, it will be remembered, paid dues more than a year ago, and our Executive Committee, which is comprised of a member from each of the 28 Congressional districts, will unquestionably allow all clubs admission to the convention who paid dues last year. Many of the clubs have quietly elected delegates and forwarded the customary notice, but there is really no contest anywhere in sight.

"The State League will be a valuable auxiliary to Chairman Reeder's work in this State. The convention at Williamsport meets in the new Opera House, one of the best appointed buildings of its kind in the country. The National Convention meets September 15, but the Pennsylvania delegates to that body were elected last year. On the list of Speakers for the Williamsport Convention appears the names of General John M. Clarkson, Governor McKinley, Whitelaw Reid, ex-Speaker Thomas B. Reed, ex-Governor J. B. Foraker and Congressman Charles A. Boutelle.

Trouble About the New Ballot Law.

Congressman Robinson referred incidentally to the new Baker ballot law as "an instrument but little understood. Unless the voters are thoroughly educated up to its various provisions it will cause a great deal of trouble," he added. "and explanation cannot begin too soon on that score. I honestly believe the vote will not be even with the vote of a Presidental year, unless the public grasp the details better than is now apparent. General Reeder and Secretary of State Harrity are likely to come together on some agreement by which the new law will be better interpreted than it is now, and in such event the process of education will be defined along a general line, and not be so awfully mixed up as seems now to be the case.

"I find very intelligent men very much at sea respecting what the terms of the Baker law really mean, and where you come across such a state of things there is just cause for alarm touching the voters generally. I was about six weeks in finding out what the law meant myself, and I helped to pass it. As it now stands there is plenty of annoyance and trouble ahead for both sides, and if the provisions are carried out to the letter the vote will be below expectations."

Reasons Why Harrison Will Win.

"How do you view President Harrison's chances?"

"The national campaign has hardly begun, and in fact does not appear to be beyond the usual preliminaries, but it may be a very even thing all through. Both sides are waiting to play on the mistakes of the leaders, and the recent Gorman-Vest venture to bring Dana and the force bill forward at an issue and Dana's direction to go to Senator Hill as the proper person to appeal to for advice on the subject is quite funny, to say the least. It shows that Chairman Harrity has either a divided National Committee to deal with or hesitates to take up the Cleveland tariff reform idea as the direct and sole topic for this year.

"Again, while West Virginia, North Carolina and Tennessee are wavering in the Democratic column, the West presents some interesting features. The Farmers' Alliance is an unknown quantity, and introduces doubts and distrust rather confusing to old-timers. General Harrison has made a good President. His vigorous foreign policy, along with Republican pledges fulfilled in the McKinley tariff bill, are excellent playing cards, and his chances are not of the misty kind. Bedford Springs has been quite a political center this summer and I found sentiment there inclined largely to the belief that President Harrison was a sure winner."

Congressman Robinson goes to Media tomorrow and expects to devote his energies to Republican hustling right along now. He is in dandy fighting trim, and as President of the State League has a big army of young Republicans at his back.

CONFIDENT OF HIS STATE.

West Virginia's Attorney General Certain the Democrats Will Win Out There.

NEW YORK, Aug. 21.—[*Special.*]—Alfred Caldwell, Attorney General of West Virginia, who has been in the city for several days, left for his home in Wheeling yesterday. Before his departure he was interviewed regarding the political situation in his State. "It is useless," said Mr. Caldwell, "to attempt to conceal the fact that West Virginia is a close State. It is equally undeniable that it is normally Democratic. At recent Presidental elections the Republicans have struggled desperately to capture our electoral vote, but have failed, as they will again this year. In 1888 we beat them by 506 plurality. I have many reasons for confidence that Cleveland's majority over Harrison will be very much larger next November.

"The Republicans will of course fight very hard. There will also be a large negro vote of workmen imported from the black belt into a section where there is much railroad construction. Their State ticket is very inferior to that in 1888, when General Goff was a candidate for Governor. Thomas E. Davis, of Grafton, the present nominee, is not capable of making a vigorous and popular canvass. On the other hand, the Democratic nominee, W. A. McCorkle, is a vigorous campaigner and a popular man. West Virginia Democrats understand that they must fight to hold their State, and they will win, because they will spare no reasonable or proper effort."

CLOSE OF A BITTER CAMPAIGN

And All the Candidates Live to See Election Day Approaching.

LAURENS, S. C., Aug. 21.—The South Carolina campaign closed here yesterday. Contrary to expectations all the candidates live, though many of their friends bear wounds as the result of yesterday's meeting. The feeling was intense, and the crowd of 2,000 was in a fighting humor. When Tillman took the stand, after several speeches had been made, a riot was precipitated between several score of the two factions. Sticks and clubs flew through the air, and for ten minutes the fighting was vicious and vigorous. Pistols were drawn by the outsiders, but the actual participants in the fight contented themselves with the use of clubs and fists. Every man on the outside waited for the other fellow to fire first.

The speakers witnessed the fight from the stand with much interest and some fear that shooting might be commenced. When the rioters stopped fighting from actual exhaustion the meeting proceeded, but the speeches were temperate. Governor Tillman made no reply to the denunciations Colonel Youmans had heaped upon him at Newberry Thursday, and Colonel Youmans, at the request of citizens desirous of avoiding any more bloodshed, did not speak at all.

Eleven Candidates for One Place.

YOUNGSTOWN, Aug. 21.—[*Special.*]—A call has been issued for the Democratic Congressional Convention in the Eighteenth district, to be held at Alliance on Tuesday, September 6, and the indications are that the session will be the liveliest ever held in this section of the State. At the present time there are 11 candidates hustling for the honor of meeting Morgan, the Republican candidate. Mahoning county has two candidates, Columbiana four, and Stark county five.

Lesser Work of the Leaders.

MAGISTRATE C. S. BATES, of Harrod's Creek, Ky., has been nominated for Congress in the Fifth district by the People's party.

THE Tennessee Republican Executive Committee organized Saturday. A proposition was made to the Democratic State Executive Committee for a joint campaign and discussion between Winsted, Republican nominee for Governor, and Turney, the Democratic nominee, which was declined.

ANOTHER LABOR OUTBREAK.

Wisconsin Iron Strikers Assault Two Workmen, Killing One and Mortally Wounding the Other—The Dead Body Dragged Away—Iron Workers Being Arrested.

SUPERIOR, Wis., Aug. 21.—For days the strikers at the steel works here have been prophesying "developments." When asked if the strike was not ended, as a matter of fact, their places having been filled, they have replied, "wait and see." No particular attention has been paid to these threats, the guards about the mills being really withdrawn.

At 11:30 o'clock last night Andy Gardner and J. W. Jones, two members of the Amalgamated Association who deserted the strikers and returned to work, started to walk to the steel plant division of the city, five miles from West Superior. Just as they reached the Northern Pacific tracks, midway on their journey, at a dark and unfrequented place, they were attacked by 15 men, supposed to be the Amalgamated crowd. Five shots were fired and clubs and knives used freely. Before the polige arrived the assailants disappeared in the darkness.

Jones was cut and beaten until insensible. Gardner is missing, and a telephone message from the plant at 1:30 A. M. says he is undoubtedly dead. A pool of blood was found where he had lain, and indications on the ground point to his being dragged off. Amalgamated men are being arrested as fast as found, Manager Mattes swearing out warrants. Seven are thus far found. Jones is still unconscious and may die.

REVOLUTION BY DYNAMITE.

The President of Bolivia Declares the Republic in a State of Siege.

VALPARAISO, Aug. 21.—News from Bolivia reports the discovery of several cases of dynamite cartridges and ammunition in the Custom House at La Paz. The discovery has created intense excitement, and President Baptista has issued a proclamation, stating that it has been deemed necessary to declare the whole republic in a state of siege and to continue the same, as the Government is fully aware of Camaeco's intention to create a revolutionary movement.

A very uneasy feeling exists throughout the entire republic, and there are many partisans of Camacho ready to act at Corocoro, Ambraneo, La Paz and Arica. Despite the Governments claim of quietude, there is a strong undercurrent in favor of revolt, and well-informed people declare that Baptista's seat is very insecure.

CANADA TAKEN BY SURPRISE

By the President's Proclamation, But Will Probably Not Give In.

OTTAWA, ONT., Aug. 21.—The intelligence that President Harrison issued his proclamation against Canada created no little excitement here. The members of the Government, with the exception of the Postmaster General, the Minister of Railways and Canals and the Minister of Agriculture, are out of town. None of the Ministers here are disposed to express any decided opinion at present as to what action Canada will take, now that the American "Soo" canal is to all intents and purposes closed to Canadian vessels owing to prohibitory duties.

President Harrison's action was totally unexpected. Judging from the undercurrent of feeling displayed in official circles the Canadian Government will likely not yield. It is surmised that a full meeting of the Cabinet will be held at an early date to consider the situation.

MAY LOSE ITS RIVER.

The Mississippi Cutting a New Channel Miles Away From Natchez.

CINCINNATI, Aug. 21.—[*Special.*]—River men who have just come up the Mississippi river say that Natchez is threatened with a serious danger. During the recent high water a new channel was cut across the peninsula two or three miles from Natchez, and the water is still pouring through.

If a cut-off should prove permanent, the river will empty into a lower outlet of Lake Concordia, in which case it would probably cut through back of Vidalia, Ark., leaving Natchez miles from the river. There is great alarm at Natchez, and the citizens are clamorous for work to begin to save the river for the town.

COLD-BLOODED ASSASSINATION.

A Brave Texas Sheriff Shot in the Back by an Unknown Murderer.

BROWNSVILLE, TEX., Aug. 21.—S. A. Brito, Sheriff of Cameron county, was assassinated at 2:30 this morning while returning from a fandango just outside the city. Brito was in a carriage on his way home accompanied by two of his deputies. Shortly after they started, some person or persons rode up behind the carriage and fired shots through the leather curtain at the back. Both struck Brito, killing him instantly. He was well known on the frontier as a terror to evil doers, and as such made many enemies among the criminal classes. There is no clue to the murderer.

Another Atlantic City Body Recovered.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Aug. 21.—The naphtha launch plying between Brigantine and Atlantic City to-day found the body of Furman Manning, the Atlantic City fisherman, who was drowned while out yesterday morning with Charles Seaman and Daniel Parker. The body was brought to shore and taken to his late residence here. Parker's body is the only one of the three that has not been found.

Death of a Veteran of 1812.

SAN DIEGO, CAL., Aug. 21.—Dr. Lewis Past died to-day, aged 97. He served in the War of 1812, and for many years thereafter practiced medicine in New York and Chicago. He came to this city 23 years ago.

THE WONDERS NEXT.

Johnny Ward and His Brooklyn Team to Tackle Our Sluggers To-Day.

SOME TALK ABOUT PITCHERS.

The Veteran Horseman, Sam Keys, Wins on Hal Pointer's Record Breaking.

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The League Record.

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Cleveland	22	9	.710	Baltimore	16	15	.516
New York	17	12	.586	Louisville	15	16	.484
Philadelphia	18	13	.581	Cincinnati	13	18	.419
Brooklyn	18	13	.581	Chicago	12	19	.387
Pittsburg	16	14	.533	Washington	11	20	.355
Boston	16	14	.533	St. Louis	10	21	.323

JOHNNY WARD'S WONDERS.

They Will Be Here To-Day to Tackle Our Victorious Sluggers.

Manager John M. Ward has still lots of confidence in his team winning the second pennant. He and his players will be at Exposition Park to tackle our sluggers, and a lively game may be looked for. Both teams are playing great ball, and Manager Ward was never more anxious in his life to win games than at present.

It is well understood that clubs are extremely eager to win the second pennant so as to get a whack of the games for the world's championship. This is a very important feature in the estimation of President Byrnes and Manager Ward. It is likely that Haddock will pitch for the visitors to-day, and Ehret for the home team.

Haddock and Ehret are both great pitchers and are apparently just in their prime. Writing about pitchers an Eastern authority says: "The pitchers are learning from observation that their days on the diamond are limited if they can do nothing else but pitch. When their arms grow weak and they can no longer deceive the heavy hitters, they must retire from the diamond. Only one of the men who pitched in 1876, when the League came into existence, is playing in the box to-day, and only one of the 18 who occupied the box for an Association club in the first year of its existence, is now able to pitch winning ball, and he is Tony Mullane. The Association came into existence in 1882 and Mullane's cotemporaries then and now are Galvin, Keefe, Welsh and Ward. Galvin is with St. Louis, Keefe is with Philadelphia, Ward has become the managing captain of the Brooklyns and Welsh has been relegated to the Troy club.

"There are men still playing ball who were at one time pitchers, but they saw the necessity of doing something beside merely pitching a ball. 'Tip' O'Neil, of Cincinnati, was a New York twirler when Von der Ahe first signed him and Comiskey trained him into an outfielder. Under this captain Caruthers and Foutz also got their training. Halliday, the Cincinnati outfielder, began his career as a pitcher for the St. Josephs in 1885. Corkhill, now retired, Captain Tebeau, of Cleveland, and Van Haltren, of Baltimore, have also tried their hands as pitchers. Mike Tiernan was considered a left-handed twirler when he signed with the New Yorks, and Elmer Smith, one of Pittsburg's players, sought honors on the diamond as a pitcher."

It might be well for many pitchers, both in Pittsburg and in other places, to try and learn to field."

Baltimore, 8—St. Louis, 2.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 21—The Browns looked all over winners to-day up to the eighth inning, but the Baltimores took advantage of a couple of questionable decisions and batted out a victory. Attendance 8,000. Score:

ST. LOUIS	R	B	P	A	E	BALTIMORE	R	B	P	A	E
Crooks, 2	1	2	2	1	1	Shindle, 2	2	1	0	4	1
Moriarity, l	1	0	1	0	1	Vaughn, m	1	0	2	0	0
Glasscock, s	0	1	0	2	0	Sutcliffe, l	1	0	13	0	0
Werden, 1	0	1	11	1	1	Stovey, 1	1	0	1	0	0
Brodie, m	0	0	1	0	0	Ward, r	1	1	3	0	1
Wolf, r	0	0	1	0	0	O'Rourke, s	0	2	2	4	0
Ruehne, 3	0	0	1	3	2	Stricker, 2	1	1	2	1	0
Buckley, c	0	1	7	1	1	Gunson, c	1	1	4	1	0
Br'tst'n, p	0	0	0	4	0	Cobb, p	1	1	0	3	0
Hawke, p	0	0	0	1	0						
Total	2	5	24	13	6	Total	8	7	27	13	2

St. Louis.....1 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0—2
Baltimore.....0 0 0 0 0 1 0 7 0—8

SUMMARY—Earned runs—St. Louis, 1. Two-base hit—Crooks. Stolen bases—Moriarity, Werden 2, Van Haltren 2. Double plays—O'Rourke and Sutcliffe. First base on balls—Off Hawke, 1; off Breitenstein, 3; off Cobb, 2. Hit by pitched ball—By Cobb, 1. Struck out—By Breitenstein, 3; by Cobb, 4. Wild pitches—Hawke, 1. Time of game—Two hours. Umpire—Barnie.

Louisville, 7—Washington, 3.

LOUISVILLE, Aug. 21.—The Colonels made it three straights with the Senators to-day. Brown and Dowd both made fine catches in the field. Weather fine. Attendance, 6,000. Score:

LOUISVILLE	R	B	P	A	E	WASH'GT'N	R	B	P	A	E
Brown, m	0	0	3	0	0	Duffee, 3	0	0	0	5	0
Taylor, r	1	1	0	0	0	Dowd, r	1	1	0	0	0
Weaver, l	0	1	1	0	0	Twitchell, l	0	1	3	0	0
Pfeffer, 2	1	1	3	3	0	Hoy, m	0	1	1	0	0
Bassett, 3	1	0	1	0	1	McGuire, c	2	2	7	1	0
Jennings, s	1	1	2	5	0	Berger, s	0	2	2	1	1
Whistler, 1	2	1	12	0	0	Hawke, 1	0	0	18	0	1
Grim, c	1	3	4	3	1	Milligan, l	0	0	18	0	1
Clausen, p	0	0	0	1	0	Richards'n, 2	0	0	0	0	0
						Meekin, p	0	0	0	5	0
Total	7	8	27	12	2	Total	3	7	27	12	2

Louisville.....0 2 0 1 4 0 0 0 0—7
Washington.....0 1 0 1 0 0 0 0 1—3

SUMMARY—Earned runs—Louisville, 4; Washington, 1. Two-base hits—Grim, Jennings, Pfeffer, McGuire. Three-base hit—Grim. Stolen bases—Whistler. Double plays—Jennings to Pfeffer to Whistler; Pfeffer to Jennings to Whistler. First base on balls—Off Meekin, 4. Struck out—Jennings, Twitchell, McGuire, Meekin, Dowd. Passed balls—Grim. Wild pitch—Clausen. Time of game—One hour and 50 minutes. Umpire—McQuaid.

SATURDAY'S LEAGUE GAMES.

At Pittsburg—
Pittsburg.....0 2 0 0 0 0 0 2 1 *—5
Boston.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1—1
Batteries—Baldwin and Miller; Nichols and Ganzell.

At Cleveland—First game—
Cleveland.....1 0 0 2 0 1 0 0—4
New York.....0 4 1 0 0 0 0 1 *—6
Batteries—Young and Zimmer; Crane and Ewing.

Second game—
Cleveland.....0 0 0 1 1 0 0 0 1—3
New York.....0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0—2
Batteries—Cuppy and Zimmer; King and Ewing.

At Louisville—
Louisville.....1 0 0 2 0 0 0 1 0—4
Washington.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2—2
Batteries—Stratton and Merritt; Killen and McGuire.

At Chicago—
Chicago.....0 3 1 0 0 0 2 0 0—6
Brooklyn.....2 0 7 0 0 0 0 5 *—9
Batteries—Miller and Kittredge; Kennedy and Kinslow.

At Cincinnati—
Cincinnati.....2 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0—3
Philadelphia.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0
Batteries—Dwyer and Mahoney; Weyhing and Cross.

At St. Louis—
St. Louis.....0 1 2 3 0 0 0 0 2—8
Baltimore.....0 0 1 3 0 0 0 0 0—4
Batteries—Gleason and Buckley; Vickery and Robinson.

To-Day's League Schedule.

Brooklyn at Pittsburg, Boston at St. Louis New York at Chicago, Philadelphia at Cleveland, Baltimore at Louisville, Washington at Cincinnati.

Young Americas Downed.

BRADDOCK, Aug. 21.—[*Special.*]—One of the finest games of the season was played here yesterday between the Young Americas, of this place, and the Mansfield County League team. The score:

Young Americas.....0 1 0 3 0 0 1 0—5
Mansfield.....2 2 2 0 0 0 1 *—7

Base hits—Y. A., 7; Mansfield, 9. Errors—Y. A., 6; Mansfield, 4. Batteries—Jackson and Shelby for Y. A.; Smith and Boyd for Mansfield. Time of game—Two hours. Umpire—Rose.

Thinks Jewett a Champion.

NEW YORK, Aug. 21.—[*Special.*]—Mike Murphy, the Detroit Athletic Club trainer, in a letter written to a friend in this city, expresses the opinion that Jewett will win the 100 and 220-yard runs at the athletic championships this fall. He says that he is satisfied Jewett can do 9 4-5 for the 100. Western young men are extremely fond of smashing records, but as accurate times are difficult to find, their performances are always clouded with doubt. It is generally hoped here that Jewett will turn up on October 1 and duplicate his alleged performance at Cleveland. Athletes say that should he be able to do so he and his friends can return to Detroit with wallets well lined with New York and Manhattan Athletic Club greenbacks.

PITTSBURG'S VETERAN HORSEMAN.

Sam Keys Won a Good Bet on Hal Pointer's Big Performance.

CHICAGO, Aug. 21.—[*Special.*]—"When, years ago, I first went with the trotters," said a middle-aged man at Washington Park yesterday, "it was no uncommon thing to see all the horses in the air at the same moment, and the horse trotting three heats without a break was indeed a wonder. Yet, nowadays, the horse leaving his feet is the odd one, which goes to show that the trotting horse will soon be a thoroughbred."

Sam Keys, of Pittsburg, is one of the old-time trotting turfmen visiting Chicago. Never was there a more popular old man than the same "Uncle Sam," who for many years "fished" along to victory the famous old gray pacing mare, Lucy. In many a hard-fought split heat race Mr. Keys took down the money, and the public loved to back a choice who was always "trying." Lucy was one of the famous quartet constituting the "Big Four," the others being Sleepy Tom, Mattie Hunter and Rowdy Boy.

It was thought that the first two named pacers outclassed the gray mare, and her price was always 15 to 1 at the start of the race.

But one day at Buffalo she won the first heat in 2:14 (her record), and then she became the favorite at 100 to 30, only to be beaten finally by Sorrel Dan. Mr. Keys then said: "If any pacer goes the first part of a race fast he must die the finishing heats. Just as surely as where the first half of a mile is fast the other will be slow. Lucy is no quicker than many other horses, only she lays away at first only to finish strong."

Lucy is dead years ago, but Colonel Sam Keys is as cripper as may be, and that he is no pessimist is shown by his wager o $500 at even money that Hal Pointer would beat the 2:09¾ of Johnston.

"'Processions' wont do to catch the public," said a turf critic at Washington Park. I mean that when the trotters contest in races there is scarcely such a thing known as a hotly fought out finish. Oh, yes, sometimes two and possibly three horses are head and head at the wire, but when did you ever see five or six coming 'heads on' at the last eighth. Then even if two horses finish together, where are the others? strung out like a string of herrings, ain't they? Is there a way to remedy this? I think so. What's the matter with handicapping trotters by putting weight on the sulky. You can stop anything with weight.

"Then 'classes' would be unknown after horses gained records, and there would be a chance for such animals as get a certain mark and are not able to beat it to win a race occasionally.

"Isn't the matter worth looking into? I should say so."

WHAT WILLIAMS SAYS.

He Denies That Maher Had a Barroom Row With Hall.

CHICAGO, Aug. 21.—[*Special.*]—Tom Williams, the Australian welter-weight champion, whose arrival in this country is likely to create a fistic sensation, reports Jim Hall as fitting himself in superb shape for his contest with Ted Pritchard next Monday. Williams, too, gives the lie to the cabled story of a fracas between Hall and Peter Maher. Under date of August 4 the Australian star writes to a friend of his now here as follows:

LONDON, Aug. 4.

DEAR JACK—Your letter received, but have no new particulars, only that I am just up out of bed again and hope to be well again in another week or two. I would not advise you to make a match for me yet, as I have had a very bad time. Two operations do not improve one, but I think now they have found the bottom of it, and hope to be well soon. I am getting heavy again. I will try and get over to see the big fights win Hall after his fight. What you ask about Peter Maher and Hall and the rest of the story is not true. Maher has never been in England, and Jim Hall has been keeping to his work like a brick. He is well and just at weight. He can fight strong at 11 stone 6 pounds. I see Dawson won from Needham. Best regards from Choynski. Yours sincerely,

TOM WILLIAMS.

The gentleman who received the above is an Australian sportsman of no mean note and undoubted stamina in backing an opinion once formed. He announces his readiness to wager $5,000 that Williams, when matched, will win against any man of his weight in America.

There will have to be a hustle when the antipodian crack reaches these shores.

DIXON AND M'AULIFFE AT WORK.

How Each Trains for the Coming Battle at New Orleans.

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 21.—The fighters training across the lake