NATIONAL CIRCUIT RACE MEETING

Attracted a Large Number of Fast Riders to Wilkes-Barre.

BALD, SANGER AND MANY OTHERS

They Took Part in the Professional Contests--Scranton Had Several Riders in the Amateur Events and they Made Good Showings--Summaries of the Various Races.

Special to the Scranton Tribune.

Wilkes-Barre, Sept. 16.—The National circuit race meet here today, under the auspices of the West Side Wheelmen, was a grand success. The management was first class, weather perfect, racing very fast, and the attendance fully five thousand.

A better field of riders was never brought together. Among the professionals who competed were: E. C. Bald, Tommie Butler, Walter Sanger, Tom Cooper, J. P. Starbuck, E. S. Acker, Con Baker, Ray McDonald, Clinton Davis, L. A. Callahan, F. J. Jenny, J. A. Newhouse, F. H. Allen, Arthur Gardiner, Otto Zeigler, Pat O'Connor, Owen Kimble, Charles Wells, Fred Longhead, A. D. Kennedy, A. C. Mertens, F. McFarland, Otto Maya and Carroll B. Jack.

In the amateur events were such riders as C. W. Krick, W. G. Douglas, John B. Corser, G. W. Thorne, A. F. Diffenderfer, Ralph Gregory, Charles Coleman, Robert White, Ben Keller, Will McMichael, J. N. Harry and a score more.

HALF MILE OPEN.

Otto Zeigler, E. S. Acker, Fred Longhead, Tom Cooper, Arthur Gardiner, L. A. Coleman, J. A. Newhouse, Walter Sanger and Jay Eaton qualified for the one-half mile open professional, the final of which was paced by A. C. Mertens, of Louisville, Ky. Newhouse caught the pace, the others stringing on behind in single file until the quarter pole was reached, when the juggling for a good place to sprint from took place. They swung into the stretch in a bunch, Zeigler, Sanger, Gardiner and Cooper to the front. A desperate finish followed, Zeigler, Gardiner and Cooper fought it out all the way to the tape, finishing in the above order.

No event of the day seemed to attract more interest than the one-mile amateur. It was ridden in two heats, Corser, Diffenderfer, White, Krick, Thorne and Keller getting places for the final. It was in this event that R. V. White and Ben Keller, the young Scranton riders, surprised the fast ones by winning second and third prizes respectively, thereby defeating Corser and Douglass, who are considered two of the very fastest amateurs on the track today.

DIFFE CAUGHT THE PACE.

Diffenderfer, of Binghamton, caught the pace, the riders stringing on behind in one, two, three order. Krick jumped at the last quarter, closely followed by White, Corser and Keller. The finish was a whirlwind, and it looked as though they would finish in the above order, but when a few feet from the tape, Keller, of Scranton, developed a wonderful sprint, beating Corser out for third by half a wheel. Krick first White second. The Scranton contingent broke lose about this time and cheered the favorites to the echo.

The professional event of the day, viz. the one-mile open, clearly demonstrated the fact that Eddie Bald isn't a has-been, as many claim. The following men lined up for the final in this event: E. C. Bald, Arthur Gardiner, L. A. Callahan, Tom Butler, Fred Longhead, E. S. Acker, Tom Cooper, Jay Eaton and Otto Zeigler. It was paced by Mertens and Wells on singles, each rider taking the pace for one half mile. It was a great race, the finish bringing the audience to their feet. The entire bunch swung into the stretch together, lined completely across the track. Bald finished first with one of his old-time "corkscrew sprints," closely followed by Longhead, Butler and Callahan. Bald's win was a popular one. It especially pleased Sanger, who cheered the White Flyer like mad, and afterwards nearly hugged him to death.

VICTORY FOR KRICK.

Krick won the two-mile lap amateur with eleven points, with Douglass second and Corser and Thorne tie for third. Corser would undoubtedly have done better had he not fell on the third lap, badly wrecking his wheel, compelling him to withdraw with still another lap, in which was a chance to score. He was riding in good form and would most certainly have scored again.

An amusing feature in the one-half mile state championship occurred at the tape before starting. Only League of American Wheelmen members can ride in such events. About a dozen riders lined up for the start. Referee Price asked each rider "if he was a league member," and it was found that only four of the lot were members, consequently only four riders started. Krick had what is commonly known as a "cinch," winning out easily. No Scranton riders were in the event.

The long mark man was too much for the short mark riders in the one-mile amateur handicap, Sturdevant, a Wilkes-Barre man, winning from the 110-yard mark. Thorne, of Binghamton, was second from forty-five yards, with Krick third from scratch.

The two-mile handicap for professionals was another case of poor handicapping. The short mark men never caught to "far-a-ways." Sanger and Gardiner rode from the scratch and rode well, too, catching the first bunch very handily, but the limit bunch was too far away, both scratch men riding into it on the home stretch, but too late to get through. Williamson, of Niagara Falls, won first from 125 yards, with Clinton W. Davis, of Buffalo, second, from the same mark.

C. M. Price, of Scranton, was referee, and did his work well and to the entire satisfaction of all concerned.

THE SUMMARIES.

One-mile novice—Del Brown, Wilkes-Barre, won; S. W. Hendershot, Plymouth, second; E. P. Gaston, Wilkes-Barre, third. Time, 2.24 2-5.

Half-mile open (pro.)—First heat, Otto Zeigler, won; E. S. Acker, second; Fred Longhead, third. Time, 1.15. Second heat, Tom Cooper, won; Arthur Gardner, second; L. A. Callahan, third. Time, 1.16. Third heat, L. A. Newhouse, won; Walter Sanger, second; Jay Eaton, third. Time, 1.14 3-5. Final heat, Otto Zeigler, won ($100); Walter Sanger, second ($50); Arthur Gardner, third ($30). Time, 1.03 1-5.

One-mile open (amateur)—First heat, J. B. Corser, won; A. F. Diffenderfer, second; R. V. White, third; Charles Coleman, fourth. Time, 2.35 2-5. Second heat, C. W. Krick, won; G. W. Thorne, second; B. F. Keller, third; W. G. Douglass, fourth. Time, 2.29. Final heat, C. W. Krick, won; R. V. White, second; B. F. Keller, third. Time, 2.19.

Half-mile, boys—G. N. Harry, Berwick, won; J. J. Weber, Pittston, second; Henry Keil, Miners Mills, third. Time, 1.22 3-5.

One-mile open (professional)—First heat, E. C. Bald, won; Arthur Gardner, second; L. A. Callahan, third. Time, 2.31 2-5. Second heat, Tom Butler, won; Fred Longhead, second; E. S. Acker, third. Time, 2.30 3-5. Third heat, Tom Cooper, won; Jay Eaton, second; Otto Zeigler, third. Time, 2.24 2-5. Final heat, E. C. Bald, won ($100); Fred Longhead, second ($50); Tom Butler, third ($30); L. A. Callahan, fourth ($20). Time, 2.07.

Two-mile lap (amateur)—C. W. Krick, won; W. G. Douglas, second; J. B. Corser and George Thorne, tie for third. Time, 5.11.

Half-mile state championship—C. W. Krick, won in 1.03 2-5.

Two-mile handicap (professional)—W. H. Williamson, won ($100); C. W. Davis, second ($50); H. C. Clarke, third ($30); George Bowler, fourth ($20). Time, 4.36.

One-mile handicap (amateur)—Robert Sturdevant, won (110 yards); George Thorne, second (45 yards); C. W. Krick, third (scratch); W. G. Douglas, fourth (15 yards). Time, 2.11 3-5.

Otto Zeigler broke the paced half-mile state record, doing the distance in 55 flat.

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NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Percentage Record.

	P.	W.	L.	P.C.
Baltimore	121	85	36	.702
Cleveland	121	76	45	.629
Cincinnati	121	75	46	.611
Chicago	124	70	54	.564
Boston	121	68	53	.562
Pittsburg	122	63	59	.516
Philadelphia	122	60	62	.492
New York	121	60	63	.496
Brooklyn	123	55	68	.447
Washington	123	54	69	.438
St. Louis	125	37	88	.296
Louisville	122	34	88	.279

Cincinnati-Pittsburg.

Pittsburg, Sept. 16.—Cincinnati won both games from Pittsburg today, rubbing it in on the home team by shutting them out twice. Score:

First game—		R.	H.	E.
Pittsburg	000000000—0	0	6	4
Cincinnati	100000100—2	9	9	0

Batteries—Hastings, Hughey and Merritt; Rhines and Gray. Umpire—Sheridan.

Second game—		R.	H.	E.
Pitsburg	000000000—0	5	1	
Cincinnati	00301000 0—4	5	1	

Batteries—Hawley and Sugden; Dwyer and Gray. Umpire—Sheridan.

Boston-Baltimore.

Baltimore, Sept. 16.—McGraw's errors gave today's game to Boston. "Joe" Corbett pitched the last four innings, and but one hit was made off him. Score: R.H.E.

Baltimore	20103000—6	11	2
Boston	02231000—8	13	1

Batteries—Pond, Corbett and Robinson; Stivetts and Gansel. Umpire—Lynch.

Cleveland-Chicago.

Cleveland, O., Sept. 16.—Cleveland won in a walk in today's game with Chicago. The play was marked by continual wrangling on the part of Anson who took exception to Emslie's decisions at every opportunity. Score: R.H.E.

Cleveland	01002010 0—4	8	4
Chicago	00100000 0—1	4	3

Batteries—Cuppy and Zimmer; Griffith and Donohue. Umpire—Emslie.

Philadelphia-New York.

New York, Sept. 16.—The New York's, barring one or two men, could do nothing with Carsey's pitching today, while the Philadelphias hit Meekin freely and played superior ball. The game abounded in fine plays. Delehanty, Thompson, Joyce and Davis carried off the honors. Score: R.H.E.

New York	000101000—2	9	1
Philadelphia	20000101 2—6	12	1

Batteries—Meekin and Wilson; Carsey and Grady. Umpire—Hornung.

At Washington—		R.	H.	E.
Washington	02102006—11	17	2	
Brooklyn	00002000—2	6	5	

Batteries—Mercer and Farrell; Stein and Barrill. Umpire—Heydler.

FOR THE STEINERT CUP.

First Three Games will Begin in Buffalo Tomorrow.

New York, Sept. 16.—President Powers, of the Eastern league of professional base ball clubs, stated to a reporter of the United Associated Presses today that the games between the Providence and Buffalo clubs for the Steinert cup have been scheduled as follows:

At Buffalo Sept. 17, 19 and 20, and at Providence Sept. 23, 24 and 26, the location for the seventh game, if necessary, to be decided by lot. Umpires Gaffney and Swartwood have been selected to officiate at the series.

AMATEUR BALL NOTES

The Nonpariels of Priceburg defeated the Green Ridge Stars in a loosely played game by the score of 17 to 7. The features of the game was the pitching of Moses, of the Nonpariels, having fourteen strikeouts to his credit. The Nonpariels of Priceburg challenge the Green Ridge Stars to a game of ball on the Priceburg grounds Sept. 20, for a purse of $10 a side. Game to commence at 2.30 o'clock. J. H. Weiland, manager.

The Bittenbender and Eureka Base Ball teams have finally agreed to play at the Base Ball park Saturday for $50 a side. Much rivalry exists between the two teams. They are made up of some of the best amateur players in the county. An admission fee of 10 cents will be charged to dafray expenses of the park. Ladies will be admitted free.

The game between the Harmonies of Scranton and the Browns of Olyphant, at Olyphant, yesterday broke up in a wrangle in the eighth inning with the Browns at the bat. Cawley pitched for the Harmonies and was hit quite freely. Cleary handled the sphere for the Browns. The score was 5 to 4 in favor of the Harmonies when the game ended.

The Starlights, of Throop, challenge the Hustlers of Dunmore to a game on the Starlights' grounds, Sunday. Answer in The Tribune. Will play a return game. Jack Lapper, captain; Lew Evans, manager.

POSTAL CLERKS' SALARIES.

Bill is Drafted to Make Possible a Sliding Increase.

Denver, Colo., Sept. 16.—The national assembly of postoffice clerks have adopted a classified bill which makes a material increase in all salaries. In first-class offices the minimum is $600, increasin $100 each year until a maximum of $1,200 is reached. Promotion to a salary of $1,400 can be effected with the recommendation of the postmaster general.

In second-class postoffices the minimum is increased from $300 to $500, with increasing $100 each year until a maximum of $1,000 is reached. This is an increase of $200 in the maximum salary. The delegates express their entire satisfaction with the bill as amended. It will be submitted to the department and every effort will be made to secure its passage in the next congress.

SEWALL AND WATSON TO RETIRE.

Judge Clarke of North Carolina Suggested as a Compromise Candidate.

New York, Sept. 16.—From one high in the councils of the Democratic party it is learned that as a result of the election in Maine Mr. Sewall will immediately resign his place on the Democratic ticket providing Tom Watson, of Georgia, shall also withdraw from the vice-presidential candidacy, thus leaving the Democratic and Populist national committees in joint session to fill the vacancy.

Judge Walter Clarke, of North Carolina, is mentioned as the most promising candidate to succeed Mr. Sewall, as it is thought he would unite the warring factions.

NEW SATURNALIA OF KHURDISH FEROCITY

Helpless Armenians Are Massacred Right in Constantinople.

THE POLICE MADE NO RESISTANCE

It Is True That Armenian Revolutionists Were the Aggressors, Having Intimidated the Occupants of the Ottoman Bank, but the Massacre was Nevertheless Most Brutal.

Boston, Sept. 16.—A letter dated Aug. 31 has been received in Boston describing the recent massacre there, as follows:

Last Wednesday about noon, twenty Armenian revoluntionists, the two leaders being Russian subjects, loaded with dynamite bombs and revolvers, made a rush into the Ottoman bank and kept some fifty persons prisoners, threatening to blow up the bank, and demanding the rights of the Armenians as the condition of preserving the lives of those in the bank and the bank itself. Soldiers gathered outside and fired into the windows. The object of the revolutionists was not to kill or rob, but to make a demonstration which should show that Armenians had charge and pluck and make an impression upon Europe and force intervention. They probably counted the cost of massacre to their own people. They escaped in safety and are on their way, it is understood, to Europe.

But with their mad act began a massacre in this city many times more bloody than that of last October. The killed have genarally been of the poorer classes of Armenians only, the most serious loss of life falling upon the Hamals, or Portes, who are from the interior, living here without their families. It is not said that any were killed by the police or the soldiers, but that they did not attempt to control the mobs. In coming to the city Friday morning it was evident that the government was master of the situation.

Mobs were dispersed; quiet prevailed with few exceptions. Meanwhile, from every quarter, not, however, extending up the Bosphorous or over into Scutario, to the Island or towns of Stephano way), but specially from Khans here in the city; from Galata, from Anatia, where there is a large American quarter, and from Hasskeuy, come accounts of murder and pillage which are frightful. Nearly all the killed are men, not women nor children, as the violation of women is not reported. At Hasskeuy the police are tracing and restoring stolen goods to some extent. Some evil work was done at Bebek on Thursday night and on Friday the greater part of the British Bebek colony fled to a ship in the harbor, from which they returned to their homes yesterday under protection of the British gunboat, Cockatrice, which now lies in the Bebek bay.

SULTAN IS SCARED.

Berlin, Sept. 16.—A dispatch to the Frankfort Zeitung from Constantinople, published today, says that the guard of Turkish troops on duty at the Yildiz Palace, composed of four battalions of Albanians, was forcibly disarmed yesterday evening in presence of a large body of troops and was replaced by five Seraskier battalions.

Constantinople, Sept. 16.—Owing to the Turkish government's communication to the embassies of the powers in regards to rumors of another Armenian outbreak here, the embasises have deputed the foreign consuls to authorize the police to enter foreign houses when necessary and arrest Armenians throwing bombs or shooting therefrom.

The offer of the Turkish government to furnish the embassies with guards has been declined, the foreign officials preferring to rely upon the guards of bluejackets from the warships of the powers. Since the issuing of the Hyenekakist circular 3,000 Armenians have been arrested, and the exodus of Armenians continues. It is feared in high quarters that a mussulman movement is afoot against the Sultan, and military measures on an extensive scale have been adopted.

London, Sept. 16.—A Constantinople dispatch to the Times says that while the efforts of the Powers to obtain a regulation to insure the safety of the Armenians have thus far proved a failure, the arrest and deportations of these people is hurried on with redoubled fury.

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On MONDAY, OCTOBER 12, 1896, at 10 O'Clock a. m.

Notice is hereby given in pursuance of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania directing the mode of selling seated and unseated lands that have been in the possession of the County Commissioners and remaining unredeemed for two years and upwards, there will be exposed to public sale on the 12th day of October, A. D. 1896, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the Arbitration Room, in the Court House, in the City of Scranton, the following properties unless the same are redeemed previous to that time, to wit:

UNSEATED LAND

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5..	1 lot	John W. Dorsey	Block 3, lot 31	8 58
6..	1 lot	A. J. Pantho	Block 2, lot 21	8 58
7..	1 lot	James Deacon	Block 2, lot 21	8 58
8..	1 lot	E. Morris	Block 2, lot 12	8 58
9..	1 lot	Miss Mary Leonard	Block 3, lot 6	8 58
10..	1 lot	M. T. Jones	Block 4, lot 18	8 58
11..	1 lot	George W. Emmons	Block 2, lot 20	8 58
12..	1 lot	Mary Surman	Block 2, lot 2	8 58
13..	1 lot	Lilian Lewis	Block 2, lot 23	8 58
14..	1 lot	J. W. Hinesline	Block 2, lot 32	8 58
15..	1 lot	Thomas Kreidler	Block 4, lot 29	8 58
16..	1 lot	Mrs. Norah McDonald	Block 2, lot 3	8 58
17..	1 lot	Hannah C. Robertson	Block 2, lot 31	8 58
18..	1 lot	George J. Thomas	Block 2, lot 25	8 58
19..	1 lot	Maggie Woodward	Block 2, lot 4	8 58
20..	1 lot	J. L. Thomas	Block 2, lot 1	8 58
21..	1 lot	Catharine W. Skinbeaker	Block 3, lot 14	8 58
22..	1 lot	Mrs. P. J. Clark	Block 2, lot 19	8 58
23..	1 lot	Edward G. Simpson	Block 1, lot 27	8 58
23½..	1 lot	James Woolsey	Block 2, lot 11	8 58

CARBONDALE TOWNSHIP.

24..	2 lots	Benjiman Pollard	13 79
24½..	1 lot	W. J. Glynnen	14 71

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25..	2 lots	C. P. Jadwin		55 74
26..	1 lot	Mrs. George Reed	Granite street, Sixth ward	27 39
27..	2 lots	Mechanis & Mechanics Bank	Sixth ward	70 50
28..	1 lot	Benjamin Howell		9 16
29..	1 lot	M. F. Adams	Jefferson avenue, Sixth ward	42 91
30..	2 lots	John J. Campbell	Webster avenue, Sixth ward	49 23
31..	1 lot	J. D. Long	Sixteenth street, Sixth ward	47 81

DICKSON CITY BOROUGH.

32..	1 lot	H. C. Lewis	10 91
33..	1 lot	Andrew Suslarick	11 71
34..	1 lot	Charles Wartanski	11 16
35..	1 lot and 1 house	Frank Baranowski	16 94
36..	1 lot	Frank M. Savage	8 47

LACKAWANNA TOWNSHIP.

37..	1 lot and 1 house	Robert Turnbull. Moosic	91 11

MAYFIELD BOROUGH.

38..	1 lot	Peter Wessick	10 02

RANSOM TOWNSHIP

39..	20 acres	John Duvid	15 48
40..	½ acre	George Glenn	8 58
41..	½ acre	John Fowler	6 72

NINETEENTH WARD, SCRANTON.

42..	6 acres and 1 house	Philip Graff. On the mountain	5 72
43..	1 lot	Owner unknown. Block 36, lot 7 or 8	7 99

TWENTIETH WARD, SCRANTON.

44..	½ lot	James Murphy. Block 80, lot 32	5 59

The foregoing properties will be sold for cash only.

JOHN DEMUTH,
S. W. ROBERTS,
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County Commissioners.

Attest—CHAS. F. WAGNER, Clerk.
Scranton, Pa., Sept. 9th, 1896.

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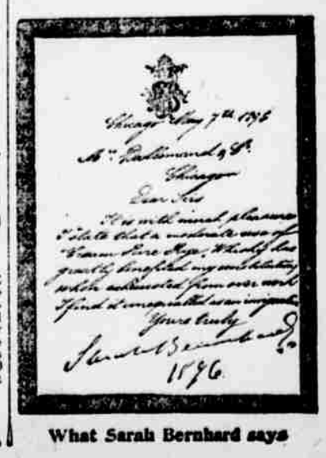
Presentation of Mrs. Stowe's Immortal
Uncle Tom's Cabin
With All Accessories and a Big Company.
See The Street Parade and Listen to the Band Concert in Front of the Theatre.
Admission 10, 20 or 30 Cents.
Two performances daily. Doors open at 1.30 and 7. Curtain rises at 2.30 and 8.15.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC,
MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 21.
First Elaborate Production of the Season,
CLEOPATRA
With Edmund Collier as Marc Antony, and Mary Emerson as Cleopatra, and a Company of Capable Actors.
Cleopatra's palace in Alexandria. Egypt. Temple of Hymen Scemin, Statuary Square. Interior of Cleopatra's palace. Cleopatra, Antony and Cæsar's fleets. Cleopatra's tomb. Cleopatra's and Antony's death. The Oriental dance. All scenery carried by company.
PRICES—Gallery, 15c; Balcony, 25c, 35c; Orchestra Circle, 50c; Orchestra 75c; Parlor Chairs, $1.00.



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