

SPECIAL DAYS AT THE PAN-AMERICAN

THE week beginning Sept. 15 will be lumbermen's week at the Pan-American Exposition...

Exceptional ceremonies are being planned for Mexico day, Monday, Sept. 16, at the Pan-American Exposition...

Among other prominent speakers at the Pan-American Exposition on Illinois day, which will be Sept. 16, will be Secretary Lyman J. Gage...

Grand Army Veterans' Day, Sept. 17. G. A. R. day at the Pan-American Exposition, Tuesday, Sept. 17, will be one of the truly great days of the season...

New York State Day, Sept. 18. New York State day at the Pan-American is Sept. 18, and an effort will be made to eclipse all previous records...

Welsh Day and Elstoddfod, Sept. 19. The Elstoddfod at the Pan-American Exposition on Sept. 19, which has been designated as Welsh day, will be a very important musical event...

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Pennsylvania Day, Sept. 20. Pennsylvania is represented with a State building and a comprehensive exhibit of the great resources of the State at the Pan-American Exposition...

Trained Nurses' Day, Sept. 21. Trained nurses from all parts of the United States and Canada will gather at the Pan-American Exposition on Saturday, Sept. 21...

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Oregon Day, Sept. 25. In Oregon everything that happens is on a big scale. Evidence of this is seen in the exhibition buildings of the Pan-American Exposition...

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In a London case just tried a messenger boy was sent to the office of a leading paper with an order for a large advertisement. He did not arrive with it until the next day, when it was too late. The paper sued the company for lack of quickness and got damages...

WHITNEY, HORSEMAN.

What the Millionaire Sportsman Has Done For the Turf.

GREAT THOROUGHBRED STABLE.

NASTURTIUM, the Horse For Which He Paid \$50,000, is a Splendid Two-year-old—Saratoga Racing Association.



W. C. WHITNEY'S NASTURTIUM.

time for money to improve the track, to draw up attractive and lucrative programmes and to attract the best people of the country to the annual meeting.

Mr. Whitney, of course, is by no means the only one who has devoted himself to the betterment of racing conditions at Saratoga. All associated with him have worked hard and faithfully on a venture the success of which was in many quarters deemed dubious.

The American Society of Superintendents of Training Schools for Nurses will hold its annual meeting Sept. 16 and 17. This society is composed of the superintendents of all the large nurse training schools of the United States and Canada.

On Saturday, the 22d, a mass meeting of all these organizations will be held in the Temple of Music at the Exposition. Many of the old army nurses of the Civil War are expected to be present.

Then the enthusiasm of the crowd broke loose, and, despite the fact that the favorite had been beaten, one and all joined in a loud and long oration to the winner and his owner. It was felt that it was about time the tide of success turned in Mr. Whitney's favor.

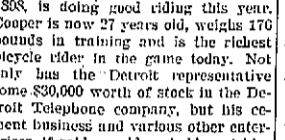
It speaks well for the American turf that spectators and owners alike are so ready to pay tribute to a man whose ambition has been to elevate and purify horse racing. With men like Whitney in the field the future is assured.

That Mr. Whitney is an enthusiastic horseman, in the game for the sport and not the money that can be made out of it, is evinced by the lavish way he has built up his stable. If he suits his heart on a horse, he is bound to have it, and many a famous race has had a place in his stables. Mr. Whitney came into the game very modestly at first. A relative by marriage, Sydney

Peget, bought the timber topper Shillalah and then Sir Vissar. Both were successes. Then it was rumored that Mr. Whitney was interested in these horses. The rumor speedily became a fact. In 1898 Mr. Whitney paid \$30,000 for Juan Berud, and horsemen opened their eyes. Juan Berud in his 2-year-old career almost won what was paid for him and has more than won it since. That same year Mr. Whitney purchased Muller, paying for him \$10,000. Since then the Whitney stable has housed many a famous race horse, including Pfandig, George Keene, Hugh Degree, Brar Sweet, Admiration, Killashandra, who died abroad last year; Nasturtium, for which Mr. Whitney paid \$50,000 this spring, and the unluckily Ballyboon Boy. What the future holds in store for the Whitney stable can only be surmised.

It is near Westbury, N. Y., that the stable is located. There Mr. Whitney has one of the most beautiful retreats in the country, and there it was that he took his wife after the hunting accident that terminated fatally. At Westbury he has a private race track, including a steeplechase course, and here are some of the finest homes for horse-flesh to be found in the country. No wonder Mr. Whitney has made a success of the racing game.

HENRY A. BRUCE.



Tom Cooper, the American champion of 1899, who was Eddie Bald's rival of 1898, is doing good riding this year. Cooper is now 27 years old, weighs 170 pounds in training and is the richest bicycle rider in the game today.

Cooper holds the two mile tandem paced record in competition of Sta. 13s. the five mile single paced record of 10m. 16s., while his 1m. 52 1-5s. is the fastest time from scratch ever made in a mile handicap.



Last year Cooper went to Europe, where he beat every sprinter of note, including Jacquelin, whom he defeated in the Grand Prix de Exposition. Cooper's best season of racing was 1896, when the end of the season showed him to have cleared over \$14,000.

Cooper is known as "the prettiest rider in the business," and his appellation is fitting, for he pedals with unusual gracefulness. Cooper's particularly strong point is his ability to sprint. No matter how gruelling has been the contest Cooper generally has a few pounds of steam in reserve for the final dash.

CHECKERS AND CHESS.

Checker Problem No. 67. Black. Diagram showing a checkerboard with pieces in specific positions.

Checker Problem No. 66. White. Diagram showing a checkerboard with pieces in specific positions.

Checker Problem No. 61. White. Diagram showing a checkerboard with pieces in specific positions.

At one of the Carnegie Steel company furnaces in Pittsburg, it has been decided to install a refrigerator plant to free the air from moisture before it descends into the furnaces. This is to be done by passing brine through coils of tube on which the moisture will collect.

Of course it is only natural that foreigners should have difficulty in mastering the peculiarities of the English language. And considering the fact that so large a percentage of the population of this city is of foreign birth, Milwaukeeans in particular should not show surprise or consternation if occasionally they hear an expression or sentence the grammar of which does not exactly correspond with the theories of Swinow or the pronunciation with that of the latest Bostonian hiss. But it must be admitted that occasionally something is heard which is, to say the least, startling.

The other day a clerk in one of the local insurance offices went out on Ninth avenue in the Polish district, to deliver an insurance policy. On arriving at his destination he was disappointed in receiving no response to his frequent knocking at the front and back doors. Yet the windows were wide open, and he thought somebody must be at home. Seeing a little boy standing in the front yard next door he accosted him with: "Say, boy, do you know if the lady is at home here?"

"Ach, they ain't got no woman dere; she went dead on 'em," was the response.

Long ago some ingenious arithmetician discovered the exact amount of gromit covered by the average dancer in the course of an evening, and the volubility of the dancer are now suggesting that dancing should be revived as a hygienic exercise. Novadrys men and girls show great eagerness to take up any pastime or sport which gives them exercise, and, as we all know, dancing has somewhat lost its vogue, which, from a social point of view, is much to be regretted. Let some of the fashionable doctors recite of both sexes to waltz as much as possible, giving themselves on an average the equivalent in tepid exercise of at least thirty miles' walk a week, and we shall see a wonderful revival in dancing.

Some time ago a famous pianist was giving recitals in an Irish city. He invariably took a piano with him to the different towns where he performed. This was not the instrument made use of at public performances, but was one on which the pianist practiced at his hotel, and was a valuable instrument of which he was fond.

One night, after the conclusion of a recital, the musician was alarmed to learn that his hotel was on fire. In the greatest anxiety he questioned the messenger as to the fate of his beloved instrument, and eagerly asked if it had been removed. The messenger replied that an attempt had been made to get it out, but this was not successful.

Noticing the crestfallen look in the face of his questioner the man hastened to add: "But make no mind asy, yer honor. Sure, the pianist will be quite safe, for as I was leavin' the horse was playin' on it."

Of Local Interest.

Mr. Alfred Grindle and family have returned from a summer outing at Rome City.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Perry, of 10 Madison street, are the guests of relatives at Angolt today.

Mr. B. B. Glenn, of East St. Louis, is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Glenn, of West DeWald street.

TO BE SWALLOWED WITH SALT.

Fairy Story of Mysterious Disappearance of a Japanese Hill.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 4.—A copy of the Japanese Times, just received at the navy department, gives an interesting account of the disappearance of a hill. The paper says: "All the living inhabitants of Koushikur, in the Igusa district of Miyagi Prefecture, and the vicin-

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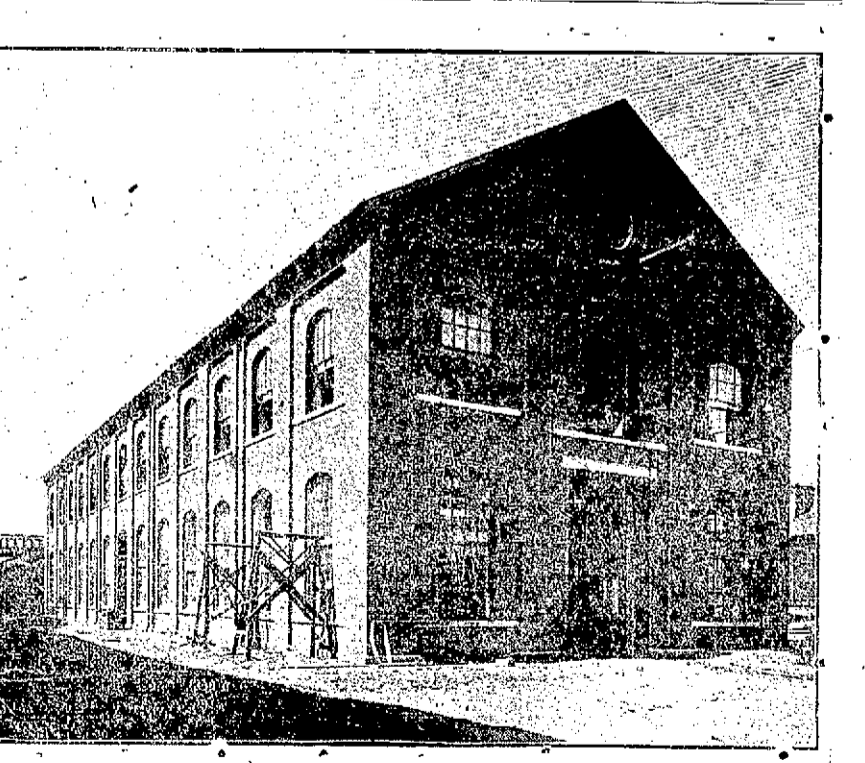


PRESIDENT LOUBET NOW PEOPLE'S IDOL. President Emile Loubet, of France, at present finds himself the idol of the people. His masterstroke in obtaining the consent of the Czar of Russia to attend the French manoeuvres has caused the people to hug themselves with delight and incidentally look forward towards the president of France with prostrations of gratitude.



"You were once the very sunshine of my life, but now you stay out till all hours of the night." "Well, my dearish, you musn't expect sunshine after-sh dark."

ity remember the Kiowa-Yama, a hill which rose 130 feet skyward and covered an area of twenty acres in the outskirts of the village, and which for all they knew had stood there from time immemorial. "But it is no more. About 10 o'clock on July 16 a tremendous thundering noise was heard in the direction of the hill. When the villagers assembled on the spot, attracted by the mysterious sound, they found that the hill had disappeared, nobody knew whither. "Instead of the hill, they saw level ground grown over with grass and shrubs, stretching out over where it had stood. A closer examination of the spot showed the hill had bodily sunk into the ground, leaving its top on a level with the surrounding land. It is thought the phenomenon was the result of a subterranean action."



WHERE SCHLEY COURT WILL SIT. In the bare barnlike structure seen above the Schley Court of Inquiry will hold its sessions, probably for the next month or more. It possesses the one advantage of having more room than there is in the Chamber at the Navy Department where such courts are usually held. Its disadvantages are its distance from the center of the city and the inadequate facilities for reaching it. While the Court is in session it will be the centre of interest to a large portion of the American people.

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