

MAJOR TAYLOR

Colored Whirlwind Leads All the Sprinters.

SCORED A VICTORY

He Defeated Kramer, Fisher and Other Noted Riders at the Track.

NEWARK, N. J., Sept. 3.—"Major" Taylor, "the colored whirlwind," fully demonstrated to the seven thousand people in attendance at the races held at the Vailsburg track to-day his superiority as a sprinter.

Taylor's win places him in the lead in the championship race, with a total of twenty points, while Frank Kramer is second, with fourteen points. Freeman and Kiser have eight each, Kimble four, Fisher three, Bowler, Walthour and Newhouse two points each.

It was a record breaking attendance, all the grandstand and bleacher seats being filled, a large number occupying the infield and also the outside of the track in turns.

George Collett followed up his victory of yesterday by winning the five-mile handicap. Each heat of the quarter-mile championship was a match race, only two and three men starting in each heat. Kimble and Collett met in the first heat and "Old Kaintuck" proved too much for the New Haven rider.

TAYLOR AN EASY WINNER.

Will Coburn won the second, while "Major" Taylor easily beat out Floyd Krebs in the third; Kramer, Fisher and Butler were the winners in the succeeding heats.

Taylor won the third from Butler very easily, Butler not seeming to make any attempt to beat the "Major." At the pistol crack in the final, Taylor went to the front, but was quickly passed by Kramer. Fisher then went by, and Taylor caught his wheel. Around the turn and into the stretch they came side by side, and the "Black Whirlwind" proved too much for his speedy competitors. Kramer was second and Fisher third.

A QUEBEC CONTEST.

Lumbago Driven Out by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

QUEBEC, Sept. 3.—Although Quebec is called "the Gibraltar of America," and well deserved the name, it is by no means impregnable against the assaults of Kidney Disease. Fortunately the inhabitants have an ally in Dodd's Kidney Pills that succeeds in driving the enemy out every time it gains an entry.

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A COAL FAMINE IN Nfld DEWEY'S ARCH

Prevailing High Price of Sydney Coal Little Short of a Disaster to Newfoundland.

St. JOHN'S, September 1.—The Evening Herald says: The recent alarming increase in the price of North Sydney coal, which now rules at \$6.25 a ton, forms a subject of serious economic import for our people. The causes which have led to this advance are many, and of such a character as to make it unlikely that any return to the old time rates of \$4.80 a ton can ever be brought about. The chief reason for the advance is the establishment of the steel works at Sydney, which will consume 1,000,000 tons of coal per annum. Preparations for the continuous, efficient conduct of this enterprise has necessitated a curtailment of the export, and as the demand is strong the price has gone up in proportion. The high freights that steamers

HAVE BEEN ABLE TO EARN

since the Boer war began have brought about an advance in this item, and the delays met at Sydney of late have obliged charterers to add a sum to cover possible losses through demurrage claims. For the next eight weeks none of our vessels will be able to load at Sydney at all, as the coal company have many steamers awaiting charter and want to get these worked out. With the steel works, the enlarged sales in Montreal and Boston, and the transient shipping demand the price must be maintained at the present figure, if it does not go higher. Other factors bearing on the matter are the European demand for British coal and the strike of the

WELSH MINERS AT CARDIFF.

These things impart an upward tendency to the price of coal on this side of the water as well as on the other, and the well informed observer sees a hard time ahead for our people the coming winter. The total importation of coal into this colony is now about 100,000 tons a year. Of this

South Africa to Boom After War.

Cape Town, Sept. 3.—Sir J. Gordon-Sprigg, Premier and Colonial Treasurer, in delivering his budget statement, said that though there was a difference of opinion regarding the condition of affairs in the colony, after the war he predicted a very great development throughout South Africa when it was united under the British flag.

The trade returns during the last financial year, despite the war, were decidedly favorable. The products exported were £1,176,000 less than in 1898, diamonds showing a decrease of £1,679,000. There was an actual increase, however, in other products of £834,000, in which copper ore, ostrich feathers, Angora hair, and sheepskins contributed. On the other hand, there was a reduction in exported wool.

The imports showed a decrease of £703,000. Referring to the reduction in ocean postage, Sir J. Gordon-Sprigg said that there had been an enormous increase in the regular colonial correspondence. His own expectations were more than fulfilled. Coming to the financial position of the colony, he said that the late Government had anticipated a deficit of £333,000, but by means of cutting down the expenditure in consequence of the rejection of the income tax bill, actual deficit was only £292,000. The Colonial Treasurer estimated the expenditure for the current year at £7,226,000, and the revenue at £7,262,000, leaving a surplus of £36,000. It was therefore not the intention of the Government to ask for extra taxation. In conclusion, Sir J. Gordon-Sprigg trusted that Cape stocks would soon regain the honor of being the highest in the market, and he reiterated his opinion that after the war the country would enter upon a career of public prosperity exceeding anything known in its history.

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Diabetes

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total R. G. Reid is "the largest individual consumer, the operating of his railroads and steamers calling for 30,000 tons per annum. The sealing and visting steamers use about 10,000 tons more, the outports absorb another 10,000 tons, and the household and industrial consumption of the city and suburbs is therefore about 50,000 tons during the twelve months, less what the public buildings require, a matter of say, 2,000 tons.

WITH AN EXTRA CHARGE.

of \$1.50 a ton imposed on this article of household use it is equivalent to an increased charge of \$15 a year on every family, estimating 10 tons as a family's annual usage. This represents \$75,000, withdrawn from the pockets of our people, and its likely continuance indefinitely because the price is going up in Sydney, and it is accepted by the people there that it will not drop again. This uncompromising outlook makes one sigh for local coal mines, but, alas, it seems as if our hopes of mining our own coal were doomed to disappointment. The failure of the Reid mines at Grand Lake has been a sore blow to our belief.

IN LOCAL COAL DEPOSITS

and while there is talk of seams in other quarters, something more substantial is needed to enable us to compete with the Sydney product. Industry, too, will be menaced by the increasing price of imported coal, as well as household comfort. Every local industry will have its expenses enlarged by this circumstance, every steamer will be similarly handicapped, and to Mr. Reid, with his numerous trains and steamers the advance will be specially disastrous. Whether a substitute for domestic fuel at any rate, can be found in peat or wood, remains to be seen but from present appearances our poorer classes will suffer great misery if this winter is a severe one.

SOUSA LOST \$10,000

But is Pleased With His Trip Abroad.

SIX DAYS IN LONDON

Says Germans were Greatly Astonished at the Music He Supplied.

LONDON, Sept. 2.—Sousa was among the passengers who departed for America yesterday on the steamship St. Louis. Although his trip to this side has been reported as a great financial success, your correspondent is able to state on excellent authority that the great band-master lost \$10,000. He lost \$1,200 in one lump at Mannheim, where, after an entire day's ride from Paris, he learned that his band instruments had been stalled on the way, and he was compelled to cancel the performance. He tried to explain to the manager of the opera house that it was the fault of the railway company, but that individual would not listen, and Sousa was compelled to give him a draft for the amount stated.

The bandmaster spent six days in London, and, although he was repeatedly asked to do so, he declined to play in the city. When asked his reason he said he was to return here next season and did not desire to exploit himself twelve months beforehand.

"The band," said Sousa, "seemed quite as popular at Frankfurt, Cologne and Berlin as a Paris. American music is always most welcome. Though my interpretations of Wagner were enthusiastically received in Germany, a brass band that can accompany a violin solo is an unknown thing in Europe, where attempts to use military bands to play concert music are not always pleasing. Such an instrument as the saxophone is unknown in Germany, and the vast number of reeds which secure the violin effects of the band are an innovation which surprised many."

Nearly every Continental city has presented Sousa with a civic flag, and Frankfurt sent a delegation to London Thursday to personally present him with a magnificent banner from that municipality.

A CURE FOR RHEUMATISM.

Mr. S. Mann, Stitsville, Carleton Co., Ont., writes: "I was afflicted with Rheumatism, had severe pains in the knees, hip joints and across the back. Rheumatism remedies did not help me and I began using Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, which have since completely cured me. There is not the least trace of rheumatism left and I am no longer subject to biliousness, headache and stomach sickness, which formerly attacked me frequently." One pill a dose, 25 cents a box.

Should be Sent to the Ash Barrel!

MILLION DOLLAR ARCH

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A former Charlottetown gentleman who is an admirer of "Bobs" and considers him the greatest general of the day sends the following clipped from the Morning Telegram of New York.

"That time worn but of bric-a-brac in front of Madison Square is about ripe for the ash barrel.

"A year ago it was at a height of beauty and quite added to the impressiveness of Broadway and Fifth avenue, but plaster and paint do not endure, and it has lost all the glory it ever possessed, and no foolish notions should assail us when the proposition is earnestly advanced that it be torn down and carted away.

"As it stands to-day it is in many respects a symbol of the man whose fame it was intended to perpetuate. The plaster has been knocked off and the cheapness of its framework is revealed in all its commonplace.

"Just in such fashion much of the veneer finish has been worn off the hero who was the cause of its erection, and as there is now no hope there will ever be a marble arch in copy of its grace and beauty, the sooner this cause of sad reflections is removed the better it will be for all concerned.

"The spirit that animated the movement to erect a marble Dewey Arch has died. It never can be revived. The substitute resorted to—the substitution of the name Naval Arch for that of the name of the man it was originally intended to honor—will have no good effect. From earliest times nations have honored men, individuals in this manner, not abstract ideas.

"New York moreover, is slow to subscribe money for such purposes. It took years to gather money enough to build the arch now decorating Washington Square. It took more years to collect funds enough to properly entomb Grant, the country's greatest hero. The years it will take to scrape together money enough to erect a million dollar arch to Dewey cannot easily be computed. He himself is largely responsible for this. The country honored him as long as he was veiled behind the mysterious cloud of heroism, that lay between him and the public.

"When he dispelled this and showed himself rather an ordinary mortal all disposition to build arches to him collapsed. "This was not proper it is true. The hero and the man should always be held apart and distinctly differentiated one from the other, but a public cannot be educated up to this. They see not the hero of Manila Bay, but the man who cheapened himself through his political acrobatics.

"There will never be a marble Dewey Arch, and the one now standing is a blight upon the city and a standing comment upon its inability to better it. Therefore, it should go to the ash pile."

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