

SPORTING NEWS

THE POINTER CLUB DERRY.

Valley Wins First Money—Tony Mooring Comes in on His Merits—The Drawing for the All-Age Stake Develops Fifteen Starters.

Barber, Dec. 11.—The derby of the Pointer Club of America was finished here to-day with the following dogs declared the winners: First, Valky, black and white pointer bitch, owned by Eastham and Tyler, of Birmingham, Ala., and handled by Jake Bishop; second, Tony Mooring, black and white pointer dog, owned by Self Mooring, of Bryant, Texas, and handled by F. C. Lockhart; third, Manitoba Rap, white and liver pointer dog, owned by Thomas Johnson, of Winnipeg, Manitoba, and handled by F. C. Lockhart.

The winners have been campaigned since the season began in Manitoba, last September and are well known to the field trial patrons of America. Valky, the winner of first, has been a consistent winner from the time she was brought out. She was placed in the Manitoba trials in September, and three weeks ago she was first in the Kentucky field trials, which were held at LaCenter, Ky. Last week she won first here in the Continental trials and her win here makes her third consecutive first, and stamps her as one of the best pointer dogs of the season. Tony Mooring, although running just back of the money in the last three trials, has never won a place before. His win here was a popular one, and he won it on his merits. In the last heat he went wide and fast; found two beavies of birds in splendid style and also pointed single as staunchly. This dog is a son of Champion Alford's John Dam, Hallie Jingo.

Manitoba Rap came all the way from Winnipeg, Manitoba, to compete in these trials. He won his first place in the trials of the Independent Field Trial Club held at Advanville, Ill., early in November, and last week won third in the Continental Club's trials. He is a fast, snappy dog on game and will no doubt prove a good one in his all-age form next year. The drawing for the all-age stake was made this evening at headquarters, the Thistle, and brought forth fifteen starters. They were drawn in run as follows: Prairie Lad with King Woolton; Gibson Girl with Outram; Tony Mooring with Furlough Mock; Manitoba Rap with Deep River Ponto; Pinehurst Jingo with Mascarpine; Pinehurst Winona with Spots Ripper; The Virginian with Dick Brisk; Furlough Hobo-a-Byte.

Quite a great deal of interest is centered in this stake, as there is a number of dogs entered that are owned by gentlemen who make their winter homes in this State, among them being the dogs of the Pinehurst kennels, owned by Mr. Leonard Tufts, of Pinehurst, and the Furlough kennels, entries belonging to Mr. George Gould. Birds are found quite plentiful on the ground and good work is anticipated to-morrow.

MR. PULLIAM RE-ELECTED.

For the Sixth Time He is Put at the Head of the National League.

New York, Dec. 11.—Harry C. Pulliam was re-elected president of the National League to-day for the sixth time by the members of the league in session here for their fall meeting. Secretary-Treasurer John Heydler was unanimously re-elected as the old board of directors. Max Fleischmann, of Cincinnati, brought up the question of placing the pitchers' box on a level with the diamond. There was a general discussion but no action was taken. A proposal that the number of pitched balls to the batter be reduced from four to three was introduced. There were advocates for and against the change and the question was left to be decided later. The president recommended to the national commission that players drafted from minor leagues be treated as purchased players. Should the national commission adopt the recommendation, which is the nature of a reform and is designed to do away with the practice of "covering by draft" players will be brought to light from clubs of the National and the American Leagues before drafted players can be returned or disposed of.

Status of Six-Day Race.

Madison Square Garden, New York, Dec. 11.—Eleven o'clock to-night found the relative positions of the riders in the six-day bike race unchanged from those which they had held during the day. At the hour named the Fogler-Moran and Rutt-Stol teams were leading, having covered 1,180 miles, while five other teams were pedaling along steadily a lap behind. Two other teams were trailing several laps in the rear.

Bretton's hard riding was the feature of the evening. In one attempt to get away from the bunch he fell and brought Rutt down with him. Neither was seriously hurt. At 11 the score was as follows: Fogler and Moran, Rutt and Stol 1, 180 miles; Georget and Dupre, Logan and Bardgett, Galvin and Wiley, Krobes and Vanderstuf, Downey and Downing 1,178 miles, 8 laps; Lawson and MacDonald 1,178 miles, 7 laps; Bretton and Vanoni, 1,173 miles, 4 laps.

Results at New Orleans.

New Orleans, Dec. 11.—In the best finish of the day at the Fair Grounds Avauiter won the fifth race by a nose from the favorite, Sally Preston. Weather clear, track heavy. First race, selling, furlongs; Heated, 4 to 1; won; Investor, 59 to 1, second; Free Brother, 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:19.4. Second race, 2 1/2 furlongs, selling; 13 voters, even; won; Susan, 25 to 1, second; Omundus, 15 to 1, third. Time, 1:12.5. Third race, 3/4 furlongs, selling; Dew of Dawn, 15 to 1; won; Miss Delaney, 1 to 5, second; Inauguration, 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:11.2. Fourth race, mile and 70 yards; Alma Dufour, 11 to 9; won; Besterling, 4 to 1, second; Mortiboy, 12 to 1, third. Time, 2:10.1. Fifth race, 6 furlongs, selling; Avauiter, 5 to 4; won; Sally Preston, 2 to 4, second; Royal Ohys, 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:12. Sixth race, mile and a quarter, selling; Bellevisse, 10 to 1; won; Vinceter, 16 to 1; Saviour Faure, 3 to 1, third. Time, 2:14.2.

Meeting of American League.

Chicago, Dec. 11.—Changes in the league constitution, the awarding of the pennant to the Detroit Club and an absence of trades marked the annual meeting of the American League of Baseball Clubs to-day. The meeting will end to-morrow.

The meeting approves a number of reports including that of the directors.

MURKIN PAINS CURED.

"During the summer of 1906 I was troubled with muscular pains in the loins of my back," says F. J. Foster, of Toronto, Ont. "At times it was so painful I could hardly walk. Chamberlain's Pain Balm was recommended to me, and I tried it and was completely cured by one small bottle. I have since recommended it to several of my friends, all of whom have been cured." For sale by W. L. Stuart & Co.

AUR-MIN-O CURES DRUNKENNESS

Without the knowledge of patient, doctors all agree for three days, Aur-Min-O cures drunkenness. It is a powerful, sweet, palatable, and non-toxic. It is a powerful, sweet, palatable, and non-toxic. It is a powerful, sweet, palatable, and non-toxic.

ENGLISH-MILARY CO., 46 S. Tryon St.

Investigation by Detectives at Fayetteville, Dec. 11.—Investigation is being made here by several United States detectives into the mail robbery on November 11th of \$3,000. A sensation may result at any time.

THE WEATHER.

Washington, Dec. 11.—Forecast: Virginia, fair Thursday and Friday; diminishing northwest winds.

Georgia, fair and warmer Thursday; Friday, rain, warmer; light variable winds, becoming east and fresh.

East Florida, fair Thursday and Friday, except rain Friday in north portion; light variable winds.

West Florida, Alabama and Mississippi, fair and warmer Thursday; Friday rain; light to fresh east winds.

East Texas, rain Thursday; Friday fair, colder in northwest portion; fresh southeast winds.

Arkansas, rain Thursday; Friday fair; Friday fair.

Tennessee and Kentucky, fair Thursday; Friday rain, warmer.

Louisiana, fair Thursday, except snow in the mountain districts; Friday snow or rain.

LOCAL OFFICE U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Charlotte, Dec. 11.—Sunrise 7:21 a. m.; sunset 5:12 p. m.

TEMPERATURE (in degrees). Highest temperature, 45. Lowest temperature, 23. Mean temperature, 33. Deficiency for the day, 6.

Accumulated deficiency for month, 17. Accumulated excess for the year, 29. PRECIPITATION (in inches). Total for 24 hours ending 8 p. m., .9. Total for month, 1.15.

Accumulated deficiency for month, 0.23. Total for the year, 23.63. Accumulated deficiency for year, 14.25. Prevailing wind direction, N. W. W. J. BENNETT, Observer.

THE PATIENCE OF JOB.

Could Hardly Endure the Torment of Itching Piles.

Itching piles is constant torment—so is eczema. No comfort all day, no rest at night for months, and this caused Can't keep your mind on work. No use to go to bed.

Suffer no longer; use Doan's Ointment. It gives relief in five or ten minutes. It cures in a short time—cures you to stay cured.

Charlotte people endorse it. Henry Grove, miner, living at 905 North Tryon street, Charlotte, N. C. says: "I used Doan's Ointment, which I procured at R. H. Jordan & Co.'s store, for a bad case of itching hemorrhoids and it has undoubtedly cured me for good. I have not been bothered since I have tried the remedy. It is a fine Ointment and I am pleased to recommend it highly."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States. Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

..BONDS..

We offer \$10,000 mortgage bonds of Sanford (N. C.) Cotton Mills, due in 5 and 10 years. Denominations of \$500. Price par and accrued interest. Sold in lots to suit. Full appraisal of property and statement furnished.

Trust Department, SOUTHERN LIFE & TRUST CO., Greensboro, N. C. Capital and Surplus, \$850,000. E. P. Wharton, President. A. M. Scales, Gen. Counsel. R. C. Hood, Asst. Manager.

F. D. A.

Chisholm Trial Drags. Birmingham, Ala., Dec. 11.—The entire day in the trial of W. L. Sims, in the Federal Court, was consumed with arguments on the part of the State and the defense.

The defense contends that Chisholm committed grand larceny in addition to embezzlement and is therefore disqualified from testifying. Judge Hundley has the question under advisement. Sims is charged with impleading Chisholm in embezzling funds from the First National Bank.

Do People Turn Away? You Can Be Instantly Freed From The Humiliation of Knowing That Others Detect Bad Odors on Your Breath, Arising From Indigestion, Smoking, Drinking and Eating.

Trial Package to Prove It Sent Free. Breath perfumes do not strike at the root of the evil. They only conceal the odor for a time. But charcoal kills the gas that causes the odor, purifies the food lying in your stomach and intestines, facilitates the process of digestion, acts as a mild laxative, gives tone to the system; in short, gives you a clean bill of health. And all the charcoal necessary to obtain these results you can get in a box of Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges, price 25c.

The use of charcoal are many. In art and electricity it is constantly used. It is especially valuable where absolute purity of product is required. As an absorbent and disinfectant it has no equal. That is why you will invariably find it in every water-filter.

Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges are made from pure willow charcoal, with a slight mixture of honey to render them palatable. They will filter your blood for you, destroy every particle of poison and impurity, absorb all the gas in your stomach, give you a sweet, clean breath, and relieve you from the awkward feeling you are bound to have when you detect by the expression of other people that they smell your bad breath. Many who are fond of onions avoid eating them because of the odor they leave. One of Stuart's charcoal Lozenges immediately kills this, however. The same applies to smoking, drinking or chewing.

We are so convinced that you will find these lozenges indispensable after once using them, that we will send you a sample package by mail, free, if you will send your name and address to-day to F. D. A. Stuart Co., 299 Stuart Bldg., Marshall, Mich.

THE COMMERCIAL NATIONAL BANK

of Charlotte, N. C.

CAPITAL, SURPLUS AND PROFITS, \$811,539.98

Statement of Assets and Liabilities for December 11, 1907. Deposits: \$1,152,098.02. Loans: \$,824,193.17. Cash and in Banks: \$,467,355.12. Gross Assets: \$,2,443,646.31.

We solicit your business. New accounts welcomed. E. A. Dunn, Pres. W. E. Holt, V. P. A. G. Brenizer, Cash. A. T. Summey, Asst. Cash.

"Old Dominion"

Fire Brick, "KING'S" New York Plaster Paris, "ACME," "ELECTROID" and "UNIVERSAL" Asphalt Roofing Felts, Plastering Hair, Laths, Shingles and General Building Material. We can save you money on all of the above goods, and desire to quote you prices delivered at your railroad station. Write us.

CAROLINA PORTLAND CEMENT CO.

Sole Manufacturers and Distributors, Charleston, S. C.

Attractive Homes For Sale

8-room house, Elizabeth Heights, hardwood finish, all modern, splendid location, large lot, 132x200. Owner anxious to make quick sale. For particulars and price, apply at office.

8-room elegant home, South Tryon street, on corner, close in; comparatively new, beautifully arranged, modern in every respect, two baths, hot water heat and laundry in basement. For price, terms and other information, apply at office.

J. E. Murphy & Company

43 N. Tryon. Phone 542.

Fire Insurance Fire

Insure before the fire occurs—then insurance means something. If you wait until after the loss it is too late. Do it to-day. Do it right now, by phone.

The Charlotte Realty Co.

A. G. Craig, Secretary, 18 East Trade Street.

Wood Fibre Wall Plaster, "Hard Clinch."

THE BUILDERS FRIEND. Freezing does not hurt; natural shrinkage will not crack it; water does not make it fall off; hard as stone. Write for booklet.

CHARLOTTE PLASTER CO.

Write for Booklet, Charlotte, N. C.

THE BEST

When you have us to do your ELECTRIC work you may be sure of THE BEST. All our work guaranteed and no job too small for our prompt attention. Phone 470 for the best and quickest service.

BRADSHAW ELECTRIC COMPANY

No. 15 South Church St.

MONEY LOST

If you fail to carry INSURANCE We write Fire, Accident, Health, Liability and Steam Boiler INSURANCE.

CAROLINA REALTY CO.

B. R. LEE, Secretary, 45 North Tryon St. J. P. LONG, Sales Agent, Phone 609.

Christmas Gifts

Handsome line of Henckel's Manicuring and Work Sets, Imported Toilet Articles, Military, Hair and Clothes Brushes, etc., etc.

We have beautiful articles in these and want to show you.

R. H. JORDAN & CO.

Phone 7. "WE NEVER CLOSE."

NURSES' REGISTER

THE COMMERCIAL NATIONAL BANK of Charlotte, N. C. CAPITAL, SURPLUS AND PROFITS, \$811,539.98. Statement of Assets and Liabilities for December 11, 1907.

"Old Dominion" Fire Brick, "KING'S" New York Plaster Paris, "ACME," "ELECTROID" and "UNIVERSAL" Asphalt Roofing Felts, Plastering Hair, Laths, Shingles and General Building Material.

Attractive Homes For Sale. 8-room house, Elizabeth Heights, hardwood finish, all modern, splendid location, large lot, 132x200.

Fire Insurance Fire. Insure before the fire occurs—then insurance means something. If you wait until after the loss it is too late.

Wood Fibre Wall Plaster, "Hard Clinch." THE BUILDERS FRIEND. Freezing does not hurt; natural shrinkage will not crack it.

THE BEST. When you have us to do your ELECTRIC work you may be sure of THE BEST. All our work guaranteed and no job too small for our prompt attention.

MONEY LOST. If you fail to carry INSURANCE We write Fire, Accident, Health, Liability and Steam Boiler INSURANCE.

COSY COTTAGE FOR SALE \$1,350.00. New 4-room cottage, near Elizabeth College; lot 50x140. Can arrange easy terms. See us at once.

Brown & Company. Phone 535. 203 N. Tryon St.

In the Right Ward and a Good Buy. New 5-room cottage, located in Fourth Ward. All modern conveniences. Less than one-half block from car line.

SOUTHERN REAL ESTATE LOAN & TRUST COMPANY. Capital \$75,000. Surplus \$100,000. President, W. S. ALEXANDER. Vice President, R. A. DUNN.

First National Bank. CHARLOTTE, N. C. Capital \$300,000.00. Surplus and Profits 240,000.00. Assets 1,900,000.00. Your business respectfully solicited.

The Merchants & Farmers National Bank. OF CHARLOTTE, N. C. Capital, \$200,000.00. Surplus, \$100,000.00. The officers of this bank will be pleased to meet or correspond with those who contemplate making changes or opening new accounts.

Charlotte Trust Co. Showing at close of second year. Capital \$125,000.00. Profits 33,000.00. Solicits the business of corporations, firms and individuals.

Southern Loan & Savings Bank. This Bank offers you unequalled facilities for your SAVINGS BUSINESS as its attention is devoted EXCLUSIVELY to SAVINGS ACCOUNTS.

The Charlotte National Bank. CHARLOTTE, N. C. The chief concern of the officers and directors of this bank is the welfare of its depositors and the security of their deposits.

THE American Trust Company. solicits business on the basis of extending to customers every banking facility warranted by the account.

High-Grade Preferred Stocks 6 and 7 Per Cent. Non-Taxable. 20-25 Elm St. Co. 6 per cent. 120-125 Highland Park 6 per cent. 120-125 Brown Mfg. Co. 5 per cent. 120-125 Lancaster 7 per cent.