

THE SPORTING WORLD

BASEBALL YESTERDAY

American League. St. Louis 1; Washington 1 (6 innings). Detroit 2; New York 1. Chicago 1; Philadelphia 1.

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St. Louis, Sept. 20.—Waddell struck out 17 batsmen to-day and St. Louis defeated Washington 2 to 1 in ten innings.

Detroit, Sept. 20.—The champions regained the lead by winning a close game from New York. Roseman's single with two on in the sixth practically decided it.

Chicago, Sept. 20.—Smith pitched a no-hit game against Philadelphia here to-day, Chicago winning 1 to 0. Plank was also in fine form, showing the locals but four hits, which were scattered.

HARD PRACTICE ON AT CAROLINA

Chapel Hill, Sept. 20.—The football practice is on in earnest. During the first of last week the work was confined to tackling the dummy, running down punts and mastering the various sets of signals.

Cochran has had the assistance of Mr. Foy Roberson, captain of the 1905 team, which crushed Virginia to the music of it to-day.

RACES FULL OF INTEREST.

This Week Will Probably Decide the Championship in National League.

New York, Sept. 20.—The baseball situation is attracting greater attention than any of the other outdoor sports by reason of the closeness of the races for the pennants in both the major leagues.

Detroit, in the American League, starts Monday with Boston, having a five-point lead for first honors over Cleveland, which in turn is seven points ahead of Chicago.

A SONG.

Henry Van Dyke, in Scribner's. Above the edge of dark appear the lanes of the sun.

AMUSEMENTS

THIS WEEK'S ATTRACTIONS AT THE ACADEMY OF MUSIC

To-day, matinee and night, "The Smart Set." Tuesday night, "The Lion and the Mouse." Wednesday, matinee and night, Al G. Field's Minstrels.

The secret of the great success of "The Black Politician," the latest offering of "The Smart Set," the best and most popular colored aggregation of performers before the public, is due to the fact that it is a novelty.



Burlesque Circus, Al G. Field's Minstrels.

occurs in the second act and represents a country fair race track in full operation. Hezekiah Dea, the great politician in embryo, is called upon to ride the horse of the man whose campaign he is managing.

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"THE LION AND THE MOUSE." The firm favor held throughout the entire country by Charles Klein's

great American drama, "The Lion and the Mouse," has placed it upon an equal plane of popularity with "Uncle Tom's Cabin," and "The Old Homestead" for the good principles made bare in the true-to-life teachings.

Henry Br. Harris sends who has been said to be the best company yet seen in "The Lion and the Mouse" to the Academy of Music to-morrow night.

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ed, which conditions are liable to arise and do arise during such season of the year in all communities; and Whereas, On the 1st day of May, 1908, and before any appearance of the aforesaid rabies had been reported or had existed, the board of aldermen passed and enacted an ordinance preventing the running at large of bulldogs, bull-terriers, or any other fierce, dangerous or vicious dogs without being securely muzzled, which ordinance has been enforced by the prosecution and conviction of offenders against the same in the police justice's court of the City of Raleigh, and the officers of the police force have, in the proper

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Field Minstrels as one of the events of the theatrical season. Each succeeding year Mr. Field has worked diligently to make greater his offerings to the public.

Scene From "The Smart Set." accorded him and his company wherever they appear.

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piece has set all the world to dancing, whistling and singing. Franz Lehar, who composed the score, is probably the most popular living musician in Europe, and Victor Leon and Lee Stein, who wrote the splendid book, have made a place for themselves as librettists which may not be disputed.

Whereas, The proper officers of the city have desired and attempted, at all times, to protect the lives of the public against all known dangers and nuisances, including that of dogs diseased with "rabies," although we do not claim the power and ability to absolutely discover and immediately destroy any and all hidden and potential conditions and instruments of harm, any more than the state can absolutely enforce its criminal laws or protect the public against harm; and

That the people of North Carolina can safely come within our midst, and can rely upon feeling at all times, a hearty welcome, with the present assurance that our city is no more dangerous now than it has been in the past.

ACADEMY Wednesday, Matinee and Night THE AL G. FIELD'S GREATER MINSTRELS The Show You Know 23—Years of Continuous Popularity and Prosperity—23 Bigger This Year—Better This Year Than Ever Before. Everything New—All Good—It's Better Than Others Because It's Different.

ACADEMY COMING SOON NORMAN HACKETT IN CLASS MATES

ACADEMY TO-MORROW NIGHT HENRY B. HARRIS OFFERS THE LION AND THE MOUSE Original production. Excellent cast. Seats on sale to-day at Hawley's. Prices—30c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.50.

If you are interested in politics you can't afford to miss hearing S. H. Dudley, "THE BLACK POLITICIAN" During this campaign he will deliver a series on "The Third Candidacy of 'William,'" and the Smart Set Comedians will look after Judge Taft's fight. If you wish to keep posted on politics see "THE BLACK POLITICIAN" Academy of Music to-day Matinee and Night, September 21st. Prices—25, 50, 75c. and \$1. Matinee—25, 50, 75c.

Rosemary Glosz and George Dameref in Henry W. Savage's Production, "The Merry Widow."