

**OLYMPIC GAMES.**

**American Athletes Confident of Many Victories Despite Unfair Decisions of British Judges.**

(Special to the ARGUS.)

London, July 20.—C. W. Daniels, of the American team, won the second of the 200 Meter semi-final swimming events of the Olympic games this morning.

The American team was very hopeful today, for all the dispute over the system of scoring insisted on by the Britons has for some days threatened seriously to impair the harmony of the games, and hold up awarding of the trophy.

Commissioner Sullivan said this morning, "we have a good chance to win out in the long run, for in the track and field contests our men will have a monopoly and take practically everything. We did not come over here to shoot bows and arrows, but when it comes to the runs and jumps our team will show up at the top, and will overcome the advantage the British athletes have gained in the kind of contests with which we are unfamiliar at home."

Mr. Sullivan admitted that the strange climate and damp weather bothered his men, but said they would all be in prime shape by the time the track and field events, on which Americans are banking, are reached.

**THIS DATE IN HISTORY.**

July 21.

- 1669 Locke's constitution for Carolina signed.
- 1773 Pope Clement XIV, signed bull for the extinction of the Jesuits.
- 1796 Robert Burns, Scottish poet, died. Born January 25, 1759.
- 1797 Bonaparte defeated the Mamelukes at the battle of the Pyramids, and thus subdued Lower Egypt.
- 1861 Battle of Bull Run.
- 1865 Fred M. Warner, governor of Michigan, born in Nottingham, Hampshire, England.
- 1874 Charges of Theodore Tilton against Henry Ward Beecher made public.
- 1899 Robert R. Ingersoll, American orator and lawyer, died.
- 1907 Fifty lives lost by the sinking of the steamer Columbia off the California coast.

**NORFOLK AND SOUTHERN.**

**SPECIAL OCCASIONS: Encampment of North Carolina National Guard at Morehead City, N. C.**

First Regiment and Artillery in camp July 18 to 24, 1908.  
Third Regiment in camp August 4 to 10, 1908.

| From          | Rate    |
|---------------|---------|
| Goldsboro     | \$ 2.25 |
| Bests         | 2.15    |
| LaCrane       | 2.05    |
| Falling Creek | 1.95    |
| Kinston       | 1.85    |
| Caswell       | 1.75    |
| Dover         | 1.65    |
| Cove          | 1.55    |
| Tuscarora     | 1.40    |
| New Bern      | 1.30    |
| Riverdale     | 1.20    |
| Croatan       | 1.15    |
| Havelock      | .90     |
| Newport       | .50     |
| Wildwood      | .40     |
| Reelsboro     | 1.45    |
| Grantsboro    | 1.60    |
| Bayboro       | 1.75    |
| Oriental      | 2.00    |

Tickets on sale, Beaufort Division, including Oriental branch, daily, from Saturday July 18th, 1908 to and including Thursday, July 1908, and Monday August 3rd, 1908, to and including Sunday August 9th, 1908. Final limit three days, including date of sale. No stop-overs allowed in either direction.

Usual week end and Sunday tickets on sale.  
F. W. Tatom, D. P. A.,  
Goldsboro, N. C.

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**COTTON IN OCTOBER.**

While spot cotton sells at 11 cents, cotton for October delivery is freely offered at 9 1/2 cents. This, too, in New Orleans, where quotations are not manipulated and regulated by eastern spinners. The speculative dealer deliberately says cotton in October will be worth less than 10 cents.

The truth is, the men who deal in contracts know even less than the farmer does what six critical weeks will bring forth. The crop outturn has not been determined and it will not be in less than six weeks, and sales for October delivery are mere guesses. One guess is as good as another when neither has anything to rest upon. That is exactly the situation in the cotton market. No one knows how much Mother Earth will give us in the form of cotton. She may fill the world with the fleecy product and then again she may hand us a crop that spells famine.

The guesses of the cotton gamblers need not disturb the cotton producer. The latter deals in spots while the former deals in futures. The farmer who can bide his time in the marketing of his crop is the man who will hold the whip hand, and in the long run he is the man who will rule the market. At present the boss of the market and the dictator of prices is the cotton gambler, but he is to be deposed. He is marked for a decline and fall-off worse than Rome ever knew. The farmer will come into his own just as soon as he becomes as much the master of his own crop as the western farmer is of the wheat or corn or oats that he grows.

**SOUTHERN PINE OUTRANKING WHITE PINE.**

The census bureau presents a preliminary report of forest products last year. The total cut exceeded 40,000,000,000 feet, as against 37,500,000,000 in 1906. The output of the mills last year was record-making, and it will perhaps stand a long time as the country's maximum production.

The increase of 1907 was 7.2 per cent, and this was due to the increased use of yellow pine. White pine, hemlock, maple and basswood were cut in decreasing quantities last year, while the production of yellow pine rose to 12,817,790,000 feet. Even production on the Pacific coast was decreased because of higher freight rates.

The lessened demand for yellow pine this year will keep production below that of 1907, and it is not at all certain that the country's forest output will ever again be carried to 40,000,000,000 feet. It is better for the country perhaps that its natural lumber wealth should not be swept away in such wholesale cuts. Forest conservation is rising yearly into prominence, and it may to some extent lessen production in the coming years.

The full report of the census bureau is awaited with interest. It will no doubt present State figures that will enable the careful reader to understand each State's forest wealth.

**Report of the condition of THE NATIONAL BANK OF GOLDSBORO,**

at Goldsboro in the State of North Carolina, at the close of business, July 15, 1908.

| RESOURCES.   |              |
|--|--------------|
| Loans and discounts.....   | \$181,828.17 |
| Overdrafts, secured and unsecured.....                                 | 2,109.66     |
| U. S. Bonds to secure circulation.....                                 | 50,000.00    |
| Banking house, furniture, and fixtures.....                            | 4,950.00     |
| Other real estate owned.....   | 22,198.62    |
| Due from banks and bankers.....  | 29,866.06    |
| Cash in vault.....   | 19,179.91    |
| Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)..... | 550.00       |
| Total.....   | \$310,182.42 |

**LIABILITIES.**

|   |              |
|---|--------------|
| Capital stock paid in.....                      | \$50,000.00  |
| Surplus fund.....                               | 30,000.00    |
| Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid | 27,247.69    |
| National Bank notes outstanding.....            | 49,000.00    |
| Due to banks and bankers                        | 37,143.07    |
| Dividends unpaid.....                           | 164.00       |
| Individual deposits subject to check.....       | 103,834.56   |
| Demand certificates of dep'ts                   | 4,786.66     |
| Cashier's checks outstanding                    | 3,056.44     |
| Notes and bills rediscounted                    | 5,000.00     |
| Total.....                                      | \$310,182.42 |

State of North Carolina, ss. Wayne County.

I, GEO. C. KORNEGAY, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

GEO. C. KORNEGAY, Cashier.  
Correct—Attest:  
W. T. Yelverton,  
G. A. Norwood, Jr.,  
Geo. C. Royall, } Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of July 1908.

H. C. Smith, N. P.

SWEET PEAS—Some choice ones for sale. Mrs. T. W. Slocumb.

Advertise in the ARGUS.

**TO BE CONGRATULATED.**

The Lakeland (Fla.) News, where Dr. Bryan, the dentist, resided before moving to this city, where he now has a handsome official suite in the new Odd Fellows' building, pays him the following graceful—and—we are sure merited—tribute:

"Dr. N. L. Bryan, who left here a few weeks ago with the intention of locating at Kinston, N. C., has changed his plans, and has decided to cast his lot in the thriving town of Goldsboro, in the good old North State. Dr. Bryan's host of friends in Lakeland hope that his decision will prove to his benefit, which no doubt will be the case, as there are few better towns in the South than Goldsboro. On the other hand, The News feels that it truthfully can say that the people of Goldsboro are to be congratulated on securing as a citizen such a man as Dr. Bryan. Professionally and as a man he is the peer of any, and our only regret is that he and his charming wife decided they could better themselves in another location, which decision was a distinct loss to Lakeland. Your Lakeland friends are 'looking at you,' Doc, and they know you'll make good wherever you go."

**BEFORE AND AFTER.**

The Republican congress that refused to pass a publicity bill and the Chicago convention that refused to demand publicity snapped their fingers at public sentiment, very much as a Vanderbilt is said to have done 30 years ago, but their assurance and their disrespect for public opinion did not exceed Mr. Taft's and that of his slush gatherer, George Rumsey Sheldon. Their declarations that they will see that the New York publicity law is respected proves to have been a smart trick for postponing publicity until after the election, for this is what the New York law calls for. The voters are calling for a publicity they can act on. They will not get it from the Taft party, for Mr. Taft himself recently said:

"There is a New York law covering the collection of campaign funds and their endorsement, and it is the purpose of the national committee to see that the law is rigidly adhered to. All moneys collected will be reported to Treasurer Sheldon, and he will comply with the statute."

Mr. Sheldon, being interviewed at the same time, made this statement:

"Every dollar received and disbursed by the Republican National Committee during this campaign will be accounted for to the public. There may be an assistant treasurer, but there will be but one treasury, and that in New York. No matter where the money is collected or where it is spent, every dollar contributed to the campaign fund will be reported to me at New York, and will go on my books, and when the contest is over a statement of receipts and disbursements will be published."

The contributions to the Democratic fund are to be published before the election. Those made to the Republican fund are to be published after the election. This is what the resort to the New York law means. It is a political trick that will deceive no one. The Republicans dare not publish a list of their campaign contributions, coming as they will from tariff beneficiaries; that is to say, they dare not publish them before election. The corrupting influence of big slush funds is to go on, and the business is to be kept a close secret until after election. The New York law is a mere excuse for evading a great public duty. The Democrats will set an example of straight-out publicity before election, and the voters can judge themselves why the Republicans will not.

**NOTICE.**

The 54th annual meeting of the stockholders of A. & N. C. R. R. Company will be held in the town of Morehead, N. C., on Thursday August 13, 1908.

J. D. Broadhurst,  
Secretary.

**Business Notice.**

Having sold my interest in the firm of Baker, Edgerton and Bizzell to Mr. R. I. Thornton, this is to give notice that I am no longer connected with said firm.  
D. L. Edgerton.  
July 20, 1908.

**DR. N. L. BRYAN, DENTIST.**

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Its investments are distributed in every State in which the Com- does business. Over ONE QUARTER of a MILLION DOLLARS invested in North Carolina.

The National is "Mutual," Has "No Stock-holders," and by patronizing its service you not only get your insurance at cost, but build up your own State, and take absolutely no risk, as the Company has long since passed the experimental stage.

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SIG. COHEN.  
June 25th, 1908.

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**EVERYBODY READ.**

A CARD FROM MRS. JOE PERSON, Charlotte, N. C., April 23, 1908.

I was in Lumberton, N. C., on October 8th, 1907. Several of the ladies had a great deal to tell me in regard to the wonderful cure of Mrs. E. F. Kelly's child. They saw her at a time when she was considered at death's door, and the doctors had said that amputation of the child's leg was the only hope of saving the child's life, that the cure that my Remedy had effected of her case was nothing short of a miracle. I went to Mrs. Kelly's and saw the mother, but the little girl was at school. The letter from Mrs. Kelly given below explains the child's condition. I was in Lumberton again on the 6th of April, 1908, and again went to see Mrs. Kelly. The little girl was at home and when she was told who I was, she jumped into my arms with a delighted cry of welcome. "I wouldn't take a thousand dollars for seeing you, Mrs. Joe Person, for you saved my life." She is as healthy a specimen of a child as can be found in the State and a child of winning grace and beauty. She is not even left with a limp. Mrs. Kelly told me that the frequent "operations" that were made on the child consisted of splitting the child's leg to the bone, scraping the bone and cutting away the diseased flesh. The scars that were left from these operations were fearful; the one on the outside of her leg extends to the bone for the length of seven inches, the one on the inside for four inches.

Healthy, natural skin now covers the bone and her leg is perfectly well and her general health perfect. Mrs. Kelly showed me a drainage tube which she had to insert by the doctor's direction every day, passing it through the decayed bone of her leg. When she would syringe a wash through either opening it would pass through the opposite opening, and Mrs. Kelly said the leg was virtually honey-combed with it decayed flesh. It would pay any one scientifically interested in a subject of this importance to go to Lumberton and see what my Remedy has done for Mrs. Kelly's little girl. I am,  
Very truly,  
MRS. JOE PERSON.

Lumberton, N. C., Our little daughter had a case of typhoid fever when she was three years old. It settled in her right leg, the leg swelling up just above her knee and bursing and pieces of bone came out. We had three or four doctors attend her, but they could do her no good at all. They said there would have to be an operation and we took her to Darlington, S. C., and had an operation performed. We waited about four months and took her to Charleston Hospital for another operation and kept her there three months. Dr. Simmons, the head surgeon there, said the leg would have to be amputated, but I would not consent to it. I brought her back to Darlington and had another operation performed there. I waited four or five months and took her to the Memorial Hospital in Richmond, Va., and had an operation performed. She stayed there one month and five days and came back apparently well. In eight months after her return her leg swelled and burst again in the same place. Pieces of bone were discharged. We called in the doctor of this place. She had a hemorrhage from the lungs. The doctor said her leg would have to come off. I went to the drug store, got six bottles of Mrs. Joe Person's Remedy and commenced giving it to her according to directions. In two weeks' time she could get out of bed. By the time she had taken the six bottles the leg was healed up. Up to this time she has taken twenty-eight bottles. Her leg seems perfectly well. She goes to school every day and has only a slight limp. Her general health is better than it has ever been. She is still taking the Remedy, as we wish to be sure that all the poison is eradicated from her system. Before taking your Remedy she was in bed nearly all the time and could scarcely walk without the aid of crutches. Now she has no need of them.

She is now ten years of age. I consider your Remedy the finest preparation in the world, and the greatest boon to suffering humanity.  
MRS. E. F. KELLY.

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